



Goodwin Biotechnology Weathered Hurricane Irma Unscathed

September, 2017 -- Plantation, Florida -- Goodwin Biotechnology, Inc., a biological Contract Development and Manufacturing Organization (CDMO) that specializes in bioprocess development and cGMP manufacturing of biopharmaceuticals announced that it withstood the wind and rain associated with Hurricane Irma with no problems.

“Certainly, we were concerned as Hurricane Irma approached south Florida,” said SooYoung Lee, PhD, Chief Operating Officer at Goodwin Biotechnology. “The size and strength of the approaching storm was formidable, but our staff activated well thought out and proven standard operating procedures and prepared for the worst. Fortunately, south Florida was only on the periphery of the most dangerous weather associated with this storm. We experienced hurricane force winds and a lot of rain, which did a lot of damage to trees, power poles, etc., but there was no damage to our facility, and our staff braved the weather to carry out critical operations throughout the storm and we were up and running as usual without any delays within 24 hours after the storm passed. While much of the state lost power during the storm, our emergency generator provided power to the facility so that business continued uninterrupted. Our staff was resilient in that they experienced a loss of power, some for days, they got back to work right after the storm passed and operations continued seamlessly.”

“Our hearts go out to the people in the Caribbean islands, the lower Florida Keys and southwest Florida who were exposed to conditions that were unsurmountable, and who experienced significant structural damage to their houses and businesses, but we were fortunate to have dodged a severe lashing from Hurricane Irma,” said Karl Pinto, Chief Executive Officer. “We have been in this building for over 25 years and have weathered other significant storms. I credit that to a well-designed building and the fortitude of our staff who prepared for the storm well in advance of its arrival, those worked at the facility during the storm, and all who responded quickly after the inclement weather passed. We kept our clients up to date on the plans and activities we were implementing before and after the hurricane and all were reassured with the successful outcome.”

About Goodwin Biotechnology, Inc.

Goodwin Biotechnology is a uniquely qualified CDMO that offers a Single Source Solution™ for our clients from cell line development, exploratory proof of concept projects through process development and cGMP contract manufacturing of monoclonal antibodies, recombinant proteins, vaccines, and Biologic Drug Conjugates including Antibody Drug Conjugates (ADCs) for early and late stage clinical trials. By working with Goodwin Biotechnology, clients can enhance the value of their product candidates with clear development and manufacturing strategies, as well as a road map to meet the appropriate quality requirements from the milligram and gram range to kilogram quantities as the product candidates move along the clinical development pathway in a cost-effective, timely, and cGMP compliant manner to enhance patients' lives. With over 20 years of experience as an independent integrated contract manufacturer, Goodwin Biotechnology has worked as a strategic partner with companies of all sizes from small university spin-offs to major research institutes, government agencies and large, established and multi-national biopharmaceutical companies. Based on the impressive track record, Goodwin Biotechnology has been awarded **Frost & Sullivan's Customer Value and Leadership Award for Best Practices in Mammalian Contract Manufacturing!** In addition, Goodwin Biotechnology was awarded 'Best in Sector: Biopharmaceutical Contract Development & Manufacturing' at *Acquisition International* magazine's 2015 Sector Performance Awards. Most recently, Goodwin Biotechnology received *Global Health & Pharma's* 2017 award for **Best in Mammalian Cell Culture Process Development & cGMP Manufacturing.** [Click here](#) to view the press releases! Additional information may be found at <http://www.GoodwinBio.com>.

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