



Press Release

GIRUS Offers New R&D Services

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GIRUS Life Sciences, Inc., a cell biology-based biotechnology company focused on stem cell therapy and innovative bio-processing products and services, is pleased to announce expansion of its Bio-Processing Services to R&D Services. GIRUS Life Sciences which is at the San Jose BioCenter, a large, new center equipped with state of the art equipment, will have the ability to grow and provide R&D Services for biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries as well as academic researchers.

According to the GIRUS' Acting CEO, Dr. Abi Abitorabi, "the management team has had extensive expertise in Contract Research and Bio-Processing. GIRUS' Bio-Processing group is helping customers in some of their product development efforts, and now we want to provide a wider range of solutions to our clients. The Company has the expertise and capability to provide reliable, cost-effective services not only during the Development phase but also the Research phase—from discovery, proof of principle, and target validation to process development."

GIRUS Life Science, Inc. BioProcessing Division has developed a panel of Regocel™ animal-free media and supplements to "regulate" cellular pathways during cell culture and bioproduction. These products are for mammalian cells used as production platforms and for primary cells such as hematopoietic stem cells. The Company offers bio-processing services such as cell line development, small to mid-scale cultures, media development and optimization. It will now also offer customer-focused R&D services that include molecular biology, analytical and functional characterization of proteins, cell based assays, and preclinical study design.

Referring to the Company's new offerings, Dr. Abitorabi said "we want our R&D Services Group to have increasing capabilities and provide fully integrated solutions to companies worldwide. We are delighted to begin our growth phase in this area and plan to deliver results to our customers."