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GNI Group Completes the Transaction with Catalyst Biosciences

GNI Group Ltd. ("the Company") and its subsidiaries and affiliates ("we" or "the Group") and Nasdaq-listed Catalyst Biosciences, Inc. ("CBIO") have been working on the transaction ("the Transaction") disclosed on December 27, 2022. We are pleased to announce that CBIO has now disclosed that the Transaction has closed.

Upon successful completion of the Transaction, Beijing Continent Pharmaceuticals Co., Ltd. ("BC") becomes a fully-consolidated subsidiary of CBIO, while CBIO becomes a fully-consolidated subsidiary of the Group.

The transaction establishes another foothold for clinical and business development in the United States and is a very important step in the global expansion of our group's pharmaceutical business.

Please refer to the link below for the CBIO press release.

https://ir.catalystbiosciences.com/news-releases/news-release-details/catalyst-biosciences-announces-completion-business-combination

The impact of this transaction on the Group's consolidated financial results for the current fiscal year is being evaluated and will be disclosed when it is clear.

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