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GNI Group Completes Purchase of Elutia's Orthobiologics Business

GNI Group Co., Ltd. ("the Company"; "we", "the Group", including our subsidiaries and affiliates) today announced that due diligence, which was a prerequisite for closing the acquisition of a part of Elutia Inc.'s (Nasdaq listed ticker: ELUT; "Elutia") biologics business, was successfully completed, and the acquisition transaction has been closed.

The biomaterials business has recorded stable revenue and profits every year, and with this acquisition, 5 billion yen revenue for this business next year is now in sight. The acquisition is expected to increase our revenue in the United States and further expand and develop the Group's business in the United States.

1. Overview of acquisition transaction

(1) Board resolution date	September 17, 2023
(2) Contract conclusion date	September 17, 2023
(3) Due diligence completion date	2023 November
(4) Closing (business acquisition) date	November 9, 2023

2. Outline of accounting treatment

The accounting treatment of the new entity is being evaluated and will be disclosed when it is clear.

3. Outlook

This matter is not reflected in the revision to our 2023 full-year consolidated earnings forecast, which was disclosed on November 6, 2023. Upon thorough evaluation, we will promptly disclose any material matters should they arise.

About Elutia:

Elutia develops and commercializes biologic products to improve compatibility between medical devices and the patients who need them. With a growing population in need of implantable technologies, Elutia's mission is humanizing medicine so patients can thrive without compromise. For more information, visit www.Elutia.com.

About GNI Group Ltd.:

The Company is a holding company of global healthcare company listed on the Growth Board of the Tokyo Stock Exchange and engaged in drug discovery, pharmaceutical development, biomaterial development, clinical studies, manufacturing, and sales in both the United States and China. For more information, please visit our website below:

https://www.gnipharma.com/

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