

AGILUX LABORATORIES HIRES NEW ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR TO LEAD IN VITRO ADMET SERVICES DIVISION

– Adrian Sheldon, M.D., positions contract research organization for growth

Worcester, MA – September 9, 2009 – Agilux Laboratories, Inc., a Contract Research Organization (CRO) that provides bioanalytical and in vitro Absorption Distribution Metabolism Excretion Toxicology (ADMET) services for the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries, has appointed Dr. Adrian Sheldon as Associate Director of In Vitro ADMET Services. In this role, Dr. Sheldon will build the In Vitro ADMET Services division offering testing services that allow biotechnology and pharmaceutical companies to screen drug candidates for desirable ADMET properties. Dr. Sheldon will leverage more than 17 years of industry experience, including establishing new business units for In Vitro ADMET and Immunochemistry within an established CRO. He will extend Agilux's emphasis on customer service, rapid turnaround and exceptional data quality to the company's newly formed In Vitro ADMET Services Testing Division.

"We are excited to have someone with Adrian's expertise, successful track record and demonstrated abilities at Agilux," said Jim Jersey, president and CEO at Agilux. "Adrian brings the right balance of scientific expertise and customer focus, which is consistent with Agilux's mission of delivering high quality data at unprecedented speeds. We are confident that both the Agilux team and our clients will benefit from his unique skill set."

Prior to Agilux, Dr. Sheldon served as Associate Director of In Vitro ADMET at Charles River Laboratories. Prior to Charles River Laboratories, Dr. Sheldon was group leader in Assay Development/HTS/In Vitro ADMET at ArQule where he co-managed a team responsible for screening compounds generated by the industry-leading combinatorial chemistry laboratory. He received his Ph.D. from Boston University and his A.B. from Harvard University. Dr. Sheldon has authored numerous scientific publications and holds two patents.

"I am very pleased about joining the team at Agilux," stated Dr. Sheldon. "We have an incredible opportunity to change the way early stage development services are delivered and I am confident that I will be able to contribute to Agilux's continuing success."

About Agilux Laboratories, Inc.

Agilux Laboratories, Inc. is a privately held contract research organization (CRO) focused on bioanalytical and PK/PD testing services for the biotech and pharmaceutical industries. Leveraging industry and contract experience of its management team, the company delivers high quality bioanalytical chemistry and PK/PD data more rapidly. Agilux helps clients make better decisions during drug discovery and development by providing quality data earlier in the research process by using technologies and systems that increase turnaround speed well beyond industry standards. Founded in 2007 by industry experts Jim Jersey, Steve Guyan and Peter Glick, Agilux is headquartered in Worcester, MA and is funded by private equity firm, Ampersand Ventures. For more information, call 508-753-5000 or email sguyan@agiluxlabs.com. Online at www.agiluxlabs.com.

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