



Living Cell Technologies Limited

Obituary: LCT Founding Director David Collinson

10 August 2009: Sydney, Australia, Auckland, New Zealand– Living Cell Technologies Limited (ASX: LCT; OTCQX: LVCLY) today announced with regret that David Collinson, founder and director of LCT died at his home on Friday 7 August 2009.

David established the predecessor of Living Cell Technologies Limited, Diatranz Limited, in 1987 with Professor Bob Elliott. David's son developed diabetes at the age of two. The family experienced first-hand the difficulties of daily management of the disease and the impact it had on the lifestyle of a young child. Upon learning the possible medical complications for his son, David visited the surgery of Professor Elliott and subsequently committed himself and his money to fighting diabetes



David served as the Company's CEO and continued as a non-executive director until his death. David had the vision of a radical approach to treating diabetes by replacing insulin producing cells lost as a result of the disease. He believed it should be possible to restore to normal the life of diabetes sufferers. David worked tirelessly for LCT, promoting the cause to investors worldwide to join the crusade against diabetes. His persistent enthusiasm endured to the last weeks of his life as he fought against disseminated melanoma.

Prior to his death, David was made an honorary member of the Royal Society of New Zealand, a Paul Harris Rotary Fellow and a commendation from the Vice Chancellor of the University of Auckland for his contribution to medical science.

David's cheerful presence at the Company will be missed. The staff of LCT shares his loss with his wife Jenny, son Simon, daughter Natalie and his family.

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