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ACTIVITY REPORT & APPENDIX 4C

Highlights

During the quarter, Cynata has:

- Entered into a product development and commercialisation partnership agreement to deliver Cymerus™ stem cells into the lung with Grey Innovation using a novel nebulizer device
- Commenced a formal preclinical program as a prelude to clinical trials of Cynata's Cymerus™ off-theshelf stem cell product
- Initiated dialogue with regulatory agencies with a view to securing clearance to commence a clinical trial in graft-versus-host disease
- Progressed manufacturing scale-up of GMP Cymerus™ stem cells with Waisman Biomanufacturing in the USA

Cynata's Stem Cell Technology (Cymerus™)

Our Cymerus™ technology represents a breakthrough in regenerative medicine through scalable Mesenchymal Stem Cell (MSC) manufacturing. This will be extremely valuable as large pharmaceutical companies move into the regenerative medicine space and seek to produce a range of 'off the shelf' MSC products. Cymerus™ also potentially enables manufacture of pharmaceutical grade product for many of the small- to mid-cap biotechnology companies developing MSC products, thereby obviating one of the major manufacturing challenges they will inevitably face. We expect a great deal of activity in this space in 2014.

We have positive data from our Cymerus[™] cells in a disease model of critical limb ischemia and are now moving towards a clinical program in treating graft-versus-host disease. This project commenced earlier this year with the initiation of a preclinical proof-of-concept study at the University of Massachusetts. These activities will validate Cymerus[™] and increase the partnering value of our technology.

The second quarter of 2014 saw the Company effectively progress commercial discussions with a number of potential partners with the first of these resulting in the execution of a product development and commercialisation partnership heads of agreement with Grey Innovation. The focus of this partnership is on the delivery of Cymerus stem cells directly into the lung for the future treatment of lung disorders. The interaction with Grey Innovation is consistent with our plan to leverage our Cymerus™ stem cells into a range of disease treatments through an integrated approach from our scalable manufacturing of the cells through to novel delivery in the clinic. We are progressing discussions with other strategic partners and look forward to announcing these as and when they are finalised.

The quarter also saw Cynata consolidate scale-up of our Cymerus™ stem cell manufacturing technology at Waisman Biomanufacturing. The cells produced at Waisman will be used in the formal pre-clinical study program (announced July 14) at WuXi AppTec and also in our clinical trial program. To this end we have engaged with regulatory authorities to ensure our pre-clinical and clinical trials will meet the required standards.

Cynata is becoming recognised internationally for our scalable MSC manufacturing technology and, as noted above, we are now in discussions with a number of interested parties that have approached us and expect announcements in the near future as we progress to agreements.

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About Cynata Therapeutics (ASX: CYP)

Cynata Therapeutics Limited (ASX: CYP) is an Australian stem cell and regenerative medicine company that is developing a therapeutic stem cell platform technology, Cymerus™, originating from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, a world leader in stem cell research. The proprietary Cymerus™ technology seeks to address a critical shortcoming in existing methods of production of mesenchymal stem cells (MSCs) for therapeutic use, which is the ability to achieve economic manufacture at commercial scale. Cymerus™ does so through the production of a particular type of MSC precursor, called a mesenchymoangioblast (MCA). The Cymerus™ MCA platform provides a source of MSCs that is independent of donor limitations and provides a potential "off-the-shelf" stem cell platform for therapeutic product use, with a pharmaceutical business model and economies of scale. This has the potential to create a new standard in the emergent arena of stem cell therapeutics and provides both a unique differentiator and an important competitive position.

Rule 4.7B

Appendix 4C

Quarterly report for entities admitted on the basis of commitments

Introduced 31/03/00 Amended 30/09/01, 24/10/05, 17/12/10

Name of entity		
Cynata Therapeutics Limited		
ABN	Quarter ended ("current quarter")	
98 104 037 372	30 June 2014	

Consolidated statement of cash flows

		Current quarter	Year to date
Cash flows related to operating activities			(12 months)
	•	\$A'000	\$A'000
1.1	Receipts from customers	-	-
1.2	Payments for:		
	(a) staff costs	(101)	(484)
	(b) advertising and marketing	-	-
	(c) research and development	(348)	(662)
	(d) leased assets	-	-
	(e) other working capital	(206)	(978)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature		
	received	25	83
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other (R&D rebate received)	-	184
	Net operating cash flows	(630)	(1,857)

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		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1.8	Net operating cash flows (carried forward)	(630)	(1,857)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.9	Payment for acquisition of:		
	(a) businesses (item 5)	-	159
	(b) equity investments	-	(271)
	(c) intellectual property	-	- (1)
	(d) physical non-current assets(e) other non-current assets	-	(1)
1.10	Proceeds from disposal of:	-	-
1.10	(a) businesses (item 5)	_	_
	(b) equity investments	_	_
	(c) intellectual property	_	_
	(d) physical non-current assets	_	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
1.11	Loans to other entities	-	-
1.12	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.13	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net investing cash flows	-	(113)
1.14	Total operating and investing cash flows	(630)	(1,970)
1 15	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.15	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.		6,440
1.16	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	_	0,440
1.17	Proceeds from borrowings	_	-
1.18	Repayment of borrowings	_	_
1.19	Dividends paid	_	-
1.20	Other (share issue costs)	-	(496)
	Net financing cash flows	-	5,944
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	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(630)	3,974
1.21	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	5,724	1,117
1.22	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.21	3,724	4
		1	7
1.23	Cash at end of quarter	5,095	5,095

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Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000	
		\$A 000	
1.24	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	151	
1.25	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.11		
1.26	1.26 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions		
	Directors' fees, salaries including superannuation benefits and professional consultancy fees. All payments are on normal commercial terms.		
Noi	n-cash financing and investing activities		
2.1	Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows		
	N/A		
2.2	Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their which the reporting entity has an interest	share in businesses in	
	N/A		
2.1	Details of financing and investing transactions which have had consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows N/A Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their which the reporting entity has an interest		

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available	Amount used
		\$A'000	\$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	N/A	N/A
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	N/A	N/A

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Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
4.1	Cash on hand and at bank	7	2
4.2	Deposits at call	5,088	5,722
4.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
4.4	Other (cash brought in from acquiree)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.23)	5,095	5,724

Acquisitions and disposals of business entities

		Acquisitions $(Item\ 1.9(a))$	Disposals (Item 1.10(a))
5.1	Name of entity	N/A	N/A
5.2	Place of incorporation or registration	N/A	N/A
5.3	Consideration for acquisition or disposal	N/A	N/A
5.4	Total net assets	N/A	N/A
5.5	Nature of business	N/A	N/A

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Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act (except to the extent that information is not required because of note 2) or other standards acceptable to ASX.
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here: Date: 31 July 2014

Print name: <u>Dr Ross Macdonald</u> (*Managing Director*)

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Notes

- 1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- 2. The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report except for any additional disclosure requirements requested by AASB 107 that are not already itemised in this report.
- 3. **Accounting Standards.** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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