Misonix And SIAD Healthcare Renew Distribution Agreement For Italy

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Misonix, Inc.

(NasdaqGM: MSON), a surgical device company that designs, manufactures and markets innovative therapeutic ultrasonic products worldwide for spine surgery, skull-based surgery, neurosurgery, wound debridement, cosmetic surgery, laparoscopic surgery and other surgical applications, has entered into a new, three year, exclusive distribution agreement with SIAD Healthcare, based in Milano, Italy, for the distribution of the SonaStar@ Ultrasonic Surgical Aspiration System, the BoneScalpelT Ultrasonic Bone Cutting System and the SonicOne@ Ultrasonic Wound Cleansing and Debridement System. The agreement provides SIAD with the right to sell throughout Italy, San Marino and Vatican City. Included in the agreement are annual minimum purchase requirements. This continues a previous, successful 3-year distribution partnership.

As a result of their divisional organization, SIAD has proven their ability to successfully market Misonix products to a wide variety of surgical disciplines, including neurosurgery, skull-based surgery, spine surgery and wound debridement, demonstrated by placing double digit quantities of the SonaStar, BoneScalpel and SonicOne into Italian hospitals. They are recognized for their commitment to clinical education and have developed an excellent reputation for service after the sale.

The SonaStar is used by neurosurgeons and general surgeons for quick and efficient removal of both hard and soft tumors while sparing most vessels. OsteoSculptT bone sculpting technology can be employed with the SonaStar to safely remove osseous structures, thus providing access to the surgical site.

The BoneScalpel is a tissue specific osteotomy device capable of making precise cuts through bone and hard tissue while largely preserving delicate soft tissue structures. It offers the convenience and speed of a power instrument without the danger associated with rotary sharps.

The SonicOne is an innovative, ultrasonic wound care system that offers tissue specific debridement and cleansing for effective removal of devitalized tissue and fibrin deposits while sparing viable cellular structures. The SonicOne establishes a new standard in advanced wound care and ensures progress towards patient healing.

"We are exceptionally pleased to continue our mutually rewarding business alliance with SIAD. We have great respect for their professional management and attention to our products, current and future. They have impressive long-term relationships with key physicians throughout Italy in spine, craniomaxillofacial (CMF) and neuro

surgeries, as well as wound care. Their past success with introducing new technologies to their market speaks for itself," said Michael A. McManus, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer of Misonix. "We are particularly pleased that they are selling our three lead products throughout Italy." About Misonix Misonix, Inc. designs, develops, manufactures and markets therapeutic ultrasonic medical devices. Misonix's therapeutic ultrasonic platform is the basis for several innovative medical technologies. Addressing a combined market estimated to be in excess of $3 billion annually; Misonix's proprietary ultrasonic medical devices are used for wound debridement, cosmetic surgery, neurosurgery, laparoscopic surgery, and other surgical and medical applications. Additional information is available on the Company's Web site at www.misonix.com.

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