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NORGINE APPOINTS DIRECTOR (GLOBAL PHARMACOVIGILANCE)

– strengthens global pharmacovigilance team

Norgine is delighted to announce the appointment of **Dr Yvonne Lamb** as Director, Global Pharmacovigilance, with effect from January 18th 2010. A qualified physician, Yvonne has extensive industry experience, serving most recently as Pharmacovigilance Therapy Area Head for Respiratory at GlaxoSmithKline, prior to which she led the firm's Pharmacovigilance Therapy Area for Neurosciences.

In former roles, she worked in medical evaluation at Roche, as UK Medical Director at Searle and led the UK Clinical Development team for SmithKline Beecham, including a period as Medical Director for Australia. Yvonne will be a valuable addition to Norgine's Global Pharmacovigilance team.

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Notes to Editor

Norgine is an independent, successful European specialty pharmaceutical company that has been established for over 100 years and has a direct presence in all the major European markets. In 2008, Norgine celebrated its 22nd year of double-digit net product sales growth at constant exchange rates. The company employs over 1,000 people.

Norgine is focused on developing and marketing pharmaceutical products that address significant unmet clinical needs in gastroenterology, hepatology and pain management. The company currently markets a range of products in its key therapeutic areas: eg, MOVICOL[®] for the treatment of constipation and faecal impaction, MOVIPREP[®] a new generation of bowel cleansing preparation, KLEAN-PREP[®] for bowel preparation prior to colonoscopy, XIFAXAN[®] for the treatment of traveller's diarrhoea, FIVASA[®] for the treatment of ulcerative colitis and Crohn's disease and ORAMORPH[®] for the treatment of moderate-to-severe pain associated with cancer.

Norgine is active in research and development and currently has products in various stages of clinical development. Norgine manufactures most of its own products in Hengoed, Wales and Dreux in France.

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