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FYTOKEM CONSOLIDATES RESEARCH DEPARTMENT

Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, May 7, 2003 - Fytokem Products Inc. (Fytokem), a leading producer of *Function-Certified™* plant-based ingredients, today announced that its Director of Research and Development, Ms. Janice McColl, will resign her position effective May 31, 2003. Janice has accepted a position with a local nutraceutical company.

“Janice has been an integral part of Fytokem since 2001. Not only did she make major contributions to our scientific abilities, she also did an excellent job of training her staff while she headed our research team. All of us at Fytokem wish her the greatest success in her future endeavors” said Art Hesje, President and CEO of Fytokem, “Ms. McColl’s duties and responsibilities will be assumed by Mr. Greg Dutka in the short term.”

About Fytokem Products Inc.

Fytokem Products Inc. is engaged in the discovery and commercialization of novel *Function-Certified™* plant-based substances – extracts, phytochemicals and bioactive molecules – for use as ingredients in personal care, nutraceutical, pharmaceutical and bio-industrial products. Fytokem has applied for several scientific patents, and has developed a proprietary commercial scale manufacturing process.

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