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pSivida Corp. Reports First Quarter FY 2015 Results

WATERTOWN, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- pSivida Corp. (NASDAQ: PSDV)(ASX: PVA), a leader in the development of sustained release, drug delivery products for treating eye diseases, today announced financial results for its first quarter ended September 30, 2014.

pSivida's lead licensed product, ILUVIEN® for Diabetic Macular Edema (DME), was approved by the U.S. Food & Drug Administration (FDA) in September 2014, and pSivida received the \$25.0 million milestone payment earned on that approval in October 2014. Commercialization of ILUVIEN for DME in the U.S. is scheduled to commence in the first quarter of 2015 and in Portugal in the fourth quarter of 2014. ILUVIEN now has or is pending marketing approval in 18 countries and is sold in the U.K. and Germany. An exclusive sublicense of ILUVIEN covers Australia and New Zealand. pSivida is entitled to 20% of the net profits from sales of ILUVIEN by its licensee on a country-by-country, quarter-by-quarter basis and 20% of royalties and 33% of other amounts from sublicenses of ILUVIEN.

"We are very pleased with the FDA approval of ILUVIEN. It is indicated for DME patients previously treated with a course of corticosteroids without a clinically significant rise in intraocular pressure. This indication is broader than in the EU," said Paul Ashton, Ph.D., President and CEO of pSivida. "We believe ILUVIEN's three-year treatment duration and potential to reverse vision loss will make it an important treatment alternative to current VEGF therapy requiring injection as frequently as monthly, particularly as the DME of the majority of patients receiving this therapy is not optimally managed. Between our \$14.3 million in cash at quarter end and the \$25.0 million FDA milestone, we are now in an excellent financial position to continue our product development programs into 2017."

Enrollment continues on schedule in pSivida's pivotal Phase III trial of its lead development product, Medidur™ for posterior uveitis, the third largest cause of blindness in the U.S. The Company is requesting a meeting with the FDA to confirm its regulatory strategy of seeking FDA approval for Medidur based on data from the single ongoing Phase III trial, rather than two trials, together with supplemental clinical data on its proprietary inserter. Medidur uses the same injectable, sustained-release micro-insert as ILUVIEN for DME (same design, same drug, same polymer, same release rate). The FDA has agreed that pSivida can use much of the data, including clinical safety data, from the completed ILUVIEN Phase III trials to support an application for Medidur. pSivida was recently granted another U.S. patent extending the patent coverage of the micro-insert used in ILUVIEN and Medidur to August 2027.

pSivida continued its pre-clinical development of potential products based on its Durasert[™] and Tethadur[™] platform technologies. The Company's research is focused on ocular and systemic delivery of antibodies, other proteins and drugs to provide sustained treatment of wet and dry age-related macular degeneration, glaucoma, osteoarthritis and other diseases.

"We are encouraged by our ongoing pre-clinical research, generating a robust pipeline of potential products reflecting our strategy of developing our own products to become a specialty pharma company while continuing to enter into strategic collaborations where appropriate. We continue to work on the development of products using Tethadur, our technology designed to deliver antibodies and other proteins. These biologic products are significant in the treatment world--seven of the ten largest pharmaceutical products are biologics—but they are not optimally delivered. We are working to solve this issue. Our Durasert technology, which is the basis of our three approved products, as well as Medidur, has proven to be an effective vehicle for very long-term sustained delivery of drugs, and we are now studying new generations of this technology as the basis for new products. Finally, we are researching potential products that join these two technologies and are excited by the potential to provide targeted, long-term delivery of biologics."

Results for the FY2015 First Quarter. Revenues for the quarter ended September 30, 2014 totaled \$25.3 million compared to \$597,000 for the prior year quarter. The increase was due to recognition of the \$25.0 million milestone earned upon FDA approval of ILUVIEN.

Operating expenses for the three months ended September 30, 2014 totaled \$4.5 million compared to \$4.3 million a year earlier. The increase was principally due to additional CRO costs for the Medidur Phase III program.

Net income for the quarter ended September 30, 2014 was \$20.6 million, or \$0.67 per diluted share, compared to a net loss of \$3.7 million, or \$0.14 per share, for the prior year quarter.

At September 30, 2014, cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities totaled \$14.3 million. In October 2014, the Company received the \$25.0 million FDA approval milestone payment. The Company's quarterly cash burn is expected to vary from quarter to quarter based on timing and amounts of cash payments, including CRO payments, and cash receipts under collaboration agreements.

Today's Conference Call Reminder

pSivida Corp. will host a live webcast and conference call today, November 7, 2014, at 8:30 am ET. The conference call may be accessed by dialing (877) 312-7507 from the U.S. and Canada, or (631) 813-4828 from international locations. The conference can also be accessed on the pSivida Corp. website at <u>www.psivida.com</u>. A replay of the call will be available approximately two hours following the end of the call through November 14, 2014. The replay may be accessed by dialing (855) 859-2056 within the U.S. and Canada or (404) 537-3406 from international locations, Conference ID number 30044979.

About pSivida Corp.

pSivida Corp., headquartered in Watertown, MA, is a leader in the development of sustained release, drug delivery products for treating eye diseases utilizing its core Durasert[™] and Tethadur[™] platform technology systems. pSivida's lead product candidate, Medidur[™] for treatment of posterior uveitis, is being studied in a pivotal Phase III clinical trial. Medidur uses the same injectable, sustained release micro-insert as pSivida's lead licensed product, ILUVIEN® for the treatment of DME. ILUVIEN has been approved in the U.S., is marketed in the U.K. and Germany and has or is pending marketing authorization in 15 other EU countries. pSivida's other licensed product, Retisert®, an implant that treats posterior uveitis, is sold in the U.S. pSivida's pre-clinical research is focused on ocular and systemic delivery of biologics and drugs to treat of wet and dry age-related macular degeneration, glaucoma, osteoarthritis and other diseases.

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PSIVIDA CORP. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited) (In thousands except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended September 30,			
	2014		2013	
Revenues: Collaborative research and development Royalty income	\$	25,081 226	\$	173 424
Total revenues		25,307		597
Operating expenses: Research and development General and administrative		2,784 1,734		2,504 1,811
Total operating expenses		4,518		4,315
Income (loss) from operations Interest income		20,789 <u>3</u>		(3,718) 1
Income (loss) before income taxes Income tax (expense) benefit		20,792 (226)		(3,717) <u>30</u>
Net income (loss)	\$	20,566	\$	(3,687)
Net income (loss) per common share: Basic	\$	0.70	\$	(0.14)
Diluted	\$	0.67	\$	(0.14)
Weighted average common shares outstanding: Basic		29,323		25,918
Diluted		30,765		25,918

PSIVIDA CORP. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Unaudited) (In thousands)

	September 30, 2014		June 30, 2014	
	\$	14,308	\$	18,278
Accounts and other receivables Other current assets		25,462 915		517 547
Total current assets		40,685		19,342

Intangible assets, net Other assets	 2,528 527		2,765 564
Total assets	\$ 43,740	\$	22,671
Liabilities and stockholders' equity Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 2,208	\$	1,988
Deferred revenue	 104		138
Total current liabilities	2,312		2,126
Deferred revenue	5,584		5,584
Deferred rent	 42		37
Total liabilities	 7,938		7,747
Stockholders' equity:			
Capital	291,258		290,893
Accumulated deficit	(256,447)		(277,013)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	 991		1,044
Total stockholders' equity	 35,802	<u> </u>	14,924
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 43,740	\$	22,671

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