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## **pSivida Corp. Reports ILUVIEN® for Chronic Diabetic Macular Edema Receives Marketing Authorization in Sweden, 10th EU Approval**

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 that the Swedish Medical Products Agency granted marketing authorization to ILUVIEN® for the treatment of vision impairment associated with chronic diabetic macular edema (DME) considered insufficiently responsive to available therapies. ILUVIEN has now been approved in ten EU countries (Austria, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom), and is commercially available in the United Kingdom and Germany. ILUVIEN is in the national phase, pending approval, in seven more EU countries (Belgium, the Czech Republic, Finland, Ireland, Luxembourg, the Netherlands and Poland) following successful completion of the Mutual Recognition Procedure (MRP) for subsequent marketing authorizations.

ILUVIEN is currently under review by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration with a Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA) goal date of September 26, 2014.

"We are pleased to see another marketing authorization for ILUVIEN, expanding the potential for its future sales in the EU," said Paul Ashton, Ph.D., president and chief executive officer of pSivida. "We look forward to the FDA's action on ILUVIEN. We are entitled to a \$25 million milestone payment from our licensee Alimera Sciences upon FDA approval of ILUVIEN. We are also entitled to share in the net profits from Alimera's sales of ILUVIEN on a country-by-country basis including in the EU and the U.S."

### **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. pSivida is currently focused on treatment of chronic diseases of the back of the eye utilizing its core technology systems, Durasert™ and BioSilicon™, including Tethadur™. pSivida has instituted a pivotal Phase III clinical trial for its lead product candidate, Medidur™ for treatment of the chronic, back-of-the-eye disease posterior uveitis. Medidur uses the same injectable, sustained release micro-insert as pSivida's lead licensed product, ILUVIEN® for the treatment of DME, licensed to Alimera Sciences, Inc. ILUVIEN is marketed in the U.K. and Germany, has also received marketing authorization in ten EU countries and is pending approval in seven more EU countries approvals under the Mutual Recognition Procedure for the treatment of chronic DME considered insufficiently responsive to available therapies. ILUVIEN for DME is currently under review by the FDA with a PDUFA goal date of September 26, 2014. pSivida's FDA-approved Retisert®, an implant which provides long-term, sustained drug delivery to treat posterior uveitis, is licensed to and sold by Bausch & Lomb Incorporated. pSivida's preclinical research is focused on ocular and systemic delivery of biologics and treatment of wet and dry age-related macular degeneration, osteoarthritis and glaucoma.

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