

Quarterly Cashflow report

Melbourne, **Australia**; **30 April 2012**: Starpharma (ASX: SPL; OCTQX: SPHRY) today released its Appendix 4C - Quarterly Cashflow report for the period ended 31 March 2012.

The cash balance at 31 March 2012 was \$46.6m. Total operating and investing cash outflow for the quarter was \$2.2m.

Announcements during the quarter included:

- Receipt of final written agreement from the FDA on the design of the phase 3 clinical studies of VivaGel® for the treatment of bacterial vaginosis (BV) under the FDA's Special Protocol Assessment (SPA) scheme. The SPA is a binding declaration from the FDA that the proposed trial design, clinical endpoints and statistical analyses are acceptable for FDA approval once successfully completed.
- Commencement of the phase 3 VivaGel[®] program for treatment of BV, which is being conducted in parallel with a phase 2 BV prevention of recurrence program.
- Release of animal data demonstrating that Starpharma's dendrimer-docetaxel formulation was significantly more effective than leading cancer drug docetaxel (Taxotere[®]) in a breast cancer model.
- The appointment of Peter Turvey, former CSL Executive Vice President Licensing, as a Non-Executive Director.

The phase 3 BV treatment trials are expected to be completed by the end of 2012. The Company is in a strong cash position to be able to complete these activities in parallel with continuing to develop the range of product opportunities arising from its drug delivery and agrochemicals programs.

ABOUT STARPHARMA

Starpharma Holdings Limited (ASX:SPL, OTCQX:SPHRY) is an ASX 300 company and is a world leader in the development of dendrimer products for pharmaceutical, life science and other applications.

Starpharma's underlying technology is built around dendrimers – a type of synthetic nanoscale polymer that is highly regular in size and structure and well suited to pharmaceutical uses. Starpharma has three core development programs: VivaGel® portfolio, drug delivery and agrochemicals with the Company developing a number of products internally and others via commercial partnerships. In addition, products for diagnostics and

laboratory reagents are already on market through licence arrangements with partners including Siemens Healthcare and Merck KGaA.

Starpharma's lead product is VivaGel® (SPL7013 Gel), a gel-based formulation of a proprietary dendrimer. VivaGel® is under clinical development for the treatment and prevention of bacterial vaginosis (BV) and also as a vaginal microbicide to prevent the transmission of sexually transmitted infections including HIV and genital herpes.

Starpharma has also signed separate licence agreements with Ansell Limited (ASX:ANN) and Okamoto Industries Inc (TSE) to market a value-added, VivaGel® -coated condom. Ansell manufactures and sells leading condom brands worldwide, including Lifestyles®, ZERO® and SKYN®. Okamoto is the market leader for condoms sold in Japan, the world's second largest condom market.

In the wider pharmaceutical and life science fields, Starpharma has both partnered and internal programs in Drug Delivery, including programs with Lilly and GSK. Most recently Starpharma announced pre-clinical results in its Docetaxel (Taxotere®) program demonstrating significant improvements in that agent's anticancer efficacy and the enhancement of solubility offering potential safety benefits as well. The company is also exploring dendrimer opportunities in agrochemicals in a series of industry partnerships as well as with internal programs including an enhanced version of glyphosate (the active ingredient in Roundup®).

Starpharma's headquarters and research facilities are located in Melbourne, Australia.

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Starpharma Holdings Limited

ABN Quarter ended ("current quarter")

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Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities		Current Quarter \$A'000	Year to Date \$A'000	
1.1	Receipts from cus	stomers	239	1,394
1.2	Payments for	(a) staff costs	(1,025)	(3,112)
		(b) advertising and marketing	(1.500)	- (5.071)
		(c) research and development (d) leased assets	(1,599) (32)	(5,071) (58)
		(e) other working capital	-	•
1.3	Dividends receive		-	-
1.4 1.5		r items of a similar nature received	217	729
1.6	Income taxes paid	r costs of finance paid d	(2)	(5)
1.7	Other	u	_	-
	Net operating cash	n flows	(2,202)	(6,123)
Cash flo	ws related to investin	ng activities		
1.9	Payment for acqu			
	(a) businesses (i	·	-	-
	(b) equity investr		-	-
	(c) intellectual pro		(27)	(27)
	(d) physical non-(e) other non-cur		(27)	(37)
1.10	Proceeds from dis			_
	(a) businesses (in	•	-	_
	(b) equity investr	·	-	-
	(c) intellectual pro		-	-
	(d) physical non-		-	-
	(e) other non-cur	rent assets		-
1.11	Loans to other en	itities	-	-
1.12	Loans repaid by o	other entities	-	-
1.13	Other		- (25)	- (2-)
	Net investing cash		(27)	(37)
1.14	Total operating ar	nd investing cash flows	(2,229)	(6,160)
Cash flo	ws related to financi	ng activities		
1.15		sues of shares (net)	(88)	33,745
1.16		ale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.17	Proceeds from bo	•	-	-
1.18 1.19	Repayment of bo Dividends paid	rrowings	-	-
1.19	Other			_
1.20	Net financing cash	n flows	(88)	33,745
Net incr	ease (decrease) in cas	sh held	(2,317)	27,585
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1.21		g of quarter/year to date	48,955	18,918
1.22 1.23	Exchange rate ad Cash at end of qua		(31) 46,607	104 46,607
1.23	Cash at the of qua	ai tei	40,007	40,007
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Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		\$A'000	
1.24	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	(227)	
1.25	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.11	-	
1.26	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions		
	Item 1.24 consists of the following:		
	(a) Remuneration paid to the Chief Executive Officer.		
	(b) Director's fees paid to non-executive directors.		

Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1	Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows		
2.2	Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in businesses in		
	which the reporting entity has an interest Nil		

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position. (See AASB 1026 paragraph 12.2).

Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000	

297

160

159

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- 3.1 Loan facilities Finance facility for laboratory equipment
- 3.2 Credit standby arrangements Credit card facility

Item 3.1	A \$97,000 lease facility and a \$200,000 master asset finance facility with
	National Australia Bank for laboratory equipment, guaranteed by term deposit.

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
4.1	Cash on hand and at bank	1,720	1,823
4.2	Deposits at call	44,887	47,132
4.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
4.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.23)	46,607	48,955

Acquisitions and disposals of business entities

- 5.1 Name of entity
- 5.2 Place of incorporation or registration
- 5.3 Consideration for acquisition or disposal
- 5.4 Total net assets
- 5.5 Nature of business

Acquisitions (Item 1.9(a))	Disposals (Item 1.10(a))
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Compliance statement

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This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Law (except to the extent that information is not required because of note 2) or other standards acceptable to ASX.

2. This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

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30 April 2012

B P Rogers Company Secretary