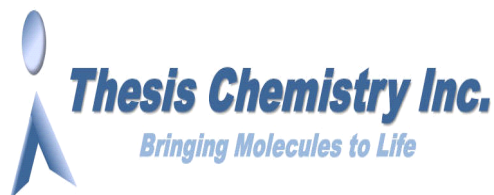


News Release



DITEBA Research Laboratories and Thesis Chemistry to Collaborate By Providing Integrated Chemistry, Manufacturing and Testing Services

July 6, 2010, Toronto, Canada – [DiTEBA Research Laboratories Inc.](#) (Mississauga, ON) and [Thesis Chemistry Inc.](#) (Cambridge, ON) announced today a collaboration that will bring together their proven technical expertise in process chemistry, cGMP chemical production and analytical testing to more comprehensively and efficiently serve the global pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical industry.

Thesis Chemistry provides contract R&D chemistry services and fine chemical manufacture, and will convey to the collaboration expertise in innovative [process R&D](#), [custom synthesis](#) and [cGMP production](#) of preclinical drug candidates, advanced chemical intermediates and active pharmaceutical ingredients.

DiTEBA Research Laboratories offers a broad spectrum of cGMP and GLP [analytical testing services](#), and will bring to the collaboration state-of-the-art capabilities in analytical methods development and validation, quality control testing, [stability storage and testing](#) and [bioequivalence/bioavailability studies](#).

“This collaboration demonstrates DiTEBA’s desire to put forward a broader, integrated chemistry solution in response to our customers’ active ingredient and intermediate synthesis needs. Thesis Chemistry is recognized as offering the highest-quality, contract chemistry services.” said Dmitry Baranov, President at DiTEBA Research Laboratories. “It is vital we provide our customers with timely, novel scientific solutions in overcoming their most challenging drug development needs.”

“DiTEBA Research Laboratories is an optimal, pharmaceutical testing partner as we jointly grow our businesses. Each company has a proven track record as a highly innovative service provider, but in complimentary technical disciplines. Under this collaboration, we will be able to extend a broader range of scientific services and solutions in rapid response to our customer’s drug development requirements” avowed John Peterson, President at Thesis Chemistry. “Our customers will benefit from integrated chemistry, manufacturing and testing services that span from pre-clinical through launch stages through one vendor, which will in turn reduce their outsourcing and project management burdens.”

About DiTEBA Research Laboratories Inc.

DiTEBA Research Laboratories provides a wide range of analytical and bioanalytical testing services, from raw material, active ingredient and finished product testing to stability studies. DiTEBA operates under full cGMP/GLP compliance by offering its sponsors best-in-the-industry practices and methods, state-of-the-art infrastructure and an instrumentation base that will cover all areas of analytical development.

About Thesis Chemistry Inc.

Thesis Chemistry delivers the chemistry necessary to take a small molecule drug from concept to commercialization by performing raw material sourcing, custom synthesis, process R&D, cGMP manufacturing and chiral separations. Established in 2002, Thesis Chemistry has locations in Mentor, Ohio USA (corporate headquarters) and Cambridge, ON (operations). Through internal expertise and external collaborations, Thesis Chemistry is able to match the best chemical technologies and capabilities with a pharmaceutical customer's specific project requirements. The customer benefits by reduced outsourcing burden, and a lower cost and shortened time of manufacture of their product.

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