

# LOTUS PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD

## PROCEDURES FOR HANDLING MATERIAL INSIDE INFORMATION AND PREVENTION FROM INSIDER TRADING

[English translation for reference only]

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1. In order to prevent improper information disclosures, ensure the consistency and accuracy of information released by the Company to the public, and prevent from insider trading, the Company has stipulated Procedures for Handling Materials Inside Information and Prevention from Insider Trading to form a sound operation.
2. The Company shall implement its handling and disclosure of material inside information in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, the rules and regulations outlined by Taipei Exchange, and these Procedures.
3. These Procedures shall apply to all directors, managerial officers, and employees of the Company.

The Company shall ensure that any other person who acquires knowledge of the Company's material inside information due to their position, profession, or relationship of control shall comply with the applicable provisions of these Procedures.

4. For the purposes of these Procedures, the term "material inside information" refers to information that is specified in Paragraph 4, Article 157-1 of Securities and Exchange Act, Article 4 of Taipei Exchange Procedures for Verification and Disclosure of Material Information of Companies with TPEX listed Securities, or any other information defined as material inside information by Stock Affairs Unit which may materially impact the shareholders' equities or stock price.
5. Stock Affairs Unit is designated to be in charge of handling material inside information and shall have the following functions and authorities:

- i. Responsible for formulating the drafts of these Procedures and any further amendments;
  - ii. Responsible for receiving inquiries in connection with the methods of handling material inside information, and for consultation, review, and recommendations relating to these Procedures;
  - iii. Responsible for receiving reports on unauthorized disclosures of material inside information and formulation of corresponding measures;
  - iv. Responsible for designing a system for preserving all documents, files, electronic records, and other materials related to these Procedures; and
  - v. Other activities related to these Procedures.
6. The Company's directors, managerial officers, and employees shall exercise the due care and fiduciary duty of a good administrator and act in good faith when performing their duties, and shall sign confidentiality agreements.

No director, managerial officer, or employee with knowledge of material inside information of the Company may divulge the information to others.

No director, managerial officer, or employee of the Company may inquire about or collect any non-public material inside information of the Company not related to their individual duties from a person with knowledge of such information, nor may they disclose to others any non-public material inside information of the Company of which they become aware for reasons other than the performance of their duties.

7. Proper protection of confidentiality shall be given to files and documents containing the Company's material inside information when transmitted in written form. When transmitted by e-mail or other electronic means, such files and documents must be processed with appropriate security technology such as encryption or electronic signatures.

Files and documents containing the Company's material inside information shall be backed up and stored in a secure location.

8. The Company shall ensure that the firewalls specified in the preceding two articles are established, and take the following additional measures:
  - i. To adopt adequate control measures for the firewalls and perform periodic

testing; and

- ii. To enhance measures for custody and maintaining the secrecy of files and documents containing non-public material inside information of the Company.
9. Any organization or person outside of the Company that is involved in any corporate action of the Company concerning a merger or acquisition, major memorandum of understanding, strategic alliance, other business partnership plans, or the signing of a major contract shall be required to sign a confidentiality agreement, and may not disclose to another party any material inside information of the Company thus acquired.
10. The Company shall comply with the following principles when making external disclosures of material inside information:
  - i. The information disclosed shall be accurate, complete, and timely.
  - ii. There shall be a well-founded basis for the information disclosure.
  - iii. The information shall be disclosed fairly.
11. Any disclosure of the Company's material inside information, except as otherwise provided by law or regulation, shall be made by the Company's spokesperson, or by a deputy spokesperson acting in such capacity in a confirmed sequential order. When necessary, the disclosure may be made directly by the Chairman or General Manger of the Company.

The Company's spokesperson or deputy spokesperson shall communicate to outside parties only information within the scope authorized by the Company, and no personnel of the Company other than those serving as the Company's Chairman or General Manager, spokesperson, or deputy spokesperson may disclose any material inside information of the Company to outside parties without authorization.

12. The Company shall keep records of the following in respect of any disclosure of information to outside parties:

- i. The person who discloses the information, the date, and the time;
  - ii. The way the information is disclosed;
  - iii. The content of the information is disclosed; and
  - iv. Any other relevant details.
13. If any media releases information that is inconsistent with material information disclosed by the Company, the Company shall promptly issue a clarification on the Market Observation Post System (MOPS).
14. Any director, managerial officer, or employee of the Company that becomes aware of any unauthorized disclosure of the Company's material inside information shall report to Stock Affairs Unit and the internal audit department of the Company as soon as practicable.

Upon receipt of a report made pursuant to the preceding paragraph, the Stock Affairs Unit shall formulate corresponding measures. When necessary, it may invite members from internal audit and other departments for discussion of the measures, and shall keep a record of the results of the measures for future reference. The internal auditor shall also perform such audits as their duties may require.

15. The Company shall take measures to discover the corresponding responsibilities and take appropriate legal action against any personnel under either of the following circumstances:
- i. Personnel of the Company disclose material inside information without authorization to any outside party, or otherwise violate these Procedures or any other applicable law or regulation.
  - ii. A spokesperson or deputy spokesperson of the Company communicates to any outside party any information beyond the scope authorized by the Company, or otherwise violates these Procedures or any other applicable law or regulation.

If any person outside the Company divulges any material inside information of

the Company, thereby causing damage to any property or interest of this Corporation, this Corporation shall pursue appropriate measures to hold the person divulging the information legally liable.

16. As soon as Stock Affairs Unit is aware of any event that is sufficient to constitute material information, Stock Affairs Unit shall inform the personnel as defined in Paragraph 1, Article 157-1 of Securities and Exchange Act (“Insiders”) in a timely manner to prevent any insider trading.
17. Any insider of the Company shall not trade the shares or any equity-equivalent stock till 18 hours after the material information is publicly announced no matter whether the insiders are aware of the essential content of that information.
18. As soon as any decision-making personnel is aware of an event that is sufficient to constitute material information, it shall be reported to Stock Affairs Unit in a timely manner. Stock Affairs Unit shall evaluate the facts to decide whether the insiders shall be informed per these Procedures.
19. These Procedures shall be incorporated into the Company's internal control system. The internal auditor shall be regularly informed of the status of compliance with these Procedures and shall prepare related audit reports, so as to ensure full implementation of the procedures for handling material inside information.
20. At least once per year, the Company shall conduct educational campaigns to promote awareness among all directors, managerial officers, and employees with respect to these Procedures and related laws and regulations.

The Company shall also provide educational campaigns to new directors, managerial officers, and employees in a timely manner.

21. These Procedures, and any further amendments, shall be implemented upon approval by the board of directors.