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Oxford Biomedica plc

Extension of PUSU Deadline

On 14 January 2026, Oxford Biomedica plc ("OXB" or the "Company") (LSE: OXB) confirmed it had received an unsolicited approach from EQT XEUR SCSp and EQT XUSD SCSp each represented by its manager (gérant), EQT Fund Management S.à r.l. (collectively referred to as "EQT") regarding a possible cash offer for the entire issued and to be issued ordinary share capital of the Company (the "Possible Offer Announcement"). The Board further confirmed it had engaged in preliminary discussions with EQT to explore whether EQT could make a proposal at a level that the Board would be minded to recommend.

Preliminary discussions between the parties remain ongoing and in accordance with Rule 2.6(c) of the Code, the Board of OXB has requested, and the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (the "Takeover Panel") has consented to, an extension to the date by which EQT is required either to announce a firm intention to make an offer for OXB in accordance with Rule 2.7 of the Code or to announce that it does not intend to make an offer, in which case the announcement will be treated as a statement to which Rule 2.8 of the Code applies. Such announcement must now be made by not later than 5.00pm on 25 February 2026. This deadline can be extended with the consent of the Takeover Panel.

There can be no certainty that an offer will be made, nor as to the terms at which a firm offer might be made.

A further announcement will be made when appropriate. In the meantime, OXB shareholders are urged to take no action.

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ABOUT Oxford Biomedica

Oxford Biomedica (LSE: OXB) is a global quality and innovation-led contract development and manufacturing organisation (CDMO) in cell and gene therapy with a mission to enable its clients to deliver life changing therapies to patients around the world.

One of the original pioneers in cell and gene therapy, OXB has 30 years of experience in viral vectors; the driving force behind the majority of cell and gene therapies. OXB collaborates with some of the world's most innovative pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, providing viral vector development and manufacturing expertise in lentivirus, adeno-associated virus (AAV), adenovirus and other viral vector types. OXB's world-class capabilities range from early-stage development to commercialisation. These capabilities are supported by robust quality-assurance systems, analytical methods and depth of regulatory expertise.

OXB offers a vast number of unique technologies for viral vector manufacturing, including a 4th generation lentiviral vector system (the TetraVecta™ system), a dual-plasmid system for AAV production, suspension and perfusion process using process enhancers and stable producer and packaging cell lines.

OXB, a FTSE4Good constituent, is headquartered in Oxford, UK. It has development and manufacturing facilities across Oxfordshire, UK, Lyon and Strasbourg, France, Bedford MA, US and Durham NC, US. Learn more at www.oxb.com and follow us on LinkedIn and YouTube.

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The person responsible for arranging for the release of this announcement on behalf of OXB is Natalie Walter, Chief Legal Officer and Company Secretary.

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