

Claremont BioSolutions Names BioQuote as its Distributor in the UK and Ireland

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Claremont BioSolutions, LLC announced today that it has reached an agreement with Bioquote Limited for the distribution of its products for sample preparation, DNA isolation, and protein purification in the United Kingdom and Ireland. The agreement extends ClaremontBio's reach into European markets and expands the customer base of their novel products for sample preparation.

ClaremontBio develops, manufactures, and markets next-generation cell lysis, DNA extraction, and Histagged protein purification kits and columns. Bioquote is a distributor of life science products, servicing all of the U.K., Ireland, and Europe. Bioquote will offer ClaremontBio's products to customers in various academic and bioscience communities. The first products to be marketed are ClaremontBio's Omnilyse® lysis kits and PureLyse® DNA extraction kits.

"We are excited to expand our marketing efforts to Europe," said Gary Blackburn, ClaremontBio's Chief Executive Officer. "We are committed to offering our rapid sample preparation solutions to customers worldwide and we believe that BioQuote shares our desire to provide quality products and quality customer service. Our partnership will expand as ClaremontBio announces additional new products in the next few months."

About Claremont BioSolutions.

Claremont BioSolutions (www.ClaremontBio.com) is an emerging growth technology company specializing in disposable devices that provide solutions to what is recognized as the "bottleneck" of DNA diagnostics – sample preparation. The company has developed proprietary devices which employ micromotors to perform very efficient mechanical cell lysis and DNA purification. Thes devices prepare samples for DNA analysis in less than five minutes and without any extraneous instruments. The technology is readily incorporated into sample-to-answer and "Lab on a Chip" cartridges which will aid the progression of nucleic acid testing into the point of care (POC) market.

About Bioquote Limited.

Bioquote Limited (<u>www.bioquote.com</u>) was founded in 1988 by Mr. Paul Samson and Mr. Trevor Rogers and is located in North Yorkshire, United Kingdom. Bioquote is a fast growing, international biotechnology company that focuses on supplying innovative and quality branded reagents and instruments to the bioscience industry.



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