

# PRESS RELEASE

Mibelle Biochemistry announces:

# IMCD Mexico Secures Agreement with Mibelle Biochemistry for the exclusive distribution of cosmetic actives and functional food ingredients

*Mexico City and Buchs, Switzerland (14. October 2020)* - IMCD, a leading distributor of speciality chemicals and ingredients, and Mibelle Biochemistry jointly announced a new partnership in Mexico. IMCD Mexico has been selected as the exclusive distributor of Mibelle Biochemistry's antiaging, slimming and biotechnological actives for cosmetics, food and nutrition industries across the country.

"Alignment and synergy are important factors when building a new business relationship," said Irene Montaño, Ph.D., International Sales Manager at Mibelle Biochemistry. "Our companies have similar values and shared goals, which allowed for a seamless brand alignment for both parties. We are thrilled to embark on this new journey with IMCD. A partnership with IMCD not only gives us a competitive advantage in the Mexican market, but increases our knowledge, expertise and resources available to execute our plans for significant growth in the region."

Mibelle Biochemistry develops novel, high-quality active ingredients for the cosmetics and food industries based on naturally derived plant compounds. Its portfolio is firmly supported by in vitro and in vivo clinical studies to demonstrate product efficacy and technology, thus offering reliable claim substantiation and tangible consumers benefits.

"We are confident that the addition of Mibelle Biochemistry's innovative and clinically proven natural active ingredients to IMCD's product portfolio will induce excitement to the markets we serve," said Miriam Rodríguez, Sales and Business Manager, IMCD Mexico. "This new partnership with Mibelle Biochemistry is an important feat for our team in Mexico and the beginning of many new developments that deliver value and trend-based solutions to support our local IMCD customers. Our team strives to be the partner of choice for the development and launch of advanced cosmetic products and functional food and supplements that perfectly meet consumers aspirations for naturality and healthy lifestyle.".



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## About IMCD Group

The IMCD Group is a global market-leader in the sales, marketing and distribution of speciality chemicals and food ingredients. Its result-driven professionals provide market-focused solutions to suppliers and customers across EMEA, Americas and Asia-Pacific, offering comprehensive product portfolios ranging from home, industrial and institutional care, personal care, food and nutrition, pharmaceuticals, lubricants and fuels, coatings and construction, advanced materials and synthesis.

The IMCD Group realised revenues of EUR 2,690 million in 2019 with nearly 3,000 employees in over 50 countries. IMCD's dedicated team of technical and commercial experts work in close partnership to tailor best in class solutions and provide value through expertise for around 49,000 customers and a diverse range of world class suppliers. IMCD shares are traded at Euronext, Amsterdam (IMCD). For further information, please visit www.imcdgroup.com.

## About Mibelle Biochemistry

Mibelle Biochemistry designs and develops innovative, high-quality actives based on naturally derived compounds and profound scientific know-how. Inspired by nature - Realized by Science. For more information on Mibelle Biochemistry, please visit www.mibellebiochemistry.com

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