



Aktionäre von Newron genehmigen die Jahresrechnung 2008

Mailand, Italien – 29. April 2009 - Newron Pharmaceuticals S.p.A. („Newron“), ein Forschungs- und Entwicklungsunternehmen mit Schwerpunkt innovative Therapien für Erkrankungen des Zentralen Nervensystems (ZNS) und Schmerzen, gibt bekannt, dass an der Ordentlichen Generalversammlung, die in einer zweiten Einberufung am 28. April 2009 stattfand, die Jahresrechnung zum 31. Dezember 2008 angenommen wurde. Auch folgten die Aktionäre dem Vorschlag des Verwaltungsrates, den Jahresfehlbetrag des Jahres 2008 mit einem entsprechenden Betrag der Kapitalrücklage zu verrechnen. Die Aktionäre fassten keine weiteren Beschlüsse.

Über Newron Pharmaceuticals

Newron Pharmaceuticals S.p.A. (www.newron.com) ist ein biopharmazeutisches Unternehmen, das sich auf neuartige Therapien für Erkrankungen des Zentralen Nervensystems und Schmerzen konzentriert. Newron führt gemeinsam mit dem Partner Merck Serono, der die exklusiven weltweiten Rechte zur Entwicklung, Herstellung und Kommerzialisierung von Safinamide für die Behandlung von PD, Alzheimer-Krankheit und andere therapeutische Anwendungen hält, Phase-III-Studien mit Safinamide zur Behandlung von Parkinson durch. Newron hat kürzlich eine Phase-IIb/III-Studie mit Ralfinamide in Patienten mit neuropathischen Schmerzen im unteren Rücken (Neuropathic Low Back Pain, NLBP) initiiert. Es gibt bisher keine zugelassenen Medikamente für NLBP, eine Erkrankung, an der 55 Millionen Patienten in den USA, Europa und Japan leiden. Newron ist in Bresso bei Mailand, Italien, domiziliert. Das Unternehmen ist an der SIX Swiss Exchange kotiert, Symbol NWRN.

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