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HOCHIMINH STOCK EXCHANGE WELCOMES THE FIRST TRADING DAY OF BEN TRE PHARMACEUTICAL JOINT STOCK COMPANY



On 28th October 2020, Hochiminh Stock Exchange (HOSE) held a ceremony to celebrate the listing of Ben Tre Pharmaceutical Joint Stock Company (Stock code: DBT). There were 13,528,814 shares listed on the exchange worth more than VND 135.28 billion. The reference price on the first trading day was VND 15,000 per share with a price range of +/- 20%.

Established in 1983 from the merging of Pharmaceutical Company of Ben Tre province and Pharmaceutical Factory of Ben Tre province, the company was first named as Ben Tre Pharmaceutical United Factory. In 2004, the company was incorporated as a joint-stock company with its initial charter capital of VND 20 billion. Throughout many years of development, in 2019 the company's charter capital reached more than VND 135 billion. Its core business activities are merchandising, importing, marketing and distributing drugs. Its products range covers both generic and specialty drugs, which are imported directly from foreign pharmaceuticals producers and domestic manufacturers.

Congratulating DBT on its first trading session, a representative of HOSE leaders shared that listing on the Stock Exchange would offer many advantages for the company, including easy access to the capital as well as brand and reputation enhancement. As a market operator, HOSE always supports and assists all its listed companies in fulfilling their obligations, especially those in information disclosure, and



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keeping updated with regulations and policies related to the stock market as well as international standards of good corporate governance and sustainable development.

Mr. Vu Quang Dong – Vice-Chairman of Ben Tre Pharmaceutical Joint Stock Company said having their shares listed on the Hochiminh Stock Exchange was an important event for the company as this marked an important milestone in its continuous growth in terms of business operation and corporate governance. He also added that the company would always try to put all its best efforts to reap the benefits for its shareholders and investors as well as for the sustainable development of Vietnam’s stock market.

According to the consolidated financial statements of Ben Tre Pharmaceutical Joint Stock Company, in 2018 and 2019, the net revenue of the company reached more than VND 776 billion and VND 786 billion, respectively; its profit after tax was over VND 21 billion and VND 25 billion, respectively. Moreover, in the first quarter of 2020, the net revenue of the company stood at more than VND 203 billion and its profit after tax was above VND 5 billion.

About Hochiminh Stock Exchange

HOSE is one of the operators of Vietnam’ stock market. As of 30th September 2020, there were 383 shares, 3 closed-fund certificates, 6 ETF fund certificates, 103 covered warrant codes and 41 corporate bonds listed on HOSE. HOSE’s market capitalization reached VND 3.21 quadrillion, accounting for 93% of the total national market capitalization and approximately 44.47% of the 2019 estimated GDP (nominal GDP at current prices after re-calculation). HOSE always supports and assists its members and listed companies to facilitate a transparent and sustainable stock market towards the global good practices.

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