

Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd sells pharmacy brands Quinoderm® and Ceanel®

Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd, specialists in evidence based dermatological medical-devices, pharmaceuticals and dermo-cosmetics, have divested their OTC pharmacy brands, the acne treatment Quinoderm® and scalp treatment Ceanel® to Alliance Pharmaceuticals Ltd a wholly owned subsidiary of speciality pharmaceutical company Alliance Pharma plc (AIM: APH)

The sale took place on December 16th, 2011 for a £1.5m cash sum, which represented great value for both companies.

Roger Bloxham Managing Director of Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd said; *"The divestment of these brands further strengthens our balance-sheet and strategically it increases the focus on our core and rapidly growing AesthetiCare® business division and our niche hospital business. It also demonstrates the progress made in these areas and will help us further improve the service we provide to our valued customers and business partners."*

Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd is a private company founded in September 2003 and is based in Wetherby, situated between the cities of Leeds and York. For more information visit www.ferndalepharma.co.uk

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AesthetiCare® is a division of Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd, a private specialist healthcare company that focuses on skin and dermatological products. AesthetiCare® specialises in advanced dermo-cosmetic and dermatological research based products for medical aesthetic clinics, their patients and clients. Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd is a subsidiary of the Ferndale Pharma Group Inc, Michigan, USA. AesthetiCare® and their products are nominated in the Aesthetic Awards 2011 for Best Distributor / Best Customer Service / Best Facial Treatment / Best Cosmeceutical