



## **Antengene Announces Inclusion of XPOVIO® (selinexor) in 2023 China's National Reimbursement Drug List**

Shanghai and Hong Kong, PRC, December 14, 2023 — Antengene Corporation Limited ( **"Antengene"** SEHK: 6996.HK), a leading innovative, commercial-stage global biopharmaceutical company dedicated to discovering, developing and commercializing first-in-class and/or best-in-class medicines for cancer, today announced **that XPOVIO® (selinexor) has been added to the National Reimbursement Drug List (2023 Version) ("NRDL")** for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) whose disease is refractory to at least one proteasome inhibitors (PIs), one immunomodulatory agent (IMiD), and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (mAb). The updated NRDL will officially take effect on January 1, 2024.

"We extend our deepest gratitude to the National Healthcare Security Administration for the inclusion of XPOVIO® into the NRDL." said **Dr. Jay Mei, Antengene's Founder, Chairman and CEO**. "Antengene is committed to ensuring that our innovative treatments are delivered swiftly to myeloma patients across China, with improved affordability and accessibility, as a result



of XPOVIO®'s NRDL inclusion. Moving forward, Antengene remains steadfast and focused on our vision of 'treating patients beyond borders'. We are determined to expand the use of XPOVIO® to additional indications, fully realizing its therapeutic potential and contributing to the continuous improvement of health outcomes for patients in China."

XPOVIO® is the world's first oral selective inhibitor of the nuclear export protein XPO1, with regulatory approvals in 42 countries and regions including Mainland of China, Taiwan China, Hong Kong China, Macau China, South Korea, Singapore and Australia. The approved indications for each market can be reviewed below. Based on its unique mechanism of action, Antengene is developing XPOVIO® in combination therapies for the treatment of various diseases, including diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL), T-cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (T-NHL), and myelofibrosis (MF).

### **About XPOVIO® (selinexor)**

XPOVIO® is the world's first approved orally-available, selective inhibitor of the nuclear export protein XPO1. **It offers a novel**



**mechanism of action, synergistic effects in combination regimens, fast onset of action, and durable responses.**

By blocking the nuclear export protein XPO1, XPOVIO® can promote the intranuclear accumulation and activation of tumor suppressor proteins and growth regulating proteins, and down-regulate the levels of multiple oncogenic proteins. XPOVIO® delivers its antitumor effects through three mechanistic pathways: 1) exerting antitumor effects by inducing the intranuclear accumulation of tumor suppressor proteins; 2) reducing the level of oncogenic proteins in the cytoplasm by inducing the intranuclear accumulation of oncogenic mRNAs; 3) restoring hormone sensitivity by activating the glucocorticoid receptors (GR) pathway. To utilize its unique mechanism of actions, XPOVIO® is being evaluated for use in multiple combination regimens in a range of indications. At present, Antengene is conducting 8 clinical studies of XPOVIO® in mainland of China for the treatment of relapsed/refractory hematologic malignancies and solid tumors (3 of these studies are being jointly conducted by Antengene and Karyopharm Therapeutics Inc. [Nasdaq:KPTI]).

**XPOVIO® is approved in South Korea for the following two indications:**

- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors, at least two immunomodulatory agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.
- As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL), not otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma, after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy.

**XPOVIO® is approved in mainland of China for the following indication:**

- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least one proteasome inhibitor, at least one immunomodulatory agent, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.

**XPOVIO® is approved in Taiwan China for the following three indications:**

- In combination with dexamethasone (Xd) for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), at least two immunomodulatory agents (IMiDs), and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.
- In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone (XVd) for the treatment of adult patients with MM who have received at least one prior therapy.
- As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL), not otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma, after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy.

**XPOVIO® is approved in Hong Kong China, for the following indication:**

- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), two immunomodulatory agents (IMiDs), an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (mAb), and who have demonstrated disease progression on the last therapy.

**XPOVIO® is approved in Macau China, for the following indication:**

- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), two immunomodulatory agents (IMiDs), an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (mAb), and who have demonstrated disease progression on the last therapy.

**XPOVIO® is approved in Australia for the following two indications:**

- In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone (XVd) for the treatment of adult patients with multiple myeloma (MM) who have received at least one prior therapy.
- In combination with dexamethasone (Xd) for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least three prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least one proteasome inhibitor (PI), at least one immunomodulatory agent (IMiD), and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (mAb).

**XPOVIO® is approved in Singapore for the following three indications:**

- In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone for treatment of adult patients with multiple myeloma (MM) who have received at least one prior therapy.
- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors, at least two immunomodulatory agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.
- As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL), not otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma, after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy who are not eligible for haematopoietic cell transplant.

## **About Antengene**

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treatment of hematologic malignancies and solid tumors, in realizing its vision of **“Treating Patients Beyond Borders”** .

Since 2017, Antengene has built a pipeline of 9 oncology assets at various stages going from clinical to commercial, including 6 with global rights, and 3 with rights for the APAC region. To date, Antengene has obtained 29 investigational new drug (IND) approvals in the U.S. and Asia, and submitted 10 new drug applications (NDAs) in multiple Asia Pacific markets, with the NDA for XPOVIO® (selinexor) already approved in Mainland of China, Taiwan China, Hong Kong China, Macau China, South Korea, Singapore and Australia.

### **Forward-looking statements**

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