

# **iCo Therapeutics Inc.**

Financial Statements  
**December 31, 2014 and 2013**  
(in Canadian dollars)



April 27, 2015

## **Independent Auditor's Report**

### **To the Shareholders of iCo Therapeutics Inc.**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of iCo Therapeutics Inc., which comprise the balance sheets as at December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2013 and the statements of loss and comprehensive loss, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes, which comprise a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### **Management's responsibility for the financial statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### **Auditor's responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained in our audits is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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**Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of iCo Therapeutics Inc. as at December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2013 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

**(Signed) "PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP"**

**Chartered Accountants**

# iCo Therapeutics Inc.

## Balance Sheets

As at December 31, 2014 and 2013

(in Canadian dollars)

|  | Note | 2014<br>\$          | 2013<br>\$          |
|--|------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>  |      |                     |                     |
| <b>Current assets</b>                                |      |                     |                     |
| Cash and cash equivalents                            |      | 3,693,033           | 1,104,584           |
| Short-term investments                               |      | 2,014,754           | 798,805             |
| Taxes and other receivables                          | 5    | 39,067              | 128,560             |
| Deferred financing                                   |      | -                   | 22,604              |
| Prepaid expenses                                     |      | 28,656              | 14,365              |
|  |      | <u>5,775,510</u>    | <u>2,068,918</u>    |
| <b>Other investments</b>                             | 4    | 1,237,235           | 1,705,191           |
| <b>Equipment</b>                                     | 6    | 4,730               | 6,423               |
| <b>Intangible assets</b>                             | 7    | <u>63,790</u>       | <u>148,472</u>      |
|  |      | <u>7,081,265</u>    | <u>3,929,004</u>    |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                                   |      |                     |                     |
| <b>Current liabilities</b>                           |      |                     |                     |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities             | 8    | <u>1,576,336</u>    | <u>2,630,406</u>    |
| <b>Shareholders' Equity</b>                          |      |                     |                     |
| <b>Capital stock</b>                                 | 9    | 28,048,137          | 23,836,143          |
| <b>Contributed surplus</b>                           | 9    | 3,493,478           | 3,154,094           |
| <b>Warrants</b>                                      | 9    | 2,853,487           | 1,118,877           |
| <b>Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)</b> |      | (70,607)            | -                   |
| <b>Accumulated deficit</b>                           |      | <u>(28,819,566)</u> | <u>(26,810,516)</u> |
|  |      | <u>5,504,929</u>    | <u>1,298,598</u>    |
|  |      | <u>7,081,265</u>    | <u>3,929,004</u>    |
| <b>Commitments and contingencies</b> (note 16)       |      |                     |                     |

### Approved by the Board of Directors

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(signed) William Jarosz Director

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(signed) Andrew Rae Director

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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## Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss

For the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

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|   | Note  | 2014<br>\$        | 2013<br>\$        |
|---|-------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Expenses</b>   |       |                   |                   |
| Research and development                                      | 8, 12 | 669,485           | 4,075,840         |
| General and administrative                                    | 13    | 1,590,444         | 2,061,405         |
| Foreign exchange loss   |       | 14,672            | 222,366           |
|   |       | <u>2,274,601</u>  | <u>6,359,611</u>  |
| <b>Loss (gain) on other investments</b>                       | 4     | 70,317            | (982,189)         |
| <b>Impairment on other investments</b>                        | 7, 4  | 36,727            | 458,879           |
| <b>Other income</b>   | 16    | (336,919)         | (151,004)         |
| <b>Interest income</b>  |       | <u>(35,676)</u>   | <u>(17,108)</u>   |
|   |       | <u>(265,551)</u>  | <u>(691,422)</u>  |
| <b>Loss for the year</b>                                      |       | 2,009,050         | 5,668,189         |
| <b>Other comprehensive loss (income)</b>                      |       |                   |                   |
| Item that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss: |       |                   |                   |
| Changes in fair value of other investments                    |       | <u>70,607</u>     | <u>250,776</u>    |
| <b>Total comprehensive loss</b>                               |       | <u>2,079,657</u>  | <u>5,918,965</u>  |
| <b>Basic and diluted loss per share</b>                       |       | <u>(0.02)</u>     | <u>(0.09)</u>     |
| <b>Weighted average number of shares (basic and diluted)</b>  |       | <u>84,457,713</u> | <u>61,484,576</u> |

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## Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity For the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

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|  | Number of<br>shares | Capital<br>stock<br>\$ | Contributed<br>surplus<br>\$ | Warrants<br>\$ | Accumulated<br>other<br>comprehensive<br>income (loss)<br>\$ | Accumulated<br>deficit<br>\$ | Shareholders'<br>equity<br>\$ |
|--|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Balance - December 31,<br/>2012</b>                         | 53,608,627          | 19,978,848             | 2,403,324                    | 559,083        | 250,776  | (21,142,327)                 | 2,049,704                     |
| Private placement (note 9)                                     | 9,655,771           | 2,965,205              | -                            | -              | -  | -                            | 2,965,205                     |
| Allocation of warrants   | -                   | (795,582)              | -                            | 795,582        | -  | -                            | -                             |
| Exercise of warrants<br>(note 9)                               | 4,446,832           | 1,629,672              | -                            | (195,297)      | -  | -                            | 1,434,375                     |
| Expired warrants   | -                   | -                      | 40,491                       | (40,491)       | -  | -                            | -                             |
| Exercise of options  | 100,000             | 58,000                 | (29,000)                     | -              | -  | -                            | 29,000                        |
| Share-based payments   | -                   | -                      | 739,279                      | -              | -  | -                            | 739,279                       |
| Other comprehensive loss                                       | -                   | -                      | -                            | -              | (250,776)  | -                            | (250,776)                     |
| Loss for the year  | -                   | -                      | -                            | -              | -  | (5,668,189)                  | (5,668,189)                   |
| <b>Balance - December 31,<br/>2013</b>                         | 67,811,230          | 23,836,143             | 3,154,094                    | 1,118,877      | -  | (26,810,516)                 | 1,298,598                     |
| Private placement - net of<br>share issuance<br>costs (note 9) | 16,206,483          | 4,014,156              | -                            | 2,097,906      | -  | -                            | 6,112,062                     |
| Exercise of warrants   | 340,000             | 162,738                | -                            | (26,739)       | -  | -                            | 135,999                       |
| Expired warrants   | -                   | -                      | 336,557                      | (336,557)      | -  | -                            | -                             |
| Exercise of options  | 100,000             | 35,100                 | (17,100)                     | -              | -  | -                            | 18,000                        |
| Share-based payments   | -                   | -                      | 19,927                       | -              | -  | -                            | 19,927                        |
| Other comprehensive loss                                       | -                   | -                      | -                            | -              | (70,607)   | -                            | (70,607)                      |
| Loss for the year  | -                   | -                      | -                            | -              | -  | (2,009,050)                  | (2,009,050)                   |
| <b>Balance - December 31,<br/>2014</b>                         | 84,457,713          | 28,048,137             | 3,493,478                    | 2,853,487      | (70,607)   | (28,819,566)                 | 5,504,929                     |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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## Statements of Cash Flows

For the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

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|   | 2014<br>\$         | 2013<br>\$         |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>                                   |                    |                    |
| Loss for the year   | (2,009,050)        | (5,668,189)        |
| Items not affecting cash  |                    |                    |
| Amortization  | 49,648             | 87,031             |
| Share-based payments  | 19,927             | 739,279            |
| Loss (gain) on other investments  | 70,317             | (982,189)          |
| Impairment on other investments   | 36,727             | 458,879            |
| Unrealized foreign exchange loss  | 14,672             | 127,815            |
|   | <u>(1,817,759)</u> | <u>(5,237,374)</u> |
| Changes in non-cash working capital   |                    |                    |
| Taxes and other receivables   | 89,493             | (103,442)          |
| Deferred financing  | 22,604             | -                  |
| Prepaid expenses  | (14,291)           | 16,569             |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities                                      | (1,111,895)        | 1,561,533          |
|   | <u>(2,831,848)</u> | <u>(3,762,714)</u> |
| <b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>                                   |                    |                    |
| Net proceeds from sale of other investments                                   | 327,032            | -                  |
| Purchase of short-term investments  | (1,215,949)        | (138,066)          |
|   | <u>(888,917)</u>   | <u>(138,066)</u>   |
| <b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>                                   |                    |                    |
| Exercise of warrants  | 135,999            | 1,434,375          |
| Exercise of options   | 18,000             | 29,000             |
| Net proceeds from issuance of units   | 6,112,062          | 2,965,205          |
|   | <u>6,266,061</u>   | <u>4,428,580</u>   |
| <b>Effect of foreign currency exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents</b> | 43,153             | (22,673)           |
| <b>Increase in cash and cash equivalents</b>                                  | 2,588,449          | 505,127            |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents - Beginning of year</b>                          | 1,104,584          | 599,457            |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents - End of year</b>                                | <u>3,693,033</u>   | <u>1,104,584</u>   |
| <b>Supplementary information</b>  |                    |                    |
| Cash received for interest within operating activities                        | 35,676             | 17,108             |

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# **iCo Therapeutics Inc.**

## **Notes to Financial Statements**

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#### **1 Nature of operations**

iCo Therapeutics Inc. (“iCo” or the “Company”) is a Canadian biotechnology company principally focused on the identification, development and commercialization of drug candidates with a clinical history and re-doses, reformulates and develops these drug candidates to treat sight and life-threatening diseases. The Company currently has in-licensed three compounds: iCo-007; iCo-008 and the Oral AmpB Delivery System.

iCo-007 is an antisense compound in-licensed from Isis Pharmaceuticals Inc. In August 2011, the Company initiated a US physician sponsored Phase 2 clinical trial involving iCo-007, (‘iDEAL Study’), evaluating iCo-007 in diabetic macular edema (“DME”). On June, 9, 2014, the Company announced top-line results related to the eight month visual acuity (“VA”) primary endpoint for subjects enrolled in the iDEAL Study. The Company determined that the Phase 2 iCo-007 DME data presented at that time, along with additional internal analysis, to date has not demonstrated any subgroup response rates that warrant further financial investment by iCo particularly in the DME program at this time. The Company continues to investigate other potential use indications for its licensed technology which targets the C-Raf kinase pathway. Uses of these indications may include certain oncology applications as a number of approved drugs currently target Raf kinase isoforms.

iCo-008 is a monoclonal antibody that the Company plans to take into clinical trials for vernal keratoconjunctivitis (“VKC”) and possibly age related macular degeneration. On December 8, 2010, the Company also signed an option to license the systemic applications of iCo-008 to IMMUNE Pharmaceuticals Corp. (“IMMUNE”). The option to convert to a full licence was exercised by IMMUNE on June 24, 2011. On February 21, 2013, IMMUNE announced it was initiating a Phase II clinical trial with iCo-008 (“Bertilimumab”) in patients with ulcerative colitis. The Phase II program was further expanded to examine Bertilimumab for the treatment of bullous pemphigoid, a rare auto-immune condition that affects the skin and causes the formation of blisters.

The Oral AmpB Delivery System is an experimental oral formulation of Amphotericin B that is at a pre-clinical stage.

The Company is considered to be in the development stage as most of its efforts have been devoted to research and development, raising capital, recruiting personnel and long-term planning. The Company is publicly traded on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol “ICO” and the OTCQX under the symbol “ICOTF”. The Company is incorporated and domiciled in British Columbia, Canada. The address of its head office is Suite 1300, 777 Dunsmuir Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V7Y 1K2.

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**2 Significant accounting policies**

**Basis of presentation and statement of compliance**

The financial statements of iCo have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) and the IFRS Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) interpretations applicable to companies reporting under IFRS.

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for the other investments which are recorded at fair value. The financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars which is the Company’s functional currency.

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors for issue on April 27, 2015.

**Critical accounting estimates and judgments**

Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

*Critical accounting estimates and assumptions*

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires the Company’s management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in these financial statements and notes. The Company regularly reviews its estimates; however, actual amounts could differ from the estimates used and, accordingly, materially affect the results of operations. Areas requiring management to make significant estimates include the clinical trial accruals and valuation of investment in IMMUNE.

Further details of the nature of these assumptions and conditions may be found in the relevant notes to the financial statements. Key sources of estimation uncertainty that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year include the clinical trial accruals and fair value of other investments.

a) Clinical trial accruals

Management examines the accruals in relation to clinical trials on a monthly basis based on the number of patients enrolled in the trials and the stage in the trials. Accruals are based on information obtained from various clinics and estimated costs based on the stage of treatment. Refer to note 8 for details regarding the estimates used related to clinical trial accruals.

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b) Fair value of other investments

The fair value of the other investments is determined by using valuation techniques. The Company uses its estimates and judgment to select a variety of methods as prescribed under the accounting standards. At year-end management used market value for the shares and the Black Scholes model for the warrants to determining the fair value of the other investments. Refer to note 17 for details regarding the estimates used related to fair value of other investments.

*Critical judgments in applying accounting policies*

Areas requiring management to make significant judgments include the impairment of intangible assets and valuation of investment in IMMUNE.

a) Impairment of intangible assets

The Company assesses at least every reporting period whether there are indicators of impairment in accordance with the accounting policy stated in the note referenced in these financial statements. Based on the current status of the trials, management identified indicators in the year and wrote off the remaining balance of iCo-007 in Q3. Refer to note 8 for details regarding the writeoff.

**Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on deposit and highly liquid short-term interest bearing securities with maturities at the date of purchase of three months or less. Cash and cash equivalents are held at recognized Canadian financial institutions. Interest earned is recognized in the statement of loss.

**Foreign currency translation**

The financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars, the Company's functional currency.

Foreign currency transactions are translated into Canadian dollars using the exchange rates at the date of the transactions or valuation where items are re-measured. Foreign exchange gains or losses resulting from the settlement of transactions and from the translation at year-end rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognized in the statement of loss.

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**Current and deferred income taxes**

The Company follows the liability method of accounting for income taxes. Under this method, current income taxes are recognized for the estimated income taxes payable for the current period. Future income tax assets and liabilities are recognized in the current period for temporary differences between the tax and accounting basis of assets and liabilities as well as for the benefit of losses available to be carried forward to future years for tax purposes. Future income tax assets and liabilities are measured using substantively enacted tax rates and laws expected to apply in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect of a change in tax rates on future income tax assets and liabilities is recognized in operations in the period that includes the substantive enactment.

**Financial instruments**

Financial instruments are classified into the following categories: available-for-sale investments, loans and receivables, financial liabilities at amortized cost and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"). Management determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition.

At initial recognition, the Company classifies its financial instruments in the following categories:

- a) **Available-for-sale investments:** Available-for-sale investments are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. The Company's available-for-sale assets comprise investments in equity securities. These are classified as "other investments" within current assets.

Available-for-sale investments: Available-for-sale investments are recognized initially at fair value plus transaction costs and are subsequently carried at fair value. Gains or losses arising from re-measurement are recognized in other comprehensive income except for exchange gains and losses on the translation of debt securities, which are recognized in the statement of loss. When an available-for-sale investment is sold or impaired, the accumulated gains or losses are moved from accumulated other comprehensive income to the statement of loss and are included in other gains and losses (net). Available-for-sale investments are classified as non-current, unless an investment matures within 12 months, or management expects to dispose of it within 12 months.

- b) **Loans and receivables:** Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. The Company's loans and receivables comprise of cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments and other receivables, and are included in current assets due to their short-term nature. Loans and receivables are initially recognized at the amount expected to be received, less, when material, a discount to reduce the loans and receivables to fair value. Subsequently, loans and receivables are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method less a provision for impairment.

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- c) **Financial liabilities at amortized cost:** Financial liabilities at amortized cost comprise accounts payable, which are initially recognized at the amount required to be paid, less, when material, a discount to reduce the payables to fair value. Subsequently, accounts payable are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.
- d) **Financial assets at FVTPL:** Financial assets at FVTPL are financial assets held for trading. A financial asset is classified in this category if acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the short term. Derivatives are also categorized as held for trading unless they are designated as hedges. Assets in this category are classified as current if expected to be settled within 12 months; otherwise, they are classified as non-current. The Company's non-current portion of other investments ("IMMUNE Warrants") are classified as FVTPL and re-measured each reporting period with the fair value gains and losses recorded in the statement of loss.

**Impairment of financial assets**

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset (other than a financial asset classified as FVTPL) is impaired.

For equity securities, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the security below its cost is also evidence that the assets are impaired.

If such evidence exists, the Company recognizes an impairment loss, as follows:

- a) **Financial assets carried at amortized cost:** The impairment loss is the difference between the amortized cost of the loan or receivable and the present value of the estimated future cash flows, discounted using the instrument's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced by this amount either directly or indirectly through the use of an allowance account.
- b) **Available-for-sale financial assets:** The impairment loss is the difference between the original cost of the asset and its fair value at the measurement date, less any impairment losses previously recognized in the statement of loss. This amount represents the loss in accumulated other comprehensive income that is reclassified to net loss.

Impairment losses on financial assets carried at amortized cost are reversed in subsequent periods if the amount of the loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized. Impairment losses on available-for-sale equity instruments are not reversed.

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**Equipment**

Equipment is stated at cost less accumulated amortization and any accumulated impairment losses. Cost includes expenditures that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount and recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of a replaced asset is derecognized when replaced. Amortization methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each annual reporting date and adjusted if appropriate. Amortization is recorded on a straight-line basis over the estimated lives of the equipment as follows:

|                    |         |
|--------------------|---------|
| Computer equipment | 3 years |
| Computer software  | 2 years |
| Office equipment   | 5 years |

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognized in the statement of loss as other gains (losses).

**Intangible assets (including research and development expenses)**

Intangible assets include patent rights and technology rights that have been acquired from third parties. The Company's intangible assets are shown separately at historical cost. The Company's intangible assets have finite useful lives and are carried at cost less accumulated amortization. Amortization is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate the cost of the licences over their estimated useful lives of nine to 11 years.

Research and development expenses include payroll, employee benefits, share-based payments, and other headcount-related expenses associated with product research and other activities. Research and development expenses also include third-party activities and clinical trial expenses. Such costs related to product development are included in research and development expense until the point that technological feasibility is reached, which for the Company's products, is generally shortly before the products are approved by the authorities. Once technological feasibility is reached, such costs are capitalized and amortized to cost of revenue over the estimated lives of the products.

Expenditures associated with the maintenance of the licensing are expensed as incurred. Other development expenditures that do not meet the criteria for capitalization are recognized as an expense when incurred. Costs previously recognized as an expense are not recognized as an asset in a subsequent period.

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### **Impairment of non-financial assets**

The Company periodically reviews the useful lives and the carrying values of its long-lived assets. Long-lived assets are reviewed for impairment upon the occurrence of events or changes in circumstances indicating that the carrying value of the asset may not be recoverable. For the purpose of measuring recoverable amounts, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units or CGU). The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use (being the present value of the expected future cash flow of the relevant asset or CGU). Any impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

### **Provisions**

Provisions for research and development and general operations are recognized when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events; it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount has been reliably estimated.

Where there are a number of similar obligations, the likelihood that an outflow will be required in settlement is determined by considering the class of obligations as a whole. A provision is recognized even if the likelihood of an outflow with respect to any one item included in the same class of obligations may be small.

### **Share-based payments**

The Company grants share-based options to directors, officers, employees and consultants as consideration for work or services performed. Compensation expense is recorded for share-based grants that vest in instalments over the vesting period as separate arrangements.

When the share-based options are exercised, the Company issues new shares. The proceeds are credited to capital stock (note 9). Upon exercise, the amount previously recognized in contributed surplus is transferred to capital stock.

The expense is recognized over the vesting period, which is the period over which all the vesting conditions are to be satisfied.

### **Loss per share**

Basic and diluted loss per share is calculated by dividing net loss for the period attributable to the Company by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding and the dilutive impact of outstanding warrants and options during the period.

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**3 New and revised IFRS affecting amounts reported and or disclosures in the financial statements**

a) Adoption of new accounting standards

The Company has adopted the following new standards and amendments to standards, including any consequential amendments to other standards, with a date of application of January 1, 2014:

*IAS 32 - Offsetting Financial Assets and Liabilities ("IAS 32")*

The amendments to International Accounting Standards ("IAS") 32 clarify the guidance as to when an entity has a legally enforceable right to set off financial assets and financial liabilities, and clarify when a settlement mechanism provides for net settlement. This standard did not have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

*IAS 36 - Impairment of Assets ("IAS 36")*

The amendments to IAS 36 clarify the disclosure of information about the recoverable amount of impaired assets if that amount is based on fair value less costs of disposal. The standard did not have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

b) Accounting standards issued and not yet applied

*Amendment to IFRS 2, Share-based Payment*

The amendment clarifies the definition of a 'vesting condition' and separately defines 'performance condition' and 'service condition'.

*Amendment to IFRS 13, Fair Value Measurement*

When IFRS 13 was published, paragraphs B5.4.12 of IFRS 9 and AG79 of IAS 39 were deleted as consequential amendments. This led to a concern that entities no longer had the ability to measure short-term receivables and payables at invoice amounts where the impact of not discounting is immaterial. The IASB has amended the basis for conclusions of IFRS 13 to clarify that it did not intend to remove the ability to measure short-term receivables and payables at invoice amounts in such cases. The standard is further amended to clarify that the portfolio exception in IFRS 13, which allows an entity to measure the fair value of a group of financial assets and financial liabilities on a net basis, applies to all contracts (including non-financial contracts) within the scope of IAS 39 or IFRS 9.

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*Amendment to IAS 24, Related Party Disclosures*

The standard is amended to include, as a related party, an entity that provides key management personnel services to the reporting entity or to the parent of the reporting entity. The reporting entity is not required to disclose the compensation paid by the management entity to the management entity's employees or directors but it is required to disclose the amounts charged to the reporting entity by the management entity for services provided.

*IFRS 9, Financial Instruments*

IFRS 9 addresses the classification, measurement and recognition of financial assets and financial liabilities. IFRS 9 was issued in November 2009 and October 2010. It replaces the parts of IAS 39 that relate to the classification and measurement of financial instruments. IFRS 9 requires financial assets to be classified into two measurement categories: those measured at fair value and those measured at amortized cost. The determination is made at initial recognition. Where the fair value option is taken, the part of a fair value change due to an entity's own credit risk is recorded in other comprehensive income rather than the income statement, unless this creates an accounting mismatch. The Company does not expect IFRS 9 to have a material impact on the financial statements and will also consider the impact of the remaining phases of IFRS 9 when completed by the IASB.

*IFRS 15, Revenues from Contracts with Customers*

IFRS 15 deals with revenue recognition and establishes principles for reporting useful information to users of financial statements about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from an entity's contracts with customers. Revenue is recognized when a customer obtains control of a good or service and thus has the ability to direct the use and obtain the benefits from the good or service. The standard replaces IAS 18, *Revenue*, and IAS 11, *Construction Contracts*, and related interpretations. The standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2017 and earlier application is permitted.

The Company is still in the process of assessing the impact on the financial statements of these new standards.

#### **4 Other investments**

As part of an exclusive licence agreement entered into on June 24, 2011, with IMMUNE Pharmaceutical Inc., a private Israeli company (the "IMMUNE Licence Agreement") the Company received 600,000 IMMUNE common shares ("IMMUNE Shares") and 200,000 IMMUNE Warrants in addition to certain other cash consideration. Subsequently, pursuant to a share exchange in connection with IMMUNE's merger with Epiccept Corporation in 2013, the Company exchanged its IMMUNE shares and warrants for 654,486 common shares and 123,649 warrants respectively.

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The following table represents the changes in the investments for the year:

|   | <b>Shares</b>  | <b>Warrants</b> | <b>\$</b>        |
|---|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Balance - December 31, 2013                       | 654,486        | 123,649         | 1,705,191        |
| Change in fair value of derivative (note a)       | -              | -               | (123,545)        |
| Change in fair value of common shares<br>(note a) | -              | -               | 98,958           |
| Sale of shares                                    | (117,817)      | -               | (443,369)        |
| Balance - December 31, 2014                       | <u>536,669</u> | <u>123,649</u>  | <u>1,237,235</u> |

- a) The fair value of the IMMUNE Shares has been determined based on the number of IMMUNE Shares held at December 31, 2014, multiplied by the share price of US\$1.89 (OTCQX). The IMMUNE Warrants were valued at year end using the Black Scholes option pricing model. The inputs used for the model are as follows: stock price US\$1.89, strike price US\$2.63, term of one year, volatility of 84% and a risk free interest rate of 0.25%.
- b) Effective December 8, 2014, the Company began selling the IMMUNE Shares, which trade on the NASDAQ under the symbol IMNP. As at December 31, 2014, 117,817 IMMUNE Shares have been sold at fair market value.

## 5 Taxes and other receivables

|                      | <b>2014</b>   | <b>2013</b>    |
|----------------------|---------------|----------------|
|                      | <b>\$</b>     | <b>\$</b>      |
| Taxes (HST/GST)      | 9,990         | 14,205         |
| Other receivable (i) | 29,077        | 114,355        |
|                      | <u>39,067</u> | <u>128,560</u> |

- i) Receivables in the amount of \$29,077 (2013 - \$99,181) are related to National Research Council of Canada's Industrial Research Assistance Program ("IRAP") grant. Part of the receivable, \$5,776, was received in January 2015.

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**6 Equipment**

|                    | January 1, 2014 |              |                 |                         |                 |                         | December 31, 2014 |
|--------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
|                    | Opening cost \$ | Additions \$ | Closing cost \$ | Opening amortization \$ | Amortization \$ | Closing amortization \$ | Net \$            |
| Computer equipment | 43,469          | -            | 43,469          | 37,046                  | 1,693           | 38,739                  | 4,730             |
| Computer software  | 14,708          | -            | 14,708          | 14,708                  | -               | 14,708                  | -                 |
| Office equipment   | 4,989           | -            | 4,989           | 4,989                   | -               | 4,989                   | -                 |
|                    | 63,166          | -            | 63,166          | 56,743                  | 1,693           | 58,436                  | 4,730             |

  

|                    | January 1, 2013 |              |                 |                         |                 |                         | December 31, 2013 |
|--------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
|                    | Opening cost \$ | Additions \$ | Closing cost \$ | Opening amortization \$ | Amortization \$ | Closing amortization \$ | Net \$            |
| Computer equipment | 43,469          | -            | 43,469          | 35,344                  | 1,702           | 37,046                  | 6,423             |
| Computer software  | 14,708          | -            | 14,708          | 14,708                  | -               | 14,708                  | -                 |
| Office equipment   | 4,989           | -            | 4,989           | 4,989                   | -               | 4,989                   | -                 |
|                    | 63,166          | -            | 63,166          | 55,041                  | 1,702           | 56,743                  | 6,423             |

**7 Intangible assets**

|                | January 1, 2014 |               |                 |                         |                 |              | December 31, 2014       |        |
|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------|
|                | Opening cost \$ | Impairment \$ | Closing cost \$ | Opening amortization \$ | Amortization \$ | Disposals \$ | Closing amortization \$ | Net \$ |
| ISIS (iCo-007) | 599,071         | 36,727        | 562,344         | 535,522                 | 26,822          | -            | 562,344                 | -      |
| MedImmune      | 232,467         | -             | 232,467         | 147,544                 | 21,133          | -            | 168,677                 | 63,790 |
|                | 831,538         | 36,727        | 794,811         | 683,066                 | 47,955          | -            | 731,021                 | 63,790 |

  

|                | January 1, 2013 |              |                 |                         |                 |              | December 31, 2013       |         |
|----------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------|
|                | Opening cost \$ | Disposals \$ | Closing cost \$ | Opening amortization \$ | Amortization \$ | Disposals \$ | Closing amortization \$ | Net \$  |
| ISIS (iCo-007) | 599,071         | -            | 599,071         | 471,326                 | 64,196          | -            | 535,522                 | 63,549  |
| MedImmune      | 232,467         | -            | 232,467         | 126,411                 | 21,133          | -            | 147,544                 | 84,923  |
|                | 831,538         | -            | 831,538         | 597,737                 | 85,329          | -            | 683,066                 | 148,472 |

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**8 Accounts payable and accrued liabilities**

|   | 2014<br>\$ | 2013<br>\$ |
|---|------------|------------|
| Trade payables                            | 1,507,158  | 273,494    |
| Accruals related to clinical expenses (i) | -          | 2,318,669  |
| Other accruals                            | 69,178     | 38,243     |
|   | 1,576,336  | 2,630,406  |

- i) Of the accruals related to clinical expenses, \$nil (2013 - \$2,318,669) for expenses incurred for the Company's Phase II clinical trial are payable to JDRF. The final invoices for JDRF total US \$1,252,130 and are recorded as a trade payable. At December 31, 2013 the Company estimated the accruals relating to the clinical trials based on data presented at that time by third parties. However, in fiscal 2014 on completion of the trials and receipt of new data it was determined that the amount at December 31, 2013 was overstated by approximately USD\$650,000. The Company recorded this as an adjustment in the current fiscal period. Subsequent to year end the outstanding payable to JDRF was fully paid.

**9 Capital stock**

Authorized

Unlimited number of common shares with no par value

Issued and outstanding

|  | Number of<br>shares | Amount<br>\$ |
|--|---------------------|--------------|
| Balance - December 31, 2012                                  | 53,608,627          | 19,978,848   |
| Shares issued (a)  | 9,655,771           | 3,379,520    |
| Share issue costs (a)  | -                   | (414,315)    |
| Attributable to warrants (a)                                 | -                   | (795,582)    |
| Exercise of warrants   | 4,446,832           | 1,434,375    |
| Transfer from warrants on exercise of warrants               | -                   | 195,297      |
| Exercise of options  | 100,000             | 29,000       |
| Transfer from contributed surplus on the exercise of options | -                   | 29,000       |
| Balance - December 31, 2013                                  | 67,811,230          | 23,836,143   |
| Shares issued (b)  | 16,206,483          | 6,112,062    |
| Attributable to warrants (b)                                 | -                   | (2,097,906)  |
| Exercise of warrants   | 340,000             | 135,999      |
| Exercise of options  | 100,000             | 18,000       |
| Transfer from warrants on exercise of warrants               | -                   | 26,739       |
| Transfer from contributed surplus on the exercise of options | -                   | 17,100       |
| Balance - December 31, 2014                                  | 84,457,713          | 28,048,137   |

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- a) On May 10, 2013, the Company announced that it issued 9,655,771 Units at a price of \$0.35 per unit for aggregate gross proceeds of \$3,379,520. Each Unit includes one common share and one common share purchase warrant (a "Warrant"). Each Warrant is exercisable at a price of \$0.40 for a period of five years from the closing of the Offering. The selling group was paid a cash commission equal to 8% of the gross proceeds of the Offering and receive that number of Compensation Warrants equal to 5% of the number of Units sold pursuant to the Offering. The Compensation Warrants have the same terms and conditions as the Warrants included in the Units.

The Warrants were valued utilizing the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Warrants were valued at \$866,670 and the Compensation Warrants were valued at \$46,623. The Compensation Warrant costs of the Offering of \$34,667, was allocated to share capital and \$11,956 was allocated to Warrants. The Company also incurred cash share issuance cost of \$414,315 which was allocated to the common shares and Warrants. The key assumptions used to estimate the fair value of Warrants and Agent Units were: dividend yield 0%; volatility 82%; and risk-free interest rate 1.00%.

- b) On January 27, 2014, the Company issued 16,206,483 units at a price of \$0.4165 per unit for aggregate gross proceeds of \$6.75 million. Each unit comprises one common share of the company and three-quarters of one common share purchase warrant (a "Warrant"). Each warrant is exercisable at a price of \$0.539 and entitles the holder to acquire one common share for a period of five years following the date of issuance of the Warrant.

The Warrants were valued utilizing the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Warrants were valued at \$2,307,754. The Company incurred cash share issuance cost of \$613,788 of which \$209,848 was allocated to Warrants. The key assumptions used to estimate the fair value of Warrants and Agent Units were: dividend yield 0%; volatility 94.74%; and risk-free interest rate 1.63%.

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**Stock options**

Under the stock option plan, the aggregate number of common shares reserved for issuance is 4,000,000.

|                             | Number of<br>stock<br>options<br>outstanding | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise<br>price<br>\$ |
|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Balance - December 31, 2012 | 1,960,000                                    | 0.39   |
| Granted                     | 1,140,000                                    | 0.72   |
| Exercised                   | (100,000)                                    | 0.29   |
| Expired                     | (35,000)                                     | 0.98   |
| Balance - December 31, 2013 | 2,965,000                                    | 0.51   |
| Granted                     | -  | -  |
| Exercised                   | (100,000)                                    | 0.18   |
| Expired                     | (700,000)                                    | 0.54   |
| Balance – December 31, 2014 | 2,165,000                                    | 0.52   |

| Range of exercise<br>price<br>\$ | Options outstanding                                 |  |  | Options exercisable                                 |  |
|----------------------------------|---|--|--|---|--|
|                                  | Number<br>outstanding<br>at<br>December 31,<br>2014 | Weighted<br>average<br>remaining<br>contractual<br>life<br>(years) | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise<br>price<br>\$ | Number<br>exercisable<br>at<br>December 31,<br>2014 | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise<br>price<br>\$ |
| 0.29 - 0.30                      | 1,025,000   | 1.77   | 0.29   | 1,025,000   | 0.29   |
| 0.45                             | 40,000  | 3.68   | 0.45   | 40,000  | 0.45   |
| 0.73                             | 1,100,000   | 3.06   | 0.73   | 1,100,000   | 0.73   |
|                                  | 2,165,000   | 2.46   | 0.52   | 2,165,000   | 0.52   |

For the year ended December 31, 2014, the Company recognized \$14,837 (2013 - \$738,210) in share-based compensation for options granted to directors, officers and employees, and recognized \$5,090 (2013 - \$1,069) in share-based compensation for stock options granted to non-employees.

The fair value of each option granted is estimated as at the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

|                         | 2014 | 2013       |
|-------------------------|------|------------|
| Dividend yield          | nil  | 0%         |
| Expected volatility     | nil  | 150 – 153% |
| Risk-free interest rate | nil  | 1.37-1.72% |
| Forfeiture rate         | nil  | 0%         |
| Expected life (years)   | nil  | 5          |

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**Warrants**

|  | Number of<br>warrants | Amount<br>\$     | Exercise<br>price<br>\$ |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| Balance - December 31, 2012 (issued and outstanding) | 11,503,416            | 559,083          |                         |
| Private placement (a)                                | 10,138,560            | 866,670          | 0.40                    |
| Warrants issued for share issue costs                | -                     | (71,088)         |                         |
| Exercise of warrants                                 | (4,446,832)           | (195,297)        | 0.30 - 0.60             |
| Expired warrants                                     | (933,000)             | (40,491)         | 0.30                    |
| Balance - December 31, 2013 (issued and outstanding) | 16,262,144            | 1,118,877        |                         |
| Private placement (b)                                | 12,154,862            | 2,097,906        |                         |
| Exercise of warrants                                 | (340,000)             | (26,739)         | 0.40                    |
| Expired warrants                                     | (5,669,558)           | (336,557)        | 0.45 - 0.60             |
| Balance - December 31, 2014 (issued and outstanding) | <u>22,407,448</u>     | <u>2,853,487</u> |                         |

**Contributed surplus**

|                             | \$               |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Balance - December 31, 2012 | 2,403,324        |
| Share-based payments        | 739,279          |
| Expired options             | (29,000)         |
| Expired warrants            | 40,491           |
| Balance - December 31, 2013 | 3,154,094        |
| Share-based payments        | 19,927           |
| Exercise of options         | (17,100)         |
| Expired warrants            | 336,557          |
| Balance - December 31, 2014 | <u>3,493,478</u> |

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**10 Related party transactions**

During the year ended December 31, 2014:

- a) the Company incurred consulting fees with a director totalling US\$25,000 (2013 - US\$25,000). The amounts outstanding as at December 31, 2014 totalled US \$nil (2013 - US\$ nil). All transactions were recorded at their exchange amounts. The amounts bear no interest and are unsecured with no terms of repayment.
- b) the Company incurred directors' fees totalling \$36,000 (2013 - \$36,000). The amounts outstanding as at December 31, 2014 totalled \$nil (2013 - \$nil). All transactions were recorded at their exchange amounts. The amounts bear no interest and are unsecured with no terms of repayment.

**11 Compensation of key management**

Key management includes the Company's directors and executive officers.

|                               | <b>2014</b>    | <b>2013</b>      |
|-------------------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                               | \$             | \$               |
| Salaries and bonus            | 560,000        | 534,583          |
| Consulting and directors fees | 63,621         | 61,745           |
| Share-based payments          | 19,927         | 688,972          |
|                               | <u>643,548</u> | <u>1,285,300</u> |

**12 Research and development**

Refer to note 8 for details regarding an adjustment made to research projects and clinical expenses.

|   | <b>2014</b>    | <b>2013</b>      |
|---|----------------|------------------|
|   | \$             | \$               |
| Wages and salaries (including share-based payments) | 330,336        | 487,807          |
| Research projects and clinical expenses             | 55,132         | 3,232,798        |
| Intellectual property                               | 140,760        | 166,044          |
| Travel  | 31,967         | 31,731           |
| Facilities  | 63,334         | 72,131           |
| Amortization and other                              | 47,956         | 85,329           |
|   | <u>669,485</u> | <u>4,075,840</u> |

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**13 General and administrative**

|   | <b>2014</b>      | <b>2013</b>      |
|---|------------------|------------------|
|   | <b>\$</b>        | <b>\$</b>        |
| Wages and salaries (including share-based payments) | 633,339          | 1,022,053        |
| Professional fees                                   | 688,000          | 790,060          |
| Travel  | 140,045          | 159,814          |
| Facilities  | 127,367          | 87,776           |
| Amortization  | 1,693            | 1,702            |
|   | <u>1,590,444</u> | <u>2,061,405</u> |

**14 Income taxes**

The Company has the following non-capital losses available to reduce taxable income of future years:

| <b>Expiry date</b> | <b>\$</b>         |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 2015               | 337,073           |
| 2026               | 1,844,870         |
| 2027               | 3,254,319         |
| 2028               | 2,850,647         |
| 2029               | 2,392,171         |
| 2030               | 2,989,348         |
| 2031               | 2,244,591         |
| 2032               | 3,646,878         |
| 2033               | 5,622,233         |
| 2034               | 2,055,037         |
|                    | <u>27,237,167</u> |

Unrecognized deferred tax assets comprise the following:

|  | <b>2014</b>      | <b>2013</b>      |
|--|------------------|------------------|
|  | <b>\$</b>        | <b>\$</b>        |
| Non-capital losses carried forward                     | 7,081,666        | 6,434,735        |
| Share costs and other                                  | 232,581          | 148,674          |
| Equipment  | (34,854)         | 246,264          |
| Scientific research and experimental development costs | 268,721          | 127,760          |
| Other investments                                      | 127,760          | 74,415           |
|  | <u>7,675,874</u> | <u>7,031,848</u> |

The income tax benefit of these tax attributes has not been recorded in these financial statements because of the uncertainty of its recovery.

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The Company's effective income tax rate differs from the statutory income tax rate of 26% (2013 - 25.75%). The differences arise from the following items:

|                                   | <b>2014</b> | <b>2013</b> |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                   | <b>\$</b>   | <b>\$</b>   |
| Loss before tax                   | (2,009,050) | (5,668,189) |
| Income tax at statutory rate      | (522,353)   | (1,459,559) |
| Income tax benefit not recognized | 644,027     | 1,701,703   |
| Change in future tax rate         | -           | (213,206)   |
| Permanent differences             | (175,517)   | 171,579     |
| Other                             | 53,843      | (200,517)   |
|                                   | <u>-</u>    | <u>-</u>    |

## **15 Segmented information**

The Company identifies its operating segments based on business activities, management responsibility and geographical location. The Company operates within a single operating segment, being the research and development of ophthalmic indications, and operates in one geographic area, being Canada. All of the Company's assets are located in Canada.

## **16 Commitments and contingencies**

### a) Lease commitments

The Company's operating lease agreement for office space expires on December 31, 2015. The future minimum annual lease payment under the lease is as follows:

|      |               |
|------|---------------|
|      | <b>\$</b>     |
| 2015 | <u>57,808</u> |

Rent expense for the year ended December 31, 2014 amounted to \$58,304 (2013 - \$58,370).

### b) Contractual commitments

The Company may be required to make milestone, royalty, and other research and development funding payments under research and development collaboration and other agreements with third parties. These payments are contingent upon the achievement of specific development, regulatory and/or commercial milestones. The Company has not accrued for these payments as of December 31, 2014 due to the uncertainty over whether these milestones will be achieved. The Company's significant contingent milestone, royalty and other research and development commitments are as follows:

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*ISIS*

In connection with the licensing agreement between ISIS and the Company, the Company may be required to make additional contingent payments of up to US\$22 million upon the achievement of certain development and commercialization milestones of iCo-007 in its first ocular indication. In addition, the Company may be required to pay royalties on future revenues. The Company may also be required to make additional contingent payments upon the achievement of certain development and commercialization milestones of iCo-007 in other ocular and non-ocular disease indications.

*MedImmune*

In connection with the licensing agreement between MedImmune and the Company, the Company was required to make upfront payments totalling US\$400,000, of which the last payment was made in December 2007. The Company may be required to make additional contingent payments of up to US\$7,000,000 upon the achievement of certain development and commercialization milestones. In addition, the Company may be required to pay royalties on future revenues. The Company may also be required to make additional contingent payments upon the achievement of certain development and commercialization milestones for products developed outside the ocular field.

*University of British Columbia (“UBC”)*

On May 6, 2008, the Company signed an agreement with UBC for the exclusive worldwide licence to iCo-009 (the “UBC Licence”). In consideration for the UBC Licence, the Company paid UBC an initial licence fee of \$20,000 and is required to pay annual fees to UBC for maintaining the licence until such time as a New Drug Application (“NDA”) for iCo-009 is approved. The Company is required to make additional contingent payments of up to \$1,900,000 in aggregate upon the achievement of certain development and commercialization milestones and is also required to pay royalties on future revenues. The UBC Licence additionally obligates the Company to contribute research funding (which may be in the form of direct payments from the Company or indirect payments, such as securing research grants) to UBC for the iCo-009 program.

*Clinical trials*

The Company entered into an agreement with JDRF for work related to the iCo-007 clinical trial. The agreement involves incremental holdbacks as well as other milestone expenses associated with the clinical trial. The remaining expenses have been agreed to and are booked in accounts payable.

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On May 31, 2012, the Company was awarded a \$1,100,000 three-year, non-repayable financial contribution from the National Research Council of Canada's Industrial Research Assistance Program ("IRAP") to support iCo's Oral Amphotericin B ("Amp B") delivery system as novel treatment for patients with Human Immunodeficiency Virus ("HIV"). The funding will support feasibility testing and pre-clinical toxicology studies, as well as human safety and efficacy clinical trials to examine the role of the Amp B delivery system in potentially treating patients with latent HIV reservoirs. Under the grant, up to 75% of the costs of the project may be claimed subject to the \$1,100,000 maximum. The Company submits monthly expenditure claims that are subject to IRAP approval and subsequent reimbursement. For the year ended December 31, 2014, iCo has recognized \$336,919 (2013 - \$151,004) of the IRAP grant.

## **17 Financial instruments and financial risk management**

### **Fair value**

Financial instrument disclosures establish a fair value hierarchy that requires the Company to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. The Company primarily applies the market approach for recurring fair value measurements. This section describes three input levels that may be used to measure fair value:

Level 1 - unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. An active market for the asset or liability is a market in which transactions for the asset or liability occur with sufficient frequency and volume to provide information on an ongoing basis. The Company does not have any financial instruments in this category.

Level 2 - quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.

Level 3 - unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities.

#### *Financial instruments whose carrying value approximates fair value*

Cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments and other receivables are financial instruments whose fair value approximates their carrying value due to their short-term maturity. The input level used by the Company to measure fair value of its cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments is Level 2 as they are valued using observable market data.

The fair value of accounts payable may be less than its carrying value due to liquidity risk.

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The common shares of IMMUNE have been recorded at their fair value on the date they were acquired. Management has classified these shares as available-for-sale. The Company uses Level 1 inputs to value these instruments.

The following table presents the Company's assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value at December 31:

|                                   | <b>At December 31,<br/>2014</b> |                |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
|                                   | <b>Level 1</b>                  | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b>                  |
|                                   | <b>\$</b>                       | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>                       |
| <b>Assets</b>                     |                                 |                |                                 |
| Available for sale - equity       | 1,176,592                       | -              | -                               |
| Fair value through profit or loss | -                               | -              | 60,643                          |
|                                   |                                 |                | <b>At December 31,<br/>2013</b> |
|                                   | <b>Level 1</b>                  | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b>                  |
|                                   | <b>\$</b>                       | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>                       |
| <b>Assets</b>                     |                                 |                |                                 |
| Available for sale - equity       | -                               | -              | 1,521,003                       |
| Fair value through profit or loss | -                               | -              | 184,188                         |

**Market risk**

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and equity prices, will affect the Company's income or valuation of its financial instruments.

The Company is exposed to financial risk related to fluctuation of foreign exchange rates. Foreign currency risk is limited to the portion of the Company's business transactions denominated in currencies other than the Canadian dollar, primarily expenses for research and development incurred in US\$. The Company believes that the results of operations, financial position and cash flows would be affected by a sudden change in foreign exchange rates, but would not impair or enhance its ability to pay its US\$. The Company manages foreign exchange risk by maintaining US\$ cash on hand to fund its short-term US\$ expenditures. As at December 31, 2014, US\$ denominated cash and short-term investments totalled US\$2,337,894. The US\$ denominated accounts payable and accrued liabilities exposure is US\$1,254,082.

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The other investment of IMMUNE is denominated in US\$. A change in share price and foreign exchange would have the following impact:

|  | <b>2014</b>                                    |  |   |
|--|--|--|---|
|  | <b>Other<br/>investments<br/>shares<br/>\$</b> | <b>Other<br/>investments<br/>warrants<br/>\$</b> | <b>Other<br/>investments<br/>Total<br/>\$</b> |
| 5% increase in share price and foreign exchange rate | 1,297,194                                      | 95,988   | 1,393,187                                     |
| 5% decrease in share price and foreign exchange rate | 1,061,875                                      | 78,575   | 1,140,450                                     |

a) Foreign exchange risk

Foreign exchange risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates.

Balances in foreign currencies at December 31 are as follows:

|  | <b>2014<br/>US balance<br/>\$</b> | <b>2013<br/>US balance<br/>\$</b> |
|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Cash and cash equivalents                | 2,337,984                         | 567,625                           |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | (1,254,082)                       | (2,247,796)                       |
|  | <u>1,083,902</u>                  | <u>(1,680,171)</u>                |

Based on the US\$ balance sheet exposure at December 31, 2014, with other variables unchanged, the effect of 10% change in exchange rates on the net current monetary liabilities/assets would be \$145,810 (2013 - \$168,017).

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b) Interest rate risk

The Company is subject to interest rate risk on its cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments and believes that the results of operations, financial position and cash flows would not be significantly affected by a sudden change in market interest rates relative to the investment interest rates due to the short-term nature of the investments. The only financial instruments that expose the Company to interest rate risk are its cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments. Cash and cash equivalents in excess of day-to-day requirements are placed in short-term deposits with high quality credit financial institutions and earn interest at rates available at that time.

As at December 31, 2014, cash and cash equivalents and short term investments held in Canadian dollar savings accounts total \$2,995,506 (2013 - \$1,299,663). The interest rates range from 0.0% to 0.25%.

**Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in raising funds to meet cash flow requirements associated with financial instruments.

The Company continues to manage its liquidity risk by monitoring its cash flows and investments regularly, comparing actual results with budgets and future cash requirements.

The following table summarizes the relative maturities of the financial liabilities of the Company:

|  | <b>Maturity</b>                      |   |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|
|  | <b>Less than<br/>one year<br/>\$</b> | <b>Greater than<br/>one year<br/>\$</b> |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 1,576,336                            | -                                       |

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**Credit risk**

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as outstanding receivables. The Company invests its excess cash in short-term Guaranteed Investment Certificates. The Company has established guidelines relative to diversification, credit ratings and maturities that maintain safety and liquidity. These guidelines are periodically reviewed by the Company's Board of Directors and modified to reflect changes in market conditions.

The Company limits its exposure to credit risk, with respect to cash and cash equivalents, by placing them with high quality credit financial institutions. The Company's cash equivalents consist primarily of operating funds and deposit investments with commercial banks. Of the amounts with financial institutions on deposit, the following table summarizes the amounts at risk should the financial institutions with which the deposits are held cease trading:

|               | <b>Cash and<br/>cash<br/>equivalents<br/>and short-<br/>term<br/>investments<br/>\$</b> | <b>Insured<br/>amount<br/>\$</b> | <b>Non-insured<br/>amount<br/>\$</b> |
|---------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| CIBC          | 2,991,158   | 100,000                          | 2,891,158                            |
| Raymond James | 1,299,205   | 1,014,753                        | 284,452                              |
| Manulife      | 417,359   | 100,000                          | 317,359                              |
| BMO           | 999,965   | 100,000                          | 899,965                              |
|               | <b>5,707,687</b>  | <b>1,314,753</b>                 | <b>4,392,934</b>                     |

**18 Capital management**

The Company considers its capital stock, contributed surplus and warrants as capital. As at December 31, 2014, the Company's capital totalled \$34,395,102 (2013 - \$28,109,114).

The Company manages its capital structure in order to ensure sufficient resources are available to meet day-to-day operation requirements, further develop its existing technology, advance its clinical trials and continue as a going concern.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may issue new shares or sell assets. Total capital is calculated as the Company's own equity.

The Company is not subject to any externally exposed capital requirements.