

## Pluristem and Sosei CVC Advancing Towards Finalizing Joint Venture for the Commercialization of PLX-PAD in Japan

**HAIFA, ISRAEL, March 30, 2017-** <u>Pluristem Therapeutics Inc</u>. (NASDAQ: PSTI), (TASE: PSTI), a leading developer of placenta-based cell therapy products today announced advancement in discussions with Sosei Corporate Venture Capital Ltd. (Sosei CVC) towards establishing a new corporation to pursue the clinical development and commercialization of Pluristem's PLX-PAD cell therapy product in Japan.

Pluristem and Sosei CVC currently anticipate definitive agreements are to be finalized in the coming months, rather than by March 31, 2017 as previously announced.

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