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## ImmuneOnco Biopharmaceuticals (Shanghai) Inc.

宜明昂科生物醫藥技術 (上海)股份有限公司

(A joint stock company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock Code: 1541)

## **VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT**

## APPROVAL BY THE NMPA FOR A PHASE II CLINICAL TRIAL OF IMM0306 FOR THE TREATMENT OF LUPUS NEPHRITIS

This announcement is made by ImmuneOnco Biopharmaceuticals (Shanghai) Inc. (the "**Company**", together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") on a voluntary basis to inform shareholders and potential investors of the Company about the latest business development of the Group.

The board (the "**Board**") of directors ("**Directors**", and each a "**Director**") of the Company is pleased to announce that the Group has received approval from the National Medical Products Administration of the People's Republic of China (the "**NMPA**") for a Phase II clinical trial of IMM0306, a first-in-class bispecific antibody targeting CD47xCD20, for the treatment of Lupus Nephritis (LN).

## ABOUT IMM0306

IMM0306, independently developed by the Group, is a bispecific molecule targeting both cluster of differentiation 47 (CD47) and cluster of differentiation 20 (CD20) and is the first CD47 and CD20 dual-targeting bispecific to enter into clinical stage globally. IMM0306 blocks the "don't eat me" signal by inhibiting the CD47-SIRP $\alpha$  interaction, enhances Fc-FcyRIIa and Fc-FcyRIIIa interactions to activate macrophages and NK cells, and preferentially binds CD20 over CD47 to effectively eliminate malignant B cells while minimizing toxicity, leading to improved therapeutic outcomes.

As of the date of this announcement, the Group owns the global intellectual property rights and commercial rights of IMM0306.

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By order of the Board **ImmuneOnco Biopharmaceuticals (Shanghai) Inc.** 宜明昂科生物醫藥技術(上海)股份有限公司 **Tian Wenzhi** *Chairman and Executive Director* 

Shanghai, the PRC, December 2, 2024

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of Directors comprises (i) Dr. Tian Wenzhi, Mr. Li Song and Ms. Guan Mei as executive Directors; (ii) Dr. Xu Cong as non-executive Director; and (iii) Dr. Zhenping Zhu, Dr. Kendall Arthur Smith and Mr. Yeung Chi Tat as independent non-executive Directors.