Scythian Biosciences Corp. Completes Sale of Go Green

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TORONTO, Nov. 30, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Scythian Biosciences Corp. (the "Company" or "Scythian") (TSX-V:<u>SCYB</u>) (Frankfurt:<u>9SB</u>) (OTC Pink:SCCYF) is pleased to announce that it has entered into a share purchase agreement (the "Share Purchase Agreement") with 1065703 B.C. Ltd. (the "Purchaser") to sell to the Purchaser its whollyowned subsidiary Go Green B.C. Medicinal Marijuana Ltd. ("Go Green"), which has applied for a license to cultivate and sell marijuana for medicinal purposes.

Pursuant to the Share Purchase Agreement, the Purchaser is acquiring all of the issued and outstanding shares of Go Green for consideration of CA\$200,000, consisting of an upfront payment of CA\$100,000 and future payments of CA\$100,000. In addition to the cash compensation received, 27,000 common shares of Scythian are being returned to treasury for cancellation.

Divesting of Go Green is not anticipated to have any material impact on the Company's operations.

"The sale of Go Green will allow Scythian to continue to pursue research and development of cannabis related pharmaceutical products, with a focus on our combination therapy and finding a solution for the prevention and treatment of concussions and other traumatic brain injuries", stated Mr. Jonathan Gilbert, CEO.

About Scythian Biosciences Corp.

Scythian is a research and development company committed to finding a solution for the prevention and treatment of concussions and traumatic brain injury with its proprietary Cannabinoid combination.

Scythian's mission is to be the first accepted drug regimen for concussive treatment. Scythian has recently formed a collaboration with the University of Miami and its world renowned neuroscientific team to conduct pre-clinical and clinical trials of its drug regimen. The University of Miami believes that Scythian's scientific approach shows significant promise and differs from previous approaches to treat this growing problem. The collaboration with the University of Miami allows access to their extensive knowledge base in the fields of traumatic brain injury and

concussions and allows for Scythian's clinical studies to be undertaken at their world-class facilities.

Gillian A. Hotz, Ph.D., is leading Scythian's program at the University of Miami. Dr. Hotz is a nationally recognized behavioral neuroscientist and expert in neurotrauma, concussion management, and neurorehabilitation. She has extensive experience in neurocognitive testing. Dr. Hotz has been the co-director of University of Miami Miller School of Medicine's Concussion Program since 1995.

Scythian is also endorsed by Pro Football Legends and the World Boxing Association on its mission.

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