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## Biocartis Announces the Conversion of EUR 15 million of its EUR 150 million 4% Convertible Bonds due 2024

**Mechelen, Belgium, 7 December 2020** – Biocartis Group NV (the 'Company' or 'Biocartis'), an innovative molecular diagnostics company (Euronext Brussels: BCART), announces today that it entered into an agreement with a holder of its outstanding EUR 150 million 4% Senior Unsecured Convertible Bonds due 2024 (the 'Bonds') regarding the exercise of Conversion Rights in relation to EUR 15 million aggregate principal amount of Bonds.

In connection with the conversion, the Company agreed to make a cash payment equal to EUR 28,700 per EUR 100,000 in principal amount of the Bonds plus any accrued but unpaid interest. The current Conversion Price of the Bonds is EUR 12.8913 per Ordinary Share. As a result, an aggregate principal amount of EUR 15 million of the Bonds will be converted, and 1,163,575 new Ordinary Shares will be issued by the Company.

The Company agreed to the incentivised conversion of the Bonds, as it will allow the Company to reduce the reported debt at attractive market conditions and strengthen the Company's shareholders' equity at a premium to the current share price. The amount of the debt reduction in exchange for the new Ordinary Shares amounts to EUR 9.3 million or EUR 8 per share, 70% higher than the closing price on 4 December 2020. The total debt reduction amounts to EUR 13.6 million.

For further information on the incentivised conversion, Bondholders can contact the Company.

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