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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Akos Limited Announces International Expansion**

**Harpenden, UK** - Akos Ltd, a leading provider of Regulatory Affairs, Pharmacovigilance & Qualified Person (QPPV) consultancy services, is pleased to announce expanded operations with offices in New York City, New York and Research Triangle Park, North Carolina.

Founded in 1986, Akos Ltd represents a unique blend of client services steeped with professional expertise.

Akos' Regulatory Affairs Team provides diverse specialists with more than 20 years experience in the Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology and Medical Device industry and offers a full range of services to support product development at any stage; including access to high end technology such as eCTD submission capability, scientific advice meetings, MAA/NDA preparation, Risk Management Plans and other specialty regulatory support services.

The Pharmacovigilance Team, established in 1995, also offers an extensive range of global pharmacovigilance expertise including a fully validated global safety database, comprehensive SAE case processing, PSUR generation, scientific literature searches, signal detection and Qualified Person services.

Operations at the US-based offices expand upon the current capabilities and also provide clients with regional and international project teams, enhanced business continuity, increased hours of coverage and direct access to the United States' regulatory agencies. This expansion demonstrates Akos' commitment to provide their clients with high quality service offerings tailored to the demands of the market.

Peter Rees, Managing Director at Akos Ltd, commented, "I am excited about this opportunity to provide enhanced services to our growing client base. The expanded operations will enable Akos to present even more flexible and exceptional services to meet our client's ever changing needs in the market."

Since 2007, as an affiliate organization of the Clinical Trials Services division within Cross Country Healthcare Inc., Akos Ltd has had significant experience interacting with other companies in the division to best serve our clients. The expansion effort will amplify those strong working relationships cultivated to date and enable Akos to provide custom services in the US market without a steep learning curve.

The combination of key thought leaders and market experts will provide Akos with exceptional insight into the challenges and requirements our clients are facing today and help craft novel service offerings to meet those needs.

To learn more about Akos Ltd and their expanded service offerings please contact Amanda Cohen (US) at [acohen@akosltd.com](mailto:acohen@akosltd.com) or Kevin Sherwood-Williams (UK) at [ksw@akos.co.uk](mailto:ksw@akos.co.uk).

