

## BioTeSys receives ISO 9001:2000 certification

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BioTeSys GmbH today announced the new DIN EN ISO 9001:2000 certification for the service portfolio consisting of analytical HPLC based services, cell based test systems and clinical studies.

Esslingen, Germany, November 14, 2008: "The ISO certification is an important milestone for BioTeSys", says Dr. Jürgen Bernhardt, CEO of BioTeSys GmbH. "I am sure it will further increase the confidence in our high quality service portfolio and our

ability to support our customers in substantiation of scientific argumentation. And, we are committed to constantly improve our quality managementsystem." Certification of conformity to ISO 9001:2000 for the analytical, in vitro- and in vivo-services was by the national certification body DEKRA on December 03, 2008. ISO 9001 certification has become the global benchmark for providing assurance about the ability to satisfy quality requirements and to enhance customer satisfaction in supplier-customer relationships.

## **About BioTeSys GmbH:**

BioTeSys GmbH (www.biotesys.de) is based in Esslingen and was founded in 1999 as a spin-off of the Institute of Biological Chemistry and Nutrition of the University of Hohenheim. Biotesys is a partner in the development and implementation of new concepts in the cosmetic, food and consumer health care/OTC sector. The range of services includes screening methods for measuring the bioactive potential of substances or substance mixtures, in-vitro test procedures using single cell cultures, co-cultures and various organotypic culture models, as well as clinical trials. BioTeSys has been certified according to ISO 9001:2000. Additionally, the analytical chemistry division with the main focus on HPLC and photometry has been accredited according DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2005. All measuring methods and test parameters used in tests have been developed and optimized with regard to physiological criteria. The results and determined effective concentrations are therefore of direct significance for the assessment of biological effects.

As complete service provider for the biological and chemical analysis sector the company offers a wide range of services including the development of new methods and products on behalf of the client.

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