PyroGenesis Announces Private Placement

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MONTREAL, Nov. 12, 2015 /CNW Telbec/ - PyroGenesis Canada Inc. (http://pyrogenesis.com) (TSX-V: PYR) (OTCQB: PYRNF), a TSX Venture 50® plasma solutions company (the "Company" or "PyroGenesis") that designs, develops and manufactures plasma waste-to-energy systems and plasma torch systems, announced today a non-brokered private placement offering by way of debt and equity, for aggregate gross proceeds to the Corporation of up to CDN$2,000,000.

The debt shall be by way of convertible debentures (the "Debentures"), which will bear interest at a rate of 7.5% per annum, paid quarterly in cash. The Debentures will mature four (4) years from the date of issuance. The principal amount of the Debentures shall be convertible at any time at the option of the holder into common shares of the Corporation (the "Common Shares") at a price of CDN$0.50 per Common Share, and upon giving effect to such conversion, all accrued and unpaid interest will be paid in full within 60 days.

The equity shall be by way of units of the Company (the "Units") at an issue price of $0.20 per Unit. Each Unit will be comprised of one Common Share of PyroGenesis and one-half (1/2) of one Common Share purchase warrant (each whole Common Share purchase warrant, a "Warrant"). Each Warrant shall entitle the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share at an exercise price of $0.50 at any time up to 24 months following the closing of the Offering. Each Unit will be subject to a statutory hold period of four months and one day from such closing date.

PyroGenesis intends to use the net proceeds from the Offering for general working capital purposes. The Offering is subject to the final approval of the TSX Venture Exchange.

The Company is pleased to announce that Mr. P. Peter Pascali, President and CEO of PyroGenesis, will be subscribing for up to $1.3 million of the Offering. The participation of Mr. Pascali in the Private Placement constitutes a "related party transaction" within the meaning of Multilateral Instrument 61-101 Protection of Minority Security Holders in Special Transactions ("MI 61-101"). The Company is relying on the formal valuation and minority approval exemptions of MI 61-101 due to the fact that the fair market value of the portion of the Private Placement subscribed by Mr. Pascali does not exceed 25% of the Company's market capitalization. The Private Placement, including the participation of Mr. Pascali, has been unanimously approved by the directors of the Company, with Mr. Pascali abstaining with respect to his participation.

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PyroGenesis Canada Inc., a TSX Venture 50® clean-tech company, is the world leader in the design, development, manufacture and commercialization of advanced plasma processes. We provide engineering and manufacturing expertise, cutting-edge contract research, as well as turnkey process equipment packages to the defense, metallurgical, mining, advanced materials (including 3D printing), oil & gas, and environmental industries. With a team of experienced engineers, scientists and technicians working out of our Montreal office and our 3,800 m² manufacturing facility, PyroGenesis maintains its competitive advantage by remaining at the forefront of technology development and commercialization. Our core competencies allow PyroGenesis to lead the way in providing innovative plasma torches, plasma waste processes, high-temperature metallurgical processes, and engineering services to the global marketplace. Our operations are ISO 9001:2008 certified, and have been since 1997. PyroGenesis is a publicly-traded Canadian company on the TSX Venture Exchange (Ticker Symbol: PYR) and on the OTCQB Marketplace (Ticker Symbol: PYRNF). For more information, please visit www.pyrogenesis.com

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