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**Inter Medico and Pro-Lab Diagnostics announce a new
Strategic Partnership in Canada**

TORONTO, ON, March 1, 2008 – Pro-Lab Diagnostics, a privately-held, Toronto-based corporation, is pleased to announce the appointment of Inter Medico as their exclusive distributor in Canada for all microbiology and infectious disease products, effective March 1, 2008. Founded in 1974, Pro-Lab is a leader in microbiology testing products with sales offices in the U.S.A. and U.K. Inter Medico is Canada’s largest privately-owned distributor of in-vitro diagnostic products with a 25 year history of excellence through a never ending commitment to customer support and the sophisticated distribution of the most advanced biomedical technologies.

“We are dedicated to continued innovation and providing the highest quality products to hospitals, private medical laboratories, and other microbiology-focused laboratories. This partnership in Canada will allow Pro-Lab to accelerate the development of new products to meet the expanding needs of our customers’, said Andrew Rae, Vice President, Pro-Lab Diagnostics. “Inter Medico’s extensive experience in the clinical laboratory setting combined with their established distribution and support network in Canada, make them the ideal partner for Pro-Lab.”

Dan Lichtman, President, Inter Medico remarked “We are very proud of Pro-Lab’s global success and their confidence in Inter Medico representing them in Canada”.

To obtain more information on the product lines, visit www.pro-lab.com.

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