

# Asha Announces Allowance of Canadian Patent Directed to Tailored Lipids

The patent application is related to Asha's LipiLife product line, which provides tailored dosages of lipids; the patent covers additional product applications.

Palo Alto, CA – January 26, 2021 – Asha Nutrition Sciences, Inc. (Asha), announced today the receipt of Notice of Allowance from Canadian Intellectual Property Office for Canadian Patent Application No. 2,759,551 directed to formulations of lipid dosages and methods of selecting, preparing, and using lipid formulations based upon age, gender, diet, medical conditions, and other factors of a subject. The patent includes application of the proprietary formulations and methods for full diets, infant foods, pet foods, and/or therapeutic applications for medical indications. Asha holds 22 issued or allowed patents worldwide on this very momentous technology (asha-nutrition.com/patents).

This family of patents and applications originates from Asha's International Patent Application Number PCT2009/041114. The patent applications are drawn to controlled dosages of omega-6 and omega-3 and other lipids, wherein omega-6 is greater than omega-3 and/or total lipids in proportions that are opposite of teachings in the prior art. This technology and disclosure were necessitated due to the massive misinformation and disinformation in the art compromising public health at a large scale.

This newest addition to its patent portfolio confirms Asha's continuing commitment to innovation and development of industry leading lipid solutions with potential to vastly protect and enhance public health. WHO estimates about 2 billion people worldwide suffer from chronic and infectious diseases. Studies show that lipid imbalance is associated with a variety of chronic and infectious diseases including diabetes, heart disease, strokes, arthritis, asthma, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, neural disease, depression, and cancer, and compromised immunity. Approximately 80 percent of the costs of healthcare are due to these conditions, costing nearly 3 trillion dollars annually in US. Further, lipids are unpredictable in nature and less than 1% of the public understands lipids. Thus, Asha's technology is a solution to a critical unmet public health need.

Asha's flagship product is LipiLife, made up of fats, fat-soluble vitamins and sterols that are vital for health and well-being and vary by demographics. Currently, LipiLife is available in vegetarian and non-vegetarian formulas for women and men individually.

Urvashi Bhagat, CEO of Asha said, "We invite collaboration from corporate partners for marketing and manufacturing of our products and/or licensing of our intellectual property for infant foods, pet foods, and/or therapeutic applications for medical indications so that this lipid problem can be eradicated for good."

"Lipids are critical for health," explains Dr. Undurti N. Das, Chief Medical Officer of Asha Nutrition Sciences. "Every cell in the body is enveloped in lipids, and the cell cannot function without the right balance of lipids. Health benefits of balanced lipids are

across multiple indications because lipids affect a broad range of physiological functions. Lipid requirements vary by members of a family. Therefore, lipids should be preformulated and tailored for the public. Additionally, when tailored lipids and micronutrients solve the large part of the disease burden, resources and research can be focused on solving deeper causes of diseases in populations free of the confounding effects of mismanaged lipid consumption."

Asha aims to create a brighter future for world health by preventing current trends from continuing. LipiLife radically shifts the way people consider what it means to consume healthy fats and how chronic health issues are preventable and even reversible with the right lipid formula and methods.

## About Asha Nutrition Sciences, Inc.

Asha Nutrition Sciences is a private wellness company offering tailored nutrition with balanced lipids, antioxidants, and phytochemicals with LipiLife and other product lines. Lipids are the basis of life, as crucial cell membranes components, as gene regulators, and as precursors of hormones and other bioactive compounds. Lipids affect a broad range of physiological functions and health aspects including respiration, vision, digestion, musculoskeletal function, mood, mental function, immunity, sleep, and reproduction. Antioxidants, phytochemicals, vitamins, minerals, proteins, carbohydrates, hormones, and temperature materially alter lipid metabolism. Therefore, the precise requirements of lipids change by diet type, gender, stage of life, climactic temperature, and other factors. The company holds impressive worldwide intellectual property.

# About Urvashi Bhagat, President and CEO, Chairwoman of the Board of Directors, Asha Nutrition Sciences

Inspired by her mother Asha's knowledge of nutrition but subsequent battle with debilitating neural disease because of derailment of that knowledge by the flawed teachings to reduce fats, Urvashi Bhagat, CEO of Asha Nutrition Sciences founded the company and has dedicated her life's work to addressing true nutritional needs in order to prevent debilitating diseases. Ms. Bhagat has had a multifaceted career in health care, biotechnology, and pharmaceutical development. She is a medical visionary devoted to achieving breakthroughs in the use of nutrition to prevent and treat disease. She has made groundbreaking discoveries in lipid metabolism and the role of lipids and other nutrients on the manifestation of infectious and chronic diseases and acute events. Since the foundation of Asha Nutrition Sciences in 2008, Ms. Bhagat has set the strategic direction and focus of the company on bringing these discoveries to consumers in the form of balanced and tailored nutrients, with a specific emphasis on lipids, antioxidants and phytochemicals.

#### About Dr. Undurti Das, Chief Medical Officer for Asha Nutrition Sciences

Dr. Das has 30 years of clinical and research experience in the fields of Internal Medicine, Diabetology, Endocrinology, Rheumatology and Oncology and over 25 years of experience in lipid sciences. He was a Professor of Medicine for 10 years at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences in India where he taught graduates and specialist

candidates. He has extensive experience in patient care, management of diverse types of clinical conditions and clinical research and trials. Dr. Das also held positions as a Scientist at EFAMOL Research Institute in Canada, Research Professor of Nutrition and Physiology at Upstate Medical University in New York, and Senior Research Fellow at the Indian Council of Medical Research.

Dr. Das's research focuses on essential fatty acids, eicosanoids, cytokines, free radicals, nitric oxide, melatonin and their roles in contributing to various clinical conditions. He has published 3 books on the subject including "The Molecular Basis of Health and Disease" and over 600 research papers in various journals. He is considered among the top 2% of the lipid scientists. Dr. Das also serves on editorial boards of several reputed nutrition science journals. He received M.B.B.S. in Medicine (surgery and Obstetrics and Gynecology) from Andhra Medical College, MD from Osmania Medical College in Internal Medicine, FAMS from the National Academy of Medical Sciences in India, and Doctor of Science (DSc) from Mangalore University for his original research in the area of diabetes mellitus, additionally he is Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry (FRSC).

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