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BTC health (BTC) - ASX Announcement

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Infusion pumps to be retained on the Prescribed List of Medical Devices

Highlights:

- General Use Items including infusion pumps to be retained on the Prescribed List after 1 **July 2024**
- New medical devices may apply for inclusion on the Prescribed List

Melbourne, Australia: BTC health (ASX: BTC) (the Company or BTC) welcomes the Government's decision today to maintain surgery critical General Use Items on the Prescribed List (PL) after 1 July, and furthermore to create a pathway for new applications for the inclusion of similar medical devices.

If a product is included on the PL, private insurers are required under law to pay a defined benefit for the product. BTC Speciality Health Pty Ltd, a wholly owned investee company, presently has its range of ambIT® infusion pumps included on the PL and has already submitted full applications to the Department of Health and Aged Care for its range of new and technologically advanced infusion pumps, including Rhythmic Evolution® and Elasto-Q®.

Dr Richard Treagus, Executive Chairman commented, "The last three years have been challenging for the sector with changing dates, changing rules and no new products being added to the General Use category over this time. Today's announcement is certainly a positive step and follows extensive dialogue with Government focused on the need to put patient choice and access first. This provides greater certainty within the healthcare sector and a framework for our company to provide the latest and very best medical technologies to all Australian patients."

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Forward-looking Statements

This ASX-announcement contains forward-looking statements that are subject to risks and uncertainties. Such statements involve known and unknown risks and important factors that may cause the actual results, performance, or achievements of BTC health to be materially different from the statements in this announcement.

About BTC Health

BTC health Ltd ("BTC") is a Pooled Development Fund which makes active investments in businesses that acquire, develop and distribute innovative medical products in Australia and New Zealand. The company is building a group of high-growth businesses which together are focused on providing access to some of the best specialized therapeutics and medical devices from around the world. BTC is listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (Code: BTC). Additional information can be found at www.btchealth.com.au

<u>Authorisation</u>

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