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# MPM Capital Shows Commitment and Full Support to Biovitrum Transactions

Stockholm, Sweden – Dec 7, 2009 – As the second biggest shareholder in Biovitrum AB (publ) (STO: BVT), MPM Capital ("MPM") publically expresses its full support of the combination with Swedish Orphan. The transaction has a very solid industrial logic and MPM want to contribute to the creation of a new niche specialty pharmaceutical company focused on rare diseases.

With its structure as manager of closed end private equity funds, it was not possible for MPM Capital to put in new capital into the upcoming rights issue, financing the Swedish Orphan transaction. MPM has therefore sold shares in Biovitrum over the last month, with the sole purpose of financing its participation in the upcoming rights issue. The proceeds from the sale will go into exercising rights. MPM now owns approximately 12.5% of the capital and votes in Biovitrum and this is a position that MPM will defend by subscribing in the rights issue.

#### **About Biovitrum**

Biovitrum is an international pharmaceutical company that markets specialist pharmaceuticals in several regions. Using its expertise and experience Biovitrum takes scientific innovation to patients with significant unmet medical need. Research expertise and capabilities are focused on development and production of biotechnology therapeutics within our prioritized areas of hemophilia, inflammation/autoimmune diseases, cancer supportive care and malabsorption. Biovitrum has revenues of approximately SEK 1.2 billion and approximately 400 employees (prior to the Transaction). Biovitrum's head office is located in Sweden and the share is listed on the NASDAQ OMX Stockholm. For more information please visit <a href="https://www.biovitrum.com">www.biovitrum.com</a>.

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