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ARVEGENIX - STAKEHOLDER UPDATE - NEW CEO

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ARVGENIX is pleased to announce the appointment of Jerry Steiner as CEO and member of the Board of Managers.

Jerry Steiner spent most of his business career (1982-2000; 2001-2013) at Monsanto, including his role as Executive Vice President and member of the Monsanto Executive Team, reporting to the CEO. In his last decade with Monsanto, Jerry was responsible for commercial acceptance programs, public policy, governmental affairs, public affairs, regulatory systems and sustainability. He also was responsible for Corporate Strategy and the globalization of biotechnology, including licensing, market approvals, and value-capture systems. Early in his career, Jerry advance through sales, product management, new product development, animal ag products and biotechnology trait development.

During the period 2000-2001, Jerry was a Senior VP with Celera Genomics; the Craig Venter founded company that sequenced both the human genome and certain agricultural genomes.

In the past year Jerry has been consulting, advising, and investing in the field of agriculture and life sciences, which included advisory work for Cultivation Capital and Yield Lab. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of Albemarle (NYSE: ALB).

Jerry has a B.S. from the University of Wisconsin, Madison; and an MBA from Washington University, St. Louis. He resides in Wildwood, MO.

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