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# Foodchek™ Acquires VWR International Exclusive Private Label & Distribution Agreements from Sabre Scientific Inc.

Calgary, Alberta, Canada - November 30th, 2012 - ("FoodChek") is pleased to announce that it has reached an agreement with Sabre Scientific Inc. of Calgary, Alberta, Canada to acquire its Exclusive Private Label and Distribution Agreements (the "VWR Agreements) with VWR International ("VWR"). The VWR Agreements include Canada and the United States and are the stepping stone that will enable Foodchek to be "fast tracked" into the VWR "Global" distribution system.

This transaction will enable FoodChek to rapidly bring to market its cost effective MICT nanotechnology products including FoodChek<sup>™</sup> - E. coli O157 and the soon to be delivered FoodChek<sup>™</sup> - Listeria spp. and FoodChek<sup>™</sup>-Salmonella spp. assay tests. This effectively addresses the global fresh food processing industry's top 3 Food Safety concerns and its demand for rapid, accurate, and easy-to-use food safety pathogen tests.

Mr. William J. Hogan, President and CEO, Foodchek Systems Inc. said: "We are pleased with our association with Sabre Scientific and the expertise it brings to the FoodChek organization. The assignment of the various VWR Agreements will enable FoodChek to achieve its strategic goal of securing an exclusive Global distribution partner to market our suite of FoodChek System products."

Mr. Terry Macartney, President of Sabre Scientific Inc. stated: "We are excited to be associated with FoodChek and its revolutionary pathogen testing products and systems. Furthermore, we feel that this transaction will accelerate FoodChek's acceptance into the burgeoning world Food Safety testing market and create more value for Sabre Scientific and its Shareholders".

Mr. Doug Ward, Vice President Marketing, VWR Canlab Inc. stated: "The transfer of the agreements between Sabre and VWR will enable Foodchek to quickly access VWR's Global distribution system. The FoodChek Systems product offering fills a large gap in the Food Testing marketplace, and adoption of this technology by small to medium sized food producers will greatly improve overall food safety".

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#### **About VWR International:**

WWR is a foremost global distributor of laboratory products to the medical, industrial, academic and life sciences markets throughout the World. VWR enjoyed global sales in excess of \$3.6 Billion in 2010 and has over 7,000 employees and associates.

### **About Sabre Scientific Inc.:**

Sabre Scientific focuses on laboratory products and business development in North America and Europe.

## **About FoodChek™ Systems Inc:**

FoodChek specializes in the development of propriety Food Safety tests, utilizing its propriety revolutionary magnetic MICT nanotechnology platform for the rapid, accurate and cost effective detection and enumeration of food-borne pathogens.

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