

## PRESS RELEASE

**Collectis Hosts Inaugural R&D Day**

**Paris, November 30, 2010** – Collectis (Alternext: ALCLS), the French genome engineering specialist, will today host an R&D day for investors, analysts and the media at its headquarters, near Paris.

Following a tour of its proprietary meganuclease technical platform, members of Collectis' management and scientific teams will detail the activities within its core business areas including: meganuclease engineering technology, research tools, genome engineering in plants and therapeutic programs. Guest speaker, Dr Serge Braun from the French Muscular Dystrophy Association (AFM), will provide an update on its collaboration with Collectis in therapeutics. Finally, the potential applications of induced pluripotent stem cell (iPS) technologies, recently licensed from Academia Japan, will also be described.

Registration will commence at 11.00AM CET and presentations will be available shortly after the event at [www.collectis.com/investors/accounts-and-reports](http://www.collectis.com/investors/accounts-and-reports).

**About Collectis**

Collectis is a pioneer in the field of genome engineering. The company designs and markets innovative tools -meganucleases. These molecular scissors enable targeted modifications to DNA, with applications in the research, biomanufacturing, agrobiotechnology and therapeutic sectors. To date, Collectis has formed over 20 academic research partnerships and has established more than 50 agreements with pharmaceutical laboratories, seed producers and biotech companies across the world. The company holds exclusive rights to a portfolio of over 260 patents granted or pending.

Since 2007, Collectis has been listed on the NYSE-Euronext Alternext market (code: ALCLS) in Paris and has secured over €70 million in funding since inception.

More information at [www.collectis.com](http://www.collectis.com)

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