

STENTYS successfully completes €36 million capital increase

PARIS – November 13, 2012 – STENTYS (FR0010949404 – STNT), (the "Company") announces the successful completion of its capital increase with preemptive rights launched on October 23, 2012.

The final gross proceeds of the transaction amount to €36,364,968 corresponding to the issuance of 3,030,414 new shares.

Total subscription orders for this capital increase amounted to approximately €47.6 million, i.e., a subscription rate of approximately 131.0%.

- 2,944,800 new shares were subscribed on an irreducible basis ("à titre irréductible"), representing approximately 97.2% of the new shares to be issued.
- Subscription orders subject to reduction ("à titre réductible") amounted to 1,025,510 new shares and will, as a result, be satisfied only in part, i.e. for 85,614 new shares.

This transaction was launched following STENTYS' announcement on October 22, 2012 of the Investigational Device Exemption (IDE) approval by the FDA, and aims at providing the Company with additional resources to finance:

- the APPOSITION V clinical study in the United States which, upon successful completion, will enable the Company to file for market approval of the STENTYS bare metal stent; the study is anticipated to start in the first quarter of 2013; and
- its commercial deployment, by increasing its direct sales force in Europe and recruiting a network of distributors in countries in which the Company already has market authorization for its products.

The Fonds Stratégique d'Investissement (« FSI ») participated in this capital increase to support STENTYS' development, with the intention to become long-term shareholder of the group. Following the transaction, the FSI will hold 7.8% of STENTYS' share capital and voting rights.

"The high subscription rate from current shareholders in this offering serves as validation for our strategy and we are grateful for the long-term support of investors, like FSI, Sofinnova and Omnes" said Gonzague Issenmann, Chief Executive Officer and co-founder of STENTYS. "We now have the means to execute our business plan to offer STENTYS Self-Apposing technology to all heart attack patients across Europe and the US".

The settlement and delivery and the listing of the new shares on the regulated market of NYSE Euronext in Paris are expected to take place on November 15, 2012. The new shares will carry full dividend rights and will be traded on the same trading line as STENTYS' existing shares under the same ISIN code FR0010949404.

Kempen & Co and Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking are acting as Joint Lead Managers and Joint Bookrunners of the transaction.

Information available to the public

The prospectus, filed with the Autorité des marchés financiers ("AMF") under number 12-508 dated October 22, 2012 consists of the registration document (*document de reference*) (the "Registration Document") of STENTYS registered with the AMF on June 25, 2012 under number R.12-033, the update to the Registration Document (*actualisation du document de reference*) (the "2011 Registration Document Update") of STENTYS filed with the AMF on October 22, 2012 under number D.12-0531-A01, a securities note (the "Securities Note") and a summary of the prospectus (included in the securities note).

Copies of the prospectus filed with the AMF may be obtained free of charge from STENTYS' administrative office (25, rue de Choiseul, 75002 Paris) and are also available on STENTYS' website (www.stentys.com) and the AMF's website (www.amf-france.org), and from the Joint Lead Managers and Joint Bookrunners.

STENTYS draws investors' attention to the risk factors described in section 4 of the Registration Document as updated by the 2011 Registration Document Update, as well as in section 2 of the Securities Note.





About STENTYS

STENTYS is developing and commercializing innovative solutions for the treatment of patients with acute myocardial infarction (AMI, or heart attack) and complex coronary artery disease. STENTYS Self-Apposing® Stents are designed to adapt to vessels with ambiguous or fluctuating diameters, particularly in the post-infarction phase, in order to prevent the malapposition problems associated with conventional stents. In the APPOSITION III clinical trial, STENTYS stents demonstrated a very low 30-day mortality rate among 1,000 high-risk AMI patients when compared to recent studies with conventional stents. *More information is available at www.stentys.com*.

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