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### GENFIT Announces Appointment of new Chief Medical Officer

**Lille (France), Cambridge (Massachusetts, United States), Zurich (Switzerland), November 27, 2025 - GENFIT (Euronext: GNFT)**, a biopharmaceutical company dedicated to improving the lives of patients with rare and life-threatening liver diseases, today announces the appointment of Dr. Pejvack Motlagh, the new Chief Medical Officer of GENFIT.

Member of the Executive Committee, Dr. Motlagh will oversee the strategy, direction, and execution of GENFIT's clinical development plans and lead the Clinical (Operations and Strategy), Biometrics and Pharmacovigilance teams.

With over 20 years of experience in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industry, Dr. Motlagh brings extensive expertise in drug development strategy across multiple therapeutic areas. His leadership will be instrumental in shaping GENFIT's clinical development programs and advancing its pipeline.

Prior to joining GENFIT, Dr. Motlagh served as CMO at Egle Therapeutics, a company focused on therapies targeting regulatory T cells for oncology and autoimmune diseases. He also held the role of CMO at Mablink Biosciences, a biotechnology company specializing in next-generation antibody-drug conjugates (ADCs). Earlier in his career, Dr. Motlagh contributed to the success of several large pharmaceutical organizations, playing a key role in advancing compounds from early phase clinical development up to commercialization.

**Dr. Pejvack Motlagh, Chief Medical Officer of GENFIT**, commented: *"I am thrilled to join GENFIT at a pivotal moment, as Acute on-Chronic Liver Failure becomes an increasingly important focus among the liver disease community. The company's commitment to innovation and patient-centric development aligns perfectly with my own values. I look forward to working with the team to drive forward our clinical programs and make a meaningful impact in areas of high unmet medical need."*

**Pascal Prigent, CEO of GENFIT**, stated: *"We are delighted to welcome Pejvack to GENFIT. His deep expertise in clinical development and proven leadership in both large pharmaceutical and innovative biotech companies will be invaluable as we continue to advance our pipeline and deliver on our mission to bring transformative therapies to patients."*

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### ABOUT GENFIT

GENFIT is a biopharmaceutical company committed to improving the lives of patients with rare, life-threatening liver diseases whose medical needs remain largely unmet. GENFIT is a pioneer in liver disease research and development with a rich history and a solid scientific heritage spanning more than two decades.

Today, GENFIT focuses on Acute on-chronic Liver Failure (ACLF) and associated conditions such as acute decompensation (AD) and hepatic encephalopathy (HE). It develops therapeutic assets which have complementary mechanisms of action, selected to address key pathophysiological pathways. GENFIT also targets other serious diseases, such as cholangiocarcinoma (CCA), urea cycle disorders (UCD) and organic acidemia (OA). Its R&D portfolio, covering several stages of development, ensures a constant news flow.

GENFIT's expertise in developing high-potential molecules – from early to advanced pre-commercialization stages – culminated in 2024 with the accelerated approval of Iqirvo® (elafibranor) by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the European Medicines Agency (EMA) and the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA) in the United Kingdom for the treatment of Primary Biliary Cholangitis (PBC). Iqirvo® is now marketed in several countries.<sup>1</sup>

Beyond therapies, GENFIT also has a diagnostic franchise including NIS2+® for the detection of Metabolic dysfunction-associated steatohepatitis (MASH, formerly known as NASH for non-alcoholic steatohepatitis).

GENFIT is headquartered in Lille, France and has offices in Paris (France), Zurich (Switzerland) and Cambridge, MA (USA). The Company is listed on the Euronext regulated market in Paris, Compartment B (Euronext: GNFT). In 2021, Ipsen became one of GENFIT's largest shareholders, acquiring an 8% stake in the Company's capital. [www.genfit.com](http://www.genfit.com)

### FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

This press release contains certain forward-looking statements with respect to GENFIT, including, but not limited to statements about the ability of the new Chief Medical Officer to shape GENFIT's clinical development programs and advancing its pipeline. The use of certain words, such as "believe", "potential", "expect", "target", "may", "will", "should", "could", "if" and similar expressions,

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<sup>1</sup> Elafibranor is marketed and commercialized, notably in the U.S and Europe, by Ipsen under the trademark Iqirvo®.

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is intended to identify forward-looking statements. Although the Company believes its expectations are based on the current expectations and reasonable assumptions of the Company's management, these forward-looking statements are subject to numerous known and unknown risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in, or implied or projected by, the forward-looking statements. These risks and uncertainties include, among others, the uncertainties inherent in research and development, including in relation to non-clinical and pre-clinical programs, reproducibility of preclinical results, the translation of animal model data to human biology, in relation to safety of drug candidates, cost of, progression of, and results from, our ongoing and planned clinical trials, patient recruitment, review and approvals by regulatory authorities in the United States, Europe and worldwide, of our drug and diagnostic candidates, pricing, approval and commercial success of elafibranor in the relevant jurisdictions, exchange rate fluctuations, and our continued ability to raise capital to fund our development, as well as those risks and uncertainties discussed or identified in the Company's public filings with the AMF, including those listed in Chapter 2 "Risk Factors and Internal Control" of the Company's 2024 Universal Registration Document filed on April 29, 2025 (no. 25-0331) with the Autorité des marchés financiers ("AMF"), which is available on GENFIT's website ([www.genfit.fr](http://www.genfit.fr)) and the AMF's website ([www.amf.org](http://www.amf.org)), and those discussed in the public documents and reports filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), including the Company's 2024 Annual Report on Form 20-F filed with the SEC on April 29, 2025 and subsequent filings and reports filed with the AMF or SEC, including the Half-Year Business and Financial Report at June 30, 2025 or otherwise made public, by the Company. In addition, even if the results, performance, financial position and liquidity of the Company and the development of the industry in which it operates are consistent with such forward-looking statements, they may not be predictive of results or developments in future periods. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of publication of this press release. Other than as required by applicable law, the Company does not undertake any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking information or statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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