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**TERUMO PLANS INTRODUCTION OF DEDICATED ANIMAL-USE VERSIONS OF
TOP-SELLING VETERINARY HYPODERMIC PRODUCTS**

New Product Line Will Be Rebranded and Sold Under the SUR-VET® Brand

SOMERSET, NJ (10/9/13) — Terumo Medical Products, a division of Terumo Medical Corporation, today announced the planned expansion of its SUR-VET® hypodermic brand of dedicated veterinary medicine devices.

The SUR-VET product line will grow to include additional hypodermic syringe and needle offerings that Terumo recently discontinued for sale in the U.S. human healthcare market. “Terumo has been supplying conventional hypodermic needles and syringes, I.V. catheters, winged needle sets and injection plugs to the veterinary market for more than 20 years. Our commitment to meeting the demands of this important customer base has never been stronger,” said Steve Omiecinski, Vice President & General Manager, Terumo Medical Products. “We are excited to be introducing new veterinary specific labeling to the veterinary market. The SUR-VET® brand will create strong recognition with our animal health customers, making it easier for our customers to select their preferred products. It is important to note that all of our current products will continue to be available for ordering while the relabeling and rebranding process is implemented.”

For more information about Terumo Medical Products, call (800) 888-3786 or visit www.terumotmp.com.

Terumo Medical Corporation

Founded in 1972 as a Terumo Corporation subsidiary, Terumo Medical Corporation (TMC) develops, manufactures, and markets high-quality medical devices used in a broad range of applications in

numerous healthcare markets. TMC manufactures a broad portfolio of needles and syringes, entry-site management products, and a line of sterile connection devices used in hospitals and blood banks worldwide.

Terumo Corporation

Tokyo-based Terumo Corporation is one of the world's leading medical device manufacturers with \$4 billion in sales and operations in more than 160 nations. Founded in 1921, the company develops, manufactures, and distributes world-class medical devices including products for use in cardiothoracic surgery, interventional procedures, and transfusion medicine; the company also manufactures a broad array of syringe and hypodermic needle products for hospital and physician office use. Terumo contributes to society by providing valued products and services to the healthcare market and by responding to the needs of healthcare providers and the people they serve. Terumo Corporation's shares are listed on the first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (No. 4543, Reuters symbol <4543.T>, or Bloomberg 4543: JP) and is a component of the Nikkei 225, Japan's leading stock index.

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