

PLSG Recognizes Portfolio Company Exec for International Honor *Neuro Kinetics CFO Dr. Alex Kiderman Named to Barany Society*

PITTSBURGH (June 27, 2018)—The Pittsburgh Life Sciences Greenhouse (PLSG) recognized an international honor recently bestowed on the Chief Technology Officer of Pittsburgh-based Neuro Kinetics, Inc. (NKI), a PLSG portfolio company.

Dr. Alex Kiderman was recognized as a new member of the prestigious Barany Society in a ceremony in Sweden earlier this month. Dr. Kiderman’s distinction adds to the history between NKI and the Barany Society, as NKI founder, Jan Parmentier, had been the only non-PhD., non-M.D. member of the society until his death in 1998. NKI has led the scientific exploration of vestibular science for more than three decades.

The Barany Society, an international, interdisciplinary society, was founded to honor the memory of the late Robert Barany, who won the Nobel Prize for his groundbreaking work on the physiology and pathology of the vestibular system. The Barany Society facilitates collaboration between a variety of disciplines, including scientists, clinicians, and engineers engaged in vestibular research and discovery.

Dr. Kiderman, who earned his engineering doctorate at the Academy of Science in Moscow, has been involved in numerous concussion and vestibular research studies while at NKI.

“Alex Kiderman has been an invaluable part of our progress for years, and we could not be more proud of him being recognized with this international distinction,” said Howison Schroeder, President, Neuro Kinetics, Inc.

“The PLSG commends Dr. Kiderman on his impressive record and for his inclusion in the Barany Society,” said Jim Jordan, President and CEO of the PLSG. “With NKI being a key portfolio company of ours, we have enjoyed a front-row seat to innovations occurring there and look for that process to continue.”

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About Neuro Kinetics Inc.

For over three decades, Neuro Kinetics (NKI) has supplied comprehensive neuro-functional diagnostic and assessment tools to neurologists, audiologists, scientists, researchers, ENT’s, neurotologists and neuro-ophthalmologists around the globe. For more information, visit: www.neuro-kinetics.com

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