

## **Pankaj Singhal, Ph.D. Appointed Senior Vice President of Global Operations at Biomatrix**

SAN DIEGO, CA, June 6, 2012 - Biomatrix, the leader in ambient temperature biological sample stabilization, announced the appointment of Dr. Pankaj Singhal as Senior Vice President, Global Operations.

Dr. Singhal has over 15 years of experience in the biotechnology and medical diagnostics industry, developing technologies and launching FDA cleared molecular diagnostics products. Prior to joining Biomatrix, he was the Senior Vice President of Product Development and Manufacturing for GenMark Diagnostics, through its IPO on NASDAQ in 2010. Prior to that he was the Chief Operating Officer and Vice President of Operations for Osmetech Molecular Diagnostics, and before that he held multiple positions of increasing responsibility with Motorola Life Sciences, where he was also certified as a Six Sigma Black Belt. He has a Ph.D. in Chemistry from UC Riverside, and conducted Postdoctoral research at UC Berkeley. He has numerous publications and patents in the areas of microfluidics, DNA sequencing, and bioelectronic detection.

"We are very pleased to welcome Dr. Singhal to the Biomatrix team," said Judy Muller-Cohn, Biomatrix CEO and co-founder. "He brings a wealth of valuable experience in successful product development and launches, key ingredients at this stage of Biomatrix's aggressive growth strategy."

### **About Biomatrix, Inc.**

Biomatrix is a leading provider of innovative products for collecting, preserving, analyzing, storing, and shipping biological samples at ambient temperatures. Biomatrix's product range maintains the integrity of DNA, RNA, saliva, blood, tissues and cells both at the point of collection and point of detection. The unique SampleMatrix<sup>®</sup> technology enables to utilize ambient temperatures for sample collection, preservation and detection resulting in unparalleled advantages in terms of maintaining sample integrity, ease-of-use and reducing per sample costs. The company's products have been adopted and validated at US government forensic agencies, academic research institutions, global biobanks and diagnostic laboratories. Biomatrix's current products include DNAstable<sup>®</sup>, DNAgard<sup>®</sup>, RNAstable<sup>®</sup> and RNAgard<sup>®</sup>.

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