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## MERITS HEALTH ACQUIRES AERGO HEALTH TO ENHANCE WHEELCHAIR SEATING SOLUTIONS

Merits Health Products Co., Ltd., a global leader in mobility solutions, today announced the acquisition of Aergo Health, a UK based MedTech company specializing in dynamic postural management solutions for wheelchair users.

This strategic acquisition integrates Aergo Health's award-winning postural management solutions into Merits Health comprehensive product portfolio. Aergo's patented smart air cells automatically adjusts wheelchair users' seated positions in real-time, providing personalized support and comfort through IoT-enabled system.

"The acquisition of Aergo Health aligns perfectly with our mission of enabling independence and accessibility for all," said Jonathan Cheng, President of Merits Health Products Co., Ltd. "By incorporating Aergo's clinically validated technology into our product lineup, we're taking a significant step forward in enhancing our seating and positioning solutions for customers worldwide."

Aergo Health has built a strong reputation for its clinically validated postural management solutions that support children and adults with neuromuscular disorders. The company has also been developing AI capabilities to personalize and automate postural management set up, adapting to the changing seating needs of wheelchair users. At its core, Aergo believes that effective postural management is critical to independence and comfort. By focusing on supporting and maintaining healthy and functional seated posture, Aergo's solutions help reduce pain and prevent pressure ulcers for wheelchair users. This patient-centered ethos will continue to drive innovation as the company integrates with Merits Health Products, Inc.

As part of the acquisition, Sheana Yu, founder and CEO of Aergo Health, joined Merits Health Products, Inc. as UK Product Manager. In this role, she will continue to oversee the integration of Aergo's technology into Merits Health Products and work with the team to strengthen the company's seating portfolio.

The acquisition will significantly advance Merits Health Products strategic plans to expand its innovation capabilities and Internet of Things (IoT) initiatives. Aergo's AI technology and smart seating solutions will serve as a cornerstone for Merits' development of connected mobility devices that can provide real-time data analytics, remote adjustments, and predictive maintenance capabilities.



***From left to right: Frank Robertson (Merits Health UK Manager), Sheana Yu (Founder and CEO of Aergo Health), and Mike Laiman (Merits Health Global Vice President).***

"I'm excited to join the excellent team at Merits Health Products, Inc. and continue our work in revolutionizing wheelchair seating technology," said Sheana Yu. "This acquisition provides us with the resources and global reach to make our dynamic postural management solutions available to more people who can benefit from them."

Merits Health Products, Inc. has been committed to enhancing human life through mobility solutions for nearly four decades. The company manufactures a wide range of products including manual wheelchairs, power wheelchairs, rehab power wheelchairs, scooters, and seating and positioning products.

The acquisition represents Merits Health Products commitment to innovation and continuous improvement in addressing the specialized needs of individuals with mobility challenges. It also accelerates Merits' roadmap toward creating a fully integrated ecosystem of smart mobility solutions that leverage data and connectivity to improve user outcomes and healthcare provider insights.

### **Merits Health Products, Inc.:**

*Merits USA, established in 1995, is a subsidiary of Merits Health Products Co., Ltd. headquartered in Fort Myers, Florida. With a mission to enable independence and accessibility for all, Merits provides quality mobility solutions designed to support people in fully experiencing all that life has to offer. Merits maintains a global presence with distribution centers located on both U.S. coasts, allowing them to effectively serve client needs. Merits Health Products is committed to improving lives worldwide daily through the development of high-quality power wheelchairs, scooters, and stairlifts.*