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# **United States**

# **Securities and Exchange Commission**

Washington, D.C. 20549

# Form 20-F

"Registration Statement pursuant to section 12(b) or (g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934							
or							
x Annual Report pursuant to section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934							
For the fiscal year ended <b>December 31, 2018</b>							
or							
o Transition Report pursuant to section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934							
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o Shell Corporation Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934							
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# NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

# **Bahamas**

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

# **Bay & Deveaux Streets**

# Nassau, The Bahamas

(Address of principal executive offices)

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(name, telephone, e-mail and/or facsimile number and address of company contact person)

Securities registered or to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act.

**Title of each class** Common Stock Name of each exchange on which registered
The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC

(NASDAQ Capital Market)

Securities registered or to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act

None

Securities for which there is a reporting obligation pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Act

### None

Indicate the number of outstanding shares of each of the issuer's classes of capital or common stock as of the close of the period covered by the annual report.

64,676,256 shares as of December 31, 2018

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act.

Yes o No x

If this report is an annual or transition report, indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Yes o No x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website; if any, every interactive Date File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232-405 of this chapter) during the preceding twelve months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer o

Accelerated filer x

Non-accelerated filer o

Indicate by check mark which basis of accounting the registrant has used to prepare the financial statements included in this filing:

International Financial Reporting

U.S. GAAP o

Standards x as issued by the International

Other "

Accounting Standards Board.

If "Other" has been checked in response to the previous question, indicate by check mark which financial statement item the registrant has elected to follow:

Item 17 o Item 18 o

If this is an annual report, indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell Company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes o No x

In this annual report, the terms "Nymox", "The Corporation", "The Company", "we" and "us" refers to both Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation and its subsidiaries, Nymox Corporation and Serex Inc. Unless otherwise indicated all dollar amounts are in United States Dollars.

### CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

You should be aware that this report contains forward-looking statements about, among other things, the anticipated operations, product development, financial condition and operating results of Nymox, proposed clinical trials and proposed transactions, including collaboration agreements.

By forward-looking statements, we mean any statements that are not statements of historical fact, including (but not limited to) statements preceded by or that include the words, "believes", "expects", "anticipates", "hopes", "targets" or similar expressions.

In connection with the "safe harbor" provisions in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, we are including this cautionary statement to identify some of the important factors that could cause Nymox's actual results or plans to differ materially from those projected in forward-looking statements made by, or on behalf of, Nymox. These factors, many of which are beyond the control of Nymox, include Nymox's ability to:

- Identify and capitalize on possible collaboration, strategic partnering or divestiture opportunities;
- Obtain suitable financing to support its operations and clinical trials;
- Successfully defend pending and/or unforeseeable future litigation;
- Manage its growth and the commercialization of its products;
- Achieve operating efficiencies as it progresses from a development-stage to a later-stage biotechnology corporation;
- Successfully compete in its markets;
- Realize the results it anticipates from the clinical trials of its products;
- Overcome negative results from its clinical trials; and eventually obtain regulatory clearance for its products.
- Succeed in finding and retaining joint venture and collaboration partners to assist it in the successful marketing, distribution and commercialization of its products;
- Achieve regulatory clearances for its products;
- Obtain on commercially reasonable terms adequate product liability insurance for its commercialized products and avoid product liability claims;

- Adequately protect its proprietary information and technology from competitors and avoid infringement of proprietary information and technology of its competitors;
- Assure that its products, if successfully developed and commercialized following regulatory approval, are not rendered obsolete by products or technologies of competitors; and
- Not encounter problems with third parties, including key personnel, upon whom it is dependent.

Although Nymox believes that the forward-looking statements contained in this annual report are reasonable, it cannot ensure that its expectations will be met. These statements involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied in these statements. Factors that could cause such differences include, but are not limited to, those discussed under "Risk Factors."

# ITEM 1. IDENTITY OF DIRECTORS, SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND ADVISERS

Not Applicable

# ITEM 2. OFFER STATISTICS AND EXPECTED TIMETABLE

Not Applicable

# **ITEM 3. KEY INFORMATION**

### **Selected Financial Data**

The following table sets forth selected consolidated financial data for Nymox for the periods indicated, derived from financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") the financial statements have been audited by Thayer O'Neal Company, LLC of Houston, Texas in the United States as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, 2017, 2016 and 2015 and are reported in U.S. dollars. The data set forth below should be read in conjunction with the Corporation's consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in Part I, Item 8 of this report.

# NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

**Selected Consolidated Financial Data** (In U.S. dollars)

Fiscal Year Ended December

31,	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Total Assets	\$ 8,075,988	\$ 979,137	\$ 2,057,253	\$ 712,231	\$ 1,422,566

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Share Capital	\$	126,684,101	\$	108,196,243	\$	92,125,364	\$	84,954,211 \$	81,227,058
Total Equity	\$	7,001,318	\$	(1,251,350)	\$	(641,420)	\$	(2,753,009) \$	(4,180,943)
Sales	\$	299,412	\$	223,719	\$	283,611	\$	252,732 \$	331,909
Total Revenues									
(including sales)	\$	299.412	\$	223,719	\$	283,611	\$	2,761,265 \$	2,949,509
Loss from									
operating									
activities	\$	(10,640,620)	\$	(13,235,302)	\$	(12,869,398)	\$	(17,660,304) \$	(4,724,705)
Net Loss	\$	(10,593,859)	\$	(13,428,878)	\$	(13,109,608)	\$	(17,893,863) \$	(4,594,093)
Loss per Share									
(basic & diluted)	\$	(0.18)	\$	(0.26)	\$	(0.28)	\$	(0.48) \$	(0.13)
Weighted Avg.									
No. of Common									
Shares		60,466,449		52,647,913		46,155,018		37,402,598	35,253,879

Nymox has never paid any dividends and does not expect to do so in the foreseeable future.

### **Risk Factors**

Investing in our securities involves a significant degree of risk. You should carefully consider the risks described below, together with all of the other information in our publicly filed documents, before making an investment decision. If any of the following risks actually occurs, our business, financial condition or results of operations could be adversely affected. In such an event, the trading price of our Common Shares could decline, and shareholders may lose part or all of their investment in our securities.

Our Clinical Trials for our Therapeutic Products in Development, Such as Fexapotide Triflutate (NX-1207), May Not Be Successful and We May Not Receive the Required Regulatory Approvals Necessary to Commercialize These Products

Products requiring regulatory approval, such as Fexapotide Triflutate (NX-1207), will be approved for commercial sale only if governmental regulatory authorities are satisfied that our clinical trials are properly designed and conducted and that the results of those trials provide valid and acceptable evidence that the product is safe and effective for the conditions or diseases it is intended to treat. We do not know whether our already collected clinical trial results on a stand-alone basis and/or in combination with any future clinical trial results will demonstrate sufficient safety and efficacy to obtain the requisite regulatory approvals or will result in marketable products. Clinical trials are lengthy, complex, expensive and uncertain processes and failure can occur at any stage of testing. If we fail to adequately demonstrate the safety and efficacy of our products under development, we will not be able to obtain the required regulatory approvals to commercialize our product candidates. On November 2, 2014, following the completion of data verification and auditing procedures, top-line results of the Phase 3 NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 U.S. clinical trials of NX-1207 for BPH at 12 months post-treatment were not statistically significant compared to placebo. The Corporation expects to continue its efforts to work on the development program.

Setbacks in our clinical trials or in our efforts to seek regulatory approval for NX-1207 or failure to obtain regulatory approval could cause the price of our shares to decline and adversely affect our business, operations, product development programs and financial condition. See "A Setback in Any of Our Clinical Trials Would Likely Cause a Drop in the Price of Our Shares".

Our Clinical Trials for Certain of Our Therapeutic Products May Be Delayed, making it Impossible to Achieve Anticipated Development or Commercialization Timelines and Our Development of Fexapotide Triflutate (NX-1207) for BPH Has Been Delayed Due To Negative Results In Phase III Clinical Trials.

Delays in the initiation, conduct or completion of clinical trials are not uncommon. If one or more of our clinical trials is delayed, we may be unable to meet our anticipated development or commercialization timelines. Either circumstance could cause the price of our shares to decline, increase clinical trial and product development costs, and affect the Corporation's business, operations, product development programs and financial condition.

The design, conduct and completion of clinical trials is a complex process involving many third parties, including governmental authorities, institutional review boards, contract manufacturers, contract research organizations, consultants, investigators, patients, and data monitoring committees. The initiation, progress, completion and success of a clinical trial is in part dependent on third parties providing necessary approvals, agreements and consents, performing necessary tasks in a timely, competent manner, and complying with protocols, good clinical practices and applicable laws, rules and regulations. Failure of a third party to perform as expected or agreed upon may result in delays or failure in initiating or completing a clinical trial.

Our clinical trials are subject to prior approvals and continuing oversight by governmental regulatory authorities and institutional review boards. We must meet and comply with their requirements in order to start, continue and successfully complete a clinical trial. We may not be able to comply with one or more of these requirements or there may be delays in doing so. Governmental regulatory authorities may change approvals or requirements, resulting in changes to the design or conduct of a clinical trial or the need for new or further clinical trials.

On November 2, 2014, following the completion of data verification and auditing procedures and the unblinding and top line analysis of efficacy of the studies, Nymox announced that the NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 Phase 3 clinical trials had failed to meet their primary endpoints. Top-line results of the Phase 3 NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 U.S. clinical trials of NX-1207 for BPH at 12 months post-treatment were not statistically significant compared to placebo. The Corporation is in the process of further data analysis and assessments of the two studies and expects to continue its efforts to work on the development program. On July 27, 2015 Nymox announced that the Company's U.S. long-term extension prospective double-blind Phase 3 BPH studies NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 of fexapotide triflutate (NX-1207) for BPH have successfully met the pre-specified primary endpoint of long-term symptomatic statistically significant benefit superior to placebo. The Company announced that Fexapotide showed an excellent safety profile with no evidence of drug-related short-term or long-term toxicity nor any significant related molecular side effects in the 2 studies. As a result of the clinical benefits observed in the long-term extension trial, the Company intends to meet with regulatory authorities in various jurisdictions around the world and in due course to proceed to file for approval where possible.

A Setback in Any of Our Clinical Trials or Efforts to Obtain Regulatory Clearance for Our Products Would Likely Cause a Drop in the Price of Our Shares

On November 2, 2014, following the completion of data verification and auditing procedures and the unblinding and top line analysis of efficacy of the studies, Nymox announced that the NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 Phase 3 clinical trials had failed to meet their primary endpoints. On November 3, 2014 the Corporation's stock fell approximately 82%, from \$5.14 to \$0.93.

The clinical testing of drug candidates is fraught with uncertainties and positive results from earlier clinical trials may not be repeated in later trials. As well, government regulators such as the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, or FDA, may require additional testing or further documentation relating to the preclinical testing, clinical studies, manufacturing or other issues at any time. These requirements may result in substantial delays in obtaining regulatory approval or make obtaining such approval much more difficult. Setbacks in any phase of the clinical development of our product candidates could have a negative impact on our business, operations, product development programs and financial condition, could jeopardize FDA or other regulatory approval and would likely cause a further drop in the price of our shares.

# We May Not be Able to Make Adequate Arrangements with Third Parties for the Commercialization of Our Product Candidates, such as NX-1207

In order to commercialize our product candidates successfully, we intend, on a product-by-product basis, either to make arrangements with third parties to perform some or all of these services or to expand our existing sales, marketing and distribution capabilities. We currently have limited sales and marketing capabilities and limited experience in developing, training or managing a large marketing or sales force. We currently rely primarily upon distributors for the sales of our existing products. The cost of establishing and maintaining a larger sales force would be substantial and may exceed its cost effectiveness. In addition, in marketing our products, we would likely compete with many companies that currently have extensive and well-funded marketing and sales operations. Despite our marketing and sales efforts, we may be unable to compete successfully against these companies. We may make arrangements with third parties to market and sell some or all of our products under development in certain territories, rather than establish our own sales force. We may not be able to do so on favorable terms. If we contract with third parties for the sales and marketing of our products, our revenues will depend upon the efforts of these third parties, whose efforts may not be successful.

We anticipate entering into co-development and co-marketing agreements with one or more partners with established sales, marketing and regulatory capabilities in order to assist in the completion of the development and commercialization of NX-1207. We may not be able to do so on favorable terms. If we fail to establish or make adequate arrangements with third parties for such purposes, our business, operations, product development programs and financial condition will be materially adversely affected.

# We May Not Achieve Our Projected Development Goals in the Time Frames We Announce and Expect

We make public statements regarding the achievement of our milestones, such as the commencement and completion of clinical trials, regulatory submission and approval dates and time of product launch. The actual timing of these events can vary dramatically due to factors such as delays or failures in our clinical trials, the uncertainties inherent in the regulatory approval process and delays in achieving manufacturing or marketing arrangements sufficient to commercialize our products. There can be no assurance that our clinical trials will be completed, that we will make regulatory submissions or receive regulatory approvals as planned or that we will be able to adhere to our current schedule for the launch of any of our products. If we fail to achieve one or more of these milestones as planned, for instance, such as the completion of our Phase 3 development of NX-1207 for BPH, which has been delayed due to certain negative results, the price of our shares could decline.

**Even If We Obtain Regulatory Approvals for Our Product Candidates, We Will be Subject to Stringent Ongoing Government Regulation** 

Even if regulatory authorities approve any of our product candidates, the manufacture, marketing and sale of such products will be subject to strict and ongoing regulation. Compliance with such regulation will be expensive and consume substantial financial and management resources. For example, an approval for a product may be conditioned on our conducting costly post-marketing follow-up studies. In addition, if based on these studies, a regulatory authority does not believe that the product demonstrates a benefit to patients, such authority could limit the indications for which the product may be sold or revoke the product's regulatory approval.

We and our contract manufacturers will be required to comply with applicable current Good Manufacturing Practice ("cGMP") regulations for the manufacture of our products. These regulations include requirements relating to quality assurance, as well as the corresponding maintenance of records and documentation. Manufacturing facilities must be approved before we can use them in commercial manufacturing of our products and are subject to subsequent periodic inspection by regulatory authorities. In addition, material changes in the methods of manufacturing or changes in the suppliers of raw materials are subject to further regulatory review and approval.

If we or any marketing collaborators or contract manufacturers fail to comply with applicable regulatory requirements, we may be subject to sanctions including fines, product recalls or seizures, injunctions, total or partial suspension of production, civil penalties, and withdrawals of previously granted regulatory approvals and criminal prosecution. Any of these penalties could delay or prevent the development, marketing or sale of our products.

### It is Uncertain When, if Ever, We Will Make a Profit

We first began operations in 1995 and are only in the early stages of commercial marketing of our diagnostic products, NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>. We have never made a profit. We incurred a net loss of approximately \$13.4 million in 2017 and \$10.6 million in 2018. As of December 31, 2018, Nymox's accumulated deficit was approximately \$155.1 million and we have Negative cash flows from operations of \$7,800,946 for the year ended December 31, 2018. As of December 31, 2018, we had positive working capital of \$6,952,000.

We cannot say when, if ever, Nymox will become profitable or operate with positive cash flows from operations. Profitability will depend on our uncertain ability to generate revenues from the sale of our products and the licensing of our technology that will offset the significant expenditures required for us to advance our research, protect and extend our intellectual property and develop, manufacture, license, market, distribute and sell our technology and products successfully. Similar types of expenditures in the past have contributed to the net losses reported above.

### We Will Continue as a Going Concern

The Corporation will require additional funds to pursue its operations as a going concern for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018 and beyond, some of the funds of which would be used to conduct further research and development, schedule clinical testing, obtain regulatory approvals and the commercialization of its product candidates. The Corporation had available cash of approximately \$7,946,487 and a positive working capital of \$6,952,000 as of December 31, 2018. Cash flows used in operations during 2018 were \$7,800,946.

Management believes that current cash balances as at December 31, 2018 and anticipated funds from product sales will be sufficient to fund its planned business operations and research and development programs over the next 12 months. However, the Corporation's primary sources of financing since 2003 has been the Common Stock Private Purchase Agreement, which expired in November 2015 and was not renewed. If necessary, the Corporation intends to seek additional equity or finance through the existing private placements and/or other sources of capital in order to fund these operations and activities over the next year.

There can be no assurance that any additional funding will be available at terms that are acceptable to the Corporation to enable the Corporation to continue to pursue its operations. Considering recent developments and the need for additional financing, there exists a material uncertainty that casts substantial doubt about the Corporation's ability to continue as a going concern. Our consolidated financial statements do not reflect adjustments that would be necessary if the going concern assumption was not appropriate. If the going concern assumption is not appropriate, then adjustments may be necessary to the carrying value and classification of assets and liabilities and reported results of

operations and such adjustments could be material.

We have incurred operating losses throughout our history. Management believes that such operating losses will continue for at least the next few years as a result of expenditures relating to research and development of our potential therapeutic products.

# We Face Challenges in Developing, Manufacturing and Improving Our Products

We are still developing many of our products and have not yet brought them to market. We cannot make any assurances that we will be able to develop our products and to market them successfully. Developing and improving our diagnostic products is challenging. The science and technology of the detection and measurement of very small amounts of biochemicals in bodily fluids and tissue is evolving rapidly. We may need to make significant expenditures in research and development costs and licensing fees in order to take advantage of new technologies. If any major changes to our testing technologies used in our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> or TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> tests are made, further validation studies will be required. Developing new diagnostic products is more challenging, requiring identification and validation of the biochemical marker being detected by the new product in the clinical context and the development and validation of the product designed to detect the marker.

We anticipate outsourcing at least some of the manufacturing required for new products we may develop in order to control start-up and operating costs and to take advantage of the existing manufacturing capabilities and capacity in the large contract manufacturing sectors in the pharmaceutical and diagnostic industries. There are risks associated with this strategy, including difficulties in the transfer of manufacturing, the possibility of production interruption due to causes beyond our control and the need to arrange alternative suppliers. We currently out-source some of the manufacturing services required for our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products to a contract manufacturer. We do not anticipate any significant risk of long-term interruption of manufacture due to this arrangement. The services supplied are not unique or unduly complicated and other contract manufacturers are available to provide similar services.

# **Our Products and Services May Not Receive Necessary Regulatory Approvals**

Our diagnostic products, NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, and our products in development, are subject to a wide range of government regulation governing laboratory standards, product safety and efficacy. The actual regulatory schemes in place vary from country to country and regulatory compliance can take several years and involve substantial expenditures.

We cannot be sure that we can obtain necessary regulatory approvals on a timely basis, if at all, for our products in development and all of the following could have a material adverse effect on our business:

- failure to obtain or significant delays in obtaining requisite approvals;
- loss of or changes to previously obtained approvals; and
- failure to comply with existing or future regulatory requirements.

Any changes in the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services ("CMS") or state law requirements or in the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") regulations could have a detrimental impact on our ability to offer or market any reference laboratory services and/or on our ability to obtain reimbursement from the Medicare and Medicaid programs and providers.

Similar requirements exist in many other countries. Obtaining these approvals and complying with the subsequent global regulatory requirements can be both time-consuming and expensive.

In the United States, our drugs in development will require final FDA approval before their sale or distribution. Such approval comes only at the end of a lengthy, expensive and often arduous process. In September, 2006, we announced the successful completion of a multi-center, double-blind, placebo-controlled Phase 2 trial of NX-1207, our lead candidate for the treatment of BPH, a common disorder of older men. In February 2008, the Corporation reported positive results in a 32 site U.S. Phase 2 prospective randomized clinical trial, with statistically significant improvement compared to an approved BPH drug (finasteride). Subsequent to the completion of the Phase 2 studies, the Corporation has reported positive results in several follow-up studies of BPH patients that participated in the Phase 2 studies. In February 2009, the Corporation reported concluding a positive and productive End of Phase 2 ("EOP2") meeting with the FDA concerning the Phase 3 program for NX-1207. In June 2009, the Corporation began conducting the first of two pivotal double blind placebo controlled Phase 3 trials for NX-1207 that incorporate the specific protocol design recommendations provided to the Corporation by the FDA. Top-line results of the Phase 3 NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 U.S. clinical trials of NX-1207 for BPH at 12 months post-treatment were not

statistically significant compared to placebo. The Corporation is in the process of further data analysis and assessments of the two studies, and expects to continue its efforts to work on the development program. On July 27, 2015 Nymox announced that the Company's U.S. long-term extension prospective double-blind Phase 3 BPH studies NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 of fexapotide triflutate (NX-1207) for BPH have successfully met the pre-specified primary endpoint of long-term symptomatic statistically significant benefit superior to placebo. The Company announced that Fexapotide showed an excellent safety profile with no evidence of drug-related short-term or long-term toxicity nor any significant related molecular side effects in the 2 studies. As a result of the clinical benefits observed in the long-term extension trial, the Company has to met with regulatory authorities in various jurisdictions around the world and has filed for regulatory approval in Europe and intends to file with the FDA later this year. Nevertheless, we cannot predict with any certainty the outcome of this program, what further steps may be required or whether regulatory authorities will ultimately grant us such approval.

# We Face Significant and Growing Competition

The modern pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries are intensely competitive. Our treatments under development for enlarged prostate BPH face significant competition from existing products. There are at least nine drugs approved for treatment of BPH: five proprietary drugs (dutasteride (Avodart®), tamsulosin (Flomax®), alfusozin, (Uroxatral®), silodosin (Rapaflo®), and tadalofil (Cialis®)), a combination of two drugs (dutasteride and tamsulosin) (Jalyn<sup>TM</sup>), and four generics (finasteride, terazozin, doxazozin, and prazosin). There are a number of thermal treatments on the market designed to shrink the enlarged prostate by heating its tissue with a device inserted through the urethra (the passage leading from the bladder through the penis through which men urinate). The devices on the market use microwave energy (Prostatron®, Targis Therapy® or TherMatrx®), low level radiowaves (TUNA System®), lasers (Indigo LaserOptic Treatment System® or Laserscope GreenLight PVP<sup>TM</sup>), direct heat, energy or hot water to heat or burn away prostate tissue. A variety of surgical procedures exist to surgically reduce or remove the prostate or to widen the urethra. These include procedures to cut away prostate tissue such as TURP (transurethral resection of the prostate) and using a resectoscope with an electrical loop inserted through the penis to cut the prostate tissue. A small device used to widen the constricted urethra called a prostatic stent can also be inserted. In 2013, the FDA approved the Urolift<sup>TM</sup> system, a permanent surgical implant designed to pull back prostate tissue to improve urination in men with BPH.

The diagnostic testing industry is also highly competitive. The FDA has approved two radioactive diagnostic agents for Positron Emission Tomography ("PET") imaging as an aid to the evaluation of patients with signs of Alzheimer's disease: Amyvid® (florbetapir), marketed by Lilly, and Vizamyl® (flutemetamol), marketed by GE Healthcare. Other companies are also developing similar technologies. The introduction of other diagnostics products for tobacco product use that are cheaper, easier to perform, more accurate or otherwise more attractive to the physicians, health care payers or other potential customers would have a significant impact on the sales of our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> or TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products.

# We May Not Be Able to Successfully Market Our Products

To increase our marketing, distribution and sales capabilities both in the United States and around the world, we will need to enter into licensing arrangements, contract sales agreements and co-marketing deals. We cannot assure you that we will be able to enter into agreements with other companies on terms acceptable to us, that any licensing arrangement will generate any revenue for the Corporation or that the costs of engaging and retaining the services of a contract sales organization will not exceed the revenues generated.

### Protecting Our Patents and Proprietary Information is Costly and Difficult

We believe that patent and trade secret protection is important to our business, and that our success will depend, in part, on our ability to obtain strong patents, to maintain trade secret protection and to operate without infringing the proprietary rights of others.

Obtaining and maintaining our patent position is costly. We pay for the filing, prosecution and fees of several hundred patents and patent applications in countries around the world, including the United States, Europe, Japan, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Korea.

While we believe that we have strong patent protection for the products we sell and for our product development programs and we are in the process of extending that patent protection to cover more countries or new discoveries or products, we cannot assure you that additional patents covering new products or improvements will be issued or that any new or existing patents will be of commercial benefit or be valid and enforceable if challenged.

We believe that the patents issued to date should not preclude Nymox from developing and marketing our products; however, it is impossible to predict the extent to which licenses from third parties will be necessary. If Nymox were to need licenses from third parties there can be no assurance that we could obtain such licenses on commercially reasonable terms, if at all.

In the fields of diagnostic methods and diagnostic tests for common human diseases and conditions, where Serex has many of its patents, there are many patents issued covering many areas of diagnostic methods, tests and technologies. We believe that these patents issued to date to other companies will not preclude Serex from developing and marketing its products but you should be aware that it is often difficult to determine the nature, breadth and validity of competing patent claims in these fields, that there has been significant litigation in some of these areas (not involving Serex) and that, if and when Serex's products become more commercially successful, Serex's products or patents may become the subject matter of litigation. If Serex were to need licenses from third parties there can be no assurance that it could obtain such licenses on commercially reasonable terms, if at all.

We are not currently involved in patent litigation. In the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industry patent disputes are frequent and can preclude the commercialization of products. Patent litigation is costly and the outcome often difficult to predict. It can expose us to significant liabilities to third parties and may require us to obtain third-party licenses at a material cost or cease using the technology or product in dispute.

### **We Face Changing Market Conditions**

The healthcare industry is in transition with a number of changes that affect the market for therapeutic and diagnostic test products. The U.S. federal and various state governments have under consideration a number of proposals that may have the effect of directly or indirectly limiting drug prices in the U.S. markets. In March 2010, the United States enacted health care reform legislation, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. Important market reforms have begun and will continue through full implementation in 2016 and beyond. The new law is expected to expand access to health care to more than 32 million Americans by the end of the decade. These changes may adversely affect the prices we may charge for any therapeutic drug we develop. Funding changes and budgetary considerations can lead major health care payers and providers to make changes in reimbursement policies for our products. These changes can seriously impact the potential for growth for the market for our products, either favorably when the decision is to offer coverage for our products at a reasonable price or negatively when the decision is to deny coverage altogether. Changes in the healthcare delivery system have resulted in consolidations and in the formation of multi-hospital alliances, reducing the number of institutional customers for therapeutic and diagnostic test products. There can be no assurance that Nymox will be able to enter into and/or sustain contractual or other marketing or distribution arrangements on a satisfactory commercial basis with these institutional customers.

### Health Care Plans May Not Cover or Adequately Pay for Our Products and Services

Throughout the developed world, both public and private health care plans are under considerable financial and political pressure to contain their costs. The two principal methods of restricting expenditures on drugs and diagnostic products and services are to deny coverage or, if coverage is granted, to limit reimbursement. For single-payer government health care systems, a decision to deny coverage or to severely restrict reimbursement for one of our products can have an adverse effect on our business and revenues.

In the United States, where, to a significant degree, the patient population for our products is elderly, Medicare and Medicaid are sources of reimbursement. In general, any restriction on reimbursement, coverage or eligibility under either program could adversely affect reimbursement to Nymox for products and services provided to beneficiaries of the Medicare and/or Medicaid programs. Many elderly people are covered by a variety of private health care organizations either operating private health care plans or Medicare or Medicaid programs subject to government regulation. These organizations are also under considerable financial constraints and we may not be able to secure coverage or adequate reimbursement from these organizations. Without coverage, we will have to look to the patients

themselves who may be unwilling or unable to pay for the product; in turn, doctors may be reluctant to order or prescribe our products in the absence of coverage of the product for the patient.

# We Are Subject to Continuing Potential Product Liability Risks, Which Could Cost Us Material Amounts of Money

We may be subject to product liability which could task our critical resources, delay the implementation of our business strategy, result in products being recalled or removed from the market, and materially and adversely harm our business and financial condition due to the costs of defending such legal actions or the payment of any judgments or settlements relating to such actions or both. Our business exposes us to the risk of product liability claims that is inherent in the development and marketing, distribution, and sale of pharmaceutical and diagnostic products. If any of our product candidates or marketed products harms people, or is alleged to be harmful, we may be subject to costly and damaging product liability claims brought against us by clinical trial participants, consumers, patients, health care providers, corporate partners or others.

We have product liability insurance covering our ongoing clinical trials and marketed products. Our insurance coverage may not be sufficient to cover fully all potential claims, nor can we guarantee the solvency of any of our insurers. If our claims experience results in higher rates, or if product liability insurance otherwise becomes costlier because of general economic, market or industry conditions, then we may not be able to maintain product liability coverage on acceptable terms. If sales of our products increase materially, or if we add significant products to our portfolio, then we will require increased coverage and may not be able to secure such coverage at reasonable rates or terms. If our insurance coverage is not sufficient to cover fully all potential claims, the Corporation would be exposed to the risk that our litigation costs and liability could exceed our total assets and our ability to pay.

# The Issuance of New Shares May Dilute Nymox's Stock

The Corporation relies almost exclusively on financing to fund its operations. In order to achieve the Corporation's business plan and realization of its assets and liabilities in the normal course of operations, the Corporation anticipates the need to raise additional capital and/or achieve sales and other revenue generating activities. The Corporation has historically primarily depended on financing under the Common Stock Private Purchase Agreement as well as direct private placements of its Common Stock to qualified investors to fund its operations. The Corporation issued convertible notes in the amount of \$1,070,000 on December 16, 2014, has converted into 2,007,504 common shares of the Corporation by the year end of December 31, 2017 at a conversion price of \$0.533 per share that has diluted our common stock. Moreover, Nymox may use its shares as currency in acquisitions. The issuance of further shares and the eligibility of issued shares for sale will dilute our common stock and may lower its share price. There were 67,676,256 common shares of Nymox issued and outstanding as of March 26, 2019. In addition, 5,740,000 share options are outstanding, of which 5,710,000 are currently vested. Expiry dates for Nymox options range from 3.5 years to 8.0 years (see note 11 to our consolidated financial statements). These options have been granted to employees, officers, directors and consultants of the Corporation.

If We Fail to Maintain Compliance with the Requirements for Continued Listing on The NASDAQ Stock Market, Our Common Shares Could be Delisted from Trading on the NASDAQ Stock Market, Which Would Adversely Affect the Liquidity of Our Common Shares and Our Ability to Raise Additional Capital.

Our common shares are currently listed for quotation on the NASDAQ Stock Market. We are required to meet specified financial requirements in order to maintain our listing on the NASDAQ Stock Market. Failure to meet the listing requirements may lead to delisting from the Nasdaq Capital Market in which case the Corporation will consider an alternate trading platform for its common shares. Any potential delisting of our common shares from the NASDAQ Stock Market would make it more difficult for our shareholders to sell our shares in the public market and would likely result in decreased liquidity, limited availability of market quotations for common shares, limited availability of news and analyst coverage regarding our company, a decreased ability to issue additional securities and increased volatility in the price of our common shares. Further, if we were no longer listed on the NASDAQ Stock Market or any other U.S. exchange, our ability to raise additional capital could be impeded and thus have a material adverse effect on our business and operations.

# We Face Potential Losses Due to Foreign Currency Exchange Risks

Nymox incurs certain expenses, principally relating to salaries and operating expenses at its Bahamian, U.S. and Canadian offices. Most of our expenses are derived in U.S. dollars. As a result, we are exposed to the risk of losses due to fluctuations primarily in the exchange rates between the U.S. dollar and the Canadian dollar. We protect ourselves against this risk by maintaining cash balances in both currencies. We do not currently engage in hedging activities. The Corporation may suffer losses as a result of unfavorable fluctuations in the exchange rates between the United States dollar and Canadian dollar.

# We Have Never Paid a Dividend and are Unlikely to do so in the Foreseeable Future

Nymox has never paid any dividends and does not expect to do so in the foreseeable future. We expect to retain any earnings or positive cash flow in order to finance and develop Nymox's business.

# Differences between Bahamas and NASDAQ Corporate Governance Practices

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation is subject to corporate governance requirements imposed by NASDAQ because Nymox Pharmaceutical's Shares are listed on the Nasdaq Capital Market.

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation is incorporated in the Bahamas. Under NASDAQ Marketplace Rule 5615(a)(3), NASDAQ-listed non-US companies may, in general, follow their home country corporate governance practices in lieu of certain NASDAQ corporate governance requirements. A NASDAQ-listed non-U.S. company is required to provide a general summary of the significant differences between its home country corporate governance practices and NASDAQ corporate governance requirements to its shareholders, either in the company's annual report filed on Form 20-F or on the company's website. Nymox is committed to a high standard of corporate governance. As such, Nymox endeavors to comply with most of the NASDAQ corporate governance practices, with the following exceptions. Under NASDAQ Marketplace Rule 5635(c), shareholders must be given the opportunity to vote on any material amendment to the terms of a company's equity compensation plan (i.e., an amendment to the plan to include repricing provisions). There is no requirement under Bahamas law that equity compensation plan, or any material amendment thereto, be subject to shareholder approval. Nymox will continue to follow the Bahamas practice and require any material amendment to the terms of its plan to be subject only to approval by its board of directors.

Also under NASDAQ Marketplace Rule 5635(d), shareholders must be given the opportunity to vote prior to the issuance of securities in connection with a transaction other than a public offering involving: (1) the sale, issuance or potential issuance by the Company of common stock (or securities convertible into or exercisable for common stock) at a price less than the greater of book or market value which together with sales by officers, directors or substantial shareholders of the Company equals 20% or more of common stock or 20% or more of the voting power outstanding before the issuance; or (2) the sale, issuance or potential issuance by the Company of common stock (or securities convertible into or exercisable common stock) equal to 20% or more of the common stock or 20% or more of the voting power outstanding before the issuance for less than the greater of book or market value of the stock. There is no requirement under Bahamas law that stock issuances pursuant to private placements be subject to shareholder approval. Nymox will continue to follow the Bahamas practice and require private placement transactions to be subject only to approval by its board of directors.

### ITEM 4. INFORMATION ON THE CORPORATION

**History of the Corporation** 

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation was incorporated under the Canada Business Corporations Act in May 1995 to acquire all of the common shares of DMS Pharmaceutical Inc., a private Corporation which had been carrying on research and development since 1989 on diagnostics and drugs for brain disorders and diseases of the aged with an emphasis on Alzheimer's disease. In 2015, the Corporation changed domicile to The Bahamas.

We have funded our operations and projects primarily by selling shares of Nymox's common stock. On December 1, 1996, our common shares began trading on the Nasdaq Stock Market. Nymox's common shares also traded on the Montreal Exchange from December 18, 1995 to November 19, 1999. In total through December 31, 2018, Nymox has raised over \$123 million through the issuance of common stock or securities exercisable for shares of common stock since its incorporation in May 1995.

# **Organizational Structure**

Nymox has two subsidiaries: one wholly-owned subsidiary named Nymox Corporation and the other a majority owned subsidiary named Serex, Inc., acquired in 2000. Both subsidiaries are based in the same building in Hasbrouck Heights, New Jersey. Nymox Corporation also opened a new office in California (USA) in August, 2018. Nymox Corporation conducts some research and development as well a maintain all Quality Assurance activities, while Serex conducts research and development, and some of the manufacturing for NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>.

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Serex, Inc.
777 Terrace Avenue
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**Business Overview** 

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation is a biopharmaceutical company focused on developing its drug candidate, NX-1207, for the treatment of BPH and the treatment of low-grade localized prostate cancer. The Corporation currently markets NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, tests that use urine or saliva to detect use of tobacco products. The Corporation also has an extensive patent portfolio covering its marketed products, its investigational drug as well as other therapeutic and diagnostic indications.

Nymox also has U.S. and global patent rights for the use of statin drugs for the treatment and prevention of Alzheimer's disease. On March 24, 2015, the Corporation announced that it would hold a special shareholders meeting on April 15, 2015 in Montreal for a motion to transfer the Corporation's head office from Montreal (Quebec) to the Bahamas. Over 94% of the shareholders agreed to move the Corporation Domicile from Canada to The Bahamas. On October 6, 2015, the Canada authority issued certification for discontinuance of the Canada Business Corporations to the Corporation and the Corporation was deemed to be continued in the commonwealth of the Bahamas as an International Business Company.

### **Products**

NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> for Tobacco Product Use and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> for Second-Hand Smoke Exposure

Nymox has developed and markets NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, which are inexpensive, simple-to-use test strips for determining whether a person is using tobacco products (NicAlert<sup>TM</sup>) or has been recently exposed to second-hand smoke (TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>). Both NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> employ Serex, Inc.'s patented technology to provide an accurate read-out of levels of cotinine, a by-product of the body's breakdown of nicotine and generally regarded as the best indicator of tobacco exposure for smokers and nonsmokers. The technology can be used with saliva as well as urine samples in order to detect tobacco product use. NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> do not require instruments or special training to use and offer a quick, convenient means to test on-site whether a person, such as a child, teenager, student athlete or insurance applicant, is using a tobacco product or has been exposed to second-hand smoke.

Smoking and other tobacco product use is a serious public health problem around the world. Smoking kills. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, cigarette smoking is responsible for more than 443,000 deaths per year in the United States alone. Smoking can cause cancer of the lung, mouth, bladder, larynx, esophagus and other organs, as well as heart disease and stroke and chronic lung disease. Every year, exposure to second-hand smoke (environmental tobacco smoke or ETS) causes an estimated 3,400 nonsmoking Americans to die of lung cancer and up to 300,000 American infants and small children to suffer from lower respiratory tract infections.

NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> received clearance from the FDA in October 2002 for medical use to determine if an individual has been exposed to tobacco products. In January, 2006, Nymox announced the certification of the urine-based version of NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> with a CE Mark making it eligible for sale in the European Union and in May, 2006 the certification of the saliva-based version of NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> with a CE Mark. In September, 2003, Nymox launched TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> for nonmedical testing for second hand smoke exposure in the U.S.

We market the NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> tests through our own marketing arm and distributors in North America, Europe and Asia. TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> is also available online at www.tobacalert.com. Nymox has entered into distribution and marketing agreements with companies and organizations in the U.S. for these products.

Our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products face competition from clinical laboratories such as LabCorp and Quest Diagnostics which provide off-site lab testing for cotinine, the by-product of the body's breakdown of nicotine measured by NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, and from assay suppliers, including immunoassay developers such as OraSure Technologies Inc. and Abraxis LLC, and diagnostic system manufacturers such as Roche Diagnostics, Abbott and Siemens Medical Solutions. NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> also face competition from distributors who supply yes-no smoking status tests such as NicQuick, and QuickScreen, from NicCheck<sup>TM</sup> I, an FDA-cleared smoking status test being marketed by Mossman & Associates Ltd, from SmokeScreen, a chemical color-based tobacco test being marketed by GFC Diagnostics Ltd. in the United Kingdom, and from carbon monoxide ("CO") monitors such as SmokeCheck.

NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products are currently partly manufactured through out-sourcing arrangements with contract manufacturers. To date, we have not experienced any significant interruptions in the manufacture of these products and the cost of the manufacturing services has not been volatile. The manufacturing services supplied by our current contract manufacturers are not unique or unduly complicated and other contract manufacturers are available to provide similar services in the event that our current contract manufacturers fail to meet our needs.

The technology used in these products is covered by patents and patent applications held by Nymox's subsidiary, Serex, Inc., both in the U.S. and elsewhere in the world

# AlzheimAlert TM; an Aid to the Diagnosis of Alzheimer 's disease

We have developed AlzheimAlert<sup>TM</sup>, a proprietary urine assay that can aid physicians in the diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease. We have developed a kit version of the AlzheimAlert<sup>TM</sup> assay for sale in Europe. The AlzheimAlert<sup>TM</sup> kit has the CE Mark. The kit allows clinical reference laboratories to perform the AlzheimAlert<sup>TM</sup> assay on site with urine samples sent directly to the laboratory.

# **Products in Development:**

NX-1207 for Enlarged Prostate (BPH)

We are developing treatments for BPH, using novel compounds. Our lead candidate NX-1207 successfully completed a multi-center, double-blind, placebo-controlled Phase 2 trial in September 2006. Top-line results of the Phase 3 NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 U.S. clinical trials of NX-1207 for BPH at 12 months post-treatment were not statistically significant compared to placebo. The Corporation is in the process of further data analysis and assessments of the two studies and expects to continue its efforts to work on the development program. We cannot predict with any certainty the outcome of this program, what further steps may be required in order to apply for final FDA approval for this drug or whether the FDA will ultimately grant us such approval.

We believe, there is a significant need for an effective treatment for BPH. More than half of men in their sixties and as many as 90% of men in their seventies and eighties have the symptoms or signs of BPH according to the 2010 AUA Guideline on the Management of Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia, American Urological Association. Symptoms include more frequent urination (especially at night), difficulty urinating, incomplete emptying of the bladder and sometimes complete inability to urinate. More serious cases may require surgical intervention to reduce the size of the prostate. There is a need for a simple, effective treatment for BPH, particularly in cases where existing drug treatments have proven to be ineffective and where more intrusive procedures such as surgery may be inadvisable or bring unacceptable risks.

In July 2012, Nymox reported positive results from a study of long-term treatment outcomes for men who had received a single injection of NX-1207 2.5 mg for treatment for their BPH. The study analysis found that a statistically significant greater number of men who had received NX-1207 2.5 mg reported positive treatment outcomes as compared to men who had received a placebo. The study involved the latest blinded follow-up study data (an average of 57 months post-injection) from the completed clinical trials for these treatment groups. A positive treatment outcome was seen if the patient was not using other BPH medications and no surgical treatment (including MIST) for BPH was reported at any time during the post-injection follow-up period. The statistical analysis of blinded study data showed NX-1207 2.5 mg to have a lasting benefit in terms of positive treatment outcomes that was significantly superior to placebo.

Completed Phase 2 studies have shown that a single administration of NX-1207 resulted in symptomatic improvements which reached statistical significance compared to double-blinded placebo and study controls. The drug is administered by a urologist in an office setting in a brief procedure that does not require anesthesia, sedation, or catheterization and involves little or no pain or discomfort. NX-1207 treatment has not been found to have the sexual, blood pressure, or other side effects associated with the use of the approved drugs for the treatment of BPH. Follow-up studies have shown clinical efficacy effects lasting up to 7½ years after a single treatment.

In February 2009, the Corporation reported concluding a positive and productive EOP2 meeting with the FDA concerning the Phase 3 program for NX-1207. In June 2009, the Corporation began conducting the first of two pivotal double blind placebo controlled Phase 3 trials for NX-1207 that incorporate the specific protocol design recommendations provided to the Corporation by the FDA. On November 2, 2014, following the completion of data verification and auditing procedures and the unblinding and top line analysis of efficacy of the studies, Nymox announced that the NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 Phase 3 clinical trials had failed to meet their primary endpoints. Top-line results of the Phase 3 NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 U.S. clinical trials of NX-1207 for BPH at 12 months post-treatment were not statistically significant compared to placebo. At the time, the Corporation announced that it was is in the process of performing further data analysis and assessments of the two studies. The Company further announced that it expects to continue its efforts to work on the development program.

On July 27, 2015 Nymox announced initial clinical results from its ongoing analysis and assessment of its Phase 3 development program in BPH. The Company announced that the U.S. long-term extension prospective double-blind Phase 3 BPH studies NX02-0017 and NX02-0018 of fexapotide triflutate (NX-1207) for BPH had successfully met the pre-specified primary endpoint of long-term symptomatic statistically significant benefit superior to placebo. Fexapotide showed an excellent safety profile with no evidence of drug-related short-term or long-term toxicity nor any significant related molecular side effects in the 2 studies. As a result of the clinical benefits observed in the long-term extension trial, the Company announced that it intends to meet with regulatory authorities in various jurisdictions around the world and in due course explore the possibility to proceed to file for approval where possible.

Our treatments under development for enlarged prostate (benign prostatic hyperplasia or BPH) face significant competition from existing products. There are nine drugs approved for treatment of BPH: five proprietary drugs

(dutasteride (Avodart®), tamsulosin (Flomax®), alfusozin (Uroxatral®), silodosin (Rapaflo®), and tadalafil (Cialis®)) a combination of two drugs (dutasteride and tamsulosin) (Jalyn<sup>TM</sup>), and four generics (finasteride, terazozin, doxazozin, and prazosin). There are a number of thermal treatments on the market designed to shrink the enlarged prostate by heating its tissue with a device inserted through the urethra (the passage leading from the bladder through the penis through which men urinate). The devices on the market use microwave energy (Prostatron®, Targis Therapy® or TherMatrx®), low level radiowaves (TUNA System®), lasers (Indigo LaserOptic Treatment System® or Laserscope GreenLight PVP<sup>TM</sup>), direct heat or hot water to heat or burn away prostate tissue. A variety of surgical procedures exist to surgically reduce or remove the prostate or to widen the urethra. These include procedures to cut away prostate tissue such as TURP (transurethral resection of the prostate) and using a resectoscope with an electrical loop inserted through the penis to cut the prostate tissue. A small device used to widen the constricted urethra called a prostatic stent can also be inserted. In 2013, the FDA approved the Urolift<sup>TM</sup> system, a permanent surgical implant designed to pull back prostate tissue to improve urination in men with BPH.

# NX-1207 for Prostate Cancer

We are also developing NX-1207 as a focal treatment for certain types of cancer. In March 2012, we initiated a Phase 2 U.S. clinical trial enrolling a total of 147 patients at 28 clinical centers across the U.S. to evaluate the Corporation's NX-1207 drug for the treatment of low grade localized prostate cancer. The trial was initiated in accordance with an Investigational New Drug ("IND") application filed with the FDA and specific direction and guidance provided by the FDA in pre-IND meetings. Initial positive results from this trial were reported in 2014.

The Corporation is in the process of working towards definitive studies for this indication.

### Preclinical Studies of NX-1207 for Hepatocellular Carcinoma

Preclinical studies of NX-1207 also showed positive results when given to animals with hepatocellular carcinoma ("HCC"). In the experimental studies, the cancers were significantly reduced in size after 2 local injections of NX-1207. The Corporation intends to advance NX-1207 into human clinical trials for the treatment of HCC.

We cannot predict with any certainty whether the use of NX-1207 for any oncological indication will successfully complete preclinical testing, whether government regulatory agencies, such as the FDA, will permit such products to proceed to human trials, or whether ultimately the use of NX-1207 for any such indications will be granted approval for sale and marketing in the U.S., Canada, or elsewhere in the world. The development of cancer therapeutics in particular is associated with high risks and many uncertainties and a drug candidate that shows efficacy in pre-clinical testing and in animal models may fail in human trials or take a long period (7 years or more) to achieve regulatory approval.

### **Research and Development of New Products**

# New Therapeutics for Alzheimer's disease

Nymox has a number of proprietary drug development programs aimed at treatments for Alzheimer's disease and other indications including research on. NTP and its role in the extensive brain cell loss associated with AD and another program based on spherons, which Nymox researchers regard as a source of senile plaques, the characteristic abnormality found in abundance in the brains of patients with AD and widely believed to play a major role in the cause and course of the illness.

At present, there is no cure for Alzheimer's disease.

Nymox's research into drug treatments for Alzheimer's disease is aimed at compounds that could arrest the progression of the disease and therefore are targeted for long term use.

### New Diagnostic Products

Nymox has a number of proprietary diagnostic markers and technologies, including a patented platform for point-of-care testing, and has tests utilizing these technologies in the early stages of development. The Corporation also owns patent rights to several novel biochemical indicators for Alzheimer's disease.

# Historical Expenditures for Research and Development Activities

Since 2005, expenses have primarily related to the development and clinical trials of NX-1207, our candidate for the treatment of BPH. The breakdown of research and development costs for these periods is as follows:

	Amount			
Period	(In Thousands of US\$)			
Prior to 2005	\$	18,507		
2005		2,293		
2006		3,171		
2007		3,468		
2008		2,389		
2009		3,043		
2010		4,552		
2011		6,602		
2012		6,586		
2013		5,698		
2014		3,859		
2015		2,967		
2016		2,722		
2017		5,284		
2018		4,925		
Total	\$	76,066		

Total research and development expenditures to date, excluding stock-based compensation and depreciation expenses, are \$76,066,000.

According to industry statistics, on average it takes 10 to 15 years to research, develop and bring to market a new prescription medicine in the United States. In light of the steps and complexities involved, the successful development of our product candidates is highly uncertain. Actual product timelines and costs are subject to enormous variability and are very difficult to predict. Accordingly, we cannot provide reliable estimates of the nature, timing and estimated costs of the efforts necessary to complete our programs. This is particularly the case for our programs in early stage development. The risk of failure to complete any such program is high because of uncertain feasibility and commercial viability, long lead times to program completion and potentially high costs in relation to anticipated returns. We update and change our product development programs to reflect the most recent preclinical and clinical data and other relevant information. Many of our products under development require regulatory approval before being sold. The process of obtaining such approvals is often lengthy and uncertain and requires the expenditure of substantial resources. Any failure by us to obtain, or any delay in obtaining, regulatory approvals could materially adversely affect our business. We cannot assure you that any such approvals required will be obtained on a timely basis, if at all.

# **Manufacturing Arrangements**

Our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products kits are currently partly manufactured through out-sourcing arrangements with contract manufacturers. To date, we have not experienced any significant interruptions in the manufacture of these products and the cost of the manufacturing services has not been volatile. The manufacturing services supplied by our current contract manufacturer are not unique or unduly complicated and other contract manufacturers are available to provide similar services in the event that our current contract manufacturer fails to meet our needs.

### **Governmental Regulation**

All our products – approved and under development - are subject to extensive government regulation in the United States and in international markets. Any changes in any national or regional legislation could have an impact on our future ability to offer or market any pharmaceutical and/or diagnostic product and thus have a negative effect on our ability to obtain reimbursement from any health insurance programs and providers.

Our therapeutic products under development by Nymox would also have to receive regulatory approval. This is a costly, lengthy and risky process. In the United States, in order for a product to be marketed, it must go through four distinct development and evaluation stages:

### **Product Evaluation**

We must conduct preliminary studies of potential drug candidates using various screening methods to evaluate them for further testing, development and marketing.

# **Optimization of Product Formulation**

The activities in this stage of development involve consultations between us and investigators and scientific personnel. Preliminary selection of screening candidates to become product candidates for further development and further evaluation of drug efficacy is based on research based biochemical measurements. Extensive formulation work and in vitro testing are conducted for each of various selected screening candidates and/or product candidates.

## Clinical Screening and Evaluation

During this phase of development, portions of which may overlap with product evaluation and optimization of product formulation, initial clinical screening of product candidates is undertaken and full scale clinical trials commence. The FDA must approve any clinical testing on healthy subjects (Phase 1) and on patients (Phase 2 and 3).

### Final Product Development

The activities to be undertaken in final product development include performing final clinical evaluations, conducting large-scale experiments to confirm the reproducibility of clinical responses, making clinical lots for any additional extensive clinical testing that may be required, performing any further safety studies required by the FDA, carrying out process development work to allow pilot scale production of the product, completing production demonstration runs for each potential product, filing new drug applications, product license applications, investigational device exemptions (and any necessary supplements or amendments) and undergoing comprehensive regulatory approval programs and processes.

We cannot assure you that we will successfully complete the development and commercialization of any therapeutic products.

In the United States, obtaining the necessary FDA approval for any drug is a lengthy, expensive and often arduous process. We cannot predict with any certainty the amount of time the FDA will take to approve one of our drugs or even whether any such approval will be forthcoming. Similar requirements exist in many other countries.

In the United States, the FDA approval procedure is a two-step process. We must file an IND application for each product with the FDA before beginning the initial (Phase 1) clinical testing of the new drug in healthy subjects. If the FDA has not commented on or questioned the application within 30 days of its filing, initial clinical studies may begin. If, however, the FDA has comments or questions, the questions must be answered to the satisfaction of the FDA before initial clinical testing can begin. In some instances, this process could result in substantial delay and expense. Phase I studies are intended to demonstrate the functional characteristics and safety of a product.

After Phase 1 testing, we must conduct extensive clinical trials with patients in order to establish the efficacy and safety of our drug. Once we complete the required clinical testing, we expect to have to file a new drug application for FDA approval in order to market most, if not all, of our new drugs. The application is complicated and detailed and

must include the results of extensive clinical and other testing, the cost of which is substantial. The FDA conducts an extensive and often lengthy review of such applications. The agency is required to review applications within 180 days of their filing, but, during the review, frequently requests that additional information be submitted. This starts the 180-day regulatory review period anew when the requested additional information is submitted and, as a result, can significantly extend the review period. Until the FDA actually approves the new drug application, there can be no assurance that the agency will consider the information requested and submitted to justify approval. The packaging and labeling of products are also subject to FDA regulation. Accordingly, it is impossible to anticipate when the FDA will approve a new drug application.

Our lead candidate is NX-1207, a treatment for BPH and for low grade localized prostate cancer. We cannot predict with any certainty what further steps may be required in order to apply for final FDA approval for this drug or whether the FDA will ultimately grant us such approval.

We must also obtain approval for our drugs or diagnostic devices from the comparable regulatory authority in other countries before we can begin marketing our product in that country. The approval procedure varies from country to country and can involve additional testing. The time required may differ from that required for FDA approval. Although there are some procedures for unified filings for certain European countries, in general each country has its own procedures and requirements, many of which are time-consuming and expensive. Thus, there can be substantial delays in obtaining required approvals from both the FDA and foreign regulatory authorities after the relevant applications are filed.

After such approvals are obtained, further delays may be encountered before the products become commercially available. If, subsequent to approval, new information becomes available concerning the safety or effectiveness of any approved product, the regulatory authority may require the labeling for the affected product to be revised or the product to be withdrawn. Our manufacturing of any approved drug must conform with the FDA's good manufacturing practice regulations which govern the production of pharmaceutical products and be subject to inspections and compliance orders.

Government regulation also affects our ability to receive an appropriate level of reimbursement for our products. Throughout the developed world, both public and private health care plans are under considerable financial and political pressure to contain their costs. The two principal methods of restricting expenditures on drugs and diagnostic products and services are to deny coverage or, if coverage is granted, to limit reimbursement. For single-payer government health care systems, a decision to deny coverage or to severely restrict reimbursement for one of our products can have an adverse effect on our business and revenues.

In the United States, where, to a significant degree, the patient population for our products is elderly, Medicare and Medicaid are sources of reimbursement. In general, any restriction on reimbursement, coverage or eligibility under either program could adversely affect reimbursement to Nymox for products and services provided to beneficiaries of the Medicare and/or Medicaid programs. Many elderly people are covered by a variety of private health care organizations either operating private health care plans or Medicare or Medicaid programs subject to government regulation. These organizations are also under considerable financial constraints and we may not be able to secure coverage or adequate reimbursement from these organizations. Without coverage, we will have to look to the patients themselves who may be unwilling or unable to pay for the product; in turn, doctors may be reluctant to order or prescribe our products in the absence of coverage of the product for the patient.

In March 2010, the United States enacted sweeping health care reform legislation, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. Important market reforms have begun and continued through full implementation in 2014. These changes may adversely affect the prices we may charge for any therapeutic drug we develop. The long-term impact of legislative changes in terms of their efficiency, effectiveness and financial viability in delivering health care services to an aging population is uncertain at present. Any legislative or regulatory actions to reduce or contain federal spending under either the Medicare or Medicaid programs could adversely affect our ability to participate in either program as a provider or supplier of services or products and the amount of reimbursement under these programs potentially available to us.

### **Patents and Proprietary Information**

We believe that patent and trade secret protection is important to our business, and that our success will depend, in part, on our ability to obtain strong patents, to maintain trade secret protection and to operate without infringing the

proprietary rights of others. The commercial success of products incorporating our technologies may depend, in part, upon our ability to obtain strong patent protection. We cannot assure you that additional patents covering new products or improvements will be issued or that any new or existing patents will be of commercial benefit or be valid and enforceable if challenged.

We pursue a policy of seeking patent protection for valuable patentable subject matter of our proprietary technology and require all employees, consultants and other persons who may have access to its proprietary technology to sign confidentiality agreements.

Nymox has issued patents in the main European markets, including Great Britain, Germany, France, Italy, The Netherlands, Sweden and Spain among others and in other countries such as Japan, Canada and Australia. These patents cover much of our current product development and technologies.

Nymox's subsidiary, Serex, has patents issued or allowed in the United States and a corresponding patents worldwide. These patents and patent applications cover such areas as Serex's proprietary diagnostic technologies and methodologies

The Corporation has issued U.S. patents and other countries covering NX-1207 that relate to the composition of the compound, its formulation and its methods of use. The earliest expiry date for these U.S. patents is in 2022. Under current U.S. laws, if NX-1207 is approved for marketing by the FDA, the product is eligible for a patent term extension of up to five years or more depending on the jurisdiction. The Corporation does not license any material patents related to NX-1207 from any third parties.

We also rely upon trade secrets, know-how, and continuing technological advancement to develop and maintain our competitive position. We control the disclosure and use of our know-how and confidential information through agreements with the parties involved. In addition, we have confidentiality agreements with our key employees, consultants, officers and directors. There can be no assurance, however, that all confidentiality agreements will be honored, that others will not independently develop equivalent technology, that disputes will not arise as to the ownership of intellectual property, or that disclosure of our trade secrets will not occur. Furthermore, there can be no assurance that others have not obtained or will not obtain patent protection that will exclude us from using our trade secrets and confidential information. To the extent that consultants or research collaborators use intellectual property owned by others in their work with us, disputes may also arise as to the rights to related or resulting know-how or inventions.

#### Competition

Rapidly evolving technology and intense competition are the hallmarks of modern pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries. Our competitors include:

- Major pharmaceutical, diagnostic, chemical and biotechnology companies, many of which have financial, technical and marketing resources significantly greater than ours;
- Biotechnology companies, either alone or in collaborations with large, established pharmaceutical companies to support research, development and commercialization of products that may be competitive with ours; and
- Academic institutions, government agencies and other public and private research organizations which are
  conducting research into Alzheimer's disease and which increasingly are patenting, licensing and
  commercializing their products either on their own or through joint ventures.

Our NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> products face competition from clinical laboratories such as LabCorp and Quest Diagnostics which provide off-site lab testing for cotinine, the by-product of the body's breakdown of nicotine measured by NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, and from assay suppliers, including immunoassay developers such as OraSure

Technologies Inc. and Abraxis LLC, and diagnostic system manufacturers such as Roche Diagnostics, Abbott and Diagnostic Products Corporation. NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup> also face competition from distributors who supply simple yes-no smoking status tests such as NicQuick, and QuickScreen, from NicCheck<sup>TM</sup> I, an FDA-cleared smoking status test being marketed by Mossman & Associates Ltd, from SmokeScreen, a chemical color-based tobacco test being marketed by GFC Diagnostics Ltd. in the United Kingdom, and from CO monitors such as SmokeCheck.

Our treatments under development for BPH face significant competition from existing products. There are eight drugs approved for treatment of BPH: five proprietary drugs (tadalofil (Cialis®), dutasteride (Avodart®), tamsulosin (Flomax®), alfusozin (Uroxatral®), and silodosin (Rapaflo®)) a combination of two drugs (dutasteride and tamsulosin) (Jalyn<sup>TM</sup>), and four generics (finasteride, terazozin, doxazozin, and prazosin). There are a number of thermal treatments on the market designed to shrink the enlarged prostate by heating its tissue with a device inserted through the urethra (the tube leading from the bladder through the penis through which men urinate) or through the abdomen. The devices on the market use microwave energy (Prostatron®, Targis Therapy® or TherMatrx®), low level radiowaves (TUNA System®), lasers (Indigo LaserOptic Treatment System® or Laserscope GreenLight PVP<sup>TM</sup>), direct heat or hot water to heat or burn away prostate tissue. A variety of surgical procedures exist to surgically reduce or remove the prostate or to widen the urethra. These include procedures to cut away prostate tissue such as TURP (transurethral resection of the prostate) and using a resectoscope with an electrical loop inserted through the penis to cut the prostate tissue. A small device used to widen the constricted urethra called a prostatic stent can also be inserted. In 2013, the FDA approved the Urolift<sup>TM</sup> system, a permanent surgical implant designed to pull back prostate tissue to improve urination in men with BPH.

#### **Marketing**

At present, we do most of our marketing ourselves. To increase our marketing, distribution and sales, we will need to enter into licensing arrangements, contract sales agreements and co-marketing deals. We cannot assure you that we will be able to enter into agreements with other companies on terms acceptable to us, that any licensing arrangement will generate any revenue for the Corporation or that the costs of engaging and retaining the services of a contract sales organization will not exceed the revenues generated.

If successfully developed and approved, we plan to market and sell our therapeutic and diagnostic products directly or through co-promotion arrangements or other licensing arrangements with third parties. In cases where we have sole or shared marketing rights, we plan to build a small, focused sales force if and when such products approach marketing approval in some markets, including Europe. Implementation of this strategy will depend on many factors, including the market potential of any products we develop as well as on our financial resources. To the extent we will enter into co-promotion or other licensing arrangements, any revenues received by us will be dependent on the efforts of third parties.

#### **Principal Markets**

The Corporation markets its products for sale principally in the United States, Canada and overseas. Set forth below is a breakdown of the Corporation's revenues by geographic market for the last three years.

Revenue by Geographic Market												
Year			United	I	Europe							
Ended		anada	States	8	Other	Total						
2018	\$	1,390	\$ 275,68	35 \$	22,337	\$ 299,412						
2017	\$	4,926	\$ 197,46	52 \$	21,331	\$ 223,719						
2016	\$	296	\$ 232,31	19 \$	50,996	\$ 283,611						

### **Property and Equipment**

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation leases office and in St. Laurent, Quebec, Canada that comprise of approximately 3,070 square feet of leased space. A new lease was signed in September 2018 and expires in August 2020. This space is primarily used to store records including records related to clinical trials. Nymox Corporation and Serex, Inc. facilities in Hasbrouck Heights, New Jersey comprise 4,799 square feet of leased space. That lease agreement expires

in October 31, 2020. In July, 2018, Nymox Corporation leased a new office in California that comprised of approximately 2,408 square feet of leased space. That lease agreement expires in December 31, 2019.

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation and its two US subsidiaries Nymox Corporation and Serex, Inc. own equipment used in research and development work. Nymox believes that its facilities in Quebec and New Jersey are adequate for its current needs and that additional space, if required, would be available on commercially reasonable terms.

#### ITEM 4A. UNRESOLVED STAFF COMMENTS

None.

#### ITEM 5. OPERATING AND FINANCIAL REVIEW AND PROSPECTS

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

(In US dollars)

This Management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") comments on the Corporation's operations, performance and financial condition as of and for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016. This MD&A should be read together with the audited Consolidated Financial Statements and the related notes. This MD&A is dated March 27, 2019. All amounts in this report are in U.S. dollars, unless otherwise noted.

Except as otherwise indicated, all financial information contained in this MD&A and in the Consolidated Financial Statements has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). The Consolidated Financial Statements and this MD&A were reviewed by the Corporation's Audit Committee and were approved by our Board of Directors.

Additional information about the Corporation can be obtained on EDGAR at www.sec.gov or on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

All figures are presented in U.S. dollars, unless otherwise stated.

#### Overview

We have incurred substantial operating losses since our inception due in large part to expenditures for our research and development activities. Management believes that such operating losses will continue for at least the next few years as a result of expenditures relating to research and development of our potential products.

As of December 31, 2018, we had an accumulated deficit of \$155 million. Even our total assets exceeded our total liabilities. However our current level of annual expenditures exceeds the anticipated revenues from sales of goods and may not be covered by additional sources of funds. Management believes that such operating losses will continue for at least the next few years because of expenditures relating to research and development of our potential therapeutic products.

Management believes that current cash balances as at December 31, 2018 and anticipated funds from product sales are sufficient to fund substantially all its planned business operations and research and development programs over next 12 months. However, if necessary, the Company intends to seek additional equity or other financing, should the Company's liquidity needs change.

### **Critical Accounting Policies**

The Consolidated Financial Statements of the Corporation have been prepared under International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. The Corporation's functional and presentation

currency is the United States dollar. Our accounting policies are described in the notes to our annual audited consolidated financial statements which are included later in this report.

### **Operating Results**

Results of Operations – 2018 compared to 2017

Net losses were \$10,593,859, or \$0.18 per share, for the year ended December 31, 2018, compared to \$13,428,878, or \$0.26 per share, for the year ended December 31, 2017. Net loss includes stock and stock option compensation charges of \$3,882,671 in 2018 and \$6,297,178 in 2017.

#### Revenues

Revenues from sales of goods amounted to \$299,412 for the year ended December 31, 2018, compared with \$223,719 for the year ended December 31, 2017. The development of therapeutic candidates and of moving therapeutic product candidates through clinical trials is a priority for the Corporation currently. The growth of sales will become more of a priority once these candidates have reached the marketing stage. The Corporation expects that revenues will increase if and when product candidates pass clinical trials and are launched on the market.

### Research and Development

Research and development expenditures were \$6,677,388 for the year ended December 31, 2018, compared with \$7,874,262 for the year ended December 31, 2017. Research and development expenditures include costs incurred mainly for advancing Nymox's BPH and prostate cancer product candidate NX-1207 through clinical trials, as well as demonstrating product efficacy and regulatory compliance prior to launch. Research and development expenditures also include stock and stock option compensation charges of \$1,818,676 for the year ended December 31, 2018 and \$2,589,102 for the year ended December 31, 2017. For the year ended December 31, 2018, a decrease of \$608,816 in clinical trial expenditures combined with a decrease of \$770,426 in stock and stock option compensation charges offset with increase of \$418,991 regulatory compliance prior to launch expense contribute to the decrease of expenses compared to the same period in 2017.

The Corporation expects that research and development expenditures will decrease as a result of the Corporation's U.S. BPH trial activity reduction, pending the evaluation of the data. Because of the early stage of development and the uncertainty related to the Corporation's R&D projects, it is impossible to outline the nature, timing or estimated costs of the efforts necessary to complete these projects, nor the anticipated completion dates for these projects. The facts and circumstances indicating the uncertainties that preclude us from making a reasonable estimate of the costs and timing necessary to complete projects include the risks inherent in any field trials, the uncertainty as to the nature and extent of regulatory requirements both for safety and efficacy, and the ability to manufacture the products in accordance with current good manufacturing requirements (cGMP) and in sufficient quantities both for large scale trials and for commercial use as further described in the section entitled "Risk Factors". A drug candidate that shows efficacy can take a long period (7 years or more) to achieve regulatory approval. There is also uncertainty whether we will be able to successfully adapt our patented technologies or whether any new products we develop will pass proof-of-principle testing both in the laboratory and in clinical trials, and whether we will be able to manufacture such products at a commercially competitive price. In addition, given the very high costs of development of therapeutic products, we anticipate having to partner with larger pharmaceutical companies to bring therapeutic products to market. The terms of such partnership arrangements along with our related financial obligations cannot be determined at this time and the timing of completion of the approval of such products will likely not be within our sole control.

### **Marketing Expenses**

Marketing expenditures were \$52 for the year ended December 31, 2018 compared with \$7,628 for the year ended December 31, 2017. The Corporation expects that marketing expenditures will increase if and when new products are launched on the market.

#### General and Administrative Expenses

General and administrative expenses were \$4,124,577 for the year ended December 31, 2018, compared with \$5,428,248 for the year ended December 31, 2017. General and administrative expenditures also include stock compensation charges of \$2,063,995 for the year ended December 31, 2018 and \$3,708,076 in the comparative period in 2017. The decrease of \$1,308,171 in expenses for the year ended December 31, 2018 is primarily due to a decrease of \$1,644,082 in stock compensation charges offset with an increase of \$424,605 in professional fees compared to the same period in 2017. The Corporation expects that general and administrative expenditures will increase if and when product development leads to expanded operations.

#### **Finance Costs**

Finance incomewas \$46,760 for the year ended December 31, 2018, compared with finance costs of \$193,576 for the year ended December 31, 2017. The decrease of \$240,336 mainly due to convertible note accretion expense decrease of \$152,237 caused by note fully conversion in year 2017 and interest income increase of 60,473.

The Corporation incurs expenses in the local currency of the countries in which it operates, which include the United States, Canada and the Bahamas. Foreign exchange fluctuations had no meaningful impact on the Corporation's results in 2018 or 2017.

#### Inflation

The Corporation does not believe that inflation has had a significant impact on its results of operations.

## Results of Operations – 2017 compared to 2016

Net losses were \$13,428,878, or \$0.26 per share, for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared to \$13,109,608, or \$0.28 per share, for the year ended December 31, 2016. Net loss includes stock compensation charges of \$6,297,178 in 2017, \$9,074,044 in 2016.

#### Revenues

Revenues from sales of goods amounted to \$223,719 for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared with \$283,611 for the year ended December 31, 2016. The development of therapeutic candidates and of moving therapeutic product candidates through clinical trials is a priority for the Corporation currently. The growth of sales will become more of a priority once these candidates have reached the marketing stage. The Corporation expects that revenues will increase if and when product candidates pass clinical trials and are launched on the market.

During year 2017 and 2016, no amount was recognized as revenue relating to the upfront payment received from Recordati in December 2010 compared with \$2,508,533 for the year ended December 31, 2015.

### Research and Development

Research and development expenditures were \$7,874,262 for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared with \$6,797,768 for the year ended December 31, 2016. Research and development expenditures include costs incurred mainly for advancing Nymox's BPH and prostate cancer product candidate NX-1207 through clinical trials. Research and development expenditures also include stock compensation charges of \$2,589,102 for the year ended December 31, 2017 and \$4,072,474 for the year ended December 31, 2016. For the year ended December 31, 2017, an increase of \$2,562,153 in clinical trial expenditures combined with a decrease of \$1,483,372 in stock compensation charges contribute to the increase of expenses compared to the same period in 2016.

The Corporation expects that research and development expenditures will decrease as a result of the Corporation's U.S. BPH trial activity reduction, pending the evaluation of the data. Because of the early stage of development and the uncertainty related to the Corporation's R&D projects, it is impossible to outline the nature, timing or estimated costs of the efforts necessary to complete these projects, nor the anticipated completion dates for these projects. The facts and circumstances indicating the uncertainties that preclude us from making a reasonable estimate of the costs and timing necessary to complete projects include the risks inherent in any field trials, the uncertainty as to the nature and extent of regulatory requirements both for safety and efficacy, and the ability to manufacture the products in accordance with current good manufacturing requirements (cGMP) and in sufficient quantities both for large scale trials and for commercial use as further described in the section entitled "Risk Factors". A drug candidate that shows efficacy can take a long period (7 years or more) to achieve regulatory approval. There is also uncertainty whether we will be able to successfully adapt our patented technologies or whether any new products we develop will pass proof-of-principle testing both in the laboratory and in clinical trials, and whether we will be able to manufacture such products at a commercially competitive price. In addition, given the very high costs of development of therapeutic products, we anticipate having to partner with larger pharmaceutical companies to bring therapeutic products to market. The terms of such partnership arrangements along with our related financial obligations cannot be determined at this time and the timing of completion of the approval of such products will likely not be within our sole control.

### Marketing Expenses

Marketing expenditures were \$7,628 for the year ended December 31, 2017 compared with \$6,752 for the year ended December 31, 2016. The Corporation expects that marketing expenditures will increase if and when new products are launched on the market.

## General and Administrative Expenses

General and administrative expenses were \$5,428,248 for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared with \$6,174,465 for the year ended December 31, 2016. General and administrative expenditures also include stock compensation charges of \$3,708,076 for the year ended December 31, 2017 and \$5,001,570 in the comparative period in 2016. The decrease of \$754,918 in expenses for the year ended December 31, 2017 is primarily due to a decrease of \$1,293,494 in stock compensation charges and an increase of \$541,309 in professional fees compared to the same period in 2016. The Corporation expects that general and administrative expenditures will increase if and when product development leads to expanded operations.

### **Finance Costs**

Finance costs were \$193,576 for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared with \$240,210 for the year ended December 31, 2016.

The Corporation incurs expenses in the local currency of the countries in which it operates, which include the United States, Canada and the Bahamas. Foreign exchange fluctuations had no meaningful impact on the Corporation's results in 2017 or 2016.

#### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

### **Financial Position**

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

As of December 31, 2018, cash and receivables totaled \$7,960,000 compared with \$938,000 and \$2,027,000 at December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. We experienced a significant increase in cash from sales of our common stock in 2018. However, our operating expenses of demonstrating product efficacy and regulatory compliance prior to launch have also increased during this period.

Cash and cash equivalents amounted to \$7,946,000, \$851,000 and \$2,018,000 as of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

We used cash in our operating activities in the amounts of \$8 million, \$6 million and \$5 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Investing activities have been insignificant and substantially all cash flows have been provided by financing activities, specifically proceeds from the issuance of common stock.

A detailed analysis of our capital activities for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016 is included in the footnotes to the financial statements.

### Capital disclosures

The Corporation's objective in managing capital is to ensure a sufficient liquidity position to finance its research and development activities, general and administrative expenses, working capital and overall capital expenditures, including those associated with patents. The Corporation makes every attempt to manage its liquidity to minimize shareholder dilution when possible.

The Corporation defines capital as total equity. To fund its activities, the Corporation has followed an approach that relied almost exclusively on the issuance of common shares. Since inception, the Corporation has financed its liquidity needs primarily through private placements and, In February 2016, the Corporation filed a prospectus supplement and accompanying prospectus related to the potential issuance and sale of up to \$12,000,000 of our common stock, no par value per share, from time to time through our sales agent, Chardan Capital Markets, LLC, or Chardan. These sales have been made under an equity distribution agreement, dated February 5, 2016, between the Corporation and Chardan, which we refer to as the equity distribution agreement.

## **Contractual Obligations**

We have contractual obligations under long-term lease commitments for our premises in New Jersey (United States) of \$9,998 per month until October 2020, in Canada of \$4,755 per month until August 2020, and a short-term lease commitment for our premises in California (United States) of \$7,344 per month until December 2019. Our contractual obligations are summarized in the table below.

	Payments Due by Period Less than 1									
<b>Contractual Obligations</b>		Total		year		1-3 years		4-5 years		
Rent for laboratory and office space	\$	394,537	\$	260,840	\$	133,697	\$		-	
Insurance premium installments		66,679		66,679						
Operating		4,378		1,592		2,786				
Total	\$	465,594	\$	329,111	\$	136,483	\$		_	

#### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

The Corporation has no binding commitments for the purchase of property, equipment or intellectual property. The Corporation has no commitments that are not reflected in the statement of financial position except for operating leases and insurance premium installments.

## ITEM 6. DIRECTORS, SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND EMPLOYEES

#### **Directors and Senior Management**

Paul Averback, M.D., D.A.B.P., 68, President and Director since September 1995 and Chairman since June of 2001, is the founder of Nymox and the inventor of much of its initial technology. Prior to founding Nymox, Dr. Averback served as President of Nymox's predecessor, DMS Pharmaceuticals Inc. He received his M.D. in 1975 and taught pathology at universities, including Cambridge University, England (1977-1980), during which time he initiated his research on Alzheimer's disease. He has practiced medicine in numerous institutions as well as in private practice. Dr. Averback has published extensively in the scientific and medical literature.

Randall Lanham, Esquire, 54, has been a director since June 8, 2006. He attained his Juris Doctor from Whittier College School of Law in 1991 and a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Delaware in 1987. Mr. Lanham has vast experience in both domestic and international corporate legal matters. Currently Mr. Lanham manages his own law office in California specializing in corporate mergers and acquisitions. In addition, Mr. Lanham has a broad base of entrepreneurial experience and currently owns and operates several small entertainment companies.

Professor David Morse, Ph.D., 62, has been a director since June 8, 2006. He is a world expert in the biochemistry, proteomics and genomics of cell function particularly as it relates to circadian regulation in single cell organisms. He received a Ph.D. from McGill University in 1984, completed a post-doctoral fellowship at Harvard University in 1989 and has been a Full Professor at the University of Montreal since 2001. He has published extensively in the peer-reviewed scientific literature, including papers in journals such as Science, Cell, Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, Journal of Biological Chemistry, and Nature. Dr. Morse has previously collaborated with Nymox scientists in research and development projects.

Mr. James G. Robinson, 83, CEO of Morgan Creek Productions, which for over 25 years has continued to be one of the leading and most successful independent production entities in the film business. Under Robinson's leadership, Morgan Creek has produced an assortment of highly successful and critically acclaimed feature films.

Richard Cutler, Esq. 61, is a graduate of Brigham Young University and Columbia University School of Law. Mr. Cutler has worked at several major national law firms, and in 1996, formed Cutler Law Group in Newport Beach, California and subsequently Atlanta, Georgia and Houston, Texas, a firm which specializes in corporate and securities law, as well as international business transactions.

Mr. Erik Danielsen, Chief Financial Officer, 55, is a graduate from University de Fribourg with a Master's in Business Law and Corporate Finance. Mr. Danielsen a former Senior Auditor for Price Waterhouse and has extensive experience in international business. Mr. Danielsen is a former Credit Suisse Equity Strategist.

### Compensation

#### **Named Executive Officers**

The Summary Compensation Table and Outstanding Incentive Plan Awards tables below for Named Executive Officers summarize the total compensation paid during the Corporation's financial year ended on December 31, 2018 to the Named Executive Officers of the Corporation and all incentive plan awards outstanding at December 31, 2018 for the Named Executive Officers. The Named Executive Officers are the Corporation's Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, and two most highly compensated executive officers.

On July 17, 2015, the Corporation approved the long-term employment agreement of Dr. Paul Averback as President and Chief Executive Officer. Dr. Averback has not taken a salary since November of 2014. The employment agreement retains the services of Dr. Averback for an initial period of seven years. Dr Averback has agreed to forgo 100% of his salary until the Company receives a significant increase in its financing to expand its operations and execute its business plans at which time Dr. Averback will have the option to receive a cash salary or to continue the equity compensation. Dr. Averback received 3,000,000 restricted shares on July, 2015 and shall receive 250,000 restricted stock each month for the duration of the contract, totaling up to 21,000,000 restricted shares, in lieu of cash salary. The Corporation determined that a grant date for all of the restricted shares occurred on July 17, 2015 and established the fair value of each share at \$1.36. The Corporation is recording the expense on a pro-rata basis and recorded an expense of \$11.4 million in fiscal 2015. The unrecognized compensation cost as of December 31, 2018, which will be recognized on a pro-rata basis over the duration of the employment contract as services are performed assuming Dr. Averback continued to elect equity compensation is \$4.47 million. On May 14, 2015, the CEO was also granted 5,025,000 options.

Erik Danielsen, the Chief Financial Officer received option grant totaling 250,000 options. Randall Lanham, Secretary received total 200,000 in options; James G. Robinson received 100,000; Richard Cutler received 10,000 and, David Morse received 125,000; On July 27, 2017, the Chief Financial Officer and Secretary received 200,000 and 50,000 shares as stock compensation as share-based awards respectively. The Corporation does not have a share-based incentive plan, other than its stock option plan as described below, non-equity incentive plan or pension plan for its executive officers. The Corporation has not made any agreements or arrangements with any of its executive officers in connection with any termination or change of employment or change of control of the Corporation.

### **Compensation Discussion and Analysis**

The Human Resources and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors oversees the compensation of executive officers of the Corporation. The members of the Human Resources and Compensation Committee for the financial year ended December 31, 2018 were James G. Robinson, Dr. David Morse and Richard Cutler, Esq.

The Corporation's current compensation policy for its executive officers, including the Chief Executive Officer and the Named Executive Officers, emphasizes the granting of options over base salary as a means of attracting, motivating and retaining talented individuals. Such a policy is believed to better further the Corporation's business goals by allocating more financial resources to the Corporation's ongoing product development programs. Given the current stage of the Corporation's development, the Corporation has not established and does not use formal benchmarks, performance goals, review processes or other qualitative or quantitative criteria or targets relating to the performance of the Corporation or the individual in order to determine compensation. The Corporation does not have a non-equity incentive plan or a policy of annually granting performance bonuses or salary increases to its executive officers.

The Corporation grants option-based awards to its executive officers in accordance with a stock option plan approved by the shareholders. Further details of the stock option plan are provided below. The stock option plan provides long-term incentives to the Corporation's officers and employees to advance the Corporation's product development programs towards commercialization and to enhance shareholder value. The Corporation endeavors to provide salaries and option grants that are internally equitable and that are consistent with both job performance and ongoing progress towards corporate goals. The amount of option grants is determined in part by the amount and terms of outstanding and expiring options, the experience and expertise of each executive officer and the needs of the Corporation, among other factors. The Human Resources and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors reviews all proposals for awards of stock options to executive officers and decides on the appropriateness of the awards. In doing so, the Committee relies solely on discussion among the independent board members on the Committee without any formal pre-determined objectives, criteria or analytic processes but with a view to attracting and retaining executive officers who can help further the Corporation's business plan.

By relying on option grants as a primary means of compensating its executive officers, the Corporation's intention is to provide a direct link between corporate performance and executive compensation while maximizing shareholder value and controlling cash expenditures.

#### **Directors**

The Summary Compensation Table and Outstanding Incentive Plan Awards tables below for the directors of the Corporation summarize the total compensation paid during the Corporation's financial year ended on December 31, 2018 to the directors of the Corporation and all incentive plan awards outstanding at December 31, 2018 for the directors. One current director, Dr. Paul Averback, the President and CEO of the Corporation, is member of the senior management of the Corporation and does not receive any compensation for acting as a director. His compensation as Named Executive Officer is summarized in the summary tables for compensation and incentive plans for Named Executive Officers below.

## **Summary Compensation Table: Named Executive Officers**

			Non-equity incentive plan										
				Option-	comp								
			Share	based	Annual	Long-term							
Name and principal		Salary	based	awards	incentive	incentive	Pension	All	Total				
position	Year	US\$	awards	(#)	plans	plans	value	Other	US\$				
Dr. Paul Averback													
C E O and	2010		2 400 004						<b>† 2</b> 400 004				
President  Enils Danielson	2018	-	3,499,9913	-	-	-	-	-	\$3,499,991				
Erik Danielsen CFO <sup>1</sup>	2018	-	-1	-1	-	-	-	442,5001	\$ 442,5001				
Randall Lanham General	2019		214 000-					222 272-	¢ 527 272-				
Counsel <sup>2</sup>	2018	-	314,0002	-	-	-	-	223,3722	\$ 537,3722				

<sup>1</sup>Erik Danielsen became an Executive Officer on June 1, 2015. Mr. Danielsen receives no compensation as an individual and receives no deferred or incentive compensation. All other amounts are paid to a corporation which is a separate legal entity controlled by Mr. Danielsen.

<sup>2</sup> Randall Lanham became an Executive Officer on June 1, 2015. Mr. Lanham receives no compensation as an individual and receives no deferred or incentive compensation. All other amounts are paid to a corporation which is a separate legal entity controlled by Mr. Lanham.

<sup>3</sup>Dr Averback has waived his salary, per his employment agreement. Under the employment agreement, he receives restricted stock on a monthly basis. Refer to note 13 of Consolidated Financial Statements.

# Outstanding Incentive Plan Awards as of December 31, 2018: Named Executive Officers

	N.T.	<b>V</b> /- <b>16</b>					
	Nui	mber of securities Underlying			Option	Option	Value of Unexercised
Name	Une Total	exercised Options Unvested	Vested		Exercise price	Expiration Date	In-the-money Options
Dr. Paul	5 025 000		5 025 000	ф	1 74	05/14/2025	¢
Averback E r i k	5,025,000	-	5,025,000	\$	1.74		<b>5</b> -
Danielsen	200,000	-	200,000	\$	1.74	05/14/2025	\$ -
E r i k Danielsen	50,000	-	50,000	\$	2.93	01/10/2027	\$ -
Randall						05/14/2025	
Lanham	200,000	-	200,000	\$	1.74	03/1 1/2023	\$ -
Total	5,475,000	-	5,475,000				

Option exercise prices and the values of unexercised in-the-money options are expressed in US\$. The Corporation does not have a share-based award plan.

## **Summary Compensation Table: Directors**

The following is a summary of director compensation for the year ended December 31, 2018:

					Non-equit	y						
	Fees		incentive									
	plan Option-based			Pension		All other	All other					
Name	Earned	Share-basedawa	ards awards (	#)	compensati	on	value		compensati	on	Tot	al (\$)
David Morse \$	4,500	) \$	-	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	4,500
J a m e s												
Robinson \$	4,500	) \$	-	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	4,500
Richard												
Cutler \$	4,500	) \$	_	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	4,500

## Outstanding Incentive Plan Awards as of December 31, 2018: Directors

			Option-based	l As	wards		
	Nu	mber of securities					Value of
						Option	
		underlying			Option		unexercised
Name	un Total	exercised options Unvested	Vested		exercise price	expiration date (mm/dd/yy)	in-the-money options
David					1	` '	-
Morse	125,000	-	125,000	\$	1.74	05/14/2025	\$ -
Richard						05/14/2025	
Cutler	10,000	-	10,000	\$	1.74	03/14/2023	\$ -
James G.						05/14/2025	
Robinson	100,000	-	100,000	\$	1.74	03/14/2023	\$ -
Total	235,000	-	235,000				

The options may be exercised until the expiration of the option or the date that is 90 days following the termination date, whichever occurs first.

# Outstanding Incentive Plan Awards as of December 31, 2018: Employees

			Option-bas	sed Av	vards		
	Nur	nber of securities					Value of
						Option	
	underlying						unexercised
		• • •				expiration	• 4
		exercised options			exercise	date	in-the-money
Name	Total	Unvested	Vested		price	(mm/dd/yy)	options
Lin Dodd	10,000	10,000-		- \$	3.43	07/16/2022	\$ -
Anthony		10,000-				07/23/2022	
Bailey	10,000	10,000-		- \$	3.43	0112312022	\$ -
Whitney		10,000-				00/04/2022	
Hart	10,000	10,000-		- \$	3.43	09/04/2022	\$ -
Total	30,000	30,000		-			

The options may be exercised any time until the expiration date of the option.

#### **Share Ownership**

As of March 27, 2019, the number of common shares owned or controlled by directors and senior officers of the Corporation were as follows:

	Common Shares	Percentage of Common
		Shares
	Owned and	Owned and
Name	Controlled	Controlled
Paul Averback, M.D.	24,831,448	36.7%
Paul Averback, M.D., Trustee	607,031	0.9%
James G. Robinson	4,536,333	6.7%
David Morse, Ph.D.	396	-%
Erik Danielson	1,182,500	1.7%
Randall Lanham	152,900	0.2%
Total	31,310,608	46.3%

Nymox has created a stock option plan for its employees, officers and directors, and for consultants. The board of directors of Nymox administers the stock option plan and authorizes the granting of options in accordance with the terms of the plan. Each option gives the individual granted the option the right to purchase a common share of the Corporation at a fixed price during a specified period of no more than ten years. The board may also make all or a portion of the options granted effective only as of a specific future date or dates. The option price must not be less than the market price of the common shares when the option is granted. The total number of shares under option to any one individual may not exceed fifteen percent of the total number of issued and outstanding common shares of the Corporation. The options may not be assigned, transferred or pledged, and expire within three months of the termination of employment or active office with the Corporation and six months of the death of the individual.

No more than 7,500,000 common shares may be under option at any time and a maximum of 7,500,000 common shares are available to be issued under the stock option plan as the result of the exercise of options. Options that expire or terminate without being exercised become available to be granted again. Material changes to the stock option plan such as the number of shares available to be optioned require shareholder approval, Since the inception of the stock option plan in 1995, 383,400 options have been exercised under the plan and 100,514 shares have been issued as a result of cashless exercises.

#### **Board Practices**

Directors are elected at each annual meeting for a term of office until the next annual meeting. Executive officers are appointed by the board of directors and serve at the pleasure of the board.

Nymox does not have written contracts with any of the directors named above. We do not have any pension plans or other type of plans providing retirement or similar benefits for directors, nor any benefits upon termination of service as a director.

Nymox's Audit Committee consists of three directors appointed by the Board who are independent of management and who are generally knowledgeable in financial and auditing matters. The Chairman of the Audit Committee is Richard Cutler, Esq.; the other members are James G. Robinson and Dr. David Morse. The primary role of the Audit Committee is to provide independent oversight of the quality and integrity of the accounting, auditing, and reporting practices of Nymox with a particular focus on financial statements and financial reporting to shareholders. The Committee is responsible for the appointment, compensation, and oversight of the public accounting firm engaged to prepare or issue an audit report on our financial statements. It oversees all relationships between Nymox and the auditor, including reviewing on an ongoing basis any non-audit services and special engagements that may impact the objectivity or independence of the auditors. The auditor reports directly to the Audit Committee. The Audit Committee reviews the scope and results of the audit with the independent auditors.

The Audit Committee meets at least four times a year to review with management and the independent auditors the Corporation's interim and year-end financial condition and results of operations. Its review includes an assessment of the adequacy of the internal accounting, bookkeeping and control procedures of the Corporation. The Audit Committee also has the responsibility for reviewing on an ongoing basis all material transactions between Nymox and its affiliates and other related parties such as officers, directors, other key management personnel, major shareholders and their close family members, affiliated companies or associated enterprises.

The Audit Committee has the power to conduct or authorize investigations into any matters within the Committee's scope of responsibilities, including the power and authority to retain and determine funding for independent counsel, accountants, or other advisors as it determines necessary to carry out its duties.

The Human Resources and Compensation Committee consists of the independent directors of the Board. The Chairman of the Committee is James G. Robinson; the other members are Richard Cutler, Esq., and Dr. David Morse. The Committee establishes and reviews overall policy and structure with respect to compensation and employment matters, including the determination of compensation arrangements for directors, executive officers and key employees of the Corporation. The Committee is also responsible for the administration and award of options to purchase shares pursuant to our share option plan.

The Corporate Governance Committee consists of the independent directors of the Board. The Chairman of the Committee is Randall Lanham, Esq.; the other members are Richard Cutler, Esq. and Dr. Paul Averback. This Committee has the general mandate of providing an independent and regular review of the management, business and affairs of Nymox, including our corporate governance. This Committee also reviews and approves director nominations to ensure each nominee meets the requisite requirements under applicable corporate and securities laws, rules and regulations and otherwise possesses the skills, judgment and independence appropriate for a director of a public corporation.

## **Employees**

In addition to the employees in its St. Laurent, Hasbrouck Heights and Orange Country offices, Nymox carries out its work with the assistance of an extensive group of research collaborators, out-sourced manufacturing teams, research suppliers, research institutions, service providers and research consultants. To help carrying out its marketing, Nymox has independent medical representatives detailing its products.

In its St. Laurent, Hasbrouck Heights and Orange Country offices, as at December 31, 2018, the Corporation employed five persons in research and development, and one of them also responsible for administration. For the year

2017, the Corporation employed two persons in research and development and one of them is also responsible for administration. For the year 2016, the Corporation employed two persons.

### ITEM 7. MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS AND RELATED PARTY INFORMATION

### **Major Shareholders**

The following table sets out as of March 27, 2019, the number of common shares owned and controlled by Dr. Paul Averback, the President and CEO of Nymox and a member of the Nymox board of directors, and by all directors and officers as a group.

	Number of	Percent of
	Common	Class of
	Shares	Common
	owned by	Common
Name of Shareholder	Shareholder	Shares
Dr. Paul Averback	24,831,448	36.7%
All directors and officers as a group	31,160,608	46.3%

The above shareholders have the same voting rights as all other shareholders. The percent of class of common shares held by Dr. Paul Averback is 36.5% as of March 27, 2019.

All shareholders of Nymox stock have the same voting rights. Other than Dr. Paul Averback and the individuals above, Nymox does not know of any other shareholders that beneficially own or hold dispositive power over more than 5% of its shares.

### **Related Party Transactions**

The Corporation's related party transactions include salaries, benefits and stock-based compensation disclosed above for the years ended December 31, 2018. 2017 and 2016. The Corporation also entered into a long-term employment agreement with its President and Chief Executive Officer. Since 2015, the Corporation also has made payment in the form of contract for service rendered to two individual corporations controlled by two Executive officers respectively. (Note 21)

#### **Dividends**

The Corporation has not issued dividends since inception.

### Cease Trade Orders, or Bankruptcies

To the knowledge of the Corporation, no director or officer of the Corporation or shareholder of the Corporation holding a sufficient number of securities of the Corporation to affect materially the control of the Corporation is, or has been within the past 10 years, a director or officer of any other Corporation that, while such person was acting in that capacity, was the subject of a cease trade or similar order or an order that denied such Corporation access to any exemptions under Canadian securities legislation for a period of more than 30 consecutive days, or was declared bankrupt or made a voluntary assignment in bankruptcy, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency or was subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold its assets.

#### **Penalties or Sanctions**

To the knowledge of the Corporation, no director, officer or control person of the Corporation has been subject to any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court relating to U.S. or Canadian securities legislation or by a U.S. or Canadian

securities regulatory authority or has entered into a settlement agreement with a U.S. or Canadian securities authority, nor has any director, officer or control person of the Corporation been subject to any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court or regulatory body that would likely be considered important to a reasonable investor in making an investment decision.

#### **Personal Bankruptcies**

To the knowledge of the Corporation, no director, officer or control person of the Corporation, nor any personal holding Corporation of any such person, has within the past 10 years, been declared bankrupt or made a voluntary assignment in bankruptcy, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency or been subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors, or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold the assets of that individual.

#### **Conflicts of Interest**

To the knowledge of the Corporation, there are no existing or potential material conflicts of interest between the Corporation, or subsidiary of the Corporation, and any director, officer or control person of the Corporation.

## **Legal Proceedings**

Dismissal of Lawsuit. On November 24, 2014, Roy Sapir, a shareholder of the Corporation, filed a proposed class action suit in the United States District Court, District of New Jersey, against the Corporation and the President and the CEO of the Corporation. On February 10, 2016, the Court dismissed the lawsuit. No provision has been recognized in our financial statements for this legal proceeding.

Legal proceedings were filed before the Superior Court of the District of Montreal bearing Court file number 500-17-093342-163 on or about April 1, 2016 by the Commission des Normes du Travail against Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation as a result of a collective dismissal of the Company's former employees. The value of the claim amounts to \$147,164.38 (plus interest). The proceedings have been suspended in order to allow time for the parties to begin settlement discussions. Chances of success on the merits cannot be presently assessed given the preliminary stages of the file (examinations on discovery to be scheduled should the suspension be lifted).

## ITEM 8. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

## **Consolidated Financial Statements**

As of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016 and for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

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## REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors and

Stockholders of Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation

Opinions on the Financial Statements and Internal Control over Financial Reporting

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation (the Company) as of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of income, comprehensive income, stockholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2018, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the financial statements). We also have audited the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2018, based on criteria established in *Internal Control—Integrated Framework* (2013) issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO).

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the years in the theee-year period ended December 31, 2018, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. Also, in our opinion, the Company maintained, in all material respects, effective internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2018, based on criteria established in *Internal Control—Integrated Framework (2013)* issued by COSO.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

The Company's management is responsible for these financial statements, for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting, and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting included in the accompanying Form 20-F. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's financial statements and an opinion on the Company's internal control over financial reporting based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud, and whether effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects.

Our audits of the financial statements included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. Our audit of internal control over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. Our audits also included performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinions.

### <u>Definition and Limitations of Internal Control over Financial Reporting</u>

A company's internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

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Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

## **Emphasis of Matter**

Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 in the consolidated financial statements which indicates that the failure of U.S. phase 3 studies of NX - 1207 materially affects Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation's current ability to fund its operations, meet its cash flow requirements, realize its assets and discharge its obligations. These conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 1 in the consolidated financial statements, indicate the existence of the material uncertainty that casts substantial doubt about Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation's ability to continue as a going concern.

/S/ Thayer O'Neal Company, LLC

Thayer O'Neal Company, LLC

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2015.

Houston, Texas

March 27, 2019

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## NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

For the Years Ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

(In Thousands of US dollars Other Than per Share Amounts and Thousands of Shares)

	Notes	2018	2017	2016
Revenues				
Sales of goods	20	\$ 299	\$ 224	\$ 284
Licensing revenue		-	-	-
Total revenue		299	224	284
Operating Expenses				
Research and development	22	6,677	7,874	6,798
General and administrative		4,125	5,428	6,175
Marketing		-	8	7
Cost of goods sold		138	149	173
Total operating expenses		10,940	13,459	13,153
Loss from operations		(10,641)	(13,235)	(12,869)
Other expense				
Interest income		65	10	4
Finance costs	18	(18)	(204)	(244)
Loss before income taxes		(10,594)	(13,429)	(13,110)
Income tax provision (recovery)	15	-	-	-
Net loss		\$ (10,594)	\$ (13,429)	\$ (13,110)
Basic and diluted loss per share	16	\$ (0.18)	\$ (0.26)	\$ (0.28)
Weighted average number of common shares				
outstanding	16	60,466	52,648	46,155

The accompanying notes are on integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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## NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Financial Position

For the Years Ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

(In Thousands of US Dollars and Thousands of Shares)

	Notes	2018	2017	2016
ASSETS				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 7,946	\$ 851	\$ 2,018
Accounts receivable		2	79	6
Other receivables		12	8	3
Inventory		41	15	3
Security deposit		23	7	7
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2	1	1
Total current assets		8,026	961	2,038
Property and equipment	6	33	1	2
Other assets		17	17	17
Total assets		\$ 8,076	\$ 979	\$ 2,057
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	8	\$ 1,074	\$ 2,230	1,368
Convertible notes	9	-	-	931
Total liabilities		1,074	2,230	2,299
Equity				
Share capital – unlimited authorized shares at no				
par value. 64,676, 56,378 and 49,115 shares				
outstanding at December 31, 2018, 2017 and				
2016, respectively	11,13	126,684	108,196	92,125
Share capital subscription receivable	11	(868)	(718)	-
Additional paid-in capital	12-14	36,299	35,790	38,724
Accumulated deficit		(155,113)	(144,519)	(131,091)
Total Stockholders' equity (deficit)		7,002	(1,251)	(241)
Business activities and future operations				
Commitments and contingencies	10			
Subsequent events	29			
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity (deficit)		\$ 8,076	\$ 979	2,057

# NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flow

For the Years Ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

(In Thousands of US Dollars)

	016
Net loss \$ (10,594) \$ (13,429) \$	(13,110)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash	
used in operating activities  Depreciation 4 3 1	3
Stock based compensation 13 3,814 6,297	9,074
Issued stock for commission and option expense 101 -	9,074
Accretion expense and interest settled by share	-
issuances - 152	116
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	110
Accounts receivable and other receivables 73 (77)	(2)
Research tax credit receivable 15	271
Security deposit (16) -	(7)
Prepaid expense (1) -	-
Inventory (25) (13)	35
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (1,156) 863	(883)
Net cash used in operating activities (7,801) (6,206)	(4,502)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING	
ACTIVITIES	
Purchase of property and equipment (36) -	(2)
Net cash flows used in investing activities (36)	(2)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING	
ACTIVITIES	
Proceeds from the issuance of share capital 11 14,932 5,039	6,147
Net cash provided from financing activities 14,932 5,039	6,147
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash	
equivalents 7,095 (1,167)	1,643
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	
Beginning of year 851 2,018	374
End of year \$ 7,946 \$ 851 \$	2,018
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE	
Income taxes paid 15 \$ - \$	-
Interest paid \$ - \$ - \$	-
NON-CASH INVESTING AND FINANCING	
ACTIVITIESACTIVITIES	
\$ - \$ 1,171 \$	-

# Shares and warrants issued on connection with convertible notes

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

# NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the Years Ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

(In Thousands of US Dollars and Shares)

# Additional

		Common					]	Paid-In	A	ccumulated	
	Note	Shares	A	Amount	Subscripti	ions		Capital		Deficit	Total
December 31,					•			•			
2015		42,988	\$	84,954	\$	-	\$	30,674	\$	(117,981)	(2,353)
Share issuance		2,727		6,147		-		-		-	6,147
S h a r e											
compensation	13	3,400		1,024				8,050		-	9,074
Net loss		-		-		-		-		(13,110)	(13,110)
December 31,											
2016		49,115		92,125		<b>-</b>		38,724		(131,091)	(241)
Share issuance		1,423		5,757	(	718)		-		-	5,039
Warrant exercise for											
shares		549		88		_		(88)		_	
Share issuance								, ,			
for conversion											
of debt and											
accrued interest	9	2,031		1,083		-		-		-	1,083
S h a r e											
compensation											
and option											
expense	12, 13	3,260		9,143		-		(2,846)		-	6,297
Net loss		-		-		-		-		(13,429)	(13,429)
December 31,											
2017		56,378	\$	108,196	\$ (	718)	\$	35,790	\$	(144,519) \$	(1,251)
Shares issuance											
for cash and											
subscriptions		5,188		15,082	(	150)		-		-	14,932
Stock-based											
commission	13	10		32		-		-		-	32
Stock-based											
compensation	13	3,100		3,374		-		509		-	3,883
Net loss		-		-		-		-		(10,594)	(10,594)
		64,676	\$	126,684	\$ (	868)	\$	36,299	\$	(155,113) \$	7,002

Balance, December 31, 2018

The accompanying notes are on integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

# Notes Forming Part of the Consolidated Financial Statements

# For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

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#### NYMOX PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATION

Notes to the Financial Statements

December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016

#### NOTE 1 – BUSINESS ACTIVITIES AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation is a company which re-domiciled from Canada to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas in 2015 and is incorporated under the *International Business Companies Act of the Commonwealth of The Bahamas*. Nymox Pharmaceutical Corporation including its subsidiaries, Nymox Corporation, a Delaware Corporation, and Serex Inc. of New Jersey (together referred to as the "Corporation"), is a biopharmaceutical corporation, which specializes in the research and development of products for the aging population. The head office of the Corporation is located at Bay & Deveaux Sts., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Nassau, The Bahamas. The Corporation currently markets NicAlert<sup>TM</sup> and TobacAlert<sup>TM</sup>, tests that use urine or saliva to detect use of tobacco products. Since 1989, the Corporation's activities and resources have been primarily focused on developing certain pharmaceutical technologies. Since 2002, the Corporation has been developing its novel proprietary drug candidate, NX-1207, for the treatment of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) and, since 2012, for the treatment of low-grade localized prostate cancer. The Corporation also has an extensive patent portfolio covering its marketed products, its investigational drug as well as other therapeutic and diagnostic indications.

#### **Statement of Compliance**

The consolidated financial statements of the Corporation have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and its interpretations as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

The consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Audit Committee of the Corporation's Board of Directors on March 26, 2019.

#### **Basis of measurement**

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a going concern and on the historical cost basis.

#### **Functional and presentation currency**

These consolidated financial statements are presented in United States dollars, which is the Corporation and its subsidiaries' functional currency.

#### Use of estimates and judgments

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses.

Information about critical judgments in applying accounting policies and assumption and estimation uncertainties that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements is noted below:

#### Judgments in applying accounting policies

The use of the going concern basis (Note 1)

## Licensing revenues and deferred revenue

Revenue recognition is subject to critical judgments, particularly in collaboration agreements that include multiple deliverables, as judgment is required in allocating revenue to each component, including upfront payments, milestone payments, sale of goods, royalties and license fees. Management also uses judgment in estimating the service period over which revenue is recognized for upfront payments received (note 9).

## **Contingent liability**

Assessing the recognition of contingent liabilities requires judgment in evaluating whether it is probable that economic benefits will be required to settle matters subject to litigation (note 12).

#### Convertible notes

The model used to measure the fair value of the liability component comprises estimation uncertainty for the interest rate applicable to a similar liability that does not have an equity conversion option (note 8).

# **Stock options and warrants**

There is estimation uncertainty with respect to selecting inputs to the Binomial pricing model used to determine the fair value of the stock options and warrants (Note 12).

Other areas of judgment and uncertainty relate to the recoverability of research tax credits and deferred tax assets. Reported amounts and note disclosure reflect the overall economic conditions that are most likely to occur and anticipated measures management intends to take. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

The above estimates and assumptions are reviewed regularly. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

## **NOTE 2 – GOING CONCERN CONSIDERATIONS**

The Corporation is subject to a number of risks, including the successful development and marketing of its technologies the ability to raise financing to pursue the development of its operations. The Corporation depends on private placements and other types of financing as well as collaboration agreements, to fund its operations, achieve its business plan and the realization of its assets and liabilities in the normal course of operations.

The failure of the two Phase 3 studies of NX-1207 for BPH materially affects the Corporation's current ability to fund its operations, meet its cash flow requirements, realize its assets and discharge its obligations.

Management believes that current cash balances as at December 31, 2018 and anticipated to be received from the April 2018 financing will be sufficient to finance all of its planned business operations and research and development programs over the next year. However, the Corporation's primary sources of financing since 2003 has been the Common Stock Private Purchase Agreement, which expired in November 2015 and was not renewed. If necessary, the Corporation intends to seek additional equity or finance through the existing private placements and/or other sources of capital in order to fund these operations and activities over the next year.

Considering recent developments and the need for additional financing, there exists a material uncertainty that casts substantial doubt about the Corporation's ability to continue as a going concern. These financial statements do not reflect adjustments that would be necessary if the going concern assumption was not appropriate. If the going concern assumption is not appropriate, then adjustments may be necessary to the carrying value and classification of assets and liabilities and reported results of operations and such adjustments could be material.

#### **NOTE 3 – SIGNIFICANT ESTIMATES**

Significant estimates applied in the preparation of these financial statements include the estimated useful lives of property and equipment, share volatility and estimated life of options and warrants in determining their fair value as well as the expected potential for the realization of deferred tax assets in determining the amount of the valuation allowance thereto.

## **NOTE 4 – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these consolidated financial statements.

#### Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements of the Corporation include the accounts of its subsidiaries. Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Corporation. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases. Intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated on consolidation.

#### **Financial instruments**

The Corporation has classified its cash, trade accounts receivable and other receivables as "loans and receivables", and its trade accounts payable, accrued liabilities, convertible notes (excluding the conversion option) as "other financial liabilities".

The Corporation must classify the fair value measurements of financial instruments according to a three-level hierarchy, based on the type of inputs used in making these measurements. These tiers include: Level 1, defined as observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets; Level 2, defined as inputs other than quoted prices in active markets that are either directly or indirectly observable; and Level 3, defined as unobservable inputs in which little or no market data exists, therefore requiring an entity to develop its own assumptions.

#### **Financial assets**

The Corporation initially recognizes loans and receivables on the date that they are originated. Loans and receivables are financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Such assets are recognized initially at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, loans and receivables are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment losses.

The Corporation derecognizes a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows on the financial asset in a transaction in which substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred. Financial assets and liabilities are offset, and the net amount presented in the consolidated statements of financial position when, and only when, the Corporation has a legal right to offset the amounts and intends either to settle on a net basis or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

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#### **Financial liabilities**

The Corporation initially recognizes other financial liabilities on the trade date at which the Corporation becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Other financial liabilities are recognized initially at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, these financial liabilities are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

The Corporation derecognizes a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired. Interest, losses and gains relating to a financial liability are recognized in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

## **Compound financial instruments**

Compound financial instruments issued by the Corporation comprise convertible notes that can be converted to share capital at the option of the holder, and the number of shares to be issued does not vary with changes in their fair value.

The liability component of a compound financial instrument is recognized initially at the fair value of a similar liability that does not have an equity conversion option. The equity component is recognized initially at the difference between the fair value of the compound financial instrument as a whole and the fair value of the liability component. Any directly attributable transaction costs are allocated to the liability and equity components in proportion to their initial carrying amounts.

Subsequent to initial recognition, the liability component of a compound financial instrument is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. The equity component of compound financial instrument is not re-measured subsequent to initial recognition.

#### **Share capital**

Common shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs attributable to the issuance of common shares are recognized as an increase to deficit.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories consist primarily of finished goods held for sales and materials and are carried at the lower of first-in, first-out cost and net realizable value. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of

business, less selling expenses.

#### **Property and equipment**

Property and equipment are measured at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. Purchased software that is integral to the functionality of the related equipment is capitalized as part of that equipment. When parts of an item of property and equipment have significantly different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property and equipment. Gains and losses on disposal of an item of property and equipment are recognized as the difference in the proceeds from disposal and the carrying amount of property and equipment.

The cost of replacing a part of an item of property and equipment is recognized in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the Corporation, and its cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property and equipment are recognized in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

Depreciation is calculated on the depreciable amount, which is the cost of an asset less its residual value. Depreciation is recognized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each component of an item of property and equipment, since this most closely reflects the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits embodied in the asset.

The estimated useful lives for the current and comparative periods are represented by the following estimated useful lives:

Asset Classification	Useful life
Laboratory equipment	5 years
Computer equipment	3 years
Office equipment and fixtures	5 years

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed on an ongoing basis and adjusted if appropriate.

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## Intangible assets and intellectual property rights

Intangible assets include patents and acquired intellectual property rights. These intangible assets are subject to amortization over their estimated useful life and are presented in the statement of financial condition at cost less accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses.

## Research and development expenditures

Expenditures on research activities, net of research tax credits, undertaken with the prospect of gaining new scientific or technical knowledge and understanding, as well as demonstrating product efficacy and regulatory compliance prior to launch, are expensed in the statement of comprehensive earnings (loss) as incurred. Development activities, net of research tax credits, involve a plan or design to produce new or substantially improved products and processes. Development expenditures are capitalized only if development costs can be measured reliably, the product or process is technically, and commercially feasible, future economic benefits are probable, and the Corporation intends to and has sufficient resources to complete development and to use or sell the asset. Other development expenditures are recognized in research and development expenses as incurred.

#### **Amortization**

Amortization is calculated on the cost of the asset, less its residual value. Amortization methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed on an ongoing basis and adjusted if appropriate.

## **Impairment**

Indefinite lived intangibles are subject an assessment for impairment on at least an annual basis.

#### **Financial assets**

Financial assets are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is objective evidence that they are impaired. A financial asset is impaired if objective evidence indicates that a loss event has occurred after the initial recognition of the asset, and that the loss event had a negative effect on the estimated future cash flows of that asset that can be estimated reliably. Objective evidence that financial assets are impaired can include default or delinquency by a debtor, restructuring of an amount due to the Corporation on terms that the Corporation would not consider otherwise, and indications that a debtor or issuer will enter bankruptcy. In assessing impairment, the Corporation uses historical trends of the probability of default, timing of recoveries and the amount of loss incurred, adjusted for management's judgment as to whether current economic and credit conditions are such that the actual losses are likely to be greater or less than suggested by historical trends.

An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset measured at amortized cost is calculated and recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. Losses are reflected in an allowance account against receivables. When a subsequent event causes the amount of impairment loss to decrease, the decrease in impairment loss is reversed.

#### Non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Corporation's non-financial assets, including property and equipment, are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit, CGU or segment").

The Corporation's corporate assets do not generate separate cash inflows. If there is an indication that a corporate asset may be impaired, then the recoverable amount is determined for the CGU to which the corporate asset belongs.

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An impairment loss is recognized if the carrying amount of an asset or its CGU exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognized in respect of CGUs are allocated to reduce the carrying amounts of the assets in the CGU on a pro rata basis. Impairment losses recognized in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortization, if no impairment loss had been recognized.

#### **Revenue recognition**

Revenue from product sales is recognized when the product has been delivered and obligations as defined in the agreement are performed. Collaboration agreements that include multiple deliverables are considered to be multiple-element arrangements. Under this type of arrangement, the identification of separate units of accounting is required and revenue is allocated among the separate units based on their relative fair values.

Payments received under a collaboration agreement may include upfront payments, milestone payments, sale of goods, royalties and license fees. Revenue for each unit of accounting is recorded as described below:

#### **Upfront payments**

Upfront payments are deferred and recognized as revenue on a systematic basis over the estimated service period. Changes in estimates are recognized prospectively when changes to the expected term are determined.

## Milestone payments

Revenue subject to the achievement of milestones is recognized only when the specified events have occurred, and collectability is reasonably assured.

Specifically, the criteria for recognizing milestone payments are that (i) the milestone is substantive in nature, (ii) the achievement was not reasonably assured at the inception of the agreement, and (iii) the Corporation has no further involvement or obligation to perform associated with the achievement of the milestone, as defined in the related collaboration arrangement.

#### Sale of goods

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognized when the Corporation has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods, there is no continuing management involvement with the goods, and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably.

## Royalties and license fees

Royalties and license fees are recognized when conditions and events under the license agreement have occurred and collectability is reasonably assured.

# Foreign currency

Monetary assets and liabilities of the Corporation's Canadian and US subsidiaries denominated in currencies other than the US dollar are translated at the rates of exchange at the reporting date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Income and expenses denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the average rate prevailing during the year.

Foreign exchange loss and gain are reported on a net basis, within finance costs or finance income.

#### Research tax credits

Until the company re-domiciled from Canada to the commonwealth of Bahamas in 2015, it is entitled to scientific research and experimental development tax credits ("research tax credits") granted by the Canadian federal government and the government of the province of Québec. Federal research tax credits, which are non-refundable, are earned on qualified research and development expenditures and can only be used to offset federal income taxes otherwise payable. Provincial research tax credits, which are refundable, are earned on qualified research and development expenditures incurred in the province of Québec.

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These research tax credits are recognized as a reduction of research and development expenditures in the period in which they become receivable, provided that there is reasonable assurance that they will be received.

#### **Stock-based compensation**

The grant date fair value of stock-based compensation awards granted to employees, consultants and directors is recognized as an expense, with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period that the employees, consultants or directors unconditionally become entitled to the awards. The amount recognized as an expense is adjusted to reflect the number of awards for which the related service vesting conditions are expected to be met, such that the amount ultimately recognized as an expense is based on the number of awards that do meet the related service at the vesting date.

The fair value of the stock options is measured using the Black-Scholes pricing model. Measurement inputs include share price on measurement date, exercise price of the instrument, expected volatility (based on weighted average historic volatility), weighted average expected life of the instruments (based on historical experience and general option holder behavior), expected dividends, and the risk-free interest rate (based on government bonds). Service conditions attached to the transactions are not taken into account in determining fair value.

Share based payment arrangements in which the Corporation receives goods or services as consideration for its own equity instruments are accounted for as equity-settled share-based payment transactions.

#### **Employee benefits**

Short-term employee benefits obligations are measured on an undiscounted basis and are expensed as the related service is provided.

In addition to their salaries, employees of the Corporation are covered by a benefit package which includes a health plan, dental plan, disability insurance, life insurance and worker compensation insurance coverage. Participation in this plan is paid by the Corporation in full. Any employee that elects to extend the coverage to members of their family must pay the additional premium.

#### Lease payments

Payments made under operating leases are recognized on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. Lease incentives received are recognized as an integral part of the total lease expense, over the term of the lease.

#### **Income taxes**

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred taxes. Current tax and deferred tax are recognized in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss except to the extent that it relates to a business combination, or items recognized directly in equity or in other comprehensive loss.

Current tax is the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss of the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years. Deferred tax is recognized in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is not recognized for the following temporary differences: the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss and differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realized simultaneously.

A deferred tax asset is recognized for unused tax losses and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be utilized. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realized.

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# Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share are determined using the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted earnings per share are computed in a manner consistent with basic earnings per share, except that the weighted average shares outstanding are increased to include additional shares from the assumed exercise of options and warrants, if dilutive. The number of additional shares is calculated by assuming that outstanding options were exercised, and that the proceeds from such exercises as well as the assumed proceeds from future services were used to acquire shares of common stock at the average market price during the reporting period.

#### **Provisions**

A provision is recognized if, because of a past event, the Corporation has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognized as finance cost.

#### **Onerous contracts**

A provision for onerous contracts is recognized when the expected benefits to be derived by the Corporation from a contract are lower than the unavoidable cost of meeting its obligations under the contract. The provision is measured at the present value of the lower of the expected cost of terminating the contract and the expected net cost of continuing with the contract. Before a provision is established, the Corporation recognizes any impairment loss on the assets associated with that contract.

# **Contingent liability**

A contingent liability is a possible obligation that arises from past events and of which the existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not within the control of the Corporation; or a present obligation that arises from past events (and therefore exists), but is not recognized because it is not probable that a transfer or use of assets, provision of services or any other transfer of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, or the amount of the obligation cannot be estimated reliably.

#### NOTE 5 – NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS

#### **Issued and Adopted in Current Year Financial Statements**

#### **IFRS 9, Financial Instruments**

IFRS 9 – Financial Instruments ("IFRS 9") ultimately replaces IAS 39 – Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement ("IAS 39"), with the objective of improving and simplifying the reporting for financial instruments.

In July 2014, the IASB issued the final version of IFRS 9, Financial Instruments (IFRS 9). IFRS 9 supersedes IAS 39, IFRIC 9 and earlier versions of IFRS 9. This standard provides guidance on the classification and measurement of financial liabilities and the presentation of gains and losses on financial liabilities designated at fair value through profit and loss. When an entity elects to measure a financial liability at fair value, gains or losses due to changes in the credit risk of the instrument must be recognized in other comprehensive income.

This standard was effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018 with earlier adoption permitted. The Corporation has implemented this standard yet there is no impact of the adoption of this standard on its consolidated financial statements.

#### IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers

In May 2014, the IASB issued IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers, which establishes principles for reporting the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from an entity's contracts with customers. It provides a single model in order to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers.

IFRS 15 supersedes the following standards: IAS 11, Construction Contracts, IAS 18, Revenue, IFRIC 13, Customer Loyalty Programs, IFRIC 15, Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate, IFRIC 18, Transfers of Assets from Customers, and SIC-31, Revenue – Barter Transactions Involving Advertising Service.

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The core principle of IFRS 15 is that an entity recognizes revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods and services.

IFRS 15 also includes a cohesive set of disclosure requirements that would result in an entity providing comprehensive information about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from the entity's contracts with customers.

This standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018, with earlier adoption permitted. The Corporation has adopted this standard in these financial statements yet determined that there is no impact on reported results of operations from its implementation.

#### **Issued but Not Yet Adopted**

Several new standards, interpretations and amendments to existing standards were issued by the IASB or International Financial Reporting Standards Interpretations Committee ("IFRS IC"). They are mandatory but not yet effective for the period ended December 31, 2018 and have not been applied in preparing these consolidated financial statements. Many of these are not applicable or are inconsequential to the Corporation and have been excluded from the discussion below.

The following standards and interpretations have been issued by the IASB and the IFRS IC and the Corporation is currently assessing their impact on the financial statements:

#### IFRS 16, Leases

This standard introduces a new approach to lessee accounting that requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for the rights and obligations created by leases. IFRS 16 requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months and for which the underlying asset is not of low value. The IASB concluded that such an approach will result in a more faithful representation of a lessee's assets and liabilities and, together with enhanced disclosures, greater transparency of a lessee's financial leverage and capital employed. IFRS 16 requires enhanced disclosure by lessors of information about their risk exposure.

Effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. Early application is permitted for entities that apply IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers, at or before the date of initial application of IFRS 16.

A lessee should apply IFRS 16 to its leases either: (a) retrospectively to each prior reporting period presented applying IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors; or (b) retrospectively with the cumulative effect of initially applying IFRS 16 recognized at the date of initial application. A lessor is not required to make any adjustments on transition for leases in which it is a lessor and should account for those leases applying IFRS 16 from the date of initial application.

Nymox will adopt IFRS 16 on January 1, 2019 with an immaterial cumulative adjustment to accumulated deficit rather than retrospectively adjusting prior periods. This adoption approach will result in a balance sheet presentation that will not be comparable to the prior period in the first year of adoption. The adoption of IFRS16 will result in the recognition of operating lease assets and liabilities of approximately \$344,000.

# NOTE 6 – PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

The carrying value of property and equipment included the following changes for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016:

In Thousands of US Dollars							
	Laboratory		Computer		Office		
	Equipment		Equipment	1	Equipment		Total
Cost	1		1. 1		1. 1		
Balance at December 31, 2015	\$ 418	\$	30	\$	89	\$	537
Additions	-		1		-		1
Disposals	-		-		_		-
Balance at December 31, 2016	418		31		89		538
Additions		_	_		_		_
Disposals		_	_		_		_
Balance at December 31, 2017	418		31		89		538
Additions		_	12		24		36
Disposals		_	_		_		_
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 418	\$	43	\$	113	\$	574
Accumulated depreciation							
Balance at December 31, 2015	418		27		87		532
Depreciation for the year		_	3		1		4
Disposals		_	_		_		_
Balance at December 31, 2016	\$ 418	\$	30	\$	88	\$	536
Depreciation for the year		_	1		1		2
Disposals		_	_		_		_
Balance at December 31, 2017	418		31		89	\$	538
Depreciation for the year		_	2		1		3
Disposals		_	_		_		_
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 418	\$	33	\$	90	\$	541
Carrying amounts							
At December 31, 2016	\$ -	\$	1	\$	1	\$	2
At December 31, 2017	\$ -	\$	1	\$	-	\$	1
At December 31, 2018	\$ -	\$	10	\$	23	\$	33

The depreciation expense of property and equipment amounts to \$3,041, \$1,153 and \$3,438 for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively and is included in research and development in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

#### **NOTE 7 – INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

Intangible assets include patents and acquired intellectual property rights. Patents having a capitalized cost of \$4,818,243, accumulated amortization of \$4,500,511 and accumulated impairment of \$317,732 at December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, are still assets of the Corporation.

The intellectual property rights, having a cost of \$2,222,661 and an accumulated amortization of \$2,222,661 at December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, are still property of the Corporation.

#### NOTE 8 - ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities as of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, consisted of the following:

In Thousands of US Dollars							
Description		2018		2017		2016	
Accounts payable	\$	808	\$	2,017	\$	1,142	
Accrued liabilities:							
Payroll related liabilities		216		213		212	
Other accrued liabilities		50		-		14	
Total accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	1,074	\$	2,230	\$	1,368	

#### **NOTE 9 – CONVERTIBLE NOTES**

The convertible note payable was entered into on December 16, 2014, bears interest at 6% and matured on December 1, 2017. Additionally, the Corporation has agreed to pay an annual administration fee equal to 2% of the face value of the note.

The convertible note was classified as a liability at its estimated fair value with the residual allocated to the conversion feature. As a result, the recorded liability for the convertible note was lower than its face value, the difference being characterized as a debt discount and amortized as interest expense using the effective interest method over the term of the note. The value assigned to the conversion feature has been characterized as equity. The fair value of the debt component was determined using a discounted cash flow model.

The carrying value of the convertible noted included the following changes for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016:

In Thousands of US Dollars								
Description		2018			2017		2016	
Balance, beginning of the period	\$		-	\$	931	\$	815	
Accretion expense			-		139		116	
Debt conversion			-		(1,070)		-	
Balance, end of the period	\$		-	\$	-	\$	931	

In connection with the issuance of the convertible notes, the Corporation issued 107,000 warrants to the placement agent as part of the placement fee. The warrants are classified as equity as they meet the criteria for such classification. All warrant had been exercised by December 31, 2017. See note 14.

Using the effective interest rate method and the 23.57% rate implicit in the calculation, the difference of \$351,169 between the amounts attributed to the debt component and the face value of the convertible note is being accreted to the fair value over the term of the note.

By the year end of December 31, 2017, the debt holder converted full amount of principle of \$1,070,000 and accrued interest of \$13,064 to total of 2,030,872 shares.

#### **NOTE 10 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

## **Operating leases**

In August 2018, July 2018, October 2017, the Corporation entered into or renewed its operating lease agreements for its Canadian, US (California) and US (New Jersey) premises, which will expire on August 31, 2020, December 31, 2019 and October 31, 2020, respectively. The Corporation is working on making a final rent settlement with Bahamas office landlord.

The current leases for the Canadian, US (California) and U.S. (New Jersey) operations run for 18 months, 12 months and two years respectively, with an option to renew the leases after these dates. Lease deposits are described below:

In Thousands of US	<b>Dollars</b>
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Location	Cu	rrent	Non-	Current
Bahamas	\$	7	\$	-
California		16		
New Jersey		-		17
Total	\$	23	\$	17

Lease payments are increased with every renewal to reflect market rentals. The current monthly payments, net of executory costs, for these leases are as follows:

In Thousands of US Dollars						
Location Amount						
Quebec	\$	5				
California		7				
New Jersey		10				
Total	\$	22				

During the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, we incurred \$272,444, \$279,640 and \$264,825, respectively in expenses related to these operating leases.

Minimum lease payments under non-cancelable operating leases that were entered by the Corporation are payable as follows:

In	Tho	usands	of US	<b>Dollars</b>

Payment Term	Am	ount
Less than one year	\$	261
Between one and five years		134
More than five years		-
Total	\$	395

#### **NOTE 11 - SHARE CAPITAL**

Common shares authorized, issued and related contributed capital by controlling shareholders as of December 31, 2018 and 2017 were as follows

In Thousands of	<b>US Dollars</b>	and shares
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Description	20	18	201'	7	20	16
Authorized:						
An unlimited number of common shares, at no par	r					
value						
Issued, outstanding:						
Number of common shares		64,676	50	6,378		49,116
Dollars	\$ 1	26,684	\$ 108	8,196	\$	92,125

The holders of common shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared, which is at the discretion of the Corporation, and are entitled to one vote per share at the annual general meeting of the Corporation. The Corporation

has never paid any dividends.

#### Common Stock

In February 2016, the Corporation filed a prospectus supplement and accompanying prospectus related to the potential issuance and sale of up to \$12,000,000 of our common stock, no par value per share, from time to time through our sales agent, Chardan Capital Markets, LLC, or Chardan. These sales have been made under an equity distribution agreement, dated February 5, 2016, between the Corporation and Chardan, which we refer to as the equity distribution agreement.

Sales of our common stock under this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus are made by any method permitted by law deemed to be an "at-the-market" offering as defined in Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, including sales made directly on The NASDAQ Capital Market, on any other existing trading market for our common. If expressly authorized by us, Chardan may also sell our common stock in privately negotiated transactions. Chardan acts as sales agent on a commercially reasonable efforts basis, consistent with its normal trading and sales practices and applicable state and federal laws, rules and regulations and the rules of NASDAQ. There is no specific date on which the offering will end, there are no minimum sale requirements and there are no arrangements to place any of the proceeds of this offering in an escrow, trust or similar account.

During the year end December 31, 2018, the Corporation completed 11 private placements and raised a total of \$14,931,958 in share capital. A total of 5,137,950 shares were issued at an average price of \$2.91 per share for the private placement. The Corporation has sold 50,000 shares to one of its officers at \$3.00 per share as shares subscription receivable by the year end of 2018.

#### **NOTE 12 – STOCK OPTIONS**

The Corporation has established a stock option plan (the "Plan") for its key employees, officers and directors, and certain consultants. The Plan is administered by the Board of Directors of the Corporation. The Board may from time to time designate individuals to whom options to purchase common shares of the Corporation may be granted, the number of shares to be optioned to each, and the option price per share. The option price per share cannot involve a discount to the market price at the time the option is granted. The maximum number of shares which may be optioned under the stock option plan is 7,500,000. The maximum number of shares which may be optioned to any one individual is 15% of the total issued and outstanding common shares. Options under the Plan expire up to ten years after the grant date and vest either immediately or over periods up to six years and are equity-settled. As of December 31, 2018, 1,760,000 options could still be granted by the Corporation.

The following table provides the activity of stock option awards for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016 and for options outstanding and exercisable as of December 31, 2018, the weighted average exercise price, and the weighted average remaining contractual life.

	Opti	Options outstanding				
			Weighted			
			average			
		Weighted average exercise	remaining contractual life (in			
	Number	price	years)			
Outstanding December 31, 2015	6,519,500	4.43	4.28			
Expired	(859,500)	2.99				
Granted	-	-	-			
Cancelled	-	-	-			
Outstanding December 31, 2016	5,660,000	1.74	8.37			
Granted	50,000	2.93	9.03			
Outstanding December 31, 2017	5,710,000	\$ 1.75	7.39			
Expired	-	-	-			
Not vested						

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Granted	30,000	3.43	3.59
Outstanding December 31, 2018	5,740,000	\$ 1.76	6.37
Options exercisable	5,710,000	\$ 1.75	6.39

The fair value of the options granted during the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, was determined using the Binomial Option pricing model using the following weighted average assumptions:

Description		2018	2017	2016	
Share price	\$	2.59~\$3.39	\$ 2.93		-
Exercise price	\$	3.43	\$ 2.93		-
Risk-free interest rate		2.74%~2.78%	2.38%		-
Expected volatility	149	9.99%~150.43%	108.14%		_
Expected option life in years		4Yrs.	10Yrs.		-
Expected dividend yield		-	-		_

The weighted average grant-date fair value of options granted during the year ended December 31, 2018, and 2017 was \$ 2.72 per option respectively. Expected volatility was estimated considering historic average share price volatility. Expected dividends were determined to be nil, since the Corporation has never had the ability nor paid any dividends.

#### **NOTE 13 SHARE BASED COMPENSATION**

On July 17, 2015, the Corporation approved the long-term employment agreement of Dr. Paul Averback as President and Chief Executive Officer. Dr. Averback has not taken a salary since November of 2014. The employment agreement retains the services of Dr. Averback for an initial period of seven years. Dr Averback has agreed to forgo 100% of his salary until the Company receives a significant increase in its financing to expand its operations and execute its business plans at which time Dr. Averback will have the option to receive a cash salary or to continue the equity compensation. Dr. Averback received 3,000,000 restricted shares in July, 2015 and shall receive 250,000 restricted stock each month for the duration of the contract, totaling up to 21,000,000 restricted shares, in lieu of cash salary. The Corporation determined that a grant date for all the restricted shares occurred on July 17, 2015 and established the fair value of each share at \$1.36. The Corporation is recording the expense on a pro-rata basis and recorded an expense of \$3,499,991 in 2018. The unrecognized compensation cost as at December 31, 2018, which will be recognized on a pro-rata basis over the duration of the employment contract as services are performed, assuming Dr. Averback continued to elect equity compensation, is \$4,466,352.

The stock and stock option-based compensation expense to the directors and employees are disaggregated in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, as follows:

In Thousands of US Dollars										
Functional Expense Category 2018 2017 2016										
General and administrative expense	\$	2,064	\$	3,708	\$	5,002				
Research and development expense		1,819		2,589		4,072				
Total	\$	3,883	\$	6,297	\$	9,074				

#### **NOTE 14 - WARRANTS**

On December 16, 2014, in connection with the convertible notes private placement financing referred to in note 9, the Corporation issued 107,000 warrants to the placement agent as partial consideration for the placement fees. Each warrant entitled the holder to acquire one common share of the Corporation at an exercise price of \$0.54 prior to December 16, 2017. The debt holder had exercised all 107,000 warrants as of December 31, 2017.

On January 23, 2015 and on March 12, 2015, the Corporation completed two \$200,000 private placements for a total of \$400,000. A total of 883,058 units were issued at a weighted average price of \$0.39 per unit. Each Unit was comprised of one common share and a warrant to purchase one-half of one common share. A total of 441,529 warrants were issued. Each Warrant entitled the holder to acquire one common share of the Corporation at a price per share equal to U.S. \$2.00 for a period 24 month following the subscription date. By the year end of December 31,

2017, the warrant holder has excised all these warrants.

No warrants are outstanding as of December 31, 2018. A detail of warrant activity for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016 is as follows:

				Weighted average
		,	Weighted average	remaining contractual
Description	Number		exercise price	life (in years)
Outstanding 31-Dec-15	548,529	\$	1.72	1.31
Exercised	-		-	-
Granted	-		-	-
Expired	-		-	-
Cancelled	-		-	-
Outstanding 31-Dec-16	548,529	\$	1.72	1.31
Exercised	548,529		1.72	-
Granted	_		-	-
Expired	-		-	-
Cancelled	-		-	-
Outstanding 31-Dec-17	-	\$	-	-
Exercised	-		-	-
Granted	-		-	-
Expired	-		-	-
Cancelled	-		-	-
Outstanding 31-Dec-18	_	\$	-	_

#### **NOTE 15 - INCOME TAXES**

The Corporation was re-domiciled to the Bahamas in 2015. The substantial portion of our operations are generated out of our executive offices in the Bahamas which has no corporate income taxes. We do have operations subject to income tax in the United States of America, primarily the sale of product out of our New Jersey facilities.

The effect of the re-domiciliation from Canada to the Bahamas will result in the expiration of several tax attributes relative to our prior operations in Canada including Canadian research tax credit carryforwards and Canadian loss carryforwards. Canadian research tax credit carryforwards and Canadian loss carryforwards expired upon determination of the re-domiciliation by the Canadian federal government amount to \$1,686,270 and \$55,850,632, respectively.

Nymox recognized no provision (recovery) for federal income taxes for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016.

The following table is a reconciliation of effective tax rate:

In Thousands of US Dollars									
Description		2018		2017		2016			
Net loss for the year, before income taxes	\$	(10,594)	\$	(13,429)	\$	(13,110)			
Net loss attributable to the Bahamas		(10,416)		(13,305)		(12,978)			
Net loss attributable the United States		(178)		(124)		(132)			
Domestic tax rate applicable to the Corporation		21%		35%		35%			
Income taxes at domestic tax statutory rate		(62)		(43)		(46)			
Change in valuation allowance		62		43		46			
Deferred tax provision (recovery)	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-			

As at December 31, 2018 and 2017, deferred tax assets not recognized were as follows:

In Thousands of US Dollars								
Description		2018		2017		2016		
Tax loss carry forward	\$	1,558	\$	4,179	\$	4,130		
Patents capitalized and amortized for tax purposes		4		10		16		
Unrecognized deferred tax assets	\$	1,568	\$	4,189	\$	4,146		

Deferred tax assets have not been recognized in respect to these items because it is not probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the Corporation can utilize the benefits therefrom. The generation of future taxable profit is dependent on the successful commercialization of the Corporation's products and technologies.

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The amount of net operating loss carryforwards for US Federal income tax purposes by year of origination and expiration is detailed below:

In Thousands of US Dollars									
Year	Year of		Year	Year of					
Originated	Expiration	Amount	Originated	Expiration	Amount				
1999	2019	1,078	2009	2029	86				
2000	2020	813	2010	2030	541				
2001	2021	664	2011	2031	480				
2002	2022	522	2012	2032	177				
2003	2023	564	2013	2033	121				
2004	2024	353	2014	2034	70				
2005	2025	264	2015	2035	127				
2006	2026	355	2016	2036	147				
2007	2027	.373	2017	2037	140				
2008	2028	351	2018	2038	194				