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\$1.4 Million raised to continue research on Ataxia of Charlevoix-Saguenay Diner des Producteurs 2019 – A great success !

Montreal, November 27, 2019- \$1.4 million net raised for research for ataxia of Charlevoix-Saguenay at the 13th edition of the annual *Diner des Producteurs*, held in Montreal on November 7, 2019. 357 guests attended the fundraising event.

“The dedication and generosity of several people contributed to the success of this event: Honorary President Jacques Foisy, Chairman of the Board and Managing Partner at Novacap, Chef Pierre Gagnaire, Mr. Philippe Guigal from Maison E. Guigal, Mr. Alexis de Calonne from Moët Hennessy Canada, Chefs Normand Laprise, Martin Picard and David McMillan, all our sponsors, donors and 23 volunteers. Thanks to these people, the Foundation can continue to fund ARSACS research and the upcoming clinical trial. On behalf of the persons affected with ARSACS and their families, I thank you for your great collective contribution” Jean Groleau, co-founder and president of the Ataxia Charlevoix-Saguenay Foundation.

The Ataxia Charlevoix-Saguenay Foundation is a registered charity whose sole mission is to fund research on ataxia of Charlevoix-Saguenay in order to develop a treatment for this orphan disease. The Foundation relies solely on private donations and the involvement of volunteers. It has no employees and substantially all the donations collected are dedicated to medical research.

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