

# **INCANTHERA PLC**

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| Ticker      | INC  |
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| Share price | 14p  |
| Market cap  | £16m |

#### Company description

Founded as a spin-out from the Institute of Cancer Therapeutics at the University of Bradford in 2010, Incanthera is a UK-based specialist in dermatological cancer treatments. Products include a targeted drug delivery vector for cancer cells designed to improve treatment and minimise side effects. The latest product development, *Skin+CELL*, is a high-end cosmetic designed to deliver Vitamin B3 niacinamides which promote dermatological health and cell regeneration.

Board & Management

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CEO - Dr Simon Ward

CFO - Laura Brogden

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# ANNOUNCEMENT RE SKIN+ CELL

Incanthera has issued a statement (below) to the effect that it: " has received unsupported allegations from a third party concerning potential patent infringement in relation to the formulation of the Skin + CELL range of products."

Incanthera further states: "As a result, the Company is unable to launch Skin + CELL at this time. The Company has previously provided revenue and profit forecasts for its financial year ending 31 March 2025, arising from the expected sales of Skin + Cell products. As a result of the above, and the consequent delay to the launch of Skin + Cell, the Company retracts its previous market forecasts. "

#### Incanthera Skin + CELL statement in full

"The Company advises that it has received unsupported allegations from a third party concerning potential patent infringement in relation to the formulation of the Skin + Cell range of products.

The Company considers the unsupported allegations to be without merit. The Company is currently in communication with the third party in order to resolve this matter expediently. No formal proceedings have yet been issued, but the Company is prepared to issue related proceedings in the event that a resolution cannot be achieved swiftly.

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The Board of the Company is resolute in its position and remains confident for the future launch of its products. The Company will update the market further when it is in a position to do so."

Consequently we have suspended our outlook for FY25 and forecasts pending resolution of the dispute or an update, and revised guidance from the Company concerning the status of the proposed launch of its Skin + CELL product.



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