



**PLENTEX LIMITED**

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**PLENTEX ANNOUNCES THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. VIC ILAG TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Plentex Limited wishes to advise that our long-term colleague and team member Dr Vic Ilag has been appointed to the Board of Directors of Plentex Limited as a non-executive Director.

Vic has been involved in Plentex Limited and our related company Xerion for many years. In recognition of his excellent contribution to the technical and corporate development achieved, he has been appointed as a Director. Vic is also a Director of Plentex Philippines and its affiliated local Philippines companies, Plentex Realty, Plentex Agri-Milling and Plentex Aquafarms.

Vic graduated from the University of the Philippines at Los Baños with a BS Biology (Genetics major) in 1985. He obtained his PhD in Microbiology/Immunology from the University of Tennessee Health Science Center in 1991 and did postdoctoral studies at Purdue University in structural biology until 1994. Currently, he is also Executive Director of Science for Xerion Limited.

*Vic said, "I am very pleased to have been appointed to the Board of Plentex. I know the people very well and have been a part of the story now for a few years. Now that we are at the beginning of our project construction and operations, I look forward to positive steps forward together".*

His extensive experience is international, in Europe, the USA, Asia and Australia. He has demonstrated his entrepreneurial approach to biotechnology, R&D, business development, licensing, deal-making, strategy, general management, intellectual property management, financing and operations. Vic brings with him an extensive global network of professionals and colleagues in academia, finance and venture capital, biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries.

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