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Jakob Schlapbach (59) will resign as CFO of Cytos Biotechnology Ltd during the year 2010 and will be proposed to become a member of the board of directors

Schlieren (Zurich), Switzerland, March 22, 2010 – Cytos Biotechnology Ltd (SIX:CYTN) informs that Jakob Schlapbach (59) wishes to make use of the possibility of early retirement and plans to resign from his operational role as CFO of Cytos Biotechnology Ltd during the year 2010. To secure his further valuable support and long years of experience, Jakob Schlapbach will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting for the election to the board of directors. A search for a new CFO has been initiated.

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About Cytos Biotechnology

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