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Astron Connect Inc. rings opening bell at Toronto Stock Exchange

VANCOUVER, Oct. 22, 2018 /CNW/ – Astron Connect Inc. (the “Company” or “Astron”) (TSX-V:AST) will celebrate its recent listing on the TSX Venture Exchange by ringing the opening bell of the Toronto Stock Exchange on Monday, October 22nd, 2018. Astron Connect began trading on the TSX Venture on August 28, 2018.

Astron Connect CEO Randall Smallbone will be joined in ringing the opening bell by company founder and COO Bei Nie, senior management, directors, and key stakeholders.

“It’s an honour to be ringing the opening bell at the TSX, and a tribute to the hard work of our entire team to bring Astron to the public market,” said Randall Smallbone, President and CEO of Astron Connect. “With consumerism rising in China and the emerging world, there is a huge opportunity for us to bring Canadian food and beverage products to the growing middle- and upper-class in those countries.”

Astron Connect is the parent company of bottled water supplier Sachiel Water and Sachiel Connect, which helps Canadian food and beverage companies export their products to China and other emerging markets. The company uses its experience and networks in emerging markets to provide food and beverage makers and investors with access to international customers, who are increasingly wealthy and interested in authentic, healthy, and safe food products.

The opening bell ceremony will take place at **9:30am on October 22nd** and will be featured on TSX.com and TMX.com.

ABOUT ASTRON CONNECT

Astron Connect (TSX-V:AST) helps Canadian enterprises in the food and beverage industry break through the noise and bring their products to new international markets in the emerging world. Astron is the parent company of Sachiel Connect and Sachiel Water. Sachiel Connect brings Canadian food and beverage companies to the world through its extensive connections and export logistics capabilities in China and emerging markets. Sachiel Water supplies China and other emerging

markets with pure Canadian bottled spring water. For more information, visit www.astronconnect.com.

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