Kneat closes equity financings totalling over \$8.5M

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HALIFAX, Feb 20, 2019 /CNW/ – kneat.com, inc. (TSXV: KSI) ("Kneat" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has closed its previously announced short form prospectus offering, including the full exercise of the over-allotment option. As such, a total of 6,037,500 common shares of the Company were sold at a price of \$1.05 per common share (the "Issue Price") for aggregate gross proceeds of \$6,339,375 (the "Offering"). The Offering was completed by a syndicate of underwriters led by Cormark Securities Inc., and including Echelon Wealth Partners Inc. and Mackie Research Capital Corporation (collectively, the "Underwriters").

The Company also completed the non-brokered private placement of 2,074,437 common shares of the Company at the Issue Price for aggregate gross proceeds of \$2,178,159 (the "Private Placement"). The common shares issued pursuant to the Private Placement are subject to a statutory four month hold period in accordance with applicable securities laws.

In connection with the Offering, the Company paid the Underwriters cash fees totalling \$255,362.52 and issued 219,393 broker warrants, with each broker warrant exercisable into a common share at an exercise price of \$1.05 per share for a period of 24 months. In connection with the Private Placement, the Company paid cash finders fees totalling \$130,689.52 and issued 124,466 broker warrants, with each broker warrant exercisable into a common share at an exercise price of \$1.05 per share for a period of 24 months.

The Company intends to use the net proceeds of the Offering and the Private Placement for growth initiatives, working capital and general corporate purposes.

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About Kneat

Kneat, develops and markets the next generation Kneat Gx software platform. Multiple business processes can be configured on the platform from equipment to computer system validation, through to production record execution and quality document management. Kneat Gx allows users to author, review, approve, execute testing online, manage any exceptions and post approve final deliverables in a controlled FDA 21 CFR Part 11/ Eudralex Annex 11 compliant platform. Macro and micro report dashboards enable powerful oversight into all systems, projects and processes world wide. Customer case studies are reporting productivity improvements in excess of 100% and a higher compliance standard. For more information visit <u>www.kneat.com</u>.

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Except for the statements of historical fact contained herein, certain information presented constitutes "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities laws. Such forward-looking information, includes, but is not limited to, the relationship between Kneat and the customer, the Company's business development activities, the use of Kneat within the customer's manufacturing process, the ability to scale the use of Kneat within the customer and the compliance of the Kneat Gx platform under regulatory audit and inspection. While such forward-looking statements are expressed by the Company, as stated in this release, in good faith and believed by the Company to have a reasonable basis, they are subject to important risks and uncertainties. As a result of these risks and uncertainties, the events predicted in these forward-looking statements may differ materially from actual results or events. These forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, given that they involve risks and uncertainties. The Company does not undertake any obligation to release publicly revisions to any forward-looking statement, except as may be required under applicable securities laws. Investors should not assume that any lack of update to a previously issued forward-looking statement constitutes a reaffirmation of that statement. Continued reliance on forward-looking statements is at an investors' own risk.

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