# Kneat Announces \$35.0 Million Bought Deal Public Offering

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TORONTO, Sept. 23, 2024 /CNW/ - **kneat.com, inc.** (TSX: **KSI**) ("**Kneat**" or the "**Company**") is pleased to announce that it has entered into an agreement with a syndicate of investment dealers led by Cormark Securities Inc. (the "**Underwriters**") pursuant to which the Underwriters have agreed to purchase 7,368,500 common shares (the "**Common Shares**") from the treasury of the Company, at a price of \$4.75 per Common Share (the "**Offering Price**") and offer them to the public by way of short form prospectus for total gross proceeds of \$35,000,375 (the "**Offering**"). The Company has granted the Underwriters an option (the "**Over-Allotment Option**") to purchase up to an additional 1,052,600 Common Shares of the Offering on the same terms exercisable at any time up to 30 days following the closing of the Offering, for market stabilization purposes and to cover over-allotments, if any.

The Company intends to use the net proceeds of the offering for strategic initiatives in the areas of product development, partnerships and go to market, to strengthen its balance sheet and to provide options in relation to debt management.

Closing of the Offering is expected to occur on or about October 10, 2024 and is subject to regulatory approval including that of the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The Common Shares to be issued under the Offering will be offered by way of a short form prospectus in each of the Provinces of Canada, except Quebec, and may be offered in the United States on a private placement basis pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirements of the *United States Securities Act of 1933*, as amended, and applicable state securities laws, and certain other jurisdictions outside of Canada and the United States.

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#### About Kneat

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#### **Cautionary and Forward-Looking Statements**

Except for the statements of historical fact contained herein, certain information presented herein constitutes "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities laws. Such forward-looking information includes, but is not limited to, information relating to the proposed Offering and the use of proceeds. While such forward-looking statements are expressed by Kneat, as stated in this release, in good faith and believed by Kneat 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. Kneat 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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