



PRESS RELEASE

Protexin Wins Prestigious Award 2011 Queens Award Winners Announced

Probiotics manufacturer **Protexin** is delighted to announce that it has been named as one of the few winners of the Queen's Award for Enterprise 2011, for its continuous achievement in International Trade.

Awarded by The Queen, on the advice of the Prime Minister, David Cameron, The Queens Award for Enterprise is the UK's most prestigious award for business performance.

Commenting on the award, Protexin Commercial Director Jonathan Sowler said, *"To be awarded this prestigious award for our continuous achievements over a long period of time is something we are all very proud of. The dedication of all our employees to ensuring we continue to meet our aim of producing the most innovative and scientifically researched products available is recognised with this award from The Queen, and we look forward to even greater success in the future."*

Protexin are dedicated to producing innovative research based products of the highest quality for animals and humans.

Protexin has three main divisions, Human Health Care, Veterinary and Animal Healthcare; Protexin Health Care manufacturers leading probiotic product Bio-Kult through Doctors, Health Care Practitioners, Health Food Stores and Pharmacies throughout the world.

Protexin veterinary supplies products for companion animals through veterinary practices, and is the largest supplier of probiotic based products in Europe.

Animal Healthcare includes the well known probiotics brand for the equestrian market, Protexin Equine Premium.

Research into probiotic bacteria is of key importance to the success of the company and Protexin invest heavily in this area on projects with leading universities and research centres to advance this technology.

Products are manufactured in the UK at Protexin's new purpose built, state-of-the-art premises in Somerset.

Toby Lewis (Managing Director) and Jonathan Sowler (Commercial Director) have been invited to attend Her Majesty The Queens Reception at Buckingham Palace on Thursday 14th July to celebrate this prestigious award.

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Note to Editors: Protexin Further Information

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Our belief is that nature is an ideal source of effective healthcare solutions, and that applied research and understanding can harness these solutions to the benefit of both humans and animals. We also know that too much refining of natural elements can reduce their effectiveness. That's why all products that carry the Protexin name are developed under our guiding philosophy – ***science and nature in balance.***

In practice this means that the natural healthcare and probiotic supplements we manufacture are extensively researched for safety and efficacy. We work closely with leading universities, hospitals and research centres around the world on a range of ongoing research programmes. We are always looking to improve our products, but never compromise on their natural basis.

Protexin is a family owned business, which means that we are not constrained by the short term needs of individual shareholders and we can focus on the future with long term strategies for the good of all stakeholders.

Every product produced by Protexin is manufactured in our own purpose built, state-of-the-art facility in Somerset, UK. This allows us to be completely in control of our commitment to the highest quality standards. All products are subject to the same high standard of production and quality control as pharmaceutical products and we hold the following accreditations; cGMP, RPSGB, FEMAS, ISO 9001, each of which involves regular audits to ensure standards are maintained.

Protexin operates in a number of different areas:

Protexin Veterinary is a world leader in probiotic veterinary preparations and has numerous market leading products in the UK, Europe and the world. A team of highly qualified professionals in sales, technical support and marketing ensure we remain at the forefront of our industry.

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Protexin Health Care produce some of the most unique, innovate and highest quality probiotics in the UK. A team of highly qualified professionals in sales, technical support and marketing ensure we remain at the forefront of our industry.

www.bio-kult.com

Protexin Animal Health includes our agricultural division as well as our equine division. Our probiotic feed additives are used extensively around the world as a safe and effective alternative to antibiotic growth promoters.

www.protexin.com

Protexin Equine Premium is a unique range of probiotic supplements, specially formulated for horses and is used by many of the top riders including the British Olympic teams.

www.equinepremium.com

You can be confident that whether you buy a Protexin product for yourself, your family or your animals, you are getting the highest quality, natural products backed by effective science.

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