



COMPANY STATEMENT

JEAN-MARC STEENS, M.D., DECIDES TO END HIS CAREER AT ABIVAX

PARIS, France, July 2, 2021 – After more than 5 years as Chief Medical Officer at Abivax, Jean-Marc Steens, M.D., has decided to end his career at Abivax.

Mr. Steens joined Abivax in 2015 as Chief Medical Officer to supervise Abivax's HIV program and subsequently managed the clinical transition of lead compound ABX464 into late-stage clinical testing in chronic inflammatory diseases. In particular, together with Paul Gineste and under the leadership of Hartmut Ehrlich, he was co-responsible for the development and implementation of Abivax's inflammatory bowel disease program that generated positive phase 2b safety and efficacy data in patients with ulcerative colitis earlier this year.

Abivax would like to thank him for his contribution and wishes him the best in his new endeavors.

Sophie Biguenet, M.D., has joined Abivax as the new Chief Medical Officer.