Research Findings concerning Anti-Wrinkle, Anti-Sagging and Anti-Microbial Actions by Functional Peptides, "COSMEPEPTINTM"

- Findings on COSMEPEPTINTM Reported at Nikkei BP Health & Beauty Seminar -

AnGes MG, Inc. and a study group led by Professor Morishita at Osaka University have been developing functional peptides which have various physiological actions. The research findings on a functional peptide, "COSMEPEPTINTM" were presented at Health & Beauty Seminar, organized by Nikkei Business and Publications, Inc. on November 23. The content of the presentation are described below:

Currently, AnGes Healthcare Science Inc., a subsidiary of AnGes MG in partnership with St. Louis International, Inc. is pursing development of cosmetics and is developing functional peptides with actions to smooth wrinkles and prevent skin sagging, such as collagen and hyaluronic acid production actions. It became evident that the newly developed COSMEPEPTINTM is a functional peptide with a)anti-wrinkle action by proliferation of a dermal component, fibroblast cells, enhanced hyaluronic acid production and fibroblast cell activation, b)skin sagging prevention action by collagen gel contraction, and c)anti-microbial action against acne bacteria and Staphylococcus aureus which cause skin problems.

AnGes Healthcare Science plans to pursue development of healthcare products, making full use of COSMEPEPTINTM's characteristics.

Meanwhile, this trend will have no effect on the business performance for the fiscal year of 2011.

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