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PRESS RELEASE

Cellavent harnesses the power of fermentation to unlock potential of turmeric

Cellavent has entered the fermented botanical space with a powerful new organic turmeric that offers a wide range of health benefits and organoleptic properties.

fermentlife® Turmeric provides all the health benefits of turmeric, such as the antioxidant properties of curcuminoids. However, thanks to Cellavent's new controlled fermentation process, it also boasts a full matrix of other bioactive ingredients, including postbiotics and paraprobiotics.

The result is a new kind of turmeric, with a range of benefits for gut health and superior bioavailability, as well as improved taste, smell and solubility. Available globally, it is certified organic in the EU* and has applications in both nutraceuticals and food.

fermentlife® Turmeric is created with three certified Lactobacillus strains, which produce numerous metabolites during the fermentation process. It complements turmeric's mechanism of action with postbiotics and paraprobiotics (probiotics that confer a benefit despite being inactivated), positively impacting on gut health and general wellness, as well as improving bioactivity. It also contains a range of other bioactive ingredients, including essential oils, saponins and peptides.

The launch marks Cellavent's first venture into the fermented botanical sector. The company's new **ferment**life® business unit will combine traditional fermentation methods with advanced technology. In order to create the new range, Cellavent developed a large-scale, highly controlled fermentation process, with the potential to be reproduced for custom developments for the company's customers.

Marcus Haag, CEO of Cellavent, said: "When we set out to create **ferment**life®, our goal wasn't just to increase bioavailability or curcuminoid content, but to offer the full spectrum of turmeric's unique bioactive profile. We knew that fermentation was the key to unlocking that potential, but we also knew that getting the process right was crucial. Over the course of two years, we've developed a highly controlled fermentation system. This is just the beginning, because we now have technology in place that will allow us to create new and unique fermented products for a healthier world. And because our capabilities are reproducible and scalable, our customers will have opportunities to do the same."

fermentlife® is ideal for a range of nutraceutical applications, including powders, capsules and liquids. It can also enhance the taste, texture and smell of a range of everyday foods, including

baked goods, spices, snack and pet food, and is available as a paste which is ideally suited for healthy spreads, dips and food service applications.

Find out more at: https://ferment-life.com/

* DE-ÖKO-006, certified in Germany via ABCert

About Cellavent Ingredients

Cellavent Ingredients is based in Düsseldorf, Germany, and part of Cellavent Healthcare. Since 2013, Cellavent has specialized in the development and commercialization of high-quality nutritional supplements and preventative health products. Today, Cellavent Healthcare markets seven nutrition brands, and a portfolio of over 20 products within its healthcare and ingredients divisions. To achieve its goal of making a difference for human health, it:

- seeks out the best raw materials
- develops effective formulations in co-operation with independent research institutions
- produces in state-of-the-art, pharmaceutical-grade facilities

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