

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## High Tide Announces Purchases of Shares by Insiders

CALGARY, AB, March 30, 2023 /CNW/ – High Tide Inc. ("**High Tide**" or the "**Company**") (NASDAQ: HITI) (TSXV: HITI) (FSE: 2LYA), the high impact, retail-forward enterprise built to deliver real-world value across every component of cannabis, announced today that certain officers, directors, and consultants led by the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer, in the aggregate, acquired 258,921 common shares in the capital of High Tide ("**Common Shares**") on the open market between March 24 and March 29 at an average price of \$1.59 per Common Share. The purchase of Common Shares by certain officers, directors, and consultants reflects confidence in the intrinsic value of the stock and the nearterm and long-term growth prospects of the Company. With these purchases, insiders and certain consultants, in the aggregate, now own or control 7,222,342 Common Shares, representing approximately 9.67% of the Company's issued and outstanding Common Shares as of March 29, 2023.

## ABOUT HIGH TIDE

High Tide, Inc. is the leading community-grown, retail-forward cannabis enterprise engineered to unleash the full value of the world's most powerful plant. High Tide (HITI) is uniquely-built around the cannabis consumer, with wholly-diversified and fully-integrated operations across all components of cannabis, including:

*Bricks* & *Mortar Retail*: Canna Cabana<sup>™</sup> is the largest non-franchised cannabis retail chain in Canada, with 151 current locations spanning British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario and growing. In 2021, Canna Cabana became the first cannabis discount club retailer in North America.

*Retail Innovation*: Fastendr<sup>™</sup> is a unique and fully automated technology that integrates retail kiosks and smart lockers to facilitate a better buying experience through browsing, ordering and pickup.

*E-commerce Platforms*: High Tide operates a suite of leading accessory sites across the world, including Grasscity.com, Smokecartel.com, Dailyhighclub.com, and Dankstop.com.

*CBD*: High Tide continues to cultivate the possibilities of consumer CBD through Nuleafnaturals.com, FABCBD.com and BlessedCBD.co.uk.

*Wholesale Distribution*: High Tide keeps that cannabis category stocked with wholesale solutions via Valiant<sup>™</sup>.

*Licensing:* High Tide continues to push cannabis culture forward through fresh partnerships and license agreements under the Famous Brand<sup>™</sup> name.



High Tide consistently moves ahead of the currents, having been named one of Canada's Top Growing Companies in both 2021 and 2022 by the Globe and Mail's Report on Business Magazine and was ranked number one in the retail category on the Financial Times list of Americas' Fastest Growing Companies for 2023. To discover the full impact of High Tide, visit www.hightideinc.com. For investment performance, don't miss the High Tide profile pages on SEDAR and EDGAR.

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