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**NEWS RELEASE**

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**Ingredion Announces Kinetik Technologies as U.S. Distribution Partner for its Ingredient Solutions in Beauty and Personal Care Products**

WESTCHESTER, Ill., June 13, 2018 – Ingredion Incorporated, a global provider of ingredient solutions, today announced Kinetik Technologies as the Company’s U.S. distribution partner. Kinetik, a leading-edge distributor of raw materials for the beauty and personal care industry, will help make Ingredion’s plant-based ingredient solutions available to more small and midsize manufacturers.

“Partnering with Kinetik strategically allows us to expand our reach to beauty and personal care manufacturers who want to enhance the performance of conditioners for softer hair, make lathers richer and deliver more effective oil-absorbing powders, while reducing synthetic chemicals in their products,” said Elaine Harris, senior manager, business development, North America, Beauty and Home, Ingredion Incorporated.

Harris adds, “Products to be distributed include Ingredion’s new NATIVACARE™ naturally-based polymer range, which meets the COSMOS standard to be ECOCERT natural and ECOCERT organic certified. The polymer helps deliver effective rheology and sensory performance with no chemical modifications for the clean label appeal that consumers want in their personal hygiene and cosmetic products. In addition, our FARMAL® plant-based polymers help enable excellent flowability, deliver superior oil absorption, and enhance skin feel, leaving a soft, matte finish in powder applications. For superior conditioning and deposition properties on hair and skin, PENCARE™ bio-based polymer helps achieve better performance than traditional synthetic ingredients.”

“Kinetik specializes in naturally active and functional ingredients of the highest quality through extensive technical and commercial capabilities,” said Christopher Johnson, managing director, Kinetik Technologies. “With the addition of Ingredion’s broad portfolio of plant-based ingredient solutions, we can now help our customers in their pursuit to bring more clean label alternatives to the beauty and personal care market.”

Ingredion offers a versatile range of ingredient solutions for the beauty and personal care industry – from naturally-based and modified polymers to specialty gums, polyols and more. To learn more about Ingredion’s ingredient solutions or to find out how the beauty care experts at Ingredion Idea Labs® innovation centers use science-based problem-solving to boost the appeal of your products, contact Ingredion at 1-800-713-0208 or visit [www.ingredion.us/applications/beautyandhome](http://www.ingredion.us/applications/beautyandhome). Or, contact Kinetik at 732-335-5775 or visit [www.kinetiktech.com](http://www.kinetiktech.com)

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### **About Ingredion**

Ingredion Incorporated (NYSE: INGR) headquartered in the suburbs of Chicago, is a leading global ingredient solutions provider serving customers in more than 120 countries. With annual net sales of nearly \$6 billion, the company turns grains, fruits, vegetables and other plant materials into value-added ingredients and biomaterial solutions for the food, beverage, personal care, home care, paper, brewing and other industries. With 27 Ingredion Idea Labs® innovation centers around the world and more than 11,000 employees, the Company develops ingredient solutions to meet consumers' evolving needs by making lotions feel luxurious, crackers crunchy, yogurt creamy, candy sweet, paper stronger, and adding fiber to nutrition bars. For more information, visit [Ingredion.com](http://Ingredion.com).

### **About Ingredion Idea Labs**

Ingredion Idea Labs® science-based problem-solving fosters ideas, innovations and solutions to help customers differentiate their products, optimize costs and get to market faster with greater success and profitability. Our network of 27 labs invites spirited collaboration through consumer insights, applied research, applications know-how and process technology. Visit [www.ingredionidealabs.com](http://www.ingredionidealabs.com).

### **About Kinetik Technologies**

Kinetik Technologies provides innovative raw materials to the personal care industry. As a supplier of high-quality specialty ingredients from around the globe, they strive to exceed the development and marketing needs of their customers and, whenever possible, do so using sustainably sourced, high-quality functional and active ingredients. Through strategic international alliances, Kinetik offers an extensive line of functional and active raw materials: “non-traditional” preservatives, high-performance actives, PEG-free emulsifiers, novel surfactants—and much more. Explore the opportunities their ingredients can bring to your product development process. For a complete list of the exciting materials Kinetik offers, please visit their website [www.kinetiktech.com](http://www.kinetiktech.com).