



**TSX-V: CST**

Outstanding Shares: 79,687,836

*For Immediate Release*

## **CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions Announces Funding from the National Research Council Canada**

**Quebec City, Quebec**, January 15, 2013 – CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions Inc. (TSX-V:CST), an innovator in the field of enzyme-enabled carbon capture technology, today announced it will receive \$348,000 in non-reimbursable funding from the National Research Council (NRC) Canada's Industrial Research Assistance Program (IRAP). The funding will be used to support the ongoing development of CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions' technology, including enzyme evolution and enzyme management process optimization work and will be disbursed over the next twelve months.

"This funding demonstrates our ability to secure financial backing from multiple sources in order to develop and commercialize our low-cost carbon capture technology," said Glenn Kelly, President and Chief Executive Officer of CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions. "NRC-IRAP's commitment enables CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions to drive further optimization of our technology for commercial application."

### **About CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions Inc.**

CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions is an innovator in the field of enzyme-enabled carbon capture and has been actively working to develop and commercialize the technology for stationary sources of carbon pollution. CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions' technology lowers the cost barrier to Carbon Capture, Sequestration and Utilization (CCSU), positioning it as a viable CO<sub>2</sub> mitigation tool, as well as enabling industry to derive profitable new products from these emissions. CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions has built an extensive patent portfolio covering the use of carbonic anhydrase, or analogues thereof, for the efficient post-combustion capture of carbon dioxide with low-energy aqueous solvents. Further information can be found at [www.co2solutions.com](http://www.co2solutions.com)

### **CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions Forward-looking Statements**

Certain statements in this news release may be forward-looking. These statements relate to future events or CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions' future economic performance and reflect the current assumptions and expectations of management. Certain unknown factors may affect the events, economic performance and results of operations described herein. CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as may be required under applicable law.

### **Investor Relations and Media Contact:**

#### **CO<sub>2</sub> Solutions:**

Thom Skinner  
418-842-3456, ext. 223  
[thom.skinner@co2solutions.com](mailto:thom.skinner@co2solutions.com)  
[www.co2solutions.com](http://www.co2solutions.com)

or

#### **TMX Equicom**

Adam Peeler  
416-815-0700, ext. 225  
[apeeler@equicomgroup.com](mailto:apeeler@equicomgroup.com)

***Neither the TSX Venture Exchange nor its Regulation Services Provider (as that term is defined in the policies of the TSX Venture Exchange) accepts responsibility for the adequacy or accuracy of this release.***