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## FY2021 Audited Financial Results Important Changes

**Fremont, California and Sydney, Australia; 31 March 2022** – Pivotal Systems Corporation (“Pivotal” or the “Company”) (ASX: PVS), a leading provider of innovative gas flow control (“GFC”) solutions to the semiconductor industry, today announces that following the finalization of the audit of the Company’s financial results for the full year ended 31 December 2021 (FY2021) some important changes have been made to the preliminary financial information that was released by the Company to ASX on 25 February 2022 in the Company’s Appendix 4E - Preliminary Final Report. These changes have now been incorporated into the Company’s audited FY2021 financial results which are included in the Company’s FY2021 Annual Report released to the ASX together with this announcement.

All changes shown below are non-cash by nature.

1. The expensing of all NASDAQ-related IPO costs of US\$2.19 million, which was previously classified in the Preliminary Final Report as a deferred offering costs under non-current assets;
2. A US\$241,000 adjustment of COGS and inventory to reflect a reallocation of purchase price variance between COGS and inventory, with the net effect a gross margin reduction from 31.3% as previously reported to 30.4%; and
3. A US\$168,000 reversal of other income related to a gain on a successful litigation case against a circuit board provider, as it is considered a gain contingency.

The net effect these changes will have on the Company’s financial position is that the Company’s previously reported unaudited net loss after tax of US\$4.6 million increases to US\$7.2 million (audited). The adjustments above do not impact the Company’s product revenue for the FY2021 period of US\$27.7 million or total recorded revenue of US\$29.2 million (audited). It is also useful to note that these changes reflect a conservative approach to US GAAP reporting requirements and, in the case of the gain contingency, does not mean the company is foregoing expected payment.

The Company continues to actively explore a NASDAQ listing which will leverage expended IPO costs. However, the recent A\$14.8 million pro-rata accelerated non-renounceable entitlement offer has removed the requirement for raising additional funds via a NASDAQ IPO in the short term, coupled with the potential dilutionary impacts at the current share price of such an initiative. As a result, the Board in consultation with its auditors agreed to expense those costs in the year in which they were incurred (i.e., FY2021).

***THIS RELEASE DATED 31 MARCH 2022 HAS BEEN AUTHORISED FOR LODGEMENT TO ASX BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF PIVOTAL SYSTEMS.***

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**About Pivotal Systems Corporation (ASX: PVS)**

Pivotal Systems Corporation (ARBN 626 346 325), is a company incorporated in Delaware, USA, whose stockholders have limited liability. Pivotal Systems provides the best-in-class gas flow monitoring and control technology platform for the global semiconductor industry. The Company's proprietary hardware and software utilizes advanced machine learning to enable preventative diagnostic capability resulting in an order of magnitude increase in fab productivity and capital efficiency for existing and future technology nodes. For more information on Pivotal Systems Corporation, visit <https://www.pivotalsys.com/>.

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