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SKINVISIBLE, INC. 6320 SOUTH SANDHILL ROAD, SUITE 10 LAS VEGAS, NV 89120

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 26, 2018

TO SKINVISIBLE'S STOCKHOLDERS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting (the "Special Meeting") of stockholders of Skinvisible, Inc., a Nevada corporation (referred to herein as "we", "us", or "Skinvisible"), will be held at 10:00 a.m., local time, on November 26, 2018, at 6320 South Sandhill Road, Suite 10, Las Vegas, NV 89120, for the following purposes, as more fully described in the Proxy Statement accompanying this notice:

To adopt an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization (the "Merger Agreement") by and among Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Quoin"), Skinvisible and Skinvisible's wholly owned subsidiary, Quoin Merger Sub, Inc. ("Merger Sub"), the transaction contemplated by the Merger Agreement is known as the "Merger";

To amend Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation to effect a Reverse Split (the "Reverse Split") of Skinvisible issued and outstanding common stock by a ratio of not less than one-for-ten and not more than one-for-one hundred, with the exact ratio to be set at a whole number within this range, as determined by Skinvisible's board of directors in its sole discretion:

(3) To approve an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of Skinvisible which changes its name to Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc. at the effective time of the Merger (the "Name Change"); and To approve a proposal to adjourn the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary, to permit further (4) solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, Skinvisible is not authorized to consummate the transactions contemplated by the aforementioned proposals.

Stockholders who owned shares of Skinvisible's common stock at the close of business on October 19, 2018 are entitled to receive notice of, attend and vote at the Special Meeting and any adjournment or postponement thereof.

Your vote is important. Whether or not you plan to attend the Special Meeting, please vote as soon as possible. You may vote by mailing a completed proxy card, by telephone or online. For specific voting instructions, please refer to the information provided in the following Proxy Statement, together with your proxy card or the voting instructions you receive by e-mail.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Skinvisible, Inc.

By: /s/ Terry H. Howlett
Terry H. Howlett
President & Chief Executive Officer
October 19, 2018

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Special Meeting of Stockholders to be held on November 26, 2018. The Proxy Statement is available at https://materials.proxyvote.com/830703.

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SKINVISIBLE, INC. 6320 SOUTH SANDHILL ROAD, SUITE 10 LAS VEGAS, NV 89120

#### PROXY STATEMENT

For the Special Meeting of Stockholders to be held on November 26, 2018

Your proxy is being solicited on behalf of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Skinvisible, Inc., a Nevada corporation, for use at the Special Meeting of Stockholders (the "Special Meeting") to be held at 10:00 a.m. local time on November 26, 2018, or at any adjournment or postponement thereof, for the purposes set forth in this Proxy Statement. The Special Meeting will be held at for the following purposes:

- To adopt an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization (the "Merger Agreement") by and among Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Quoin"), Skinvisible and Skinvisible's wholly owned subsidiary, Quoin Merger Sub, Inc. ("Merger Sub"), the transaction contemplated by the Merger Agreement is known as the "Merger";
- To amend Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation to effect a Reverse Split (the "Reverse Split") of Skinvisible's issued and outstanding common stock by a ratio of not less than one-for-ten and not more than one-for-one hundred, with the exact ratio to be set at a whole number within this range, as determined by Skinvisible's board of directors in its sole discretion:
  - (3) To approve an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of Skinvisible which changes its name to Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc. at the effective time of the Merger; and

To approve a proposal to adjourn the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary, to permit further (4) solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, Skinvisible is not authorized to consummate the transactions contemplated by the aforementioned proposals.

These proxy materials are first being provided on or about October 24, 2018 to all stockholders as of the record date, October 19, 2018. Stockholders who owned Skinvisible's common stock at the close of business on October 19, 2018 are entitled to receive notice of, attend and vote at the Special Meeting. On the record date, there were 144,830,920 shares of Skinvisible's common stock outstanding.

All proxies will be voted in accordance with the instructions contained on those proxies, and if no choice is specified, the proxies will be voted in favor of each matter set forth in the accompanying Notice of Special Meeting. Any proxy may be revoked by a stockholder at any time before it is exercised by delivery of written revocation to Skinvisible's corporate secretary.

Unless otherwise indicated, (i) all references to "Skinvisible," "us" or "we" means Skinvisible, Inc. and all references to the "Combined Company" means Skinvisible after the closing of the Merger and its name change to Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

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#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This proxy statement/prospectus, including information incorporated by reference into this proxy statement/prospectus, includes forward-looking statements regarding, among other things, Skinvisible's and Quoin's plans, strategies and prospects, both business and financial. Although Skinvisible and Quoin believe that their plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by these forward-looking statements are reasonable, neither Skinvisible nor Quoin can assure you that either will achieve or realize these plans, intentions or expectations. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, without limitation, the factors described under "Risk Factors" from time to time in Skinvisible's filings with the SEC. All statements other than statements of historical fact are statements that could be deemed forward-looking statements.

Many of the forward-looking statements contained in this presentation may be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "believe", "expect", "anticipate", "should", "planned", "will", "may", "intend", "estimated", "a "target", "opportunity", "tentative", "positioning", "designed", "create", "predict", "project", "seek", "would", "could", "conting "upside", "increases" and "potential", among others. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements we make in this presentation are set forth in other reports or documents that we file from time to time with the SEC, and include, but are not limited to:

the number and percentage of Skinvisible's public stockholders voting against the proposals set forth in this proxy statement;

the occurrence of any event, change or other circumstances that could give rise to the termination of the Merger Agreement;

changes adversely affecting the business in which Skinvisible or Quoin are engaged;

management of growth;

general economic conditions;

Quoin's business strategy and plans;

the result of future financing efforts; and

and the other factors summarized under the section entitled "Risk Factors".

You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this proxy statement/prospectus. All forward-looking statements included herein attributable to any of Skinvisible, Quoin or any person acting on either party's behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the cautionary statements contained or referred to in this section.

For a discussion of the factors that may cause Skinvisible's or Quoin's actual results, performance or achievements to differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied in such forward-looking statements, see "Risk Factors" beginning on page 17.

If any of these risks or uncertainties materializes or any of these assumptions proves incorrect, the actual results of Skinvisible or Quoin could differ materially from the forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements in this proxy statement are current only as of the date on which the statements were made. Skinvisible and Quoin do not undertake any obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances after the date on which any statement is made or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

Before a stockholder grants its proxy or instructs how its vote should be cast or vote on the merger proposal, or the adjournment proposal, it should be aware that the occurrence of the events described in the "Risk Factors" section and elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus may adversely affect Skinvisible and Quoin.

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#### **VOTING AND RELATED MATTERS**

### **Voting Procedures**

As a stockholder of Skinvisible, you have a right to vote on certain business matters affecting us. The proposals that will be presented at the Special Meeting and upon which you are being asked to vote are discussed below. Each share of Skinvisible's common stock you owned as of the record date entitles you to one vote on each proposal presented at the Special Meeting.

#### Methods of Voting

You may vote over the Internet, by telephone, by mail or in person at the Special Meeting.

**Voting over the Internet**. You can vote via the Internet. The website address for Internet voting and the instructions for voting are provided on your proxy card. You will need to use the control number appearing on your proxy card to vote via the Internet. If you vote via the Internet, you do not need to vote by telephone or return a proxy card.

**Voting by Telephone**. You can vote by telephone by calling the toll-free telephone number provided on your proxy card. You will need to use the control number appearing on your proxy card to vote by telephone. If you vote by telephone, you do not need to vote over the Internet or return a proxy card.

**Voting by Mail**. You can vote by marking, dating and signing your proxy card, and returning it in the postage-paid envelope provided. Please promptly mail your proxy card to ensure that it is received prior to the closing of the polls at the Special Meeting.

**Voting in Person at the Meeting**. If you attend the Special Meeting and plan to vote in person, we will provide you with a ballot at the Special Meeting. If your shares are registered directly in your name, you are considered the stockholder of record, and you have the right to vote in person at the Special Meeting. If your shares are held in the name of your broker or other nominee, you are considered the beneficial owner of shares held in street name. As a beneficial owner, if you wish to vote at the Special Meeting, you will need to bring to the Special Meeting a legal proxy from your broker or other nominee authorizing you to vote those shares.

## **Revoking Your Proxy**

You may revoke your proxy at any time before it is voted at the Special Meeting. To do this, you must:

enter a new vote over the Internet or by telephone, or by signing and returning a replacement proxy card:

provide written notice by November 23, 2018 of the revocation to Skinvisible's Corporate Secretary at Skinvisible's principal executive offices, which are located at 6320 South Sandhill Road, Suite 10, Las Vegas, NV 89120; or attend the Special Meeting and vote in person.

### Quorum and Voting Requirements

Stockholders of record at the close of business on October 19, 2018 are entitled to receive notice and vote at the meeting. On the record date, there were 144,830,920 issued and outstanding shares of Skinvisible's common stock. Each holder of Skinvisible's common stock voting at the meeting, either in person or by proxy, may cast one vote per share of common stock held on each of the matters to be voted on at the meeting.

The presence, in person or by proxy, of the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of common stock entitled to vote constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business at the meeting. Assuming that a quorum is present, the following table summarizes the voting requirements to approve each proposal:

Proposal	Vote Required	Discretionary Voting Allowed
Proposal No. 1 — To approve the Merger Agreement.	The affirmative vote of a majority of the votes cast at the Special Meeting.	No
Proposal No. 2 — To amend Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation to effect Reverse Split (the "Reverse Split") of Skinvisible's issued and outstanding common stock by a ratio of not less than one-for-ten and not more than one-for-one hundred, with the exact ratio to be set at a whole number within this range, as determined by Skinvisible's board of directors in its sole discretion.	a The affirmative vote of a majority of the outstanding shares of common stock.	No
Proposal No. 3 — To approve an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation Skinvisible which changes its name to Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc. at the effective time of the Merger.	The affirmative vote of of a majority of the outstanding shares of common stock.	No
Proposal No. 4 — To approve a proposal to adjourn the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary, to permit further solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, Skinvisible is not authorized to consummate the transactions contemplated by the aforementioned proposals.	The affirmative vote of a majority of the votes cast at the Special Meeting.	Yes

Votes cast by proxy or in person at the meeting will be tabulated by the election inspectors appointed for the meeting. Such inspectors will also determine whether a quorum is present. The election inspectors will treat abstentions as shares that are present and entitled to vote for purposes of determining the presence of a quorum, but as unvoted for purposes of

determining the approval of any matter submitted to the stockholders for a vote. Accordingly, abstentions will have no effect on whether Proposal No. 1 and Proposal No. 4, are approved at the Special Meeting. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote "AGAINST" Proposal No. 2 and Proposal No. 3.

If your shares are held in street name and you do not instruct your broker on how to vote your shares, your brokerage firm, in its discretion, is permitted to either leave your shares unvoted or vote your shares on matters that are considered routine.

Proposal No. 4 is considered a routine matter while Proposal No. 1, Proposal No. 2 and Proposal No. 3 are considered non-routine matters. Consequently, without your voting instructions, your brokerage firm will not be able to vote your shares on Proposal No. 1, Proposal No. 2 and Proposal No. 3. These unvoted shares, called "broker non-votes," refer to shares held by brokers who have not received voting instructions from their clients and who do not have discretionary authority to vote on non-routine matters. Broker non-votes will not be counted as shares that are present and entitled to vote for purposes of determining the presence of a quorum.

Assuming that a quorum is present, broker non-votes (i) will have no effect on whether Proposal No. 1 and Proposal No. 4 are approved at the Special Meeting and (ii) will have the same effect as a vote "AGAINST" each of Proposal No. 2 and Proposal No. 3.

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#### Voting of Proxies

When a proxy is properly executed and returned, the shares it represents will be voted at the Special Meeting as directed. If no specification is indicated, the shares will be voted:

- (1) "FOR" Proposal No. 1 to approve the Merger Agreement;
- (2) "FOR" Proposal No. 2 to approve the Reverse Split;
- (3) "FOR" Proposal No. 3 to approve an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of Skinvisible which changes the name of Skinvisible, Inc. to "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc.";
- "FOR" Proposal No. 4 to approve a proposal to adjourn the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary, to (4) permit further solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, Skinvisible is not authorized to consummate the transactions contemplated by the aforementioned proposals; and (5) at the discretion of your proxies on any other matter that may be properly brought before the Special Meeting.

### Voting Confidentiality

Proxies, ballots and voting tabulations are handled on a confidential basis to protect your voting privacy. This information will not be disclosed, except as required by law.

## Voting Results

Voting results will be announced at the Special Meeting and published in a Form 8-K to be filed within four (4) business days after the Special Meeting.

#### Householding of Proxy Materials

In a further effort to reduce printing costs and postage fees, we have adopted a practice approved by the SEC called "householding." Under this practice, stockholders who have the same address and last name and do not participate in electronic delivery of proxy materials will receive only one copy of Skinvisible's proxy materials, unless one or more of these stockholders notifies us that he or she wishes to continue receiving individual copies.

We will promptly deliver a separate copy of these proxy materials to any stockholder upon written or oral request to Skinvisible's Corporate Secretary by mail at 6320 South Sandhill Road, Suite 10, Las Vegas, NV 89120 or by phone at (702) 433-7154.

If: (1) you share an address with another stockholder and received only one set of proxy materials, and would like to request a separate paper copy of these materials; or (2) you share an address with another stockholder and in the future together you would like to receive only a single paper copy of these materials, please notify Skinvisible's Corporate Secretary by mail at 6320 South Sandhill Road, Suite 10, Las Vegas, NV 89120 or by phone at (702) 433-7154.

If you have previously elected to receive Skinvisible's proxy materials electronically, you will continue to receive these materials via e-mail unless you elect otherwise.

### **Proxy Solicitation**

We will bear the cost of this solicitation. In addition, we may reimburse brokerage firms and other persons representing beneficial owners of shares for reasonable expenses incurred in forwarding solicitation materials to such beneficial owners. Proxies also may be solicited by Skinvisible's directors, officers or employees, personally, or by mail, facsimile, telephone, messenger or via the Internet, without additional compensation.

### **Available Information**

Skinvisible's website, www.Skinvisible.com, provides access, without charge, to Skinvisible's annual report on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, current reports on Form 8-K, and all amendments to those reports as soon as reasonably practicable after such material is electronically filed with the SEC. The information provided on Skinvisible's website is not part of this report, and is therefore not incorporated by reference unless such information is otherwise specifically referenced elsewhere in this report.

Materials filed by Skinvisible with the SEC may be read and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room at 100 F Street, NE, Washington, D.C. 20549. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330. The SEC also maintains a website at www.sec.gov that contains reports, proxy and information statements, and other information regarding Skinvisible's company that we file electronically with the SEC.

#### SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules of the SEC. In computing the number of shares beneficially owned by a person and the percentage of ownership of that person, shares of common stock subject to options and warrants held by that person that are currently exercisable or become exercisable within 60 days of October 18, 2018 are deemed outstanding even if they have not actually been exercised. Those shares, however, are not deemed outstanding for the purpose of computing the percentage ownership of any other person.

The following table sets forth, as of October 18, 2018 the beneficial ownership of Skinvisible's common stock by each executive officer and director, by each person known by us to beneficially own more than 5% of Skinvisible's common stock and by the executive officers and directors as a group.

Title		
of Name and address of beneficial owner (1)	Amount of beneficial ownership(2)	Percent of class <sup>(3)</sup>
class		
<b>Executive Officers &amp; Directors:</b>		
CohemyrHowlett <sup>(4)</sup>	151,685,787 shares	53%
CdDarvionSt. James <sup>(5)</sup>	100,000 shares	Less than 1%
<b>Total of All Directors and Executive</b>	151,785,787 shares	53%
Officers:	151,/05,/0/ shares	33%
More Than 5% Beneficial Owners:		
Lutz Family Trust <sup>(6)</sup>		
	10,998,300 shares	7.8%
8322 West Tonto Lane, Peoria, AZ 85382		
Doreen McMorran <sup>(7)</sup>	159,024,409 shares	53%

- Except as otherwise indicated, the address of each person named in this table is c/o Skinvisible, Inc., 6320 South Sandhill Road, Suite 10, Las Vegas, Nevada 89120.
  - As used in this table, "beneficial ownership" means the sole or shared power to vote, or to direct the voting of, a security, or the sole or shared investment power with respect to a security (i.e., the power
- (2) to dispose of, or to direct the disposition of, a security). In addition, for purposes of this table, a person is deemed, as of any date, to have "beneficial ownership" of any security that such person has the right to acquire within 60 days after such date.
- (3) Except as otherwise indicated, all shares are owned directly and the percentage shown is based on 140,977,600 shares of common stock issued and outstanding on October 18, 2018.

  Includes 7,723,248 shares held in his name as indicated on Skinvisible's shareholder list, and 143,962,539 shares of common stock that may be acquired upon exercise of outstanding convertible
- promissory notes and stock options. These derivative securities are comprised of 139,262,539 shares that may be issued upon conversion of outstanding convertible promissory notes and 4,700,000 options to purchase common stock, and all such rights are exercisable within sixty days of October 18, 2018.
- (5) Includes an option to purchase 100,000 shares of common stock at \$0.035 per share.
- As stated in the reporting person's Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 25, 2010.
- (7) Includes 1,800,000 shares held in her name as indicated on Skinvisible's shareholder list, and 157,224,409 shares of common stock that may be acquired upon exercise of outstanding convertible

promissory notes and stock options. These derivative securities are comprised of 154,824,409 shares that may be issued upon conversion of outstanding convertible promissory notes and 2,400,000 options to purchase common stock, and all such rights are exercisable within sixty days of October 18, 2018.

### MARKET PRICES AND DIVIDEND DATA

#### Market Information

Skinvisible's common stock is quoted under the symbol "SKVI" on the OTCQB operated by OTC Markets Group, Inc.

Only a limited market exists for Skinvisible's securities. There is no assurance that a regular trading market will develop, or if developed, that it will be sustained. Therefore, a shareholder may be unable to resell his securities in Skinvisible.

The following table sets forth the range of high and low bid quotations for Skinvisible's common stock for each of the periods indicated as reported by the OTCQB. These quotations reflect inter-dealer prices, without retail mark-up, mark-down or commission and may not necessarily represent actual transactions.

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2017			
Quarter Ended	High \$	Low \$	
December 31, 2017	0.1095	0.035	
September 30, 2017	0.1	0.02	
June 30, 2017	0.0365	0.02	
March 31, 2017	0.045	0.025	

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2016			
Quarter Ended	High \$	Low \$	
December 31, 2016	0.0289	0.0081	
September 30, 2016	0.0236	0.0068	
June 30, 2016	0.02	0.0042	
March 31, 2016	0.032	0.0136	

On October 18, 2018, the last sales price per share of Skinvisible's common stock on the OTCQB was \$0.0279.

## Penny Stock

The SEC has adopted rules that regulate broker-dealer practices in connection with transactions in penny stocks. Penny stocks are generally equity securities with a market price of less than \$5.00, other than securities registered on certain national securities exchanges or quoted on the NASDAQ system, provided that current price and volume information with respect to transactions in such securities is provided by the exchange or system. The penny stock rules require a broker-dealer, prior to a transaction in a penny stock, to deliver a standardized risk disclosure document prepared by the SEC, that: (a) contains a description of the nature and level of risk in the market for penny stocks in both public offerings and secondary trading; (b) contains a description of the broker's or dealer's duties to the customer and of the rights and remedies available to the customer with respect to a violation of such duties or other requirements of the securities laws; (c) contains a brief, clear, narrative description of a dealer market, including bid and ask prices for penny stocks and the significance of the spread between the bid and ask price; (d) contains a

toll-free telephone number for inquiries on disciplinary actions; (e) defines significant terms in the disclosure document or in the conduct of trading in penny stocks; and (f) contains such other information and is in such form, including language, type size and format, as the SEC shall require by rule or regulation.

The broker-dealer also must provide, prior to effecting any transaction in a penny stock, the customer with (a) bid and offer quotations for the penny stock; (b) the compensation of the broker-dealer and its salesperson in the transaction; (c) the number of shares to which such bid and ask prices apply, or other comparable information relating to the depth and liquidity of the market for such stock; and (d) a monthly account statement showing the market value of each penny stock held in the customer's account.

In addition, the penny stock rules require that prior to a transaction in a penny stock not otherwise exempt from those rules, the broker-dealer must make a special written determination that the penny stock is a suitable investment for the purchaser and receive the purchaser's written acknowledgment of the receipt of a risk disclosure statement, a written agreement as to transactions involving penny stocks, and a signed and dated copy of a written suitability statement.

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These disclosure requirements may have the effect of reducing the trading activity for Skinvisible's common stock. Therefore, stockholders may have difficulty selling Skinvisible's securities.

#### Holders of Skinvisible Common Stock

As of June 30, 2018, we had 144,830,920 shares of Skinvisible's common stock issued and outstanding, held by 190 shareholders of record, other than those held in street name.

#### Dividends

There are no restrictions in Skinvisible's articles of incorporation or bylaws that prevent us from declaring dividends. The Nevada Revised Statutes, however, do prohibit us from declaring dividends where after giving effect to the distribution of the dividend:

- 1. Skinvisible would not be able to pay its debts as they become due in the usual course of business, or;
- 2. Skinvisible's total assets would be less than the sum of its total liabilities plus the amount that would be needed to satisfy the rights of shareholders who have preferential rights superior to those receiving the distribution.

Skinvisible has not declared any dividends and Skinvisible does not plan to declare any dividends in the foreseeable future.

Interests of Skinvisible's Directors and Officers in the Merger

In considering the recommendation Skinvisible's Board to vote for the proposals presented at the special meeting, you should be aware that our executive officers and members of our Board have interests in the merger proposal that are different from, or in addition to, the interests of our shareholders generally. The members of our Board were aware of these differing interests and considered them, among other matters, in evaluating and negotiating the transaction agreements and in recommending to our shareholders that they vote in favor of the proposals presented at the special meeting. These interests include, among other things:

Terry Howlett and Doreen McMorran have entered into new 1 year employment agreements with the Combined Company, which employment agreements will become effect upon the closing of the Merger; and Terry Howlett and Doreen McMorran and certain other related parties have agreed to cancel \$500,000 of Related Party Indebtedness, in exchange for 100% of the shares (5,750,000) in Ovation Science Inc. ("Ovation") held by Skinvisible.

#### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE PROPOSALS

The following are answers to some questions that you, as a stockholder of Skinvisible, may have regarding the matters being considered at Skinvisible's Special Meeting, which is referred to herein as the "Special Meeting." We urge you to read carefully the remainder of this proxy statement because the information in this section does not provide all the information that might be important to you with respect to the matters being considered at the Special Meeting. Additional important information is also contained in the annexes to and the documents incorporated by reference into this proxy statement.

#### General

Skinvisible will hold the Special Meeting to consider and vote upon these proposals. This proxy statement/prospectus contains important information about matters to be acted upon at the Special Meeting. Stockholders should read it carefully. The vote of stockholders is important.

In order to complete the Merger, Skinvisible stockholders must vote to approve the merger proposal and all other conditions to the Merger must be satisfied or waived.

Stockholders are encouraged to vote as soon as possible after carefully reviewing this proxy statement/prospectus. If Skinvisible stockholders fail to adopt the merger proposal, the Merger cannot be completed.

- Q: Why am I receiving this proxy statement?
- The board of directors of Skinvisible is soliciting your proxy to vote at the Special Meeting because you owned shares of Skinvisible common stock at the close of business on October 19, 2018, the "Record Date" for the Special Meeting, and are therefore entitled to vote at the Special Meeting. This proxy statement, along with a proxy card or A: a voting instruction card, is being mailed to stockholders on or about October 24, 2018. Skinvisible has made these
- A: a voting instruction early, is being matter to stockholders on of about between 24, 2010. Skin visible has made the materials available to you on the Internet, and Skinvisible has delivered printed proxy materials to you or sent them to you by e-mail. This proxy statement summarizes the information that you need to know in order to cast your vote at the Special Meeting. You do not need to attend the Special Meeting in person to vote your shares of Skinvisible common stock.
- Q: On what matters will I be voting?
  - The Merger Skinvisible stockholders are being asked to consider and vote upon a proposal to adopt and approve an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization (the "Merger Agreement") dated March 26, 2018 by and
- A: among Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Quoin"), Skinvisible and Skinvisible's wholly owned subsidiary, Quoin Merger Sub, Inc. ("Merger Sub"). A copy of the Merger Agreement, as amended, is attached to this proxy statement as Annex A, and Skinvisible encourages its stockholders to read it in its entirety.

**The Reverse Split** — Skinvisible's stockholders are also being asked to consider and vote upon a proposal to approve a reverse split of Skinvisible's issued outstanding stock by a ratio of not less than one-for-ten and not more than one-for-one hundred, with the exact ratio to be set at a whole number within this range as determined by Skinvisible's board of directors in its sole discretion.

**Name Change**. Skinvisible's stockholders are also being asked to consider and vote upon a proposal to approve an amendment to Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation to change the name of Skinvisible, Inc. after the effective date of the Merger to "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

**The Adjournment Proposal** — Skinvisible's stockholders may also be asked to consider and vote upon a proposal to adjourn the meeting to a later date or dates to permit further solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the

tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, Skinvisible would not have been authorized to consummate the Merger.

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Proposal No. 1 — The Merger

Q: Why is Skinvisible proposing the Merger?

In evaluating the Merger Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby and recommending that Skinvisible's stockholders vote in favor of approval of the Merger Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby, Skinvisible's board of directors, in consultation with Skinvisible's senior management and outside legal counsel, concluded that the other strategic alternatives available to Skinvisible, such as continuing to operate as an independent company and pursuing its strategic plan and the possibility of growing its business through acquisitions and internal growth, was less attractive than Quoin's proposal to Skinvisible's stockholders. Skinvisible believes that a business combination with Quoin as contemplated by the Merger Agreement described below will provide Skinvisible stockholders with an opportunity to participate in a company with significant growth potential.

Q: What will Skinvisible stockholders retain if the Merger is completed?

Subject to the terms of the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger, Quoin stockholders will receive A: a number of newly issued shares of Skinvisible common stock determined using the exchange ratio described below in exchange for their shares of Quoin stock.

Following the Merger, stockholders of Quoin will become the majority owners of Skinvisible.

At the Effective Time, all outstanding shares of Quoin common stock will be converted solely into the right to receive a number of shares of Skinvisible common stock such that the holders of outstanding equity of Quoin immediately prior to the Effective Time will own approximately 72.5% of the outstanding equity of Skinvisible immediately following the Effective Time and holders of outstanding equity of Skinvisible immediately prior to the Effective Time will own approximately 27.5% of the outstanding equity of Skinvisible immediately following the Effective Time, which ratio we refer to herein as the "Exchange Ratio."

Skinvisible is required, within 30 business days after the execution of the Merger Agreement to use its commercially reasonable efforts to enter into one or more agreements to cause certain of its indebtedness to be converted into Skinvisible common stock immediately prior to the Effective Time.

If such agreements are not executed, the Exchange Ratio will be revised to cause the percentage of the outstanding equity of Skinvisible immediately following the Effective Time to be held by holders of the outstanding equity of Skinvisible immediately prior to the Effective Time to be reduced from approximately 27.5% to a percentage equal to (i) 27.5% minus (ii) the product of (x) 0.000004 and (y) the amount of the such remaining indebtedness. If none of Skinvisible's indebtedness is converted, holders of the outstanding equity of Skinvisible will be diluted from 27.5% to 10.64%.

Q: What will the business of the combined company be if the Merger is consummated? Following the Merger, the combined company intends to pursue commercialization of Quoin's two lead products. In addition, the combined company will continue to pursue commercial opportunities for products developed by Skinvisible prior to the merger. The combined company also intends to leverage Skinvisible's Invisicare technology as a potential delivery system for the Quoin products intended to be developments by the combined company. Quoin is a pre-clinical, specialty pharmaceutical company dedicated to developing products that help address major societal issues including the opioid epidemic and the military veteran suicide rate. Quoin's two lead products are expected to be different applications of a single NMDA receptor antagonist delivered transdermally. QRX001 is a single use transdermal patch designed to provide up to 72 hours of effective post-operative analgesia whilst significantly reducing opioid consumption. Quoin intends to apply for Breakthrough Therapy designation for QRX001. Quoin's second product, QRX002 is a once-daily transdermal for the treatment of military related PTSD with suicidal ideation. Quoin believes QRX002 could be the first product approved to treat this major unmet medical need and could be a candidate for both Orphan Drug and Breakthrough Therapy Status. Quoin has been engaged in

discussions with the US Department of Veteran Affairs (VA) for the clinical development of QRX002. Two of the VA's leading researchers into military veteran suicides have been appointed as Principal Investigators (PI's) for QRX002 for this indication. The clinical program will be conducted at various VA facilities across the country under the supervision of the Principal Investigators. Quoin believes this arrangement will greatly increase the efficiency and cost effectiveness of the clinical program for QRX002. In addition, Quoin has two additional products that it plans to begin the development of for opioid addiction and chronic pain. Clinical testing for these products may also be conducted at VA facilities. Quoin expects to generate clinical data for QRX001 and QRX0002 within 12-18 months of the Effective date of the merger.

It is important to note that no formal written agreement has been entered into with the VA and neither the VA nor are the PI's are obligated to participate in the clinical studies. All costs for clinical studies will be borne by Quoin with no financial assistance from the VA.

- Q: What will the management of the combined company be if the Merger is consummated? Following the consummation of the Merger, the combined company's board of directors is expected to consist of six members from Quoin, which is expected to include Dr. Michael Myers and Denise Carter, who are currently directors and officers of Quoin. Two independent directors, Dr. Dennis Langer and Mr. Peter Lankau, will be
- A: appointed immediately following the merger. Both Dr. Langer and Mr. Lankau are experienced pharmaceutical executives who currently sit on the boards of other private and publicly traded companies. Quoin plans to appoint two additional directors to its board of directors within a few months of the merger closing. The combined company, led by Quoin's management team, is expected to be named "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc."
  - Q: Are there risks associated with the Merger that I should consider in deciding how to vote?

Yes. There are a number of risks related to the Merger that are discussed in this proxy statement/prospectus. Please A: read with particular care the detailed description of the risks described in "Risk Factors" beginning on page 17 of this proxy statement.

- Q. What happens if the Merger Proposal is approved but some if not all of the other proposals are not approved?

  A: The Merger Proposal would be approved; approval of no one proposal is conditioned on the approval of all or any of the other proposals.
- Q: When do you expect the Merger to be completed?

  We are working to complete the Merger as quickly as possible, and we expect to complete the Merger in October of 2018. However, Skinvisible cannot assure you when or if the Merger will occur. The Merger is subject to stockholder approvals and other conditions, and it is possible that factors outside the control of both Skinvisible and Quoin could result in the Merger being completed at a later time, or not at all.
- Q. What happens if not all of the Proposals are approved?
- A: Approval of no one proposal is conditional on the approval of all or any of the other proposals.
- Q: Are Skinvisible stockholders entitled to appraisal rights?
- A: No. Skinvisible stockholders do not have appraisal rights in connection with the Merger or any of the other proposals included in this proxy statement under the Nevada Revised Statutes (the "NRS").

### Proposal No. 2 — The Reverse Split

- Q. Why is Skinvisible proposing the Reverse Split?
- Skinvisible's board of directors has adopted resolutions (i) declaring that filing an amendment to Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation to effect the Reverse Split of Skinvisible's issued and outstanding common stock was advisable, and (ii) directing that a proposal to approve the Reverse Split be submitted to the holders of Skinvisible's common stock for their approval. The Reverse Split of Skinvisible's issued and outstanding common stock will be effected by a ratio of not less than one-for-ten and not more than one-for-one hundred, with the exact ratio to be set at a whole number within this range as determined by Skinvisible's board of directors in its sole discretion.

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Skinvisible's board of directors believes that the Reverse Split is in the best interest of Skinvisible. A Reverse Split typically will initially result in an increase in the price per share of Skinvisible's common stock. The Board believes that an increased stock price may encourage investor interest and improve the marketability and liquidity of Skinvisible's common stock. In addition, Skinvisible may in the future seek a listing on a national exchange, for which a higher stock price than the current price will be required. Because of the trading volatility often associated with low-priced stocks, many brokerage firms and institutional investors have internal policies and practices that either prohibit them from investing in low-priced stocks or tend to discourage individual brokers from recommending low-priced stocks to their customers. Some of those policies and practices may function to make the processing of trades in low-priced stocks economically unattractive to brokers and investors. Skinvisible's board of directors believes that the anticipated higher market price resulting from a Reverse Split may reduce, to some extent, the negative effects on the liquidity and marketability of the common stock inherent in some of the policies and practices of institutional investors and brokerage firms described above. Additionally, because brokers' commissions on low-priced stocks generally represent a higher percentage of the stock price than commissions on higher-priced stocks, the current average price per share of Skinvisible's common stock can result in individual stockholders paying transaction costs representing a higher percentage of their total share value than would be the case if the share price were substantially higher.

Proposal No. 3 — Change the Name of Skinvisible after the Effective Date of the Merger to "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc."

Q. Why is Skinvisible proposing to change the name of Skinvisible after the effective date of the Merger to "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc."?

Further to the Merger Agreement, the name of Skinvisible after the effective date of the Merger will become A: "Quoin Pharmaceuticals, Inc. An amendment to Skinvisible's Articles of Incorporation is required to effect the name change.