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Aerith Corp Spearheads Next Wave of Deep Tech with \$25M 506(c) PPM Round for Quantum-Native Middleware

LOS ANGELES — January 29, 2026 — Aerith Corp today announced its **\$25 Million 506(c) PPM round** at a **\$120 Million pre-money valuation**, positioning the company at the leading edge of the \$25.6 billion global VFX and digital imaging market.

Targeting the "utility-scale" quantum era, Aerith Corp is developing the **Aerith Visualization Engine (Avé)**—a quantum-native middleware architecture that offloads computationally expensive tasks such as ray tracing and volumetric simulation to emerging Quantum Processing Units (QPUs). By leveraging hardware advances from other emerging companies like Quantware and IonQ, Avé is projected to cut render farm energy costs by up to 50%, addressing the sustainability crisis inherent in classical silicon rendering.

"The 'smart money' is already transitioning to quantum, with global investment hitting \$33.28 billion in 2025 alone," said Shadow Dragu-Mihai, COO of Aerith Corp. "Aerith is securing the middleware layer of the next industrial revolution. Our hybrid revenue model—combining SaaS licensing, original content IP, and cross-industry patent licensing—creates a defensible moat and a trajectory for high-value exit or IPO".

Key Investment Highlights:

- **The Avé Architecture:** A hardware-agnostic translation layer that converts USD scene data into Quantum Intermediate Representation (QIR).
- **The "Pixar Model":** Internal film production (*Slayer, Dark Veil* and others) serves as a "torture test" and marketing vehicle for the Avé software suite.
- **Quantum Speedup:** Utilizing Quantum Amplitude Estimation to achieve $\$1/N$ convergence speed compared to the $\$1/\sqrt{N}$ speed of standard classical Monte Carlo rendering.
- **Financial Growth:** Projected to achieve \$42.1M EBITDA by Year 5 with a target 12x return for seed-stage investors.

Aerith Corp is led by CEO Diamond Monique Washington (14+ years in film and streaming) and COO Shadow Dragu-Mihai, Esq., a pioneer in streaming platforms with over 30 years in the entertainment industry, with a multi-disciplinary team of quantum compute and VFX visionaries.

Investors seeking more information on the PPM Offering should visit aerithai.com/qualify.html.

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