and the water in skin. Elysée is now featuring in its entire line the first restructured active complex, which restores the circulation of water within the skin in order to address aging and dehydration. The key to the structured water is the presence of specialized proteins known as "water channel" cells. The structured water used in Elysée Scientific Cosmetics' entire line faces less resistance in penetrating the cell walls and can produce faster hydration of the cell tissue.

Another aid to the circulation of water in the skin is with aquaporines. Elysée Scientific Cosmetics uses specific aquaporines known as type 3 (AQP3) in all of its products

to enhance the skin and provide an overall firmer, smoother and more vibrant appearance. There are several recent additions to the Elysée Scientific Cosmetics line. Collaboost-1,3™ Skin Infusion Gel boosts the production of Collagen III, which is lost as the skin ages. Bioaccel-SB Skin Energizing Serum combats the look of damage done by stress and behavioral factors with the combined benefit of bio-peptides, DMAE, ESCoMoist and ETP (Epidermal Thymic Factor

and other skin-brightening ingredients visibly reduce dullness, roughness and uneven skin tones). Firmance Pycnogenol Firming Serum is a multi-action complex of anti-oxidants and botanicals to address the visible signs of aging caused by free radicals' damage. Optim-OX Oxynate Conditioning Crème boosts the skin's oxygen level through proper hydration. YouthSpan Facial Resurrection Night Crème in the short term improves the

and enhancement of skin tone.

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skin's moisture and tone as well as reduces ruddiness, and in the long-term, achieves an optimization of elasticity

www.theshoppingchannel.com and nationwide through various salons and doctors' offices.



Loni Albert of Fitness magazine and Ellen Miller of Allure at a display of Elysée Scientific Cosmetics products at the Turtle Bay SPAfumerie

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