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## CENTESSA PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED\*

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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As soon as practicable after the effective date of this registration statement.

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## Calculation of Registration Fee

Title of each class of securities to be registered	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price(1)	Amount of Registration Fee(2)
Ordinary shares, nominal value £0.001 per share(3)	\$100,000,000.00	\$10,910.00

(1) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(o) under the Securities Act, as amended. Includes the aggregate offering price of additional ordinary shares represented by American Depositary Shares, or ADSs, that the underwriters have the option to purchase to cover over-allotments, if any.

(2) Calculated pursuant to Rule 457(c) under the Securities Act based on an estimate of the proposed maximum aggregate offering price.

(3) These ordinary shares are represented by ADSs, each of which represents one ordinary share of the registrant. ADSs issuable upon deposit of the ordinary shares registered hereby are being registered pursuant to a separate registration statement on Form F-6.

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this registration statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until this registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

\* We intend to alter the legal status of our company under English law from a private limited company by re-registering as a public limited company and changing our name from Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc prior to the completion of this offering. See the section titled "Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration" in the prospectus which forms a part of this registration statement.

The information in this preliminary prospectus is not complete and may be changed. We may not sell these securities until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This preliminary prospectus is not an offer to sell nor does it seek an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

Subject to Completion. Dated April 21, 2021

## American Depositary Shares

Representing Ordinary Shares



This is an initial public offering of the American Depositary Shares, or the ADSs, of Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc. We are offering          ADSs. Each ADS represents          ordinary share, nominal value £0.001 per share.

Prior to this offering, there has been no public market for the ADSs or our ordinary shares. It is currently estimated that the initial public offering price per ADS will be between \$          and \$          . We have applied to list the ADSs on the Nasdaq Global Market under the symbol "CNTA."

We are an "emerging growth company" as that term is used in the U.S. Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 and, as such, have elected to comply with certain reduced public company reporting requirements for this prospectus and future filings.

See "[Risk Factors](#)" on page 15 to read about factors you should consider before buying the ADSs.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any other regulatory body has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

	Per ADS	Total
Initial public offering price	\$	\$
Underwriting discounts(1)	\$	\$
Proceeds, before expenses, to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc	\$	\$

(1) See the section titled "Underwriting" for compensation payable to the underwriters.

To the extent the underwriters sell more than          ADSs, the underwriters have the option to purchase up to an additional          ADSs from us at the initial public offering price less the underwriting discounts.

The underwriters expect to deliver the ADSs against payment in New York, New York on          , 2021.

**Morgan Stanley**

**Jefferies**

**Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC**

**Evercore ISI**

Prospectus dated          , 2021

**LETTER FROM THE CEO**

Over the last century, the traditional R&D model has made great strides in delivering transformational medicines to patients. In some instances, these drugs have fundamentally improved patient outcomes and have provided a new lease on life. In many other cases, patients are still waiting for those elusive life-altering medicines. With these patients in mind, we reimagined the R&D journey a drug takes to become a marketed medicine. We set out to find a clearer, less bumpy road to deliver impactful medicines to patients. That road, we learned, is called asset centrality.

At its core, asset centrality is a mindset rooted in a relentless focus on a single project by a dedicated team. The biotechnology industry has embraced this philosophy to successfully advance medicines for patients. We asked whether this philosophy could be replicated on a larger scale to build a pharmaceutical company from bottom-up in which asset centrality serves as its foundation. Our answer is Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

The DNA of Centessa is rooted in asset centrality, but the environment in which it flourishes includes enhanced scale, resources and management with deep technical expertise. Formed in October 2020, Centessa is a pharmaceutical company with a different phenotype conceived to accelerate the pace of impactful medicines reaching patients. Our journey started by combining a curated portfolio of 10 wholly-owned asset-centric companies that are developing 16 programs with compelling biology and led by entrepreneurs with deep subject matter expertise. In bringing asset centrality at scale to the world, we hope to deliver consequential medicines that patients are desperately in need of. Then, and only then, will our mission be achieved.



Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.  
Chief Executive Officer



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We have not, and the underwriters have not, authorized any person to provide you with information different from that contained in this prospectus or any related free-writing prospectus that we authorize to be distributed to you. This prospectus is not an offer to sell, nor is it seeking an offer to buy, these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted. The information in this prospectus speaks only as of the date of this prospectus unless the information specifically indicates that another date applies, regardless of the time of delivery of this prospectus or of any sale of the securities offered hereby.

For investors outside of the United States: We have not, and the underwriters have not, done anything that would permit this offering or possession or distribution of this prospectus in any jurisdiction where action for that purpose is required, other than the United States. Persons outside of the United States who come into possession of this prospectus must inform themselves about, and observe any restrictions relating to, the offering of the ADSs and the distribution of this prospectus outside of the United States.

## ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

Prior to the completion of this offering, we intend to re-register Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public limited company and to change our name from Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc.

Unless otherwise indicated or the context otherwise requires, all references in this prospectus to the terms “Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited,” “Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc,” “the company,” “we,” “us” and “our” refer to (i) Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and its wholly-owned subsidiaries prior to the re-registration of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public company, and (ii) Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc and its subsidiaries after the re-registration of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public limited company, which shall occur prior to the completion of this offering. See “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration” for more information.

We own various trademark registrations and applications, and unregistered trademarks, including our name and our corporate logo. All other trade names, trademarks and service marks of other companies appearing in this prospectus are the property of their respective holders. Solely for convenience, the trademarks and trade names in this prospectus may be referred to without the ® and ™ symbols, but such references should not be construed as any indicator that their respective owners will not assert, to the fullest extent under applicable law, their rights thereto. We do not intend to use or display other companies’ trademarks and trade names to imply a relationship with, or endorsement or sponsorship of us by, any other companies.

## PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

We maintain the books and records of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and its wholly owned subsidiaries in pounds sterling. For financial reporting, our results are translated to U.S. dollars and we prepare our consolidated financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, or U.S. GAAP, as issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board. All references in this prospectus to “\$” are to U.S. dollars and all references to “£” are to pounds sterling.

We have made rounding adjustments to some of the figures included in this prospectus. Accordingly, numerical figures shown as totals in some tables may not be an arithmetic aggregation of the figures that preceded them. We have historically conducted our business through Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited’s subsidiaries and therefore our historical financial statements present the results of operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited. After the re-registration of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public limited company named Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc and following the completion of this offering, our consolidated financial statements will present the consolidated results of operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc.

## PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

*This summary highlights information contained elsewhere in this prospectus and does not contain all of the information that you should consider in making your investment decision. Before investing in our ADSs, you should carefully read this entire prospectus, including our financial statements and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus. You should also consider, among other things, the matters described in the sections entitled “Risk Factors” and “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.” Unless otherwise stated, all references to “us,” “our,” “Centessa,” “we,” the “Company” and similar designations refer to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc and its consolidated subsidiaries.*

### Our Vision

We are reimagining the traditional pharmaceutical research and development model to build, from the bottom-up, an R&D engine predicated on asset centrality to discover, develop and ultimately deliver impactful medicines to patients. We believe the successful execution at scale of our asset-centric R&D model has the potential to result in R&D productivity surpassing that of today’s largest pharmaceutical companies and could translate into a dramatic impact for patients, providers and society more broadly.

Our approach to delivering consequential medicines to patients is guided by three foundational principles:

1. We pursue discovery and development of **programs with clear biological rationale**.
2. We aim to build a **self-sustaining, evergreen R&D engine** anchored on asset centrality.
3. We strive to be the **partner of choice** for founder-subject matter experts who share our vision.

### Overview

Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc (Centessa) was conceived by combining the primary strengths of the asset-centric model with the benefits of diversification and scale typically attributed to traditional large R&D organizations. The asset-centric model refers to single-purpose companies which are focused on developing a single program or programs associated with a single biological pathway. We were inspired by the success realized by the asset-centric model and were founded on the principle of developing asset centrality at scale. We have implemented this reimagined approach to R&D by initially combining a curated portfolio of ten wholly-owned asset-centric companies, which we refer to as the Centessa Subsidiaries, which are developing 16 high conviction programs with clear biological rationale. Each Centessa Subsidiary is led by one or more individuals whom we believe to be some of the leading subject matter experts in their respective disciplines. We empower our subsidiaries to advance their research and development plans in an independent and unbiased manner. Our programs cover a range of high-value therapeutic areas including oncology, hematology, immunology / inflammation, neuroscience, hepatology, pulmonology, nephrology, and range from discovery-stage research through late-stage clinical development. Additionally, a substantial number of our programs focus on rare disease indications with significant unmet need. We currently anticipate a total of more than a dozen clinical read-outs over the next three years, including three clinical read-outs in 2021. We expect this robust cadence of clinical progress will be coupled with significant development advancements for our earlier-stage preclinical programs. As a therapeutic-focused company, we intend to pursue a “develop to commercialize” approach for our programs with a relentless focus on efficiently delivering consequential medicines to patients.

Centessa was formed in October 2020 by Medicxi with a view to ultimately acquiring, and thereby becoming the holding company of, several pre-revenue, development stage biotech companies each of which was either controlled by and/or invested in by a fund affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures. On January 29, 2021, Centessa acquired 11 biotechnology companies and simultaneously closed a Series A funding round of

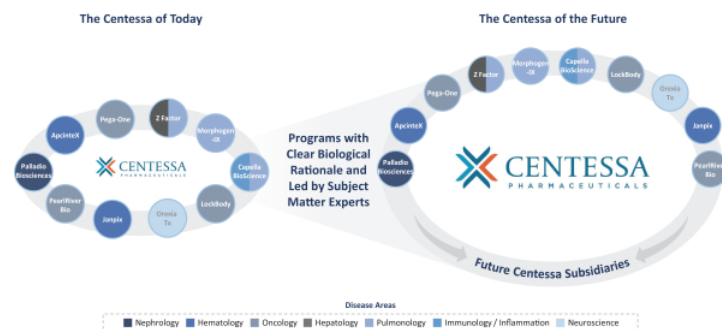
\$250 million. Prior to the acquisition, Centessa's activities were limited mainly to engaging advisors and recruitment efforts. Centessa commenced active operations after the consummation of the acquisitions. Each of the Centessa Subsidiaries was a portfolio company of a fund affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures at the time of the acquisition.

We are led by our experienced management team who play a critical role in enabling our Centessa Subsidiaries by providing centralized resources, supporting development of programs, and overseeing judicious capital allocation. We are convinced that bringing together our 16 high conviction programs under a unified, asset-centric structure at scale is in itself a competitive advantage in the industry. Going forward, our intent is to become the partner of choice for founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs by fostering a research engine that allows our leading talent to focus exclusively on the pursuit of their unique product visions, striving for scientific excellence and patient benefit. Consistent with our operating model today, these founder-subject matter experts will be directly incentivized and appropriately supported to develop and bring medicines to market. Direct incentivization is achieved through two principle financial incentives: first, through each founder-subject matter expert having a significant equity stake in Centessa and, thereby, compensated commensurately with the Company's performance; second, they disproportionately share in upside through certain agreed milestones payment of a pre-agreed amount payable upon defined events such as regulatory approval of an applicable drug or the payment of a pre-agreed percentage of the net aggregate cash proceeds from certain strategic transactions (including partnerships / out-licensing agreements and/or a sale) concerning the relevant Centessa Subsidiary. These incentives are designed to motivate our founder-subject matter experts to develop and bring medicines to patients.

Separately, our relentless focus on data-driven decision-making is aimed at enabling us to embrace and implement a "fail fast, and fail early" philosophy to close programs expeditiously when data dictates. Data-driven decision making is at the core of our asset-centric model. Centessa management retains final authority over resource allocation decisions across the Centessa Subsidiaries' programs, and aims to expeditiously terminate programs when the data do not support advancing a program. These features of our asset-centric model are designed to reflect our "fail fast and fail early" philosophy when data warrants. We believe our direct incentivization model and relentless focus on data-driven decision-making is a differentiated approach and philosophy to that deployed by traditional R&D models.

Our bottom-up, asset-centric operating model fosters an ecosystem in which we enable the founder-subject matter experts at each Centessa Subsidiary to develop their programs with a high degree of autonomy and with complementary operational and R&D support from Centessa. This is designed to enable each Centessa Subsidiary to execute its program or programs with greater agility and enhanced probability of success. Each Centessa Subsidiary focuses its resources and expertise on progressing high conviction programs that follow well elucidated biological pathways, with the goal of addressing a significant unmet patient need. While we focus on biological pathways where there is prior learning in human genetics and/or clinical evidence of activity to enhance odds of program success, many of our highly-differentiated programs are enabled by proprietary structural biology insights.

Our ten initial Centessa Subsidiaries and their disease areas of focus as well as our expectation for expansion in the number of Centessa Subsidiaries are summarized in the below figure:



Traditional R&D organizations realize the benefit of having a diversified pipeline with multiple uncorrelated programs while reaching a scale that allows for an optimized and flexible balance sheet and access to infrastructure and resources. Similarly, by initially combining a curated portfolio of asset-centric companies under a central management team, we expect to receive the benefits of a diversified pipeline of high conviction programs and mitigate the binary risk inherent in single-asset companies. We believe that our incentivization framework enables our Centessa Subsidiary teams to maintain an undiluted singular product focus, and to pursue paths forward that are determined primarily by the data that they generate. Subsidiary teams are designed to be small, with limited fixed costs to further enhance the economics of drug development, particularly in cases where expeditious closure of programs is warranted.

In addition to the broad range of disease areas we pursue, our portfolio is diversified in several other ways, including:

- *Therapeutic approaches:* small molecule inhibitors, agonists, correctors, degraders, traditional and engineered antibodies and biologics based on engineered molecules;
- *Development approaches:* novel targets, differentiated fast-follower based on improved safety, and/or refined mechanism; and
- *Discovery approaches:* structure-based design, protein engineering and novel screening methods.

Our multiple modes of diversification across our portfolio substantially mitigate the binary nature of product development.

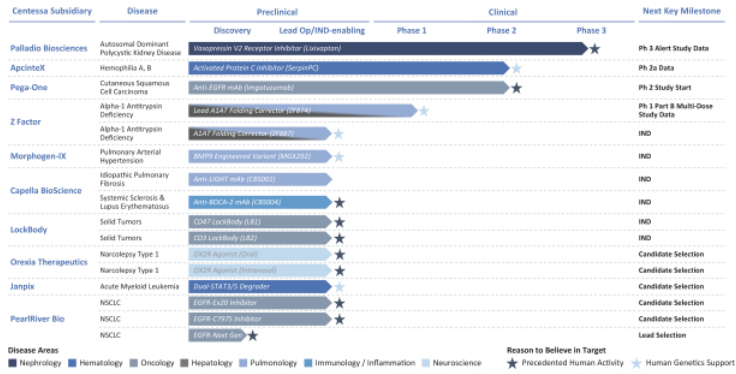
The Centessa Subsidiaries were selected by Medicxi out of the portfolio of biotechnology investments by funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures. The key criteria deployed to identify companies that would be considered for Centessa include: advancement of a single program with clear biological rationale, a differentiated product profile, and a team with deep expertise led by a founder-subject matter expert. Each of the Centessa Subsidiaries was controlled by funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures or funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures had a significant investment and/or influence. Whilst such funds affiliated with Medicxi and Index Ventures were a controlling or key investor to each Centessa Subsidiary with material influence, the decision as to whether to be acquired by Centessa was ultimately a decision of the executive management team



of each Centessa Subsidiary including the founder subject-matter experts. An extensive negotiation exercise was undertaken with the executive management teams of each Centessa Subsidiary and each Centessa Subsidiary was represented by external counsel. These negotiations were conducted at arms' length with each Centessa subsidiary having been acquired on highly negotiated contribution terms (including as to valuation) and on highly negotiated individual incentivization terms which become payable if negotiated milestones are achieved or certain exit events are triggered. Further, the incoming Series A Centessa investors had a significant opportunity to diligence each Centessa Subsidiary and test the relative valuation and terms negotiated with the individual Centessa Subsidiaries.

**Our Pipeline**

Our current portfolio consists of 16 high conviction programs, including four programs currently being evaluated in clinical trials and 12 additional preclinical programs. We aim to pursue programs that target pathways with clear biological rationale. Given that biological pathways have varying influence on disease pathophysiology, we believe it is paramount to identify the most critical pathways that contribute to disease onset and severity to aid in development of appropriate therapeutics. Human genetics offers a glimpse into specific genes, and downstream proteins that are associated with disease. By targeting such disease associated genes or proteins, we seek to increase the probability of impacting disease outcome. Further, we place a premium on learnings from the clinic whereby a drug has established the relevance of a biological pathway contributing to disease outcome. Our portfolio largely consists of programs where there is prior learning in human genetics or precedented human activity for a pathway of interest. Our strategy is to assemble a pipeline of product candidates bearing these attributes, which we believe may translate into program success.



Our current pipeline includes the following four clinical stage product candidates:

- Lixivaptan (Palladio Biosciences):** vasopressin V2 receptor small molecule inhibitor currently in Phase 3 clinical development for the treatment of autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD). While the ongoing Phase 3 study is not a registrational trial, Palladio is preparing to conduct a global Phase 3 pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, (designated the ACTION study) which we expect to commence by early-to-mid 2022. We believe lixivaptan has the potential to

deliver similar efficacy benefits to tolvaptan, which is currently indicated for a subset of ADPKD patients, with a differentiated safety and tolerability profile that may enable access and therapeutic benefit to a broader set of patients;

- **SerpinPC (ApcinteX)**: activated protein C inhibitor currently in Phase 2a clinical development for the treatment of hemophilia A and B. We believe SerpinPC has the potential to improve upon the current standards of care by offering a long-acting, subcutaneous, non-replacement therapy that rebalances the coagulation cascade to provide both prophylactic and on-demand therapy in all patients with hemophilia regardless of subtype;
- **Imgatuzumab (Pega-One)**: anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody expected to enter a potential registrational Phase 2 clinical trial for the treatment of cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (CSCC). Imgatuzumab is also being considered for treatment of other solid tumors in the context of combination treatment with immunotherapy. We believe imgatuzumab represents a next-generation of antibody design offering enhanced antibody derived cell cytotoxicity (ADCC) and antibody derived cell phagocytosis (ADCP) properties; and
- **ZF874 (Z Factor)**: small molecule chemical chaperone folding corrector of the Z variant of alpha-1-antitrypsin (Z-A1AT) currently in Phase 1 clinical development for the treatment of alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency (A1ATD). ZF874 leverages Z Factor's proprietary insights into the misfolding of the Z-A1AT protein to correct protein folding and normalize protein levels to treat both lung and liver disease manifestations of A1ATD.

In addition to our clinical stage product candidates, our current portfolio consists of 12 preclinical assets:

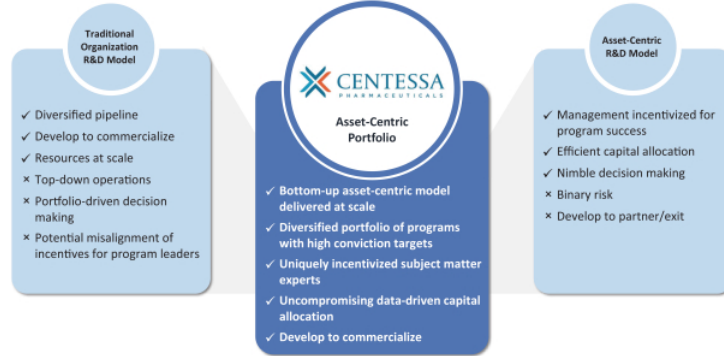
- **ZF887 (Z Factor)**: small molecule chemical chaperone folding corrector of Z-A1AT for the treatment of alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency;
- **MGX292 (Morphogen-IX)**: protein-engineered variant of human bone morphogenetic protein 9 (BMP 9) for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension;
- **CBS001 (Capella Bioscience)**: high-affinity monoclonal antibody (mAb) selectively targeting the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT for the treatment of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis;
- **CBS004 (Capella Bioscience)**: humanized mAb targeting BDCA-2 for the treatment of systemic sclerosis and lupus;
- **LB1 (LockBody)**: bispecific antibody designed to be gradually unlocked in the tumor microenvironment targeting CD47 for the treatment of solid tumors;
- **LB2 (LockBody)**: bispecific antibody designed to be gradually unlocked in the tumor microenvironment targeting CD3 for the treatment of solid tumors;
- **Oral OX2R Agonist (Orexia)**: orally delivered selective orexin-receptor 2 (OX2R) agonist for the treatment of narcolepsy type 1 with potential expansion into narcolepsy type 2, rare hypersomnias and additional rare and common diseases;
- **Intranasal OX2R Agonist (Orexia)**: intranasally delivered OX2R agonist for the treatment of narcolepsy type 1 with potential expansion into narcolepsy type 2, rare hypersomnias and additional rare and common diseases;
- **Dual STAT3/5 Degradator (Janpix)**: small molecule STAT3/5 protein degrader for the treatment of hematological malignancies, including leukemias and lymphomas;
- **EGFR Ex20 Inhibitor (PearlRiver Bio)**: small molecule epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) Exon20 insertion mutation inhibitor for the treatment of non-small cell lung cancer;
- **EGFR-C797S Inhibitor (PearlRiver Bio)**: small molecule EGFR C797S mutation inhibitor for the treatment of non-small cell lung cancer; and

- **Next Generation EGFR Inhibitors (PearlRiver Bio):** ERBBinator proprietary platform technology to support design of next generation EGFR Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors (TKIs).

Across our Centessa Subsidiaries, we currently have a portfolio of 173 issued patents which includes 156 ex-U.S. patents and 17 issued U.S. patents directed to either our clinical stage product candidates or other programs being developed.

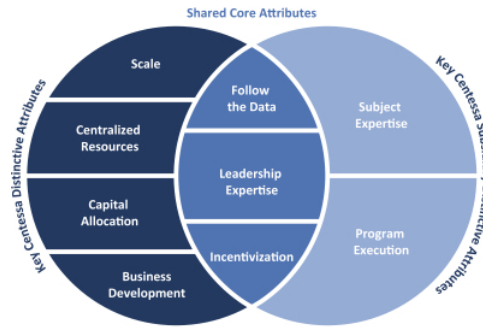
**Our Operating Model**

We have implemented a reimagined R&D model that we believe leverages the key strengths of the traditional R&D organization and the core tenets of asset centrality. We believe that our approach will allow us to benefit from the characteristics of each model that are favorable for efficient drug development, while simultaneously removing the inefficiencies and potential challenges related to each. In particular, the convergence of scale, capital efficiency, and asset centrality enables our program teams to pursue development plans with the goal to commercialize while we maintain flexibility to pursue strategic partnerships that leverage third-party expertise and synergies when warranted.



**Our Approach**

We have implemented a bottom-up, asset-centric operating model where the main premise is to build a non-hierarchical ecosystem in which we enable the founder-subject matter experts at each Centessa Subsidiary to develop their programs.



**Our Strategy**

We have embarked on a journey to build a sustainable, evergreen pharmaceutical company with a reimagined asset-centric approach that we believe has the potential to fundamentally reshape the traditional research and development model. Our strategy is guided by four key tenets and grounded in a singular focus on advancing exceptional science to the ultimate benefit of patients:

- An unwavering focus on asset centrality;
- Efficiently advancing our initial pipeline of high conviction programs to treat important unmet medical needs;
- Attracting the next generation of founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs; and
- Incentivizing and enabling our Centessa Subsidiary leadership teams who have deep expertise in their respective disciplines.

**Our History**

Our company is built upon our demand for excellence amongst our various participants and stakeholders. We believe this high bar for excellence is initially demonstrated by our ten current Centessa Subsidiaries. Each of our Centessa Subsidiaries and their founder-subject matter experts have invested years dedicated to their program specialty. We intend to uphold this focus on excellence for future companies which may join our model as Centessa Subsidiaries. We complement the program expertise of our founder-subject matter experts with the broad experience of our centralized management team. Prior to establishing Centessa, our executive management team held positions in a wide range of settings, including some of the largest pharmaceutical companies in the world, leading biotechnology companies and world-class venture capital funds.

We are supported by a high-quality group of investors who share our passion for excellence and believe in the vision for our reimagined R&D model. These investors include our founding investor, Medicxi, alongside General Atlantic, Vida Ventures, Janus Henderson Investors, Boxer Capital, Cormorant Asset Management, T. Rowe Price Associates, Inc., Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, Wellington Management Company, BVF Partners L.P., EcoR1 Capital, Franklin Templeton, Logos Capital, Samsara BioCapital, LifeSci Venture Partners and a U.S.-based, healthcare-focused fund.

#### **Corporate Information**

Centessa was incorporated pursuant to the laws of England and Wales as United Medicines Biopharma Limited on October 26, 2020 and renamed Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited on February 17, 2021. Centessa is registered with the Registrar of Companies in England and Wales under number 12973576, and our registered office is at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH. Our website address is <http://www.centessa.com>. The information contained on, or that can be accessed through, our website is not a part of this prospectus. We have included our website address in this prospectus solely as an inactive textual reference.

Palladio Biosciences was incorporated in 2015 under the laws of Delaware with primary operations in Horsham, Pennsylvania. ApcinteX was incorporated in 2014 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. Z Factor was incorporated in 2014 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. Morphogen-IX was incorporated in 2015 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. Capella Bioscience was incorporated in 2014 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. LockBody was incorporated in 2017 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. Orexia was incorporated in 2018 under the laws of England and Wales with primary operations in the United Kingdom. Pega-One was incorporated in 2019 under the laws of France with primary operations out of Princeton, New Jersey. Janpix was incorporated in 2013 under the law of England and Wales with primary operations in Canada. PearlRiver Bio was incorporated in 2019 under the laws of Germany with primary operations out of Germany.

#### **Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration**

Since our incorporation, we have performed a series of reorganization transactions. Prior to the consummation of this offering, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited will be re-registered as a public limited company and will change its name from Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc. Please see the “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration” section for more information.

#### **Risks Affecting Our Business**

Our business is subject to a number of risks of which you should be aware before making an investment decision. You should carefully consider all of the information set forth in this prospectus and, in particular, should evaluate the specific factors set forth in the section titled “Risk Factors” before deciding whether to invest in our ADSs. Among these important risks are, but not limited to, the following:

- We may not be successful in our efforts to use our differentiated asset-centric business model to build a pipeline of product candidates with commercial value.
- A single or limited number of subsidiaries may comprise a large proportion of our value.
- We face challenges, risks and expenses related to the Reorganization (as defined below) in integrating the operations of our asset-centric subsidiaries, as well as the management of the expected growth in the scale and complexity of our operations following this offering.
- We, and our subsidiaries prior to the Reorganization, incurred net losses since inception, and we expect to continue to incur losses for the foreseeable future and may never achieve or maintain profitability.
- Even if this offering is successful, we will need substantial additional funds to advance development of our product candidates, and we cannot guarantee that we will have sufficient funds available in the future to develop and commercialize our current or future product candidates.

- Our product candidates are in various stages of development, including many in preclinical stages, and may fail in development or suffer delays that materially adversely affect their commercial viability.
- We may not be successful in our efforts to identify, discover, in-license or otherwise acquire additional product candidates and may fail to capitalize on programs or product candidates that may represent a greater commercial opportunity or for which there is a greater likelihood of success.
- Success in preclinical studies or early clinical trials may not be indicative of results obtained in later trials.
- We may encounter substantial delays or challenges in the initiation, conduct or completion of our clinical trials, and the results of clinical development are uncertain.
- Even if we complete the necessary preclinical studies and clinical trials, the marketing approval process is expensive, time-consuming and uncertain and may prevent us from obtaining approvals for the commercialization of our product candidates.
- We may be unable to obtain U.S. or foreign regulatory approval and, as a result, unable to commercialize our product candidates.
- We rely, and expect to continue to rely, on third parties to conduct our preclinical studies and clinical trials and if these third parties perform in an unsatisfactory manner, our business could be substantially harmed.
- We could experience manufacturing problems that result in delays in our development or commercialization of our programs or otherwise harm our business.
- If we are unable to obtain and maintain sufficient patent and other intellectual property protection for our product candidates and technology, we may not be able to compete effectively in our market.
- The patent protection we obtain for our product candidates and technology may be challenged or not sufficient enough to provide us with any competitive advantage.
- A number of our programs and associated product candidates are heavily dependent on licensed intellectual property. If we were to lose our rights to licensed intellectual property, we may not be able to continue developing or commercializing our product candidates, if approved. If we breach any of the agreements under which we license the use, development and commercialization rights to our product candidates or technology from third parties or, in certain cases, we fail to meet certain development deadlines, we could lose license rights that are important to our business.
- We have never commercialized a product candidate and we may lack the necessary expertise, personnel and resources to successfully commercialize any of our products that receive regulatory approval on our own or together with collaborators.
- Our international operations may expose us to business, regulatory, political, operational, financial, pricing and reimbursement risks associated with doing business outside of the United States.
- We are an emerging growth company and a smaller reporting company, and we cannot be certain if the reduced reporting requirements applicable to emerging growth companies and smaller reporting companies will make our ADSs less attractive to investors.
- We have material weaknesses in our internal control systems over financial reporting and will need to hire additional personnel and design and implement proper and effective internal controls

over financial reporting, or the accuracy and timeliness of our financial reporting will be adversely affected.

- If we fail to develop or maintain an effective system of disclosure controls and internal control over financial reporting, our ability to produce timely and accurate financial statements or comply with applicable regulations could be impaired.
- Holders of ADSs may be subject to limitations on the transfer of their ADSs and the withdrawal of the underlying ordinary shares.
- If we are a “passive foreign investment company” (a PFIC), there could be material adverse U.S. federal income tax consequences to U.S. holders.

**Implications of Being an Emerging Growth Company**

We are an “emerging growth company,” as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act (JOBS Act) enacted in April 2012. For so long as we remain an emerging growth company, we are permitted and intend to rely on certain exemptions from various public company reporting requirements, including not being required to have our internal control over financial reporting audited by our independent registered public accounting firm pursuant to Section 404(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in our periodic reports and proxy statements, exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and any golden parachute payments not previously approved. In particular, in this prospectus, we have provided only two years of audited financial statements and have not included all of the executive compensation related information that would be required if we were not an emerging growth company. Accordingly, the information contained herein may be different than the information you receive from other public companies in which you hold stock. See “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited — JOBS Act Transition Period.”

We will remain an emerging growth company until the earlier to occur of (1) the last day of the fiscal year that is five years following this offering, (2) the last day of the fiscal year in which we have total annual gross revenues of at least \$1.07 billion, (3) the last day of the fiscal year in which we are deemed to be a “large accelerated filer,” under the rules of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, or SEC, which means the market value of our equity securities that is held by non-affiliates exceeds \$700 million as of the prior June 30th, and (4) the date on which we have issued more than \$1.0 billion in non-convertible debt during the prior three-year period.

In addition, the JOBS Act provides that an emerging growth company can take advantage of an extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards. This provision allows an emerging growth company to delay the adoption of some accounting standards until those standards would otherwise apply to private companies. We have irrevocably elected not to avail ourselves of delayed adoption of new or revised accounting standards and, therefore, we will be subject to the same requirements to adopt new or revised accounting standards as other public companies that are not emerging growth companies.

Even after we no longer qualify as an emerging growth company, we may still qualify as a “smaller reporting company” if the market value of our ordinary shares held by non-affiliates is below \$250 million (or \$700 million if our annual revenue is less than \$100 million) as of June 30 in any given year, which would allow us to take advantage of many of the same exemptions from disclosure requirements, including reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in our periodic reports and proxy statements.

<b>The Offering</b>	
ADSs offered by us	ADSs, each ADS representing            ordinary share.
Ordinary shares outstanding immediately after this offering	ordinary shares (or            ordinary shares if the underwriters' option to purchase additional ADSs is exercised in full).
ADSs outstanding immediately after this offering	ADSs (or            ADSs if the underwriters' option to purchase additional ADSs is exercised in full).
Underwriters' option to purchase additional ADSs	We have granted a 30-day option to the underwriters to purchase up to an aggregate of            additional ADSs.
American Depositary Shares	Each ADS represents            ordinary share with a nominal value of £0.001 per ordinary share. You will have the rights of an ADS holder as provided in the deposit agreement among us, the depositary and all holders and beneficial owners of ADSs issued thereunder. To better understand the terms of the ADSs, you should carefully read the section in this prospectus titled "Description of American Depositary Shares." We also encourage you to read the deposit agreement, which is filed as an exhibit to the registration statement that includes this prospectus.
Depositary	Citibank, N.A.
Use of proceeds	We currently expect to use the net proceeds from this offering, together with our existing cash to fund the continued development and pre-commercialization costs of our clinical-stage product candidates, to fund continued development of the other programs in our pipeline, including designing and conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials, as well as funding discovery, manufacturing, research and development; to fund the acquisition of and drug development activities related to new programs; and the remainder for working capital and other general corporate purposes as well as to fund the acquisition of and drug development activities related to new programs; although we have no material agreements, commitments or understandings with respect to any in-license or acquisition, we have and plan to continue to evaluate such opportunities and engage in related discussions with other business entities from time to time.



<p>Risk factors</p>	<p>You should carefully read “Risk Factors” and the other information in this prospectus for a discussion of factors that you should consider before deciding to invest in the ADSs.</p>
<p>Proposed Nasdaq Global Market trading symbol</p>	<p>“CNTA”</p>
<p>The number of shares to be outstanding after this offering is based on 15,000,000 ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 and gives further effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies (as defined below) and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus (including 308,934 restricted shares), (ii) the sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 and (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering, and excludes:</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 16,436,506 ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of options to subscribe for ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 at a weighted average exercise price of \$2.85 per ordinary share;</li> <li>• ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Share Option Plan upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part; and</li> <li>• ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Employee Share Purchase Plan, upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part.</li> </ul>	
<p>Unless otherwise indicated, all information in this prospectus reflects or assumes the following:</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering;</li> <li>• the effectiveness of the share capital reorganization effective on _____, which is intended to have the effect of a _____ for _____ forward share split of our ordinary share capital and corresponding adjustment in the conversion rate of our preferred shares into ordinary shares. See “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration;”</li> <li>• the effectiveness of our articles of association upon the closing of this offering;</li> <li>• no issuance or exercise of share options after _____; and</li> <li>• no exercise by the underwriters of their option to purchase up to an additional _____ ADSs in this offering.</li> </ul>	

### Summary Financial Data

The following tables set forth a summary of historical financial data as of, and for, the periods ended on the dates indicated. The summary statements of operations data presented below for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 and the summary balance sheet data as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 for Centessa Predecessor Group (Predecessor) are derived from the combined financial statements of Centessa Predecessor Group included elsewhere in this prospectus. The summary statement of operations data presented below for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, and the summary balance sheet data as of December 31, 2020 for Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited are derived from the financial statements of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and from the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information included elsewhere in this prospectus.

You should read this data together with our unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements and related notes and our audited financial statements and related notes appearing elsewhere in this prospectus and the information under the sections titled “Capitalization,” “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited” and “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Predecessor and Certain Other Acquired Entities.” Our historical results are not necessarily indicative of our future results.

Prior to the completion of this offering, we intend to reorganize our share capital and to re-register as a public limited company and change our name from Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc. See “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration.”

(in thousands)	Centessa Predecessor Group (Predecessor)		Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited	
	Year Ended December 31,		For the Period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020	Pro Forma Year Ended December 31, 2020 (unaudited)
	2019	2020		
Combined statement of operations data:				
Operating expenses:				
Acquired in-process research and development	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 3,164
Research and development	4,263	9,301	—	41,138
General and administrative	790	1,139	3,139	7,587
Loss from operations	(5,053)	(10,440)	(3,139)	(51,889)
Interest income (expense), net	5	(68)	(2)	—
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(186)	—	—
Amortization of debt discount	(118)	(310)	(8)	—
Gain on extinguishment of debt	105	341	—	341
Foreign currency loss	—	—	—	(36)
Net loss	<u>\$(5,061)</u>	<u>\$(10,663)</u>	<u>\$ (3,149)</u>	<u>\$ (51,584)</u>
Net loss per ordinary share – basic and diluted			<u>\$ (0.40)</u>	<u>\$ (0.54)</u>
Weighted average ordinary shares outstanding – basic and diluted			<u>7,836,299</u>	<u>96,067,339</u>

(in thousands) Condensed combined balance sheet data:	Centessa Predecessor Group (Predecessor)		Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited		
	As of December 31,		As of December 31,		
	2019	2020	2020	2020	
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Pro Forma(1)	Pro Forma As Adjusted(2)
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 16,570	\$ 7,227	\$ 5,003	\$ 313,983	
Working capital(3)	17,295	2,546	(3,462)	316,988	
Total assets	19,730	11,717	5,262	326,114	
Convertible term notes	3,615	5,339	4,171	—	
Derivative liability	519	913	833	—	
Term loans	544	288	—	288	
Convertible preferred shares	25,521	25,521	—	—	
Total combined deficit and shareholders' (deficit) equity	(11,857)	(22,243)	(3,214)	295,413	

- (1) Pro forma amounts give effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus (including 308,934 restricted shares), (ii) sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering.
- (2) Pro forma as adjusted amounts reflect pro forma adjustments described in footnote (1) as well as the sale of ADS in this offering at the assumed initial offering price of \$ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.
- (3) We define working capital as current assets less current liabilities. See our financial statements and related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus for further details regarding our current assets and current liabilities.

## RISK FACTORS

*Investing in our securities involves a high degree of risk. You should carefully consider the risks and uncertainties described below, together with the other information in this prospectus, including our consolidated financial statements and the related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus and in the sections titled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited," and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities," before deciding whether to invest in our securities. The occurrence of one or more of the events or circumstances described in these risk factors, alone or in combination with other events or circumstances, may have a material adverse effect on the our business, reputation, revenue, financial condition, results of operations and future prospects, in which event the market price of our ADSs could decline, and you could lose part or all of your investment. Unless otherwise indicated, reference in this section and elsewhere in this prospectus to our business being adversely affected, negatively impacted or harmed will include an adverse effect on, or a negative impact or harm to, the business, reputation, financial condition, results of operations, revenue and our future prospects. The material and other risks and uncertainties summarized above and described below are not intended to be exhaustive and are not the only ones we face. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently deem immaterial may also impair our business operations. This prospectus also contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements as a result of a number of factors, including the risks described below. See the section titled "Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements."*

### **Risks Related to our Business Model and Structure**

***We may not be successful in our efforts to use our asset-centric business model to build a pipeline of product candidates with commercial value.***

A key element of Centessa's strategy is to use our differentiated asset-centric business model to build, from the bottom-up, a research and development engine to source and develop high conviction programs, product candidates, technologies or intellectual property that we believe are novel, employ differentiated mechanisms of action, are more advanced in development than competitors, or have a combination of these attributes to ultimately deliver impactful medicines to patients. We face significant competition in sourcing such high conviction programs, product candidates, technologies or intellectual property, partnering with founder-subject matter experts with high conviction assets that follow well elucidated biological pathways, seeking appropriate strategic partners (including founder-subject matter experts) and licensing and acquisition opportunities, and the negotiation process is time-consuming and complex. We may not be successful in our efforts in building a pipeline of high conviction product candidates for the treatment of various diseases and disorders through acquisitions, licensing or through internal development or in progressing these product candidates through clinical development. Although we have initially combined a portfolio of ten asset centric companies, each a Centessa Subsidiary, that are developing high conviction programs with clear biological rationale and, through our Centessa Subsidiaries, our research and development efforts to date have resulted in our identification, discovery and preclinical and clinical development of certain of our product candidates, these product candidates may not be safe or effective treatments or therapies in humans, and we may not be able to develop any other product candidates. Although we analyze whether we can replicate scientific results observed prior to our acquisition or investment in a product candidate, we may not be successful in doing so after our investment. Our asset-centric business model is evolving and may not succeed in building a pipeline of product candidates. Even if we are successful in building our pipeline of product candidates, the potential product candidates that we identify may not be suitable for clinical development or generate acceptable clinical data in humans, including as a result of unacceptable toxicity or other characteristics that indicate that they are unlikely to receive marketing approval from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), or other regulatory authorities or achieve market acceptance. If we do not successfully develop and commercialize product candidates, we will not be able to generate product revenue in the future, which likely would result in significant harm to our financial position and adversely affect the price of our ADSs.

As part of our business strategy, we may expand our product candidate pipeline through in-licenses or acquisitions of discovery or development-stage assets or programs, which entails additional risk to us. While we believe our asset-centric model offers an attractive platform for these transactions and for founder subject matter experts and potential partners, our model is unique and we may not be able to attract or execute transactions with founder-subject matter experts, sellers, licensors or collaborators who may choose to divest to or grant license to companies that employ more traditional licensing and collaboration approaches. Identifying, selecting, and acquiring promising product candidates requires substantial technical, financial and human resources expertise. Efforts to do so may not result in the actual acquisition or license of a successful product candidate, potentially resulting in a diversion of our management's time and the expenditure of our resources with no resulting benefit. For example, if we are unable to identify programs that ultimately result in approved products, we may spend material amounts of our capital and other resources evaluating, acquiring, and developing product candidates that ultimately do not provide a return on our investment. We may terminate programs in the future if they do not meet our criteria for advancement.

***A single or limited number of subsidiaries may comprise a large proportion of our value.***

A large proportion of our value may at any time reside in a limited number of our subsidiaries. Our consolidated financial condition and prospects may be materially diminished if the clinical development or potential commercialization prospects of a Centessa Subsidiary's product candidate or program or one or more of the intellectual property rights held by a specific Centessa Subsidiary becomes impaired. Furthermore, a large proportion of our consolidated revenue may at any time be derived from one, or a small number of, licensed technologies, and termination or expiration of licenses to these technologies would likely have a material adverse effect on our consolidated revenue. Any material adverse impact on the value of a particular Centessa Subsidiary, including its intellectual property rights or the clinical development of its product candidate or program, could have a material adverse effect on our consolidated business, financial condition, results of operations or prospects.

***We may expend our limited resources to pursue a particular product candidate or indication and fail to capitalize on product candidates or indications that may be more profitable or for which there is a greater likelihood of success.***

Because we have limited financial and managerial resources, we must focus on a limited number of research programs and product candidates and on specific indications. As a result, we may forego or delay pursuit of opportunities with other product candidates or for other indications that later prove to have greater commercial potential, or we may fail to recognize or acquire assets that may be more promising than those we acquire. Our resource allocation decisions may cause us to fail to capitalize on viable commercial products or profitable market opportunities. Our spending on current and future identification, discovery, and preclinical development programs and product candidates for specific indications may not yield any commercially viable products.

***We face challenges, risks and expenses related to the Reorganization in integrating the operations of our asset-centric Centessa Subsidiaries, as well as the management of the expected growth in the scale and complexity of our operations following this offering.***

In connection with the Reorganization, we acquired the ownership interests of our operating Centessa Subsidiaries where our current development programs reside. These Centessa Subsidiaries have historically operated as independent entities with generally separate management and operational teams. As a result, we will need to expend significant resources and efforts in integrating the operations of these Centessa Subsidiaries into our larger organization, and such integration activities may be challenging due to the number of Centessa Subsidiaries acquired and the heterogeneity of their historical operations. For example, these Centessa Subsidiaries' programs span a range of therapeutic modalities and are designed to address a variety of disease areas. In addition, the Centessa Subsidiaries acquired in the Reorganization have conducted their business in a variety of jurisdictions in the U.S. and Europe. All of our Centessa Subsidiaries have had historical relationships with different licensors, contract organizations and other third-party vendors.

Each Centessa Subsidiary has historically had its own operational, legal, financial and management controls, reporting systems and procedures and integrating such controls, reporting systems and procedures may be challenging and we may not be successful in doing so. We believe certain synergies may be achieved by harmonizing the operational, legal, financial and management controls, reporting systems and procedures but we may not be successful in our harmonization efforts and this may result in not only being able to take advantage of synergies but expose us to additional operational, legal and financial risks and exposures associated with several levels of disorganized systems and procedures. With limited resources, historically the Centessa Subsidiaries may not have dedicated sufficient resources to ensure its operational, legal, financial and management controls, reporting systems, compliance and other procedures meet required standards and this may expose us to historical non-compliance investigations and liabilities, which may have a material adverse effect on our post reorganization operations. We also may face difficulties with the integration of our Centessa Subsidiaries if there is disagreement between the founder-subject matter experts and management of Centessa with respect to the development of the Centessa Subsidiary programs.

As of April 15, 2021 we had an aggregate of 34 employees and 46 contractors. We may not be successful in integrating and retaining such employees and consultants or find replacements which could have a material adverse effect on our ability to develop and commercialize our programs and product candidates. As our development and commercialization plans and strategies develop, and as we transition into operating as a public company, we expect to need additional managerial, operational, sales, marketing, legal, financial and other personnel. Future growth would impose significant added responsibilities on members of management, including:

- identifying, recruiting, integrating, maintaining and motivating additional employees;
- managing our internal development efforts effectively, including the clinical and FDA review process for our product candidates, while complying with our contractual obligations to contractors and other third parties; and
- improving our operational, legal, financial and management controls, reporting systems and procedures.

Our future financial performance and our ability to commercialize any product candidates that are approved for marketing will depend, in part, on our ability to effectively manage any future growth, and our management may also have to divert a disproportionate amount of its attention away from day-to-day activities in order to devote a substantial amount of time to managing these growth activities.

We currently rely, and for the foreseeable future will continue to rely, in substantial part on certain independent organizations, advisors and consultants to provide certain services, including substantially all aspects of legal and compliance, regulatory approval, clinical trial management and manufacturing. There can be no assurance that the services of independent organizations, advisors and consultants will continue to be available to us on a timely basis when needed, or that we can find qualified replacements. In addition, if we are unable to effectively manage our outsourced activities or if the quality or accuracy of the services provided by consultants is compromised for any reason, our clinical trials may be extended, delayed or terminated, and we may not be able to obtain regulatory approval of our product candidates or otherwise advance our business. There can be no assurance that we will be able to manage our existing consultants or find other competent outside contractors and consultants on economically reasonable terms, or at all.

If we are not able to effectively expand our organization by hiring new employees and expanding our groups of consultants and contractors, we may not be able to successfully implement the tasks necessary to further develop and potentially commercialize our product candidates and, accordingly, may not achieve our research, development and commercialization goals. We may not have sufficient funding to support our expansion. For more information, please see “Use of Proceeds” and “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited.”

***Our reliance on a central team consisting of a limited number of employees who provide various administrative, research and development, and other services across our organization presents operational challenges that may adversely affect our business.***

As of April 15, 2021, our parent organization had 34 full-time equivalent employees, upon which we rely for various operational, administrative, research and development, and other support services shared among our other operating subsidiaries. We also have consultants who we rely on for research and development, business development, and other services. While we believe this structure enables us to reduce certain infrastructure costs, the small size of our centralized team may limit our ability to devote adequate personnel, time, and resources to support the operations of all of our subsidiaries, including their operational, research and development activities, and the management of compliance, financial, accounting, and reporting matters. If our centralized team fails to provide adequate operational, administrative, research and development, or other services across our entire organization, our business, financial condition, and results of operations could be harmed.

***Some of our officers currently serve, and in the future may serve, as directors or officers of our Centessa Subsidiaries, and, as a result, have and may continue to have, statutory, fiduciary and other duties to our subsidiaries causing conflicts of interest with respect to their duties to us and their duties to our subsidiaries and in determining how to devote themselves to our affairs and the affairs of our subsidiaries. Our subsidiaries' partners may also disagree with the sufficiency of resources that we provide to each Centessa Subsidiary.***

Certain of our officers, including Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D., our Chief Executive Officer, Marella Thorell, our Chief Accounting Officer, and Iqbal Hussain, our General Counsel, are, or upon the completion of this offering will be, directors and/or officers of each Centessa Subsidiary and, as a result, have fiduciary or other duties both to us and our subsidiaries. Dr. Saha, Ms. Thorell and Mr. Hussain do not receive any additional compensation for their service as directors of our Centessa Subsidiaries. The conflicts of interest that arise from such duties could interfere with the management of our subsidiaries and their programs and product candidates, or result in disagreements with our subsidiaries' partners. For example, an individual who is both a director of one of our subsidiaries and an officer of Centessa owes statutory and fiduciary duties to the Centessa Subsidiary and to us, and such individual may encounter circumstances in which his or her decision or action may benefit the Centessa Subsidiary while having a detrimental impact on Centessa, or vice versa, or on another Centessa Subsidiary, including one for which he or she also serves as a director. Further, in the future, certain of our officers may serve as officers and directors of our Centessa Subsidiaries. Any such individual would need to allocate his or her time to responsibilities owed to Centessa and each of the Centessa Subsidiaries for which he or she serves as an officer or director, and would make decisions on behalf of one entity that may negatively impact others. In addition, disputes could arise between us and our Centessa Subsidiary's partners regarding a conflict of interest or perceived conflict of interest arising from the overlap between the officers and directors of the Centessa Subsidiary and those of Centessa. These partners also may disagree with the amount and quality of resources that are devoted to the Centessa Subsidiary they are invested in. Any such disputes or disagreements could distract our management, interfere with our relations with our partners, and take significant time to resolve, which could disrupt the development of our product candidates, delay our potential commercialization efforts, result in increased costs or make it less likely that other third parties will choose to partner with us in the future.

***Our Centessa Subsidiaries are party to certain agreements that provide our licensors and/or collaborators with rights that could delay or impact the ability of our Centessa Subsidiaries to sell assets, or enter into strategic alliances, collaborations or licensing arrangements with other third parties or the potential sale of our Centessa Subsidiaries.***

Each of our Centessa Subsidiaries licenses intellectual property from third parties and we expect such practice to continue in the future. These third parties have certain rights that could delay collaboration, licensing or other arrangements with another third party, and the existence of these rights may adversely impact our ability to attract an acquirer or partner. These rights include rights of negotiation and fees payable upon a sale of assets or change of control of a Centessa Subsidiary that are contained in license agreements.

For example, each of Palladio, Pega-One, ApcinteX and Z Factor, is party to certain license agreements that provide for payments upon satisfaction of milestones, royalty payments, diligence obligations and other customary terms contained in agreements for the in-license of programs and their intellectual property. See “Business—License Agreements.”

We may incorporate, form or otherwise acquire additional subsidiaries and enter into similar agreements with future counterparties, or our Centessa Subsidiaries may enter into further agreements, that in each case may contain similar provisions or other terms that are not favorable to us.

**Risks Related to our Financial Position, Need for Additional Capital and Growth Strategy**

***We, and our Centessa Subsidiaries prior to the Reorganization, incurred net losses since inception, and we expect to continue to incur losses for the foreseeable future and may never achieve or maintain profitability.***

We and our subsidiaries prior to the Reorganization incurred significant net losses since inception, have not generated any revenue from product sales to date, and financed operations primarily through private placements of preferred shares. Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, the issuer of the securities in this offering, is a newly incorporated holding company for all of the Centessa Subsidiaries in our organization, and we expect to incur significant losses for the foreseeable future. As an organization, we have devoted substantially all of our efforts to research and development, including clinical and preclinical development of our product candidates, as well as to building out our team. We expect that it could be several years, if ever, before we have a commercialized product candidate. We expect to continue to incur significant expenses and increasing operating losses for the foreseeable future. The net losses we incur may fluctuate significantly from quarter to quarter each financial year. We anticipate that our expenses will increase substantially if, and as, we:

- continue our research and the preclinical and clinical development of our product candidates, including our ongoing and planned clinical trials;
- initiate additional clinical trials and preclinical studies for our other product candidates, including those in our pipeline that are expected to advance into the clinic in the near future; if any of our product candidates advance through and complete late-stage development, prepare and submit marketing applications with the FDA and comparable regulatory authorities;
- experience any delays or encounter any issues with any of the above, including but not limited to failed studies, complex results, safety issues or other regulatory challenges;
- seek to discover and develop additional product candidates;
- establish a sales, marketing and distribution infrastructure to commercialize any product candidates for which we may obtain marketing approval;
- maintain, expand and protect our intellectual property portfolio;
- fulfill future potential payment obligations under our incentivization agreements with each Centessa subsidiary; and
- acquire or in-license other product candidates and technologies.

To become and remain profitable, we must develop and eventually commercialize product candidates with significant market potential. This will require us to be successful in a range of challenging activities, including completing preclinical testing and clinical trials of our product candidates, obtaining marketing approval for these product candidates, manufacturing, marketing and selling those products for which we may obtain marketing approval and satisfying any post-marketing requirements. We may never succeed in any or all of these activities and, even if we do, we may never generate revenues that are significant or large enough to achieve profitability. If we do achieve profitability, we may not be able to sustain or increase profitability on a quarterly or annual basis. Our failure to become and remain profitable would decrease the value of our company and could impair our ability to raise capital, maintain our research and development efforts and expand our business or continue our operations. A decline in the value of our company could cause you to lose all or part of your investment.



***Our limited operating history may make it difficult for investors to evaluate our business, operations and prospects.***

We are a newly incorporated holding company incorporated in October 2020. Our wholly-owned Centessa Subsidiaries are each in the development stage and have had limited operating histories. Our operations to date have been limited to organizing and staffing our company, business planning, developing our operating model, raising capital, acquiring our technology, identifying potential product candidates, establishing collaborations and undertaking preclinical studies and clinical trials of our most advanced product candidates. As an organization, we have not yet demonstrated a track record of conducting or completing Phase 3 trials of our product candidates, obtaining marketing approvals, manufacturing a commercial-scale product or conducting sales and marketing activities necessary for successful commercialization. Consequently, any predictions made about our future success or viability may not be as accurate as they could be if we had a longer operating history.

In addition, as a new business, we may encounter unforeseen expenses, difficulties, complications, delays and other known and unknown factors. We will need to transition from a company with a research focus to a company that is also capable of supporting commercial activities. We may not be successful in such a transition.

***We have never generated revenue from product sales and may never be profitable.***

Our ability to generate revenue from product sales and achieve profitability depends on our ability, alone or with collaborative partners, to successfully complete the development of, and obtain the regulatory approvals necessary to commercialize, our product candidates. We do not anticipate generating revenues from product sales for the next several years, if ever. Our ability to generate future revenues from product sales depends heavily on our, or our collaborators', success in:

- completing research and preclinical and clinical development of our product candidates;
- seeking and obtaining regulatory and marketing approvals for product candidates for which we complete clinical trials;
- in-licensing, acquiring, discovering or otherwise expanding our pipeline of product candidates for clinical development;
- launching and commercializing product candidates for which we obtain regulatory and marketing approval by establishing a sales force, marketing and distribution infrastructure or, alternatively, collaborating with a commercialization partner;
- qualifying for adequate coverage and reimbursement by government and third-party payors for our product candidates;
- maintaining and enhancing a sustainable, scalable, reproducible and transferable manufacturing process for our product candidates;
- establishing and maintaining supply and manufacturing relationships with third parties that can provide adequate, in both amount and quality, products and services to support clinical development and the market demand for our product candidates, if approved;
- obtaining market acceptance of our product candidates as a viable treatment option;
- addressing any competing technological and market developments;
- implementing additional internal systems and infrastructure, as needed;
- negotiating favorable terms in any collaboration, licensing or other arrangements into which we may enter and performing our obligations in such collaborations;
- maintaining, protecting and expanding our portfolio of intellectual property rights, including patents, trade secrets and know-how;
- avoiding and defending against third-party interference or infringement claims; and
- attracting, hiring and retaining qualified personnel.

Even if one or more of the product candidates that we develop is approved for commercial sale, we anticipate incurring significant costs associated with commercializing any approved product candidate. Our expenses could increase beyond expectations if we are required by the FDA, the European Medicines Agency (EMA), or the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA), or other regulatory authorities to perform clinical and other studies in addition to those that we currently anticipate. Even if we are able to generate revenues from the sale of any approved products, we may not become profitable and may need to obtain additional funding to continue operations.

***Even if this offering is successful, we will need substantial additional funds to advance development of our product candidates, and we cannot guarantee that we will have sufficient funds available in the future to develop and commercialize our current or future product candidates.***

Developing pharmaceutical products, including conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials, is a very time-consuming, expensive and uncertain process that takes years to complete. We will need substantial additional funds to expand our development, regulatory, manufacturing, marketing and sales capabilities or contract with other organizations in order to enter and advance our product candidates through preclinical studies and clinical trials. Our Centessa Subsidiaries have used substantial funds in their research and development programs and will continue to expend significant resources to advance their programs and product candidates.

As of December 31, 2020, we had \$5.0 million in cash and cash equivalents. In January 2021, we raised an aggregate of \$245 million from the sale of our Series A preferred shares. Based on our current operating plan, we believe that our available cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments, together with the net proceeds from this offering, will be sufficient to fund our anticipated level of operations through . Our future capital requirements and the period for which we expect our existing resources to support our operations may vary significantly from what we expect, and changing circumstances, some of which may be beyond our control, could cause us to consume capital significantly faster than we currently anticipate, and we may need to seek additional funds sooner than planned. Our monthly spending levels vary based on new and ongoing development and corporate activities. Because the length of time and activities associated with successful development of our product candidates is highly uncertain, we are unable to estimate the actual funds we will require for development and any approved marketing and commercialization activities.

We currently expect to use the net proceeds from this offering, together with our existing cash to fund the continued development and precommercialization costs of our clinical-stage product candidates; to fund continued development of the other programs in our pipeline, including designing and conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials, as well as funding discovery, manufacturing, research and development; to fund the acquisition of and drug development activities related to new programs; although we have no material agreements, commitments or understandings with respect to any in-license or acquisition, we have and plan to continue to evaluate such opportunities and engage in related discussions with other business entities from time to time; and the remainder for working capital and other general corporate purposes. As a result, the net proceeds from this offering, together with our cash and cash equivalents, will not be sufficient for us to fund our development activities, operations, business plan, commercialization and other activities beyond .

To execute our business plan, we will need, among other things, to:

- obtain the human and financial resources necessary to develop, test, obtain regulatory approval for, manufacture and market our product candidates;
- build and maintain a strong intellectual property portfolio and avoid infringing intellectual property of third parties;
- establish and maintain successful licenses, collaborations and alliances;
- satisfy the requirements of clinical trial protocols, including patient enrollment;
- establish and demonstrate the clinical efficacy and safety of our product candidates;

- obtain regulatory approvals;
- manage our spending as costs and expenses increase due to preclinical studies and clinical trials, regulatory approvals, commercialization, legal and regulatory compliance, and increased operations;
- obtain additional capital to support and expand our operations; and
- market our products to achieve acceptance and use by the medical community in general.

We do not expect to realize revenue from product sales, milestone payments or royalties in the foreseeable future, if at all. Our revenue sources are, and will remain, extremely limited unless and until our product candidates are clinically tested, approved for commercialization and successfully marketed.

We will be required to seek additional funding in the future and intend to do so through either public or private equity offerings or debt financings, credit or loan facilities or a combination of one or more of these funding sources. Attempting to secure additional financing may divert our management from our day-to-day activities, which may adversely affect our ability to develop our product candidates. Our ability to raise additional funds will depend on financial, economic and other factors, many of which are beyond our control. Additional funds may not be available to us on acceptable terms or at all. If we raise additional funds by issuing equity securities, our shareholders will suffer dilution and the terms of any financing may adversely affect the rights of our shareholders. In addition, as a condition to providing additional funds to us, future investors may demand, and may be granted, rights superior to those of existing shareholders. Debt financing, if available, may involve restrictive covenants limiting our flexibility in conducting future business activities, and, in the event of insolvency, debt holders would be repaid before holders of equity securities received any distribution of corporate assets.

If we raise additional funds through collaborations, strategic alliances or licensing arrangements with third parties, we may have to relinquish valuable rights to our technologies, future revenue streams, research programs or product candidates or to grant licenses on terms that may not be favorable to us. If we are unable to raise additional funds through equity or debt financings when needed, we may be required to delay, reduce or terminate our product development or future commercialization efforts or grant rights to third parties to develop and market product candidates that we would otherwise prefer to develop and market ourselves.

***If we engage in acquisitions or strategic partnerships, this may increase our capital requirements, dilute our shareholders, cause us to incur debt or assume contingent liabilities, and subject us to other risks.***

As part of our asset-centric business model and strategy, we may engage in various acquisitions and strategic partnerships in the future, including licensing or acquiring new or complementary products, intellectual property rights, technologies, or businesses. Any acquisition or strategic partnership may entail numerous risks, including:

- increased operating expenses and cash requirements;
- the assumption of indebtedness or contingent liabilities;
- the issuance of our equity securities which would result in dilution to our shareholders;
- assimilation of operations, intellectual property, products and product candidates of an acquired company, including difficulties associated with integrating new personnel;
- the diversion of our management's attention from our existing product programs and initiatives in pursuing such an acquisition or strategic partnership;
- retention of key employees, the loss of key personnel, and uncertainties in our ability to maintain key business relationships;
- risks and uncertainties associated with the other party to such a transaction, including the prospects of that party and their existing products or product candidates and regulatory approvals; and

- our inability to generate revenue from acquired intellectual property, technology and/or products sufficient to meet our objectives or even to offset the associated transaction and maintenance costs; and
- our assumption of liabilities of the acquired subsidiary or acquired assets.

In addition, if we undertake such a transaction, we may issue dilutive securities, assume or incur debt obligations, incur large one-time expenses and acquire intangible assets that could result in significant future amortization expense.

***If we acquire additional companies in the future, it could adversely affect our operating results and the value of our ADSs.***

As part of our asset-centric business model and strategy, we may acquire additional companies. Investments in our existing and any future subsidiaries involve numerous risks, including, but not necessarily limited to:

- risk of conducting research and development activities in new therapeutic areas or treatment modalities in which we have little to no experience;
- diversion of financial and managerial resources from existing operations;
- successfully negotiating a proposed acquisition, in-license or investment in a timely manner and at a price or on terms and conditions favorable to us;
- successfully combining and integrating a potential acquisition into our existing business to fully realize the benefits of such acquisition;
- the impact of regulatory reviews on a proposed acquisition, in-license or investment; and
- the assumption of liabilities of acquired subsidiaries and outcome of any legal proceedings that may be instituted with respect to the proposed acquisition, in-license or investment.

If we fail to properly evaluate potential acquisitions, in-licenses, investments or other transactions associated with the creation of new research and development programs or the maintenance of existing ones, we might not achieve the anticipated benefits of any such transaction, we might incur costs in excess of what we anticipate, and management resources and attention might be diverted from other necessary or valuable activities.

**Risks Related to Our Business and the Clinical Development, Regulatory Review and Approval**

***Our product candidates are in various stages of development, including many in discovery and preclinical stages, and may fail in development or suffer delays that materially adversely affect their commercial viability.***

We have no products on the market and most of our product candidates in our pipeline are in the early stages of development. For example, across our organization, we currently have four product candidates that are in clinical development—lixivaptan, developed by Palladio, imgatuzumab, developed by Pega-One, SerpinPC, developed by ApcinteX, and Z874, developed by Z Factor. The remainder of our programs are in discovery or IND-enabling phases. Our ability to achieve and sustain profitability depends on obtaining regulatory approvals for, and successfully commercializing, our product candidates, either alone or with third parties. Before obtaining regulatory approval for the commercial distribution of our product candidates, we or a collaborator must conduct extensive preclinical tests and clinical trials to demonstrate the safety and efficacy of our drug product candidates and the safety, purity, and potency or efficacy, of our biologic product candidates. Preclinical testing and clinical trials are expensive, difficult to design and implement, can take many years to complete and are uncertain as to outcome. The start or end of a clinical study is often delayed or halted due to changing regulatory requirements, manufacturing challenges, required clinical trial administrative actions, slower than anticipated patient enrollment, changing standards of care, availability or prevalence of use of a comparative drug or required prior therapy, clinical outcomes or financial constraints. For instance, delays or difficulties in patient enrollment or difficulties in retaining trial participants can result in increased costs, longer development times or termination of

a clinical trial. Clinical trials of a new product candidate require the enrollment of a sufficient number of patients, including patients who are suffering from the disease the product candidate is intended to treat and who meet other eligibility criteria. Rates of patient enrollment are affected by many factors, including the size of the patient population, the eligibility criteria for the clinical trial, the age and condition of the patients, the stage and severity of disease, the nature of the protocol, the proximity of patients to clinical sites and the availability of effective treatments for the relevant disease.

A product candidate can unexpectedly fail at any stage of preclinical and clinical development. The historical failure rate for product candidates is high due to scientific feasibility, safety, efficacy, changing standards of medical care and other variables. The results from preclinical testing or early clinical trials of a product candidate may not predict the results that will be obtained in later phase clinical trials of the product candidate. We, the FDA or other applicable regulatory authorities may suspend clinical trials of a product candidate at any time for various reasons, including a belief that subjects participating in such trials are being exposed to unacceptable health risks or adverse side effects. We may not have the financial resources to continue development of, or to enter into collaborations for, a product candidate if we experience any problems or other unforeseen events that delay or prevent regulatory approval of, or our ability to commercialize, product candidates, including:

- negative or inconclusive results from our clinical trials or the clinical trials of others for product candidates similar to ours, leading to a decision or requirement to conduct additional preclinical testing or clinical trials or abandon a program;
- serious and unexpected drug-related side effects experienced by participants in our clinical trials or by individuals using drugs similar to our product candidates;
- delays in submitting Investigational New Drug applications (INDs), Clinical Trial Applications (CTAs), or comparable foreign applications or delays or failure in obtaining the necessary approvals from regulators to commence a clinical trial, or a suspension or termination of a clinical trial once commenced;
- conditions imposed by the FDA or comparable foreign authorities regarding the scope or design of our clinical trials;
- delays in enrolling research subjects in clinical trials;
- high drop-out rates of research subjects;
- inadequate supply or quality of product candidate components or materials or other supplies necessary for the conduct of our clinical trials;
- greater than anticipated clinical trial costs;
- poor effectiveness of our product candidates during clinical trials;
- unfavorable FDA or other regulatory agency inspection and review of a clinical trial site;
- failure of our third-party contractors or investigators to comply with regulatory requirements or otherwise meet their contractual obligations in a timely manner, or at all;
- delays and changes in regulatory requirements, policy and guidelines, including the imposition of additional regulatory oversight around clinical testing generally or with respect to our technology in particular; or
- varying interpretations of data by the FDA and similar foreign regulatory agencies; or
- factors including any delays caused by the continuing impact of the COVID-19 global pandemic and future epidemics, pandemics and other macroeconomic considerations.

Some of the clinical trials performed to date were, and in the future we may conduct, open-label studies involving only a limited number of clinical sites and a limited number of patients. An “open-label” clinical trial

is one where both the patient and investigator know whether the patient is receiving the investigational product candidate or either an existing approved drug or placebo. Most typically, open-label clinical trials test only the investigational product candidate and sometimes may do so at different dose levels. Open-label clinical trials are subject to various limitations that may exaggerate any therapeutic effect as patients in open-label clinical trials are aware when they are receiving treatment. Open-label clinical trials may be subject to a “patient bias” where patients perceive their symptoms to have improved merely due to their awareness of receiving an experimental treatment. Moreover, patients selected for early clinical studies often include the most severe sufferers and their symptoms may have been bound to improve notwithstanding the new treatment. In addition, open-label clinical trials may be subject to an “investigator bias” where those assessing and reviewing the physiological outcomes of the clinical trials are aware of which patients have received treatment and may interpret the information of the treated group more favorably given this knowledge. Given that our development programs for ApcinteX and Palladio have included open-label clinical trials, the results from these clinical trials may not be predictive of future clinical trial results with these or other product candidates when studied in a controlled environment with a placebo or active control.

***We may not be successful in our efforts to identify, discover, in-license or otherwise acquire additional product candidates and may fail to capitalize on programs or product candidates that may be a greater commercial opportunity or for which there is a greater likelihood of success.***

The success of our business depends upon our ability to identify, develop and commercialize product candidates. Research programs to identify new product candidates require substantial technical, financial and human resources. Although certain of our product candidates are currently in clinical or preclinical development, we may fail to identify other potential product candidates for clinical development for several reasons. For example, our research may be unsuccessful in identifying potential product candidates or our potential product candidates may be shown to have harmful side effects, may be commercially impracticable to manufacture or may have other characteristics that may make the products unmarketable or unlikely to receive marketing approval.

Additionally, because we have limited resources, we may forego or delay pursuit of opportunities with certain programs or product candidates or for indications that later prove to have greater commercial potential. Our spending on current and future research and development programs may not yield any commercially viable products. If we do not accurately evaluate the commercial potential for a particular product candidate, we may relinquish valuable rights to that product candidate through strategic collaboration, licensing or other arrangements in cases in which it would have been more advantageous for us to retain sole development and commercialization rights to such product candidate. Alternatively, we may allocate internal resources to a product candidate in a therapeutic area in which it would have been more advantageous to enter into a partnering arrangement.

If any of these events occur, we may be forced to abandon our development efforts with respect to a particular product candidate or fail to develop a potentially successful product candidate, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***Success in preclinical studies or early clinical trials may not be indicative of results obtained in later trials.***

Results from preclinical studies or previous clinical trials are not necessarily predictive of future clinical trial results, and interim results of a clinical trial are not necessarily indicative of final results. The results generated to date in preclinical studies or clinical trials for our product candidates do not ensure that later preclinical studies or clinical trials will demonstrate similar results. Our product candidates may fail to show the desired safety and efficacy in clinical development despite demonstrating positive results in preclinical studies or having successfully advanced through initial clinical trials. Product candidates in later stages of clinical trials may fail to show the desired safety and efficacy traits despite having progressed through preclinical and earlier stage clinical trials. In later-stage clinical trials, we will likely be subject to more rigorous statistical analyses than in completed earlier stage clinical trials. In some instances, there can be significant variability in safety or efficacy results

between different clinical trials of the same product candidate due to numerous factors, including changes in clinical trial procedures set forth in protocols, differences in the size and type of the patient populations, adherence to the dosing regimen and other clinical trial protocols, and the rate of dropout among clinical trial participants. We cannot guarantee that any of our clinical trials will be conducted as planned or completed on schedule, or at all. Clinical trials can fail at any stage of testing and failure may result from a multitude of factors, including, among other things, flaws in study design, dose selection issues, placebo effects, patient enrollment criteria and failure to demonstrate favorable safety or efficacy traits.

There is a high failure rate for small molecule drugs and biologic products proceeding through clinical development. Many companies in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries have suffered significant setbacks in late-stage clinical trials even after achieving promising results in preclinical testing and earlier-stage clinical trials. Data obtained from preclinical and clinical activities are subject to varying interpretations, which may delay, limit or prevent regulatory approval, and many companies that have believed their product candidates performed satisfactorily in preclinical studies and clinical trials have nonetheless failed to obtain marketing approval of their products. In addition, we may experience regulatory delays or rejections as a result of many factors, including due to changes in regulatory policy during the period of our product candidate development. Furthermore, the failure of any of our product candidates to demonstrate safety and efficacy in any clinical trial could negatively impact the perception of our other product candidates and/or cause the FDA or other regulatory authorities to require additional testing before approving any of our product candidates. Any such delays could materially and adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***We may encounter substantial delays or challenges in the initiation, conduct or completion of our clinical trials, and the results of clinical development are uncertain.***

Before obtaining marketing approval from regulatory authorities for the sale of our product candidates, we must conduct extensive clinical trials to demonstrate the safety and efficacy of the product candidate for its intended indications. Clinical trials are expensive, time-consuming and uncertain as to outcome. We cannot guarantee that any clinical trials will be conducted as planned or completed on schedule, if at all. A failure of one or more clinical trials can occur at any stage of testing. Events that may prevent successful or timely completion of clinical development include:

- delay in completing preclinical studies;
- delays in reaching a consensus with regulatory authorities on trial design;
- delays in obtaining authorizations of INDs to commence a clinical trial;
- delays in reaching agreement or failing to agree on acceptable terms with prospective clinical research organizations (CROs), and clinical trial sites, the terms of which can be subject to extensive negotiation and may vary significantly among different CROs and clinical trial sites;
- delays in obtaining Institutional Review Board (IRB), or independent ethics committee approval at each clinical trial site;
- delays in opening a sufficient number of clinical trial sites and recruiting an adequate number of suitable patients to participate in our clinical trials;
- imposition of a clinical hold by regulatory authorities as a result of a serious adverse event, concerns with a class of product candidates or after an inspection of our clinical trial operations or trial sites;
- delays in having patients complete participation in a trial or return for post-treatment follow-up;
- occurrence of clinical trial sites deviating from clinical trial protocol or dropping out of a clinical trial;
- obtaining sufficient product supply of product candidate for use in preclinical studies or clinical trials from third-party suppliers;

- occurrence of serious adverse events associated with the product candidate that are viewed to outweigh its potential benefits; or
- changes in regulatory requirements and guidance that require amending or submitting new clinical protocols; or
- macro factors such as the COVID-19 global pandemic.

Any inability to successfully complete preclinical and clinical development could result in additional costs to us or impair our ability to generate revenue from future drug sales and regulatory and commercialization milestones. In addition, if we make manufacturing or formulation changes to our product candidates, we may need to conduct additional testing to bridge our modified product candidate to earlier versions. Clinical trial delays could also shorten any periods during which we may have the exclusive right to commercialize our product candidates, if approved, or allow our competitors to bring comparable drugs to market before we do, which could impair our ability to successfully commercialize our product candidates and may harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

Additionally, if the results of our clinical trials are inconclusive or if there are safety concerns or serious adverse events associated with our product candidates, we may:

- be delayed in obtaining marketing approval, if at all;
- obtain approval for indications or patient populations that are not as broad as intended or desired;
- obtain approval with labeling that includes significant use or distribution restrictions or safety warnings;
- be subject to additional post-marketing testing requirements;
- be required to perform additional clinical trials to support approval or be subject to additional post-marketing testing requirements;
- have regulatory authorities withdraw, or suspend, their approval of the drug or impose restrictions on its distribution in the form of a modified risk evaluation and mitigation strategy, or REMS, plan;
- be subject to the addition of labeling statements, such as warnings or contraindications;
- be sued; or
- experience damage to our reputation.

Our drug development costs will also increase if we experience delays in testing or obtaining marketing approvals. We do not know whether any of our preclinical studies or clinical trials will begin as planned, need to be restructured or be completed on schedule, if at all.

Further, we, the FDA or other regulatory authorities, or an IRB or ethics committee of the institutions in which our clinical trials are being conducted, or the Data Safety Monitoring Board for such trials, if any, may suspend or terminate our clinical trials. Such authorities may suspend or terminate a clinical trial at any time due to a number of factors, including if it appears that we or our collaborators are failing to conduct a trial in accordance with regulatory requirements, including the FDA's current Good Clinical Practice (GCP), regulations, unforeseen safety issues or unacceptable health risks, failure to demonstrate a benefit from the product candidates, or if the FDA finds deficiencies in our INDs or the conduct of these trials. Therefore, we cannot predict with any certainty the schedule for commencement and completion of future clinical trials. If we experience delays in the commencement or completion of our clinical trials, or if we terminate a clinical trial prior to completion, the commercial prospects of our product candidates could be negatively impacted, and our ability to generate revenues from our product candidates may be delayed or eliminated entirely.



***Even if we complete the necessary preclinical studies and clinical trials, the marketing approval process is expensive, time-consuming and uncertain and may prevent us from obtaining approvals for the commercialization of our product candidates.***

Any product candidate we develop and the activities associated with its development and commercialization, including its design, testing, manufacture, safety, efficacy, recordkeeping, labeling, storage, approval, advertising, promotion, sale, and distribution, are subject to comprehensive regulation by the FDA and other regulatory authorities in the United States and by comparable authorities in other countries. Failure to obtain marketing approval for a product candidate will prevent us from commercializing the product candidate in a given jurisdiction. We have not received approval to market any product candidates from regulatory authorities in any jurisdiction and it is possible that none of the product candidates we are developing or may seek to develop in the future will ever obtain regulatory approval. We have no experience in submitting and supporting the applications necessary to gain marketing approvals and expect to rely on third-party CROs or regulatory consultants to assist us in this process. Securing regulatory approval requires the submission of extensive preclinical and clinical data and supporting information to the various regulatory authorities for each therapeutic indication to establish the product candidate's safety and efficacy. Securing regulatory approval also requires the submission of information about the product manufacturing process to, and inspection of manufacturing facilities by, the relevant regulatory authority. Any product candidates we develop may not be effective, may be only moderately effective, or may prove to have undesirable or unintended side effects, toxicities or other characteristics that may preclude its obtaining marketing approval or prevent or limit commercial use.

The process of obtaining marketing approvals is expensive, may take many years if additional clinical trials are required, if approval is obtained at all, and can vary substantially based upon a variety of factors, including the type, complexity, and novelty of the product candidates involved. Changes in marketing approval policies during the development period, changes in or the enactment of additional statutes or regulations, or changes in regulatory review for each submitted product application, may cause delays in the approval or rejection of an application. The FDA and comparable authorities in other countries have substantial discretion in the approval process and may refuse to accept any application or may decide that our data are insufficient for approval and require additional preclinical, clinical or other studies. This is particularly true for clinical trials in rare diseases, where the very small patient population makes it difficult or impossible to conduct traditional, adequate and well-controlled studies, and therefore the FDA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities are often required to exercise flexibility in approving therapies for such diseases. To the extent that the results of the trials are not satisfactory to the FDA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities for support of a marketing application, we may be required to expend significant resources, which may not be available to us, to conduct additional trials in support of potential approval of our product candidates. In addition, varying interpretations of the data obtained from preclinical and clinical testing could delay, limit, or prevent marketing approval of a product candidate. Any marketing approval that we may ultimately obtain could be limited or subject to restrictions or post-approval commitments that render the approved product not commercially viable.

If we experience delays in obtaining approval or if we fail to obtain approval of any product candidates we may develop, the commercial prospects for those product candidates may be harmed, and our ability to generate revenues will be materially impaired.

***We may find it difficult to enroll patients in our clinical trials, which could delay or prevent us from proceeding with clinical trials of our product candidates.***

Identifying and qualifying patients to participate in clinical trials of our product candidates is critical to our success. The timing of our clinical trials depends on our ability to recruit patients to participate in such trials as well as the completion of any required follow-up periods. Some of our product candidates are designed to target orphan indications. For example, Palladio is developing lixivaptan for the treatment of ADPKD and ApcinteX is developing SerpinPC for the treatment of hemophilia. Trials in orphan indications often take longer to enroll than trials for other indications due to the smaller patient population from which subjects can be recruited. We may

experience delays in any of our future clinical trials. If patients are unwilling to participate in our studies because of negative publicity from adverse events related to certain modalities utilized in one or more of our product candidates, competitive clinical trials for similar patient populations or for other reasons, the timeline for recruiting patients, conducting studies and obtaining regulatory approval of our product candidates may be delayed. Delays could result in increased costs, delays in advancing our product candidates, delays in testing the effectiveness of our product candidates or termination of the clinical trials altogether.

We may not be able to identify, recruit and enroll a sufficient number of patients, or those with required or desired characteristics, to complete our clinical trials in a timely manner. Patient enrollment and trial completion is affected by factors including:

- size of the patient population and process for identifying subjects;
- design of the trial protocol;
- eligibility and exclusion criteria;
- perceived risks and benefits of the product candidate under study;
- perceived risks and benefits of approaches utilized by one or more of our product candidates to treatment of diseases;
- availability of competing therapies and clinical trials;
- severity of the disease under investigation;
- proximity and availability of clinical trial sites for prospective subjects;
- ability to recruit clinical trial investigators with the appropriate competencies and experience;
- ability to obtain and maintain subject consent;
- risk that enrolled subjects will drop out before completion of the trial;
- patient referral practices of physicians;
- ability to monitor subjects adequately during and after treatment; and
- factors we may not be able to control, such as current or potential pandemics that may limit patients, principal investigators or staff or clinical site availability (e.g., the COVID-19 pandemic).

We plan to seek initial marketing approval in the United States and certain other major markets such as major countries in the European Union (EU), and the United Kingdom. We may not be able to initiate or continue clinical trials if we cannot enroll a sufficient number of eligible patients to participate in the clinical trials required by FDA, EMA, MHRA or other regulatory authorities. Our ability to successfully initiate, enroll and complete a clinical trial in any foreign country is subject to numerous risks unique to conducting business in foreign countries, including:

- difficulty in establishing or managing relationships with CROs, and physicians;
- difficulty in obtaining local regulatory approval to conduct clinical trials;
- different standards for the conduct of clinical trials;
- our inability to locate qualified local consultants, physicians and partners; and
- the potential burden of complying with a variety of foreign laws, medical standards and regulatory requirements, including the regulation of pharmaceutical and biotechnology products and treatment.

If we have difficulty enrolling a sufficient number of patients to conduct our clinical trials as planned, we may need to delay, limit or terminate ongoing or planned clinical trials, any of which would have an adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***We are dependent on third parties having accurately generated, collected, interpreted and reported data from certain preclinical studies and clinical trials that were previously conducted for our product candidates.***

We have licensed patent and other intellectual property rights from third parties and we may continue to seek and enter into similar licenses for future programs. In certain cases, we intend to rely on results of studies previously conducted by third parties to support our own development of these candidates. For example, the historical development of imgatuzumab was conducted by Roche, the results from which Pega-One intends to utilize to support the further development of this program. In such cases, we may have no involvement with or control over the preclinical and clinical development of any of such product candidates prior to obtaining the in-license. Therefore, we would be dependent on these third parties having conducted their research and development in accordance with the applicable protocols, legal and regulatory requirements, and scientific standards; having accurately reported the results of all preclinical studies and clinical trials conducted with respect to such product candidates and having correctly collected and interpreted the data from these studies and trials. If these activities were not compliant, accurate or correct, the clinical development, regulatory approval or commercialization of our product candidates will be adversely affected.

In addition, our belief in the therapeutic potential of lixivaptan is based, in part, on experiences of Cardiokine in its development of this molecule for a hyponatremia indication, which included over 30 clinical trials. Cardiokine had previously submitted an NDA for lixivaptan for the hyponatremia indication, for which the FDA subsequently issued a complete response letter that cited certain product quality and safety issues and resulted in the agency's determination not to approve lixivaptan for hyponatremia. Palladio subsequently obtained feedback from the FDA, following which, the FDA agreed with Palladio that no additional non-clinical work would be required to support the commencement of clinical trials or an NDA submission for an ADPKD indication. While, the meeting minutes issued by the FDA stated that the FDA did not believe the mortality findings from the legacy Cardiokine BALANCE trial — treatment of hyponatremia in hospitalized patients with congestive heart failure — would pose a barrier to approval of lixivaptan for the treatment of ADPKD, there can be no assurance that the FDA will maintain such position with respect to the lixivaptan ADPKD program under development by Palladio. If the FDA requires additional development and testing of lixivaptan, including in the form of additional preclinical or clinical studies that we have not planned for, we would be required to expend additional resources and our developmental timelines for this candidate will be delayed.

***We may be unable to obtain U.S. or foreign regulatory approval and, as a result, unable to commercialize our product candidates.***

Our product candidates are subject to extensive governmental regulations relating to, among other things, research, testing, development, manufacturing, safety, efficacy, approval, recordkeeping, reporting, labeling, storage, packaging, advertising and promotion, pricing, marketing and distribution of drugs. Rigorous preclinical testing and clinical trials and an extensive regulatory approval process are required to be successfully completed in the U.S. and in many foreign jurisdictions before a new drug can be marketed. Satisfaction of these and other regulatory requirements is costly, time consuming, uncertain and subject to unanticipated delays. It is possible that none of the product candidates we may develop will obtain the regulatory approvals necessary for us or our collaborators to begin selling them. Regulatory authorities may also fail to approve the facilities or processes used to manufacture a product candidate, our dosing or delivery methods.

We have very limited experience in conducting and managing the clinical trials necessary to obtain regulatory approvals, including approval by the FDA. The time required to obtain FDA and other approvals is unpredictable but typically takes many years following the commencement of clinical trials, depending upon the type, complexity and novelty of the product candidate. The standards that the FDA and its foreign counterparts use when regulating us are not always applied predictably or uniformly and can change. For example, the FDA may revisit its stance that our planned pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD can serve as a potentially registrational trial. Further, certain historical trials conducted with lixivaptan were conducted by a third party sponsor for an indication other than ADPKD. To the extent any data from historical trials are intended to support a marketing

application for ADPKD, lesser weight may be applied to such data. Any analysis we perform of data from preclinical and clinical activities is subject to confirmation and interpretation by regulatory authorities, which could delay, limit or prevent regulatory approval. We may also encounter unexpected delays or increased costs due to new government regulations, for example, from future legislation or administrative action, or from changes in FDA policy during the period of product development, clinical trials and FDA regulatory review. It is impossible to predict whether legislative changes will be enacted, or whether FDA or foreign regulations, guidance or interpretations will be changed, or what the impact of such changes, if any, may be.

In certain cases in the future, we may develop therapies that may represent a new class of drug for which the FDA and its foreign counterparts have not yet established any definitive policies, practices or guidelines in relation to these drugs. For example, we may in the future develop product candidates that we believe are regulated as new drugs under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, but the FDA could decide to regulate them or other products we may develop as biologics under the Public Health Service Act. The lack of policies, practices or guidelines may hinder or slow review by the FDA of any regulatory filings that we may submit. Moreover, the FDA may respond to these submissions by defining requirements we may not have anticipated. Such responses could lead to significant delays in the clinical development of our product candidates. In addition, because there may be approved treatments for some of the diseases for which we may seek approval, in order to receive regulatory approval, we may need to demonstrate through clinical trials that the product candidates we develop to treat these diseases, if any, are not only safe and effective, but safer or more effective than existing products.

Any delay or failure in obtaining required approvals could have a material adverse effect on our ability to generate revenues from the particular product candidate for which we are seeking approval. Furthermore, any regulatory approval to market a product may be subject to limitations on the approved uses for which we may market the product or the labeling or other restrictions. In addition, the FDA has the authority to require a REMS plan as part of a new drug application (NDA), or biologics license application (BLA), or after approval, which may impose further requirements or restrictions on the distribution or use of an approved drug or biologic, such as limiting prescribing to certain physicians or medical centers that have undergone specialized training, limiting treatment to patients who meet certain safe-use criteria and requiring treated patients to enroll in a registry. These limitations and restrictions may limit the size of the market for the product and affect reimbursement by third-party payors.

We are also subject to numerous foreign regulatory requirements governing, among other things, the conduct of clinical trials, manufacturing and marketing authorization, pricing and third-party reimbursement. The foreign regulatory approval process varies among countries and may include all of the risks associated with FDA approval described above as well as risks attributable to the satisfaction of local regulations in foreign jurisdictions. Moreover, the time required to obtain approval may differ from that required to obtain FDA approval. Approval by the FDA does not ensure approval by regulatory authorities outside the U.S. and vice versa.

***Interim, “top-line,” and preliminary data from our clinical trials that we announce or publish from time to time may change as more patient data become available or as additional analyses are conducted, and as the data are subject to audit and verification procedures that could result in material changes in the final data.***

From time to time, we may publish interim, “top-line,” or preliminary data from our clinical studies. Interim data from clinical trials that we may complete are subject to the risk that one or more of the clinical outcomes may materially change as patient enrollment continues and more patient data become available. Preliminary or “top-line” data also remain subject to audit and verification procedures that may result in the final data being materially different from the preliminary data we previously published. As a result, interim and preliminary data should be viewed with caution until the final data are available. Material adverse changes between preliminary, “top-line,” or interim data and final data could significantly harm our business prospects.

***We may be unable to obtain orphan drug designation or exclusivity. If our competitors are able to obtain orphan drug exclusivity for products that constitute the same drug and treat the same indications as our product candidates, we may not be able to have competing products approved by the applicable regulatory authority for a significant period of time.***

We have received orphan drug designation for lixivaptan for ADPKD in the United States and we may in the future seek orphan drug designation for certain of our other product candidates, but we may be unable to maintain orphan drug designation or obtain any benefits associated with orphan drug designation, including market exclusivity. Regulatory authorities in some jurisdictions, including the United States and the European Union, may designate drugs and biologics intended to treat relatively small patient populations as orphan drugs. Under the Orphan Drug Act of 1983, FDA may designate a product candidate as an orphan drug if it is intended to treat a rare disease or condition, which is defined as a disease or condition having a patient population of fewer than 200,000 individuals in the United States, or a patient population greater than 200,000 in the United States where there is no reasonable expectation that the cost of developing the drug will be recovered from sales in the United States. In the European Union, the European Commission after recommendation from the EMA's Committee for Orphan Medicinal Products grants orphan drug designation to promote the development of products that are intended for the diagnosis, prevention or treatment of a life-threatening or chronically debilitating condition affecting not more than 5 in 10,000 persons in the European Union. Additionally, orphan designation is granted for products intended for the diagnosis, prevention or treatment of a life-threatening, seriously debilitating or serious and chronic condition and when, without incentives, it is unlikely that sales of the drug in the European Union would be sufficient to justify the necessary investment in developing the drug or biologic product.

Certain of our current product candidates, and our future potential product candidates may target patient populations that are smaller than the numbers described above. If we request orphan drug designation for our product candidates, there can be no assurances that FDA or the European Commission will grant any of our product candidates such designation. Additionally, the designation of any of our product candidates as an orphan product does not guarantee that any regulatory agency will accelerate regulatory review of, or ultimately approve, that product candidate, nor does it limit the ability of any regulatory agency to grant orphan drug designation to product candidates of other companies that treat the same indications as our product candidates prior to our product candidates receiving exclusive marketing approval.

Generally, if a product candidate with an orphan drug designation receives the first marketing approval for the indication for which it has such designation, the product is entitled to a period of marketing exclusivity, which precludes the FDA or the European Commission from approving another marketing application for a product that constitutes the same drug treating the same indication for that marketing exclusivity period, except in limited circumstances. If another sponsor receives such approval before we do (regardless of our orphan drug designation), we will be precluded from receiving marketing approval for our product for the applicable exclusivity period. The applicable period is seven years in the United States and 10 years in the European Union. The exclusivity period in the United States can be extended by six months if the sponsor submits pediatric data that fairly respond to a written request from the FDA for such data. The exclusivity period in the European Union can be reduced to six years if a product no longer meets the criteria for orphan drug designation or if the product is sufficiently profitable so that market exclusivity is no longer justified. Orphan drug exclusivity may be revoked if any regulatory agency determines that the request for designation was materially defective or if the manufacturer is unable to assure sufficient quantity of the product to meet the needs of patients with the rare disease or condition.

Even if we obtain orphan drug exclusivity for a product candidate, that exclusivity may not effectively protect the product candidate from competition because different drugs can be approved for the same condition. In the United States, even after an orphan drug is approved, the FDA may subsequently approve another drug for the same condition if the FDA concludes that the latter drug is not the same drug or is clinically superior in that it is

shown to be safer, more effective or makes a major contribution to patient care. In the European Union, marketing authorization may be granted to a similar medicinal product for the same orphan indication if:

- the second applicant can establish in its application that its medicinal product, although similar to the orphan medicinal product already authorized, is safer, more effective or otherwise clinically superior;
- the holder of the marketing authorization for the original orphan medicinal product consents to a second orphan medicinal product application; or
- the holder of the marketing authorization for the original orphan medicinal product cannot supply sufficient quantities of orphan medicinal product.

***We face significant competition in an environment of rapid technological change and the possibility that our competitors may achieve regulatory approval before us or develop therapies that are more advanced or effective than ours, which may adversely affect our ability to successfully market or commercialize our product candidates and our financial condition.***

The biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries are characterized by rapidly changing technologies, significant competition and a strong emphasis on intellectual property. We face substantial competition from many different sources, including large and specialty pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, academic research institutions, government agencies and public and private research institutions. In addition, we face competition from other companies that have adopted business models that are similar to ours in which they establish strategic alliances, create joint ventures or collaborations, or enter into licensing arrangements with third parties for programs, product candidates, technologies or intellectual property. We may not be able to compete effectively with such companies. See “—We may not be successful in our efforts to use our differentiated asset-centric business model to build a pipeline of product candidates with commercial value.”

For example, for our clinical-stage product candidates, our main competitors include:

- For lixivaptan, tolvaptan for the treatment of ADPKD, along with venglustat and bardoxolone, which are currently undergoing Phase 3 trials.
- For SerpinPC, approved treatments such as emicizumab that are factor replacement therapies. In addition to these approaches, gene therapies for HA and HB are being developed by various sponsors including BioMarin, Pfizer/Spark and Freeline.
- For imgatuzumab, anti-PD1 immune checkpoint inhibitors such as cemiplimab and pembrolizumab. Cetuximab is also used off-label for advanced CSCC patients who are ineligible for anti-PD1 therapy or who relapse after treatment. Beyond immune checkpoint inhibitors, cisplatin-based combinations have demonstrated modest activity but with significant toxicity.
- For Z874, several product candidates in clinical development such as VX-864 being developed by Vertex Pharmaceuticals, Inc., ARO-AAT being developed by Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals, Inc. and belcesiran being developed by Dicerna Pharmaceuticals, Inc. for A1ATD.

Many of our potential competitors, alone or with their strategic partners, may have substantially greater financial, technical and other resources, such as larger research and development, clinical, marketing and manufacturing organizations. Mergers and acquisitions in the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries may result in even more resources being concentrated among a smaller number of competitors. Our commercial opportunity could be reduced or eliminated if competitors develop and commercialize products that are safer, more effective, have fewer or less severe side effects, are more convenient or are less expensive than any products that we may develop. Competitors also may obtain FDA or other regulatory approval for their products more rapidly or earlier than we may obtain approval for ours, which could result in our product being prevented from being marketed for significant periods (for example, where our competitor has secured regulatory exclusivity) or our competitors establishing a strong market position before we are able to enter the market. Additionally, technologies

developed by our competitors may render our potential product candidates uneconomical or obsolete, and we may not be successful in marketing our product candidates against competitors.

In addition, as a result of the expiration or successful challenge of our patent rights, we could face more litigation with respect to the validity and/or scope of patents relating to our competitors' products. The availability of our competitors' products could limit the demand, and the price we are able to charge, for any products that we may develop and commercialize.

***Our product candidates and the process for administering our product candidates may cause undesirable side effects or have other properties that could delay or prevent their regulatory approval, limit the commercial potential or result in significant negative consequences following any potential marketing approval.***

Our product candidates may cause undesirable side effects. Additionally, the administration process or related procedures also can cause adverse side effects. Adverse events that occur in our trials may cause us, or cause regulatory authorities or others to order us to halt, delay or amend preclinical development or clinical development of our product candidates and could result in more restrictive labelling or the denial of regulatory approval of our product candidates for any or all targeted indications. Even if serious adverse events are unrelated to study treatment, such occurrences could affect patient enrollment or the ability of enrolled patients to complete the trial. In addition, if any of our product candidates are tested or used in combination with other drugs, these combinations may have additional side effects, which could be more severe than those caused by either therapy alone.

Additionally, certain of our product candidates could cause undesirable side effects in clinical trials related to on-target toxicity. If on-target toxicity is observed, or if our product candidates have characteristics that are unexpected, we may need to abandon their development or limit development to more narrow uses or subpopulations in which the undesirable side effects or other characteristics are less prevalent, less severe or more acceptable from a risk-benefit perspective. Many compounds that initially showed promise in early stage testing for treating cancer have later been found to cause side effects that prevented further development of the compound.

Furthermore, clinical trials by their nature utilize a sample of the potential patient population. With a limited number of patients and limited duration of exposure, rare and severe side effects of our product candidates or those of our competitors may only be uncovered when a significantly larger number of patients have been exposed to the drug. While we believe that our product candidates have demonstrated manageable tolerability profiles thus far in the target indications, there can be no assurance that it or any of our other product candidates will not cause more severe side effects in a greater proportion of patients. In addition, some of our product candidates are intended to address limitations in current treatment approaches by offering potentially greater tolerability. If we do not observe a favorable tolerability profile in testing of such product candidates that differentiate them from competitors in the market, we may decide to suspend or terminate development of such candidates.

In addition, certain of our product candidates target diseases that are life-threatening or are associated with significant co-morbidities. For example, some of our product candidates are designed to address cancers, an indication in which patients may undergo treatment with other therapies such as chemotherapy, radiation, and/or other high dose or myeloablative treatments in the course of treatment of their disease, and may therefore experience side effects or AEs, including death, that are unrelated to our product candidates. While these side effects or AEs may be unrelated to our product candidates, they may still affect the success of our clinical trials. The inclusion of critically ill patients in our clinical trials may also result in deaths or other adverse medical events due to underlying disease or to other therapies or medications that such patients may receive.

Additionally, if any of our product candidates receives marketing approval, FDA could require us to adopt REMS, to ensure that the benefits outweigh its risks, which may include, among other things, a medication guide outlining the risks of the product for distribution to patients and a communication plan to health care

practitioners. Furthermore, if we or others later identify undesirable side effects caused by our product candidate, several potentially significant negative consequences could result, including:

- regulatory authorities may suspend or withdraw approvals of such product candidate;
- regulatory authorities may require additional warnings on the label;
- we may be required to change the way a product candidate is administered or conduct additional clinical trials;
- we could be sued and held liable for harm caused to patients; and
- our reputation may suffer.

Any of these events could prevent us from achieving or maintaining market acceptance of our product candidates and could significantly harm our business, prospects, financial condition and results of operations.

***We may not be able to file INDs or IND amendments to commence additional clinical trials on the timelines we expect, and even if we are able to, the FDA may not permit us to proceed.***

Currently, most of the product candidates in our pipeline have not yet commenced clinical trials, and are in preclinical development and IND-enabling activities. We may not be able to file INDs for our product candidates on the timelines we expect. For example, we may experience manufacturing delays or other delays with IND-enabling studies. Moreover, we cannot be sure that submission of an IND will result in the FDA allowing further clinical trials to begin, or that, once begun, issues will not arise that suspend or terminate clinical trials. Additionally, even if such regulatory authorities agree with the design and implementation of the clinical trials set forth in an IND, we cannot guarantee that such regulatory authorities will not change their requirements in the future. These considerations also apply to new clinical trials we may submit as amendments to existing INDs or to a new IND. Any failure to file INDs on the timelines we expect or to obtain regulatory approvals for our trials may prevent us from completing our clinical trials or commercializing our products on a timely basis, if at all.

***We are planning to conduct future clinical trials for certain product candidates outside the United States, and the FDA and comparable foreign regulatory authorities may not accept data from such trials.***

We are planning to conduct future clinical trials for certain product candidates outside the United States, including in Europe. The acceptance of study data from clinical trials conducted outside the United States or another jurisdiction by the FDA or comparable foreign regulatory authority may be subject to certain conditions or may not be accepted at all. In cases where data from foreign clinical trials are intended to serve as the basis for marketing approval in the United States, the FDA will generally not approve the application on the basis of foreign data alone unless (i) the data are applicable to the U.S. population and U.S. medical practice; and (ii) the trials were performed by clinical investigators of recognized competence and pursuant to GCP regulations. Additionally, the FDA's clinical trial requirements, including sufficient size of patient populations and statistical powering, must be met. Many foreign regulatory authorities have similar approval requirements. In addition, such foreign trials would be subject to the applicable local laws of the foreign jurisdictions where the trials are conducted. There can be no assurance that the FDA or any comparable foreign regulatory authority will accept data from trials conducted outside of the United States or the applicable jurisdiction. If the FDA or any comparable foreign regulatory authority does not accept such data, it would result in the need for additional trials, which could be costly and time-consuming, and which may result in product candidates that we may develop not receiving approval for commercialization in the applicable jurisdiction.

***Even if we obtain and maintain approval for our product candidates from the FDA, we may never obtain approval for our product candidates outside of the United States, which would limit our market opportunities and adversely affect our business.***

Approval of a product candidate in the United States by the FDA does not ensure approval of such product candidate by regulatory authorities in other countries or jurisdictions, and approval by one foreign regulatory



authority does not ensure approval by regulatory authorities in other foreign countries or by the FDA. Sales of our product candidates outside of the United States will be subject to foreign regulatory requirements governing clinical trials and marketing approval. Even if the FDA grants marketing approval for a product candidate, comparable regulatory authorities of foreign countries also must approve the manufacturing and marketing of the product candidates in those countries. Approval procedures vary among jurisdictions and can involve requirements and administrative review periods different from, and more onerous than, those in the United States, including additional preclinical studies or clinical trials. In many countries outside the United States, a product candidate must be approved for reimbursement before it can be approved for sale in that country. In some cases, the price that we intend to charge for our products, if approved, is also subject to approval. We intend to submit a marketing authorization application to the EMA for approval of our product candidates in the European Union, but obtaining such approval from the European Commission following the opinion of the EMA is a lengthy and expensive process. We may also submit marketing applications to regulators in other jurisdictions, such as to the MHRA in the United Kingdom. Even if a product candidate is approved, the FDA, the European Commission, the MHRA and other foreign regulatory authorities, as the case may be, may limit the indications for which the product may be marketed, require extensive warnings on the product labeling or require expensive and time-consuming additional clinical trials or reporting as conditions of approval. Regulatory authorities in countries outside of the United States and the European Union also have requirements for approval of product candidates with which we must comply prior to marketing in those countries. Obtaining foreign regulatory approvals and compliance with foreign regulatory requirements could result in significant delays, difficulties and costs for us and could delay or prevent the introduction of our product candidates in certain countries.

Further, clinical trials conducted in one country may not be accepted by regulatory authorities in other countries. Also, regulatory approval for any of our product candidates may be withdrawn. If we fail to comply with the regulatory requirements, our target market will be reduced and our ability to realize the full market potential of our product candidates will be harmed and our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects will be adversely affected.

***A Fast Track designation by the FDA, even if granted, may not lead to a faster development or regulatory review or approval process, and does not increase the likelihood that our product candidates will receive marketing approval.***

If a drug or biologic is intended for the treatment of a serious or life-threatening condition and the product demonstrates the potential to address unmet medical needs for this condition, the product sponsor may apply for FDA Fast Track designation for a particular indication. We may seek Fast Track designation for certain of our current and future product candidates, but there is no assurance that the FDA will grant this status to any of our proposed product candidates. The FDA has broad discretion whether or not to grant Fast Track designation, so even if we believe a particular product candidate is eligible for this designation, there can be no assurance that the FDA would decide to grant it. Even if we do receive Fast Track designation, we may not experience a faster development process, review or approval compared to conventional FDA procedures, and receiving a Fast Track designation does not provide assurance of ultimate FDA approval. In addition, the FDA may withdraw Fast Track designation if it believes that the designation is no longer supported by data from our clinical development program. In addition, the FDA may withdraw any Fast Track designation at any time.

***Even if we receive regulatory approval of one or more of our product candidates, we would be subject to ongoing regulatory obligations and continued regulatory review, which may result in significant additional expense and we may be subject to penalties if we fail to comply with regulatory requirements or experience unanticipated problems with our product candidates.***

Any regulatory approvals that we receive for our product candidates will require surveillance to monitor the safety and efficacy of the product candidate. The FDA may also require a REMS in order to approve our product candidates, which could entail requirements for a medication guide, physician communication plans or additional

elements to ensure safe use, such as restricted distribution methods, patient registries and other risk minimization tools. In addition, if the FDA or a comparable foreign regulatory authority approves our product candidates, the manufacturing processes, labeling, packaging, distribution, adverse event reporting, storage, advertising, promotion, import, export and recordkeeping for our product candidates will be subject to extensive and ongoing regulatory requirements. These requirements include submissions of safety and other post-marketing information and reports, registration, as well as continued compliance with cGMPs, good laboratory practice (GLP) regulations and GCPs, for any clinical trials that we conduct post-approval. Later discovery of previously unknown problems with our product candidates, including adverse events of unanticipated severity or frequency, or with our third-party manufacturers or manufacturing processes, or failure to comply with regulatory requirements, may result in, among other things:

- restrictions on the marketing or manufacturing of our product candidates, withdrawal of the product from the market or voluntary or mandatory product recalls;
- manufacturing delays and supply disruptions where regulatory inspections identify observations of noncompliance requiring remediation;
- revisions to the labeling, including limitation on approved uses or the addition of additional warnings, contraindications or other safety information, including boxed warnings;
- imposition of a REMS, which may include distribution or use restrictions;
- requirements to conduct additional post-market clinical trials to assess the safety of the product;
- fines, warning letters or holds on clinical trials;
- refusal by the FDA to approve pending applications or supplements to approved applications filed by us or suspension or revocation of approvals;
- product seizure or detention, or refusal to permit the import or export of our product candidates; and
- injunctions or the imposition of civil or criminal penalties.

The FDA's and other regulatory authorities' policies may change and additional government regulations may be enacted that could prevent, limit or delay regulatory approval of our product candidates. We cannot predict the likelihood, nature or extent of government regulation that may arise from future legislation or administrative action, either in the United States or abroad. If we are slow or unable to adapt to changes in existing requirements or the adoption of new requirements or policies, or if we are not able to maintain regulatory compliance, we may lose any marketing approval that we may have obtained and we may not achieve or sustain profitability.

***The market opportunities for our oncology product candidates may be relatively small since the patients who may potentially be treated with our oncology product candidates are those who are ineligible for or have failed prior treatments, and our estimates of the prevalence of our target patient populations may be inaccurate.***

Cancer therapies are sometimes characterized by line of therapy (first line, second line, third line, fourth line, etc.), and the FDA often approves new therapies initially only for a particular line or lines of use. When cancer is detected early enough, first line therapy is sometimes adequate to cure the cancer or prolong life without a cure. Whenever first line therapy, usually chemotherapy, antibody drugs, tumor-targeted small molecules, hormone therapy, radiation therapy, surgery, or a combination of these, proves unsuccessful, second line therapy may be administered. Second line therapies often consist of more chemotherapy, radiation, antibody drugs, tumor-targeted small molecules, or a combination of these. Third line therapies can include chemotherapy, antibody drugs and small molecule tumor-targeted therapies, more invasive forms of surgery, and new technologies. There is no guarantee that our product candidates, even if approved as a second or third or subsequent line of therapy, would be approved for an earlier line of therapy, and, prior to any such approvals, we may have to conduct additional clinical trials.

Our projections of both the number of people who have the cancers we are targeting, who may have their tumors genetically sequenced, as well as the subset of people with these cancers in a position to receive a particular line of therapy and who have the potential to benefit from treatment with our product candidates, are based on our beliefs and estimates. These estimates have been derived from a variety of sources, including scientific literature, surveys of clinics, patient foundations or market research, and may prove to be incorrect. Further, new therapies may change the estimated incidence or prevalence of the cancers that we are targeting. Consequently, even if our product candidates are approved for a second or third line of therapy, the number of patients that may be eligible for treatment with our product candidates may turn out to be much lower than expected. In addition, we have not yet conducted market research to determine how treating physicians would expect to prescribe a product that is approved for multiple tumor types if there are different lines of approved therapies for each such tumor type.

***If we decide in the future to develop our product candidates in combination with other therapies, such strategy may expose us to additional risks.***

We may in the future develop one or more of our product candidates in combination with one or more approved or unapproved therapies. Even if any product candidate we develop were to receive marketing approval for use in combination with other approved therapies, the FDA, the EMA, the MHRA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities outside of the United States could still revoke approval of the therapy used in combination with our product. If the therapies used in combination with our product candidates are replaced as the standard of care for the indications we choose for any of our product candidates, the FDA, the EMA, the MHRA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities may require us to conduct additional clinical trials. The occurrence of any of these risks could result in our own products, if approved, being removed from the market or being less successful commercially.

Further, we will not be able to market and sell any product candidate we develop in combination with an unapproved cancer therapy for a combination indication if that unapproved therapy does not ultimately obtain marketing approval either alone or in combination with our product. In addition, unapproved cancer therapies face the same risks described with respect to our product candidates currently in development and clinical trials, including the potential for serious adverse effects, delay in their clinical trials and lack of FDA approval.

If the FDA, EMA, MHRA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities do not approve these other products or revoke their approval of, or if safety, efficacy, quality, manufacturing or supply issues arise with, the products we choose to evaluate in combination with our product candidate we develop, we may be unable to obtain approval of or market such combination therapy.

***Certain of our product candidates are expected to be used with a drug delivery system and thus may be regulated as a combination product and may face additional challenges, risks and delays in the product development and regulatory approval process.***

Our intranasal OX2R agonist program is expected to be used with the Optinose Bi-Directional Exhalation Delivery System, to which we have an exclusive license agreement. When evaluating product candidates that utilize a specific drug delivery system or device, the FDA will evaluate the characteristics of that delivery system and its functionality, as well as the potential for undesirable interactions between the drug and the delivery system, including the potential to negatively impact the safety or effectiveness of the drug. Intranasal OX2R is in preclinical development and use of the Optinose Bi-Directional Exhalation Delivery System with OX2R may be unsuccessful in clinical trials and we may have to identify another delivery device or develop our own. The FDA review process can be more complicated for combination products, and may result in delays, particularly if novel delivery systems are involved. Additionally, quality or design concerns with the delivery system could delay or prevent regulatory approval and commercialization of intranasal OX2R.

**Risks Related to our Reliance on Third Parties**

***We rely, and expect to continue to rely, on third parties to conduct our preclinical studies and clinical trials and if these third parties perform in an unsatisfactory manner, our business could be substantially harmed.***

We currently conduct and expect to continue to rely on third parties such as CROs to conduct our clinical trials. However, we do not currently have the ability to independently conduct large-scale clinical trials, such as a Phase 3 clinical trial, without assistance of third parties.

We have relied upon and plan to continue to rely upon medical institutions, clinical investigators, contract laboratories and other third parties, such as CROs, to conduct or assist us in conducting GCP-compliant clinical trials on our product candidates properly and on time, and may not currently have all of the necessary contractual relationships in place to do so. Once we have established contractual relationships with such third-party CROs, we will have only limited control over their actual performance of these activities.

We and our CROs and other vendors are required to comply with cGMP, GCP and GLP which are regulations and guidelines enforced by the FDA, the Competent Authorities of the Member States of the European Union and any comparable foreign regulatory authorities for all of our product candidates in preclinical and clinical development. Regulatory authorities enforce these regulations through periodic inspections of trial sponsors, principal investigators, clinical trial sites and other contractors. Although we rely on CROs to conduct any current or planned GLP-compliant preclinical studies and GCP-compliant clinical trials and have limited influence over their actual performance, we remain responsible for ensuring that each of our preclinical studies and clinical trials is conducted in accordance with its investigational plan and protocol and applicable laws and regulations, and our reliance on the CROs does not relieve us of our regulatory responsibilities. If we or any of our CROs or vendors fail to comply with applicable regulations, the data generated in our preclinical studies and clinical trials may be deemed unreliable and the FDA, EMA, MHRA or any comparable foreign regulatory agency may require us to perform additional preclinical studies and clinical trials before approving our marketing applications. We cannot assure you that upon inspection by a given regulatory agency, such regulatory agency will determine that all of our clinical trials comply with GCP regulations. In addition, our clinical trials must be conducted with products produced under cGMP requirements. Our failure to comply with these requirements may require us to repeat clinical trials, which would delay the regulatory approval process.

While we will have agreements governing their activities, our CROs will not be our employees, and we will not be able to control whether or not they devote sufficient time and resources to our future preclinical and clinical programs. These CROs may also have relationships with other commercial entities, including our competitors, for whom they may also be conducting clinical trials, or other drug development activities which could harm our business. We face the risk of potential unauthorized disclosure or misappropriation of our intellectual property by CROs, which may reduce our trade secret protection and allow our potential competitors to access and exploit our proprietary technology. CROs also may use our proprietary information and intellectual property in such a way as to result in litigation or other intellectual property-related proceedings that could jeopardize or invalidate our proprietary information and intellectual property. If our CROs do not successfully carry out their contractual duties or obligations, fail to meet expected deadlines, or if the quality or accuracy of the clinical data they obtain is compromised due to the failure to adhere to our clinical protocols or regulatory requirements or for any other reason, our clinical trials may be extended, delayed or terminated, the clinical data generated in our clinical trials may be deemed unreliable, and we may not be able to obtain regulatory approval for, or successfully commercialize any product candidate that we develop. As a result, our financial results and the commercial prospects for any product candidate that we develop would be harmed, our costs could increase, and our ability to generate revenue could be delayed.

If our relationships with these CROs terminate, we may not be able to enter into arrangements with alternative CROs or do so on commercially reasonable terms. Switching or adding additional CROs involves substantial cost and requires management time and focus, and could delay development and commercialization of our product candidates. In addition, there is a natural transition period when a new CRO commences work. As a result, delays

occur, which can negatively impact our ability to meet our desired clinical development timelines. Though we intend to carefully manage our relationships with our CROs, there can be no assurance that we will not encounter challenges or delays in the future or that these delays or challenges will not have a negative impact on our business and financial condition.

***We could experience manufacturing problems that result in delays in our development or commercialization of our programs or otherwise harm our business.***

The manufacturing processes our CMOs use to produce our and our affiliates' product candidates are complex. Several factors could cause production interruptions, including inability to develop novel manufacturing processes, equipment malfunctions, facility contamination, raw material shortages or contamination, natural disasters, disruption in utility services, human error or disruptions in the operations of our suppliers, including acquisition of the supplier by a third party or declaration of bankruptcy. The expertise required to manufacture these product candidates may be unique to a particular CMO, and as a result, it would be difficult and time consuming to find an alternative CMO.

Some of our product candidates include biologics, some of which have physical and chemical properties that cannot be fully characterized. As a result, assays of the finished product may not be sufficient to ensure that the product is consistent from lot-to-lot or will perform in the intended manner. Accordingly, our CMOs must employ multiple steps to control the manufacturing process to assure that the process is reproducible and the product candidate is made strictly and consistently in compliance with the process. Problems with the manufacturing process, even minor deviations from the normal process, could result in product defects or manufacturing failures that result in lot failures, product recalls, product liability claims or insufficient inventory to conduct clinical trials or supply commercial markets. We may encounter problems achieving adequate quantities and quality of clinical-grade materials that meet the FDA, the EMA, the MHRA or other applicable standards or specifications with consistent and acceptable production yields and costs.

In addition, the FDA, the EMA, the MHRA and other foreign regulatory authorities may require us to submit samples of any lot of any approved product together with the protocols showing the results of applicable tests at any time. Under some circumstances, the FDA, the EMA, the MHRA or other foreign regulatory authorities may require that we not distribute a lot until the agency authorizes its release. Slight deviations in the manufacturing process, including those affecting quality attributes and stability, may result in unacceptable changes in the product that could result in lot failures or product recalls. Lot failures or product recalls could cause us to delay product launches or clinical trials, which could be costly to us and otherwise harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

Our CMOs also may encounter problems hiring and retaining the experienced scientific, quality assurance, quality-control and manufacturing personnel needed to operate our manufacturing processes, which could result in delays in production or difficulties in maintaining compliance with applicable regulatory requirements.

Any problems in our CMOs' supply chain, manufacturing process or facilities could result in delays in planned clinical trials and increased costs, and could make us a less attractive collaborator for potential partners, including larger biotechnology companies and academic research institutions, which could limit access to additional attractive development programs. Problems in our manufacturing process could restrict our ability to meet potential future market demand for products.

***We currently rely and expect to rely in the future on the use of third parties to manufacture our product candidates. Our business could be harmed if the third party manufacturers experience supply chain shortages, fail to provide us with sufficient quantities of our product candidates or fail to do so at acceptable quality levels or prices or deliver defective products.***

We do not currently own any facility that may be used as our clinical-scale manufacturing and processing facility and must currently rely on outside vendors to manufacture our product candidates. We will need to negotiate and maintain contractual arrangements with these outside vendors for the supply of our product candidates and we

may not be able to do so on favorable terms. We have not yet caused our product candidates to be manufactured on a commercial scale and may not be able to do so for any of our product candidates.

Our anticipated reliance on a limited number of third-party manufacturers exposes us to a number of risks, including the following:

- we may be unable to identify manufacturers on acceptable terms or at all because the number of potential manufacturers is limited and the FDA must inspect any manufacturers for current cGMP compliance as part of our marketing application;
- a new manufacturer would have to be educated in, or develop substantially equivalent processes for, the production of our product candidates;
- a change in manufacturers or certain changes in manufacturing processes/procedures will require that we conduct a manufacturing comparability study to verify that any new manufacturer or manufacturing process/procedures will produce our product candidate according to the specifications previously submitted to the FDA or other regulatory authority, and such study may be unsuccessful;
- our third-party manufacturers might be unable to timely manufacture our product candidates or produce the quantity and quality required to meet our clinical and commercial needs, if any;
- contract manufacturers may not be able to execute our manufacturing procedures and other logistical support requirements appropriately;
- our future contract manufacturers may not perform as agreed, may not devote sufficient resources to our product candidates or may not remain in the contract manufacturing business for the time required to supply our clinical trials or to successfully produce, store, and distribute our products, if any;
- manufacturers are subject to ongoing periodic unannounced inspection by the FDA and corresponding state agencies to ensure strict compliance with cGMP and other government regulations and corresponding foreign standards and we have no control over third-party manufacturers' compliance with these regulations and standards;
- we may not own, or may have to share, the intellectual property rights to any improvements made by our third-party manufacturers in the manufacturing process for our product candidates;
- our third-party manufacturers could breach or terminate their agreements with us;
- raw materials and components used in the manufacturing process, particularly those for which we have no other source or supplier, may not be available or may not be suitable or acceptable for use due to material or component defects;
- our contract manufacturers and critical reagent suppliers may be subject to inclement weather, as well as natural or man-made disasters; and
- our contract manufacturers may have unacceptable or inconsistent product quality success rates and yields, and we have no direct control over our contract manufacturers' ability to maintain adequate quality control, quality assurance and qualified personnel.

Each of these risks could delay or prevent the completion of our clinical trials or the approval of any of our product candidates by the FDA, result in higher costs or adversely impact commercialization of our product candidates. In addition, we will rely on third parties to perform certain specification tests on our product candidates prior to delivery to patients. If these tests are not appropriately done and test data are not reliable, patients could be put at risk of serious harm and the FDA could place significant restrictions on our company until deficiencies are remedied. Moreover, because each of our Centessa Subsidiaries has a separate manufacturing process for their programs, we will not benefit from any synergies related to manufacturing costs. We may also face logistical problems in managing different CMOs and processes for all of our Centessa Subsidiaries.

***Certain third parties upon whom we rely for the supply of the active pharmaceutical ingredient used in our product candidates are our sole source of supply, and the loss of any of these suppliers could significantly harm our business.***

Certain of the third parties upon whom we rely for the supply of the active pharmaceutical ingredient used in our product candidates are our sole source of supply, and the loss of any of these suppliers could significantly harm our business. The active pharmaceutical ingredients (API) used in certain of our product candidates are supplied to us from single-source suppliers. Our ability to successfully develop our product candidates, and to ultimately supply our commercial products in quantities sufficient to meet the market demand, depends in part on our ability to obtain the API for these products in accordance with regulatory requirements and in sufficient quantities for clinical testing and commercialization. We do not currently have arrangements in place for a redundant or second-source supply of any such API in the event any of our current suppliers of such API cease their operations for any reason. We are also unable to predict how changing global economic conditions or potential global health concerns such as the COVID-19 pandemic will affect our third-party suppliers and manufacturers. Any negative impact of such matters on our third-party suppliers and manufacturers may also have an adverse impact on our results of operations or financial condition. For all of our product candidates, we intend to identify and qualify additional manufacturers to provide such API prior to submission of an NDA or BLA (as applicable) to the FDA and/or EMA, MHRA or other applicable regulatory bodies. We are not certain, however, that our single-source suppliers will be able to meet our demand for their products, either because of the nature of our agreements with those suppliers, our limited experience with those suppliers or our relative importance as a customer to those suppliers. It may be difficult for us to assess their ability to timely meet our demand in the future based on past performance. While our suppliers have generally met our demand for their products on a timely basis in the past, they may subordinate our needs in the future to their other customers. Establishing additional or replacement suppliers for the API used in our product candidates, if required, may not be accomplished quickly. If we are able to find a replacement supplier, such replacement supplier would need to be qualified and may require additional regulatory inspection or approval, which could result in further delay. While we seek to maintain adequate inventory of the API used in our product candidates, any interruption or delay in the supply of components or materials, or our inability to obtain such API from alternate sources at acceptable prices in a timely manner could impede, delay, limit or prevent our development efforts, which could harm our business, results of operations, financial condition and prospects.

***If our third-party manufacturers use hazardous and biological materials in a manner that causes injury or violates applicable law, we may be liable for damages.***

Our research and development activities involve the controlled use of potentially hazardous substances, including chemical and biological materials, by our third-party manufacturers. Our manufacturers are subject to federal, state and local laws and regulations in the United States governing the use, manufacture, storage, handling and disposal of medical and hazardous materials. Although we believe that our manufacturers' procedures for using, handling, storing and disposing of these materials comply with legally prescribed standards, we cannot completely eliminate the risk of contamination or injury resulting from medical or hazardous materials. As a result of any such contamination or injury, we may incur liability or local, city, state or federal authorities may curtail the use of these materials and interrupt our business operations. In the event of an accident, we could be held liable for damages or penalized with fines, and the liability could exceed our resources. We do not have any insurance for liabilities arising from medical or hazardous materials. Compliance with applicable environmental laws and regulations is expensive, and current or future environmental regulations may impair our research, development and production efforts, which could harm our business, prospects, financial condition or results of operations.

***If we are unable to obtain licenses from third parties on commercially reasonable terms or fail to comply with our obligations under such agreements, our business could be harmed.***

It may be necessary for us to use the patented or proprietary technology of third parties to commercialize our products, in which case we would be required to obtain a license from these third parties. If we are unable to license such technology, or if we are forced to license such technology, on unfavorable terms, our business could

be materially harmed. If we are unable to obtain a necessary license, we may be unable to develop or commercialize the affected product candidates, which could materially harm our business, and the third parties owning such intellectual property rights could seek either an injunction prohibiting our sales, or, with respect to our sales, an obligation on our part to pay royalties and/or other forms of compensation. Even if we are able to obtain a license, it may be non-exclusive, thereby giving our competitors access to the same technologies licensed to us.

If we fail to comply with our obligations under our license agreements, our counterparties may have the right to terminate these agreements, in which event we might not be able to develop, manufacture or market, or may be forced to cease developing, manufacturing or marketing, any product that is covered by these agreements or may face other penalties under such agreements. Such an occurrence could materially adversely affect the value of the product candidate being developed under any such agreement. Termination of these agreements or reduction or elimination of our rights under these agreements may result in our having to negotiate new or reinstated agreements with less favorable terms, cause us to lose our rights under these agreements, including our rights to important intellectual property or technology, or impede, delay or prohibit the further development or commercialization of one or more product candidates that rely on such agreements.

***We or the third parties upon whom we depend may be adversely affected by earthquakes, outbreak of disease, or other natural disasters and our business continuity and disaster recovery plans may not adequately protect us from a serious disaster.***

Earthquakes, outbreak of disease, or other natural disasters could severely disrupt our operations, and have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations, financial condition and prospects. If a natural disaster, power outage or other event occurred that prevented us from using all or a significant portion of our headquarters, that damaged critical infrastructure, such as the manufacturing facilities of our third-party CMOs, or that otherwise disrupted operations, it may be difficult or, in certain cases, impossible for us to continue our business for a substantial period of time. For example, in December 2019, an outbreak of a novel strain of coronavirus originated in Wuhan, China. See “—Business interruptions resulting from the COVID-19 outbreak or similar public health crises could cause a disruption of the development of our product candidates and adversely impact our business.” In addition, two vaccines for the coronavirus were granted Emergency Use Authorization by the FDA in late 2020 and a third in February 2021, and more are likely to be authorized in the coming months. The resultant demand for vaccines and potential for manufacturing facilities and materials to be commandeered under the Defense Production Act of 1950, or equivalent foreign legislation, may make it more difficult to obtain materials or manufacturing slots for the products needed for our clinical trials, which could lead to delays in these trials. The disaster recovery and business continuity plans we have in place currently are limited and are unlikely to prove adequate in the event of a serious disaster or similar event. We may incur substantial expenses as a result of the limited nature of our disaster recovery and business continuity plans, which, particularly when taken together with our lack of earthquake insurance, could have a material adverse effect on our business.

#### **Risks Related to Our Intellectual Property**

***If we are unable to obtain and maintain sufficient patent and other intellectual property protection for our product candidates and technology or other product candidates that may be identified, or if the scope of the intellectual property protection obtained is not sufficiently broad, our competitors could develop and commercialize product candidates similar or identical to the product candidates, and our ability to successfully commercialize the product candidates and other product candidates that we may pursue may be impaired.***

As is the case with other pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical companies, our success depends in significant part on our ability and the ability of our licensors and collaborators to obtain, maintain, enforce and defend patents and other intellectual property rights with respect to our product candidates and technology and to operate our business without infringing, misappropriating, or otherwise violating the intellectual property rights of others. We have and expect to continue to maintain and expand our own patent estate. See “Business—Intellectual Property.”



We have also licensed patent and other intellectual property rights to and from our partners. For more information, see “Business—License Agreements.” Some of these licenses give us the right to prepare, file and prosecute patent applications and maintain and enforce patents we have licensed, whereas other licenses may not give us such rights. In some circumstances, we may not have the right to control the preparation, filing and prosecution of patent applications or to maintain the patents covering technology that we license to or from our partners, and we may have to rely on our partners to fulfill these responsibilities. Consequently, these patents and applications may not be prosecuted and enforced in a manner consistent with the best interests of our business. If our current or future licensors, licensees or collaborators fail to establish, maintain or protect such patents and other intellectual property rights, such rights may be reduced or eliminated. If our licensors, licensees or collaborators are not fully cooperative or disagree with us as to the prosecution, maintenance or enforcement of any patent rights, such patent rights could be compromised.

The patent prosecution process is expensive and time-consuming. We and our current or future licensors, licensees or collaborators may not be able to prepare, file and prosecute all necessary or desirable patent applications at a reasonable cost or in a timely manner. It is also possible that we or our licensors will fail to file patent applications covering inventions made in the course of development and commercialization activities before a competitor or another third party files a patent application covering, or publishes information disclosing, a similar, independently-developed invention. Such competitor’s patent application may pose obstacles to our ability to obtain or limit the scope of patent protection we may obtain. Although we enter into non-disclosure and confidentiality agreements with parties who have access to confidential or patentable aspects of our research and development output, such as our employees, collaborators, CROs, contract manufacturers, consultants, advisors and other third parties, any of these parties may breach the agreements and disclose such output before a patent application is filed, thereby jeopardizing our ability to seek patent protection. In addition, publications of discoveries in the scientific literature often lag behind the actual discoveries, and patent applications in the United States and other jurisdictions are typically not published until 18 months after filing, or in some cases not at all. Therefore, we cannot be certain that we or our licensors were the first to make the inventions claimed in our owned or licensed patents or pending patent applications, or were the first to file for patent protection of such inventions, or if such licensed patents rights may otherwise become invalid.

The patent position of biotechnology and pharmaceutical companies generally is uncertain, involves complex legal and factual questions and is the subject of much litigation. As a result, the issuance, scope, validity, enforceability and commercial value of our and our current or future licensors’ patent rights are uncertain. Our and our licensors’ pending and future patent applications may not result in patents being issued that protect our technology or products, in whole or in part, or which effectively exclude others from commercializing competitive technologies and products. The patent examination process may require us or our licensors to narrow the scope of the claims of our pending and future patent applications, and therefore, even if such patent applications issue as patents, they may not issue in a form that will provide us with any meaningful protection, prevent competitors or other third parties from competing with us, or otherwise provide us with any competitive advantage. Our and our licensors’ patent applications cannot be enforced against third parties practicing the technology claimed in such applications unless and until a patent issues from such applications, and then only to the extent the issued claims cover such technology. Any of the foregoing could harm our competitive position, business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***If our trademarks and trade names are not adequately protected, then we may not be able to build name recognition in our marks of interest and our business may be adversely affected.***

Our trademarks or trade names may be challenged, infringed, diluted, circumvented or declared generic or determined to be infringing on other marks. We intend to rely on both registration and common law protection for our trademarks. We may not be able to protect our rights to these trademarks and trade names or may be forced to stop using these names, which we need for name recognition by potential partners or customers in our markets of interest. During the trademark registration process, we may receive Office Actions from the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), objecting to the registration of our trademark. Although we would

be given an opportunity to respond to those objections, we may be unable to overcome such rejections. In addition, in the USPTO and in comparable agencies in many foreign jurisdictions, third parties are given an opportunity to oppose pending trademark applications and/or to seek the cancellation of registered trademarks. Opposition or cancellation proceedings may be filed against our trademarks, and our trademarks may not survive such proceedings. If we are unable to obtain a registered trademark or establish name recognition based on our trademarks and trade names, we may not be able to compete effectively and our business may be adversely affected.

***If we are unable to protect the confidentiality of our trade secrets, our business and competitive position would be harmed.***

We rely on trade secrets and confidentiality agreements to protect our unpatented know-how, technology and other proprietary information and to maintain our competitive position. Trade secrets and know-how can be difficult to protect. We seek to protect these trade secrets and other proprietary technology, in part, by entering into non-disclosure and confidentiality agreements with parties who have access to them, such as our employees, collaborators, CROs, contract manufacturers, consultants, advisors and other third parties. We also enter into confidentiality and invention or patent assignment agreements with our employees and consultants. We cannot guarantee that we have entered into such agreements with each party that may have or has had access to our trade secrets or proprietary technology and processes. Despite these efforts, any of these parties may breach the agreements and disclose our proprietary information, including our trade secrets, and we may not be able to obtain adequate remedies for such breaches. These risks are heightened due to our reliance on third parties, including third party consultants, CROs and CMOs, for certain aspects of our business. The activities conducted by our third party vendors require us to share our trade secrets with them, which increases the possibility that a competitor will discover them or that our trade secrets will be misappropriated or disclosed. Enforcing a claim that a party illegally disclosed or misappropriated a trade secret is difficult, expensive and time-consuming, and the outcome is unpredictable. In addition, some courts inside and outside the United States are less willing or unwilling to protect trade secrets. If any of our trade secrets were to be lawfully obtained or independently developed by a competitor or other third party, we would have no right to prevent them from using that technology or information to compete with us. If any of our trade secrets were to be disclosed to or independently developed by a competitor or other third party, our competitive position would be materially and adversely harmed.

***Third-party claims of intellectual property infringement, misappropriation or other violations may be costly and time consuming and may prevent or delay our product discovery and development efforts.***

Third parties may initiate legal proceedings alleging that we are infringing, misappropriating, or otherwise violating their intellectual property rights, the outcome of which would be uncertain and could have a material adverse effect on the success of our business. Our commercial success depends upon our ability to develop, manufacture, market and sell our current and future product candidates and use our proprietary technologies without infringing, misappropriating or otherwise violating the intellectual property rights of third parties. There is a substantial amount of litigation involving patents and other intellectual property rights in the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries, as well as administrative proceedings for challenging patents, including derivation, interference, reexamination, inter partes review, and post grant review proceedings before the USPTO or oppositions and other comparable proceedings in foreign jurisdictions. We or any of our future licensors or strategic partners may be party to, exposed to, or threatened with, future adversarial proceedings or litigation by third parties having patent or other intellectual property rights alleging that our current or future product candidates and/or proprietary technologies infringe, misappropriate or otherwise violate their intellectual property rights. Even if we believe third-party intellectual property claims are without merit, there is no assurance that a court would find in our favor on questions of infringement, validity, enforceability, or priority. With regard to our subsidiary Capella Bioscience, we are aware of issued patents in Europe owned by La Jolla Institute of Allergy and Immunology (the "La Jolla patents") that are directed to a method of treatment with an inhibitor of LIGHT. The La Jolla patents could be construed to cover, and the owner of such patent may claim

that its patents do cover, certain product candidates and technologies, including Capella Bioscience's anti-LIGHT antibody in certain treatment indications in certain European jurisdictions. The La Jolla patents are expected to expire in 2028, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions. The La Jolla patents are currently subject to an opposition proceeding at the EPO brought by European Oppositions Limited which may result in a narrowing of the patents scope or loss of rights under the patents or the patents may be upheld in their granted form. There can be no assurance that the challenge by European Oppositions Limited against the La Jolla patents, or other proceedings challenging the La Jolla patents, will be successful. Depending on the outcome of challenges to the La Jolla patents, Capella Bioscience's product launch in Europe, if a product is approved, may need to be delayed until after the expiry of the La Jolla patents.

We cannot assure you that our product candidates and other technologies that we have developed, are developing or may develop in the future do not or will not infringe, misappropriate or otherwise violate existing or future patents or other intellectual property rights owned by third parties. Numerous U.S. and foreign issued patents and pending patent applications, which are owned by third parties, exist in the fields in which we are developing our product candidates. As the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries expand and more patents are issued, the risk increases that our product candidates may give rise to claims of infringement of the patent rights of others. Moreover, it is not always clear to industry participants, including us, which patents cover various types of drugs, products or their methods of use or manufacture. Thus, because of the large number of patents issued and patent applications filed in our fields, there may be a risk that third parties may allege they have patent rights encompassing our product candidates, technologies or methods.

If a third party claims that we infringe, misappropriate or otherwise violate its intellectual property rights, we may face a number of issues, including, but not limited to:

- infringement, misappropriation and other intellectual property claims which, regardless of merit, may be expensive and time-consuming to litigate and may divert our management's attention from our core business and may impact our reputation;
- substantial damages for infringement, misappropriation or other violations, which we may have to pay if a court decides that the product candidate or technology at issue infringes, misappropriates or violates the third party's rights, and, if the court finds that the infringement was willful, we could be ordered to pay treble damages and the patent owner's attorneys' fees;
- a court prohibiting us from developing, manufacturing, marketing or selling our product candidates, or from using our proprietary technologies, unless the third party licenses its product rights to us, which it is not required to do, on commercially reasonable terms or at all;
- if a license is available from a third party, we may have to pay substantial royalties, upfront fees and other amounts, and/or grant cross-licenses to intellectual property rights for our products, or the license to us may be non-exclusive, which would permit third parties to use the same intellectual property to compete with us;
- redesigning our product candidates or processes so they do not infringe, misappropriate or violate third party intellectual property rights, which may not be possible or may require substantial monetary expenditures and time; and
- there could be public announcements of the results of hearings, motions or other interim proceedings or developments, and, if securities analysts or investors perceive these results to be negative, it could have a substantial adverse effect on the price of our ADSs.

Some of our competitors may be able to sustain the costs of complex patent litigation more effectively than we can because they have substantially greater resources. In addition, any uncertainties resulting from the initiation and continuation of any litigation could have a material adverse effect on our ability to raise the funds necessary to continue our operations or could otherwise have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations, financial condition and prospects. The occurrence of any of the foregoing could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations or prospects.

We may choose to challenge the patentability of claims in a third party's U.S. patent by requesting that the USPTO review the patent claims in an ex-parte re-exam, inter partes review or post-grant review proceedings. These proceedings are expensive and may consume our time or other resources. We may choose to challenge a third party's patent in patent opposition proceedings in the European Patent Office (EPO), or other foreign patent office. The costs of these opposition proceedings could be substantial, and may consume our time or other resources. If we fail to obtain a favorable result at the USPTO, EPO or other patent office then we may be exposed to litigation by a third party alleging that the patent may be infringed by our product candidates or proprietary technologies.

Third parties may assert that we are employing their proprietary technology without authorization. Patents issued in the United States by law enjoy a presumption of validity that can be rebutted only with evidence that is "clear and convincing," a heightened standard of proof. There may be issued third-party patents of which we are currently unaware with claims to compositions, formulations, methods of manufacture or methods for treatment related to the use or manufacture of our product candidates. Patent applications can take many years to issue. In addition, because some patent applications in the United States may be maintained in secrecy until the patents are issued, patent applications in the United States and many foreign jurisdictions are typically not published until 18 months after filing, and publications in the scientific literature often lag behind actual discoveries, we cannot be certain that others have not filed patent applications covering our product candidates or technology. If any such patent applications issue as patents, and if such patents have priority over our patent applications or patents we may own or in-license, we may be required to obtain rights to such patents owned by third parties which may not be available on commercially reasonable terms or at all, or may only be available on a non-exclusive basis. There may be currently pending patent applications which may later result in issued patents that our product candidates may infringe. It is also possible that patents owned by third parties of which we are aware, but which we do not believe are relevant to our product candidates or other technologies, could be found to be infringed by our product candidates or other technologies. In addition, third parties may obtain patents in the future and claim that use of our technologies infringes upon these patents. Moreover, we may fail to identify relevant patents or incorrectly conclude that a patent is invalid, not enforceable, exhausted, or not infringed by our activities. If any third-party patents were held by a court of competent jurisdiction to cover the manufacturing process of our product candidates, molecules used in or formed during the manufacturing process, or any final product itself, the holders of any such patents may be able to block our ability to commercialize the product candidate unless we obtained a license under the applicable patents, or until such patents expire or they are finally determined to be held invalid or unenforceable. Similarly, if any third-party patent were held by a court of competent jurisdiction to cover aspects of our formulations, processes for manufacture or methods of use, including combination therapy or patient selection methods, the holders of any such patent may be able to block our ability to develop and commercialize the product candidate unless we obtained a license or until such patent expires or is finally determined to be held invalid or unenforceable. In either case, such a license may not be available on commercially reasonable terms or at all. If we are unable to obtain a necessary license to a third-party patent on commercially reasonable terms, or at all, our ability to commercialize our product candidates may be impaired or delayed, which could in turn significantly harm our business. Even if we obtain a license, it may be nonexclusive, thereby giving our competitors access to the same technologies licensed to us. In addition, if the breadth or strength of protection provided by our patent applications or any patents we may own or in-license in the future is threatened, it could dissuade companies from collaborating with us to license, develop or commercialize current or future product candidates.

Parties making claims against us may seek and obtain injunctive or other equitable relief, which could effectively block our ability to further develop and commercialize our product candidates. Defense of these claims, regardless of their merit, could involve substantial litigation expense and would be a substantial diversion of employee resources from our business. In the event of a successful claim of infringement, misappropriation or other violation against us, we may have to pay substantial damages, including treble damages and attorneys' fees for willful infringement, obtain one or more licenses from third parties, pay royalties or redesign our infringing products, which may be impossible or require substantial time and monetary expenditure. We cannot predict whether any such license would be available at all or whether it would be available on commercially reasonable terms. Furthermore, even in the absence of litigation, we may need or may choose to obtain licenses from third

parties to advance our research or allow commercialization of our product candidates. We may fail to obtain any of these licenses at a reasonable cost or on reasonable terms, if at all. In that event, we would be unable to further develop and commercialize our product candidates, which could harm our business significantly.

***We may become involved in lawsuits to protect or enforce our patents or other intellectual property, which could be expensive, time-consuming and unsuccessful, and issued patents covering our technology and product candidates could be found invalid or unenforceable if challenged.***

Competitors and other third parties may infringe or otherwise violate our issued patents or other intellectual property or the patents or other intellectual property of our licensors. In addition, our patents or the patents of our licensors may become involved in inventorship or priority disputes. Our pending patent applications cannot be enforced against third parties practicing the technology claimed in such applications unless and until a patent issues from such applications. To counter infringement or other unauthorized use, we may be required to file infringement claims, which can be expensive and time-consuming. Any claims we assert against perceived infringers could provoke these parties to assert counterclaims against us alleging that we infringe their patents or that our patents or our licensed patents are invalid or unenforceable. In a patent infringement proceeding, a court may decide that a patent of ours or a licensed patent is invalid or unenforceable, in whole or in part, construe the patent's claims narrowly or refuse to stop the other party from using the technology at issue on the grounds that our patents do not cover the technology. An adverse result in any litigation proceeding could put one or more of our owned or licensed patents at risk of being invalidated, held unenforceable or interpreted narrowly. We may find it impractical or undesirable to enforce our intellectual property against some third parties.

If we were to initiate legal proceedings against a third party to enforce a patent directed to our product candidates, or one of our future product candidates, the defendant could counterclaim that our patent is invalid or unenforceable. In patent litigation in the United States, defendant counterclaims alleging invalidity or unenforceability are commonplace. Grounds for a validity challenge could be an alleged failure to meet any of several statutory requirements, including lack of novelty, obviousness, non-enablement or insufficient written description. Grounds for an unenforceability assertion could be an allegation that someone connected with prosecution of the patent withheld relevant information from the USPTO or made a misleading statement during prosecution. Third parties may also raise similar claims before the USPTO or an equivalent foreign body, even outside the context of litigation. Potential proceedings include re-examination, post-grant review, inter partes review, interference proceedings, derivation proceedings and equivalent proceedings in foreign jurisdictions (e.g., opposition proceedings). Such proceedings could result in the revocation of, cancellation of, or amendment to our patents in such a way that they no longer cover our technology or any product candidates that we may develop. The outcome following legal assertions of invalidity and unenforceability is unpredictable. With respect to the validity question, for example, we cannot be certain that there is no invalidating prior art of which we and the patent examiner were unaware during prosecution. If a defendant were to prevail on a legal assertion of invalidity or unenforceability, we would lose at least part, and perhaps all, of the patent protection on the applicable product candidates or technology covered by the patent rendered invalid or unenforceable. Such a loss of patent protection would materially harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

Interference proceedings provoked by third parties or brought by us or declared by the USPTO may be necessary to determine the priority of inventions with respect to our patents or patent applications. An unfavorable outcome could require us to cease using the related technology or to attempt to license rights to it from the prevailing party. Our business could be materially harmed if the prevailing party does not offer us a license on commercially reasonable terms.

Furthermore, because of the substantial amount of discovery required in connection with intellectual property litigation, there is a risk that some of our confidential information could be compromised by disclosure during this type of litigation.

Our competitors may be larger than we are and may have substantially greater resources. They are, therefore, likely to be able to sustain the costs of complex patent litigation or proceedings more effectively.

than we can because of their greater financial resources and more mature and developed intellectual property portfolios. Accordingly, despite our efforts, we may not be able to prevent third parties from infringing upon, misappropriating or otherwise violating our intellectual property. Even if resolved in our favor, litigation or other legal proceedings relating to intellectual property claims could result in substantial costs and diversion of management resources, which could harm our business. In addition, the uncertainties associated with litigation could compromise our ability to raise the funds necessary to continue our clinical trials, continue our internal research programs, or in-license needed technology or other product candidates. There could also be public announcements of the results of the hearing, motions, or other interim proceedings or developments. If securities analysts or investors perceive those results to be negative, it could cause the price of shares of our ADSs to decline. Any of the foregoing events could harm our business, financial condition, results of operation and prospects.

***Intellectual property litigation could cause us to spend substantial resources and distract our personnel from their normal responsibilities.***

Even if resolved in our favor, litigation or other legal proceedings relating to intellectual property claims may cause us to incur significant expenses, and could distract our technical and management personnel from their normal responsibilities. In addition, there could be public announcements of the results of hearings, motions or other interim proceedings or developments and if securities analysts or investors perceive these results to be negative, it could have a substantial adverse effect on the price of our ADSs. Such litigation or proceedings could substantially increase our operating losses and reduce the resources available for development activities or any future sales, marketing or distribution activities. We may not have sufficient financial or other resources to conduct such litigation or proceedings adequately. Some of our competitors may be able to sustain the costs of such litigation or proceedings more effectively than we can because of their greater financial resources. Uncertainties resulting from the initiation and continuation of patent litigation or other proceedings could compromise our ability to compete in the marketplace, including compromising our ability to raise the funds necessary to continue our clinical trials, continue our research programs, license necessary technology from third parties, or enter into development collaborations that would help us commercialize our product candidates, if approved. Any of the foregoing events would harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***The patent protection we obtain for our product candidates and technology may be challenged or not sufficient enough to provide us with any competitive advantage.***

Even if our owned or licensed patent applications issue as patents, the issuance of any such patents is not conclusive as to their inventorship, scope, validity, or enforceability, and such patents may be challenged, invalidated or held to be unenforceable, including in the courts or patent offices in the United States and abroad, or circumvented. We may be subject to a third party preissuance submission of prior art to the USPTO, or equivalent foreign bodies, or become involved in opposition, derivation, revocation, re-examination, post-grant and inter partes review, or interference proceedings challenging our patent rights or the patent rights of others.

Currently, one of our in-licensed European patents related to Morphogen's MGX292 is involved in a European opposition proceeding at the EPO. While we and the licensor are defending against this opposition, there is a risk that one or more of the grounds raised by the opponents will invalidate one or more of the granted claims or require an amendment of the claims in a way that does not cover our product candidates. This may prevent us from asserting this patent against our competitors marketing otherwise infringing products in relevant European countries where this patent has been granted.

An adverse determination in any such submission, proceeding or litigation could reduce the scope of, or invalidate, our patent rights, allow third parties to commercialize our technology or products and compete directly with us, without payment to us, or result in our inability to manufacture or commercialize products without infringing third-party patent rights. Moreover, we, or one of our licensors, may have to participate in interference proceedings declared by the USPTO to determine priority of invention or in post-grant challenge

proceedings, such as oppositions in a foreign patent office, that challenge priority of invention or other features of patentability. Such proceedings and any other patent challenges may result in loss of patent rights, loss of exclusivity, loss of priority, or in patent claims being narrowed, invalidated, or held unenforceable, which could limit our ability to stop others from using or commercializing similar or identical technology and products, or limit the duration of the patent protection of our technology and product candidates. Such proceedings also may result in substantial cost and require significant time from our scientists and management, even if the eventual outcome is favorable to us. Any of the foregoing could harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

Furthermore, given the amount of time required for the development, testing and regulatory review of new product candidates, patents protecting such candidates might expire before or shortly after such candidates are commercialized. As a result, our owned and licensed patent portfolios may not provide us with adequate protection against third parties seeking to commercialize products similar or identical to ours. We expect to request extensions of patent terms to the extent available in countries where we obtain issued patents. In the United States, the Drug Price Competition and Patent Term Restoration Act of 1984 permits a patent term extension of up to five years beyond the expiration of the patent. However, there are no assurances that the FDA or any comparable foreign regulatory authority or national patent office will grant such extensions, in whole or in part. In such case, our competitors may launch their products earlier than might otherwise be anticipated. Moreover, some of our owned or in-licensed patents and patent applications are, and may in the future be, co-owned with third parties. If we are unable to obtain an exclusive license to any such co-owners' interest in such patents or patent applications, such co-owners may be able to license their rights to other third parties, including our competitors, and our competitors could market competing products and technology. In addition, we may need the cooperation of any such co-owners in order to enforce such patents against third parties, and such cooperation may not be provided to us.

In addition, our owned and in-licensed patents may be subject to a reservation of rights by the licensor, its affiliates and one or more third parties. When new technologies are developed with government funding, the government generally obtains certain rights in any resulting patents, including a non-exclusive license authorizing the government to use the invention for noncommercial purposes. These rights may permit the government to disclose our confidential information to third parties or allow third parties to use our licensed technology. The government can also exercise its march-in rights if it determines that action is necessary because we fail to achieve practical application of the government-funded technology, because action is necessary to alleviate health or safety needs, to meet requirements of federal regulations, or to give preference to U.S. industry. In addition, our rights in such inventions may be subject to certain requirements to manufacture products embodying such inventions in the United States. Any of the foregoing could harm our competitive position, business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***We may be subject to claims by third parties asserting that we or our employees have infringed upon, misappropriated or otherwise violated their intellectual property rights, or claiming ownership of what we regard as our own intellectual property.***

Many of our employees were previously employed at other biotechnology or pharmaceutical companies. Although we try to ensure that our employees, consultants and advisors do not use the proprietary information or know-how of others in their work for us, we may be subject to claims that we or these individuals have used or disclosed intellectual property, including trade secrets or other proprietary information, of any such individual's former employer. Litigation may be necessary to defend against these claims.

In addition, we or our licensors may be subject to claims that former employees, collaborators, or other third parties have an interest in our owned or in-licensed patents or other intellectual property as an inventor or co-inventor. While it is our policy to require our employees and contractors who may be involved in the development of intellectual property to execute agreements assigning such intellectual property to us, we may be unsuccessful in executing such an agreement with each party who in fact develops intellectual property that we

regard as our own. Our and their assignment agreements may not be self-executing or may be breached, and we may be forced to bring claims against third parties, or defend claims they may bring against us, to determine the ownership of what we regard as our intellectual property.

If we fail in prosecuting or defending any such claims, in addition to paying monetary damages, we may lose valuable intellectual property rights or personnel. Even if we are successful in prosecuting or defending against such claims, litigation could result in substantial costs, delay development of our product candidates and be a distraction to management. Any of the foregoing events would harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***We may not be able to protect our intellectual property rights throughout the world.***

Filing, prosecuting, maintaining, defending and enforcing patents on our product candidates in all countries throughout the world would be prohibitively expensive, and our intellectual property rights in some countries outside the United States can be less extensive than those in the United States. In addition, the laws of some foreign countries do not protect intellectual property rights to the same extent as federal and state laws in the United States. Consequently, we may not be able to prevent third parties from practicing our inventions in all countries outside the United States, or from selling or importing products made using our inventions in and into the United States or other jurisdictions. Competitors may use our technologies in jurisdictions where we have not obtained patent protection to develop their own drugs and may export otherwise infringing drugs to territories where we have patent protection, but enforcement rights are not as strong as those in the United States. These drugs may compete with our product candidates and our patents or other intellectual property rights may not be effective or sufficient to prevent them from competing.

Many companies have encountered significant problems in protecting and defending intellectual property rights in foreign jurisdictions. The legal systems of some countries do not favor the enforcement of patents and other intellectual property protection, which could make it difficult for us to stop the infringement of our patents generally. Proceedings to enforce our patent rights in foreign jurisdictions could result in substantial costs and divert our efforts and attention from other aspects of our business, could put our patents at risk of being invalidated or interpreted narrowly and our patent applications at risk of not issuing and could provoke third parties to assert claims against us. We may not prevail in any lawsuits that we initiate, and the damages or other remedies awarded, if any, may not be commercially meaningful.

Many countries, including major European Union countries, India, Japan and China, have compulsory licensing laws under which a patent owner may be compelled under specified circumstances to grant licenses to third parties. In addition, many countries limit the enforceability of patents against government agencies or government contractors. In those countries, we may have limited remedies if patents are infringed or if we are compelled to grant a license to a third party, which could materially diminish the value of those patents. This could limit our potential revenue opportunities. Accordingly, our efforts to enforce our intellectual property rights around the world may be inadequate to obtain a significant commercial advantage from the intellectual property that we develop or license, which could adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***A number of our programs and associated product candidates are heavily dependent on licensed intellectual property. If we were to lose our rights to licensed intellectual property, we may not be able to continue developing or commercializing our product candidates, if approved. If we breach any of the agreements under which we license the use, development and commercialization rights to our product candidates or technology from third parties or, in certain cases, we fail to meet certain development deadlines, we could lose license rights that are important to our business.***

We are heavily reliant upon licenses to certain patent rights and other intellectual property from third parties that are important or necessary to the development of our product candidates. See "Business—License Agreements." We may also need to obtain additional licenses to advance the development and commercialization of other



product candidates we may develop. We expect that future license agreements will impose upon us, various development, regulatory and or commercial diligence obligations, payment of milestones and/or royalties and other obligations. If we fail to comply with our obligations under these agreements, or we are subject to a bankruptcy-related event, the licensor may have the right to terminate the license, in which event we would not be able to develop, market or otherwise commercialize products covered by the license, and in some instances, may be also obligated to transfer back to licensor our developments related to the licensed product and associated regulatory rights. Our business could suffer, for example, if any current or future licenses terminate, if the licensors fail to abide by the terms of the license, if the licensed patents or other rights are found to be invalid or unenforceable, or if we are unable to enter into necessary licenses on acceptable terms.

Licensing of intellectual property is of critical importance to our business and involves complex legal, business and scientific issues and certain provisions in intellectual property license agreements may be susceptible to multiple interpretations. Disputes may arise between us and our licensors regarding intellectual property subject to a license agreement, including:

- the scope of rights granted under the license agreement and other interpretation-related issues;
- whether and the extent to which our technology and processes infringe on intellectual property of the licensor that is not subject to the licensing agreement;
- our right to transfer, assign, or sublicense patent and other rights to third parties;
- our diligence obligations with respect to the use of the licensed technology in relation to our development and commercialization of our product candidates, and what activities satisfy those diligence obligations;
- the ownership of inventions and know-how resulting from the joint creation or use of intellectual property by our licensors and us and our partners;
- our right to transfer or assign the license;
- the ability and effects of termination; and
- restrictive covenants that may restrict our abilities to compete or market competing products.

The resolution of any contract interpretation disagreement that may arise could narrow what we believe to be the scope of our rights to the relevant intellectual property or technology, or increase what we believe to be our financial or other obligations under the relevant agreement, either of which could harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects. Moreover, if disputes over intellectual property that we have licensed prevent or impair our ability to maintain our current licensing arrangements on acceptable terms, we may be unable to successfully develop and commercialize the affected product candidates.

We may enter into additional licenses to third-party intellectual property that are necessary or useful to our business. Our current licenses and any future licenses that we may enter into impose various fees, royalty payment, milestone and other obligations on us. Under some license agreements, we may not control prosecution of the licensed intellectual property, or may not have the first right to enforce the intellectual property. In those cases, we may not be able to adequately influence patent prosecution or enforcement, or prevent inadvertent lapses of coverage due to failure to pay maintenance fees. If we fail to comply with any of our obligations under a current or future license agreement, the licensor may allege that we have breached our license agreement, and may accordingly seek to terminate our license. Termination of any of our current or future licenses could result in our loss of the right to use the licensed intellectual property, which could materially adversely affect our ability to develop and commercialize a product candidate or product, if approved, as well as harm our competitive business position and our business prospects. Under some license agreements, termination may also result in the transfer or granting of rights under certain of our intellectual property and information related to the product candidate being developed under the license, such as regulatory information.

In addition, if our licensors fail to abide by the terms of the license, if the licensors fail to prevent infringement by third parties, if the licensed patents or other rights are found to be invalid or unenforceable, or if we are unable to enter into necessary licenses on acceptable terms, our business, competitive position, financial condition, results of operations and prospects could be materially harmed.

***Patent terms may be inadequate to protect our competitive position on our product candidates for an adequate amount of time. If we are not able to obtain patent term extension or non-patent exclusivity in the United States under the Hatch-Waxman Act and in foreign countries under similar legislation, thereby potentially extending the marketing exclusivity term of our product candidates, our business may be materially harmed.***

Patents have a limited lifespan. In the United States, if all maintenance fees are timely paid, the natural expiration of a patent is generally 20 years from its earliest U.S. non-provisional filing date. Various extensions may be available, but the life of a patent, and the protection it affords, is limited. Even if patents covering our product candidates are obtained, once the patent life has expired for a product candidate, we may be open to competition from competitive medications, including generic medications. Given the amount of time required for the development, testing and regulatory review of new product candidates, patents protecting such product candidates might expire before or shortly after such product candidates are commercialized. As a result, our owned and licensed patent portfolio may not provide us with sufficient rights to exclude others from commercializing product candidates similar or identical to ours.

For instance, for our subsidiary, Pega-One SAS, in-licensed patents and patent applications directed to imgatuzumab and uses thereof are expected to expire between 2026 and 2028, which do not include any possible patent term extension. Our in-licensed patents may expire before, or soon after, our first product achieves marketing approval in the United States or foreign jurisdictions. Upon the expiration of our current patents, we may lose the right to exclude others from practicing these inventions. The expiration of these patents could also have a similar material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, prospects and results of operations.

For our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences, the earliest in-licensed patents directed to composition of matter of lixivaptan and certain methods of use related to lixivaptan have expired. The expiration of these patents could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, prospects and results of operations. We own pending patent applications directed to methods of treatment with lixivaptan that, if issued as patents, are expected to expire in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions. However, we cannot be assured that the USPTO or relevant foreign patent offices will grant any of these patent applications.

With respect to Pega-One, we intend to utilize new preclinical, clinical and combination proprietary data to expand the product-specific patents estate. Additionally, with respect to our biologics products, we hope to take advantage of enhanced regulatory exclusivity periods, such as the 12 years of regulatory exclusivity available to biologics manufacturers under the Biologics Competition and Innovation Act of 2009. However, despite these measures, we may still lose the right to exclude others from practicing these inventions, which may negatively impact our business.

Depending upon the timing, duration and conditions of any FDA marketing approval of our product candidates, one or more of our U.S. patents may be eligible for limited patent term extension under the Drug Price Competition and Patent Term Restoration Act of 1984, referred to as the Hatch-Waxman Amendments, and similar legislation in the European Union. The Hatch-Waxman Amendments permit a patent term extension of up to five years for a patent covering an approved product as compensation for effective patent term lost during product development and the FDA regulatory review process. However, we may not receive an extension if we fail to exercise due diligence during the testing phase or regulatory review process, fail to apply within applicable deadlines, fail to apply prior to expiration of relevant patents or otherwise fail to satisfy applicable requirements. Moreover, the length of the extension could be less than we request. Only one patent per approved product can be extended, the extension cannot extend the total

patent term beyond 14 years from approval and only those claims covering the approved drug, a method for using it or a method for manufacturing it may be extended. If we are unable to obtain patent term extension or the term of any such extension is less than we request, the period during which we can enforce our patent rights for the applicable product candidate will be shortened and our competitors may obtain approval to market competing products sooner. As a result, our revenue from applicable products could be reduced. Further, if this occurs, our competitors may take advantage of our investment in development and trials by referencing our clinical and preclinical data and launch their product earlier than might otherwise be the case, and our competitive position, business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects could be materially harmed.

***Changes in patent law could diminish the value of patents in general, thereby impairing our ability to protect our product candidates.***

Obtaining and enforcing patents in the pharmaceutical industry is inherently uncertain, due in part to ongoing changes in the patent laws. Depending on decisions by Congress, the federal courts, and the USPTO, the laws and regulations governing patents, and interpretation thereof, could change in unpredictable ways that could weaken our and our licensors' or collaborators' ability to obtain new patents or to enforce existing or future patents. For example, the Supreme Court has ruled on several patent cases in recent years, either narrowing the scope of patent protection available in certain circumstances or weakening the rights of patent owners in certain situations. Therefore, there is increased uncertainty with regard to our and our licensors' or collaborators' ability to obtain patents in the future, as well as uncertainty with respect to the value of patents once obtained.

Recent patent reform legislation could increase the uncertainties and costs surrounding the prosecution of our and our licensors' or collaborators' patent applications and the enforcement or defense of our or our licensors' or collaborators' issued patents. Assuming that other requirements for patentability are met, prior to March 2013, in the United States, the first to invent the claimed invention was entitled to the patent, while outside the United States, the first to file a patent application was entitled to the patent. After March 2013, under the Leahy-Smith America Invents Act (the Leahy-Smith Act), enacted in September 2011, the United States transitioned to a first inventor to file system in which, assuming that other requirements for patentability are met, the first inventor to file a patent application will be entitled to the patent on an invention regardless of whether a third party was the first to invent the claimed invention. The Leahy-Smith Act also includes a number of significant changes that affect the way patent applications are prosecuted and may also affect patent litigation. These include allowing third party submission of prior art to the USPTO during patent prosecution and additional procedures to attack the validity of a patent by USPTO-administered post-grant proceedings, including post-grant review, inter partes review and derivation proceedings. The USPTO recently developed new regulations and procedures to govern administration of the Leahy-Smith Act, and many of the substantive changes to patent law associated with the Leahy-Smith Act, particularly the first inventor-to-file provisions. Accordingly, it is not clear what, if any, impact the Leahy-Smith Act will have on the operation of our business. However, the Leahy-Smith Act and its implementation could increase the uncertainties and costs surrounding the prosecution of our or our licensors' patent applications and the enforcement or defense of our or our licensors' issued patents, all of which could harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***Intellectual property rights do not necessarily address all potential threats.***

The degree of future protection afforded by our intellectual property rights is uncertain because intellectual property rights have limitations and may not adequately protect our business or permit us to maintain our competitive advantage. For example:

- others may be able to make products that are similar to any product candidates we may develop or utilize similar technology but that are not covered by the claims of the patents that we license or may own in the future;
- we, or our current or future licensors might not have been the first to make the inventions covered by the issued patent or pending patent application that we license or may own in the future;

- we, or our current or future licensors might not have been the first to file patent applications covering certain of our or their inventions;
- others may independently develop similar or alternative technologies or duplicate any of our technologies without infringing our owned or licensed intellectual property rights;
- it is possible that our pending owned or licensed patent applications or those that we may own or license in the future will not lead to issued patents;
- issued patents that we hold rights to may be held invalid or unenforceable, including as a result of legal challenges by our competitors;
- our competitors might conduct research and development activities in countries where we do not have patent rights and then use the information learned from such activities to develop competitive products for sale in our major commercial markets;
- we may not develop additional proprietary technologies that are patentable;
- the patents of others may harm our business; and
- we may choose not to file a patent in order to maintain certain trade secrets or know-how, and a third party may subsequently file a patent covering such intellectual property.

Should any of these events occur, they could harm our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***Obtaining and maintaining our patent protection depends on compliance with various procedural, document submission, fee payment and other requirements imposed by governmental patent agencies, and our patent protection could be reduced or eliminated for non-compliance with these requirements.***

Periodic maintenance fees, renewal fees, annuity fees and various other governmental fees on patents and/or applications will be due to be paid to the USPTO and various governmental patent agencies outside of the United States in several stages over the lifetime of the patents and/or applications. We have systems in place to remind us to pay these fees, and we employ an outside firm and rely on our outside counsel to pay these fees due to non-U.S. patent agencies. The USPTO and various non-U.S. governmental patent agencies require compliance with a number of procedural, documentary, fee payment and other similar provisions during the patent application process. We employ reputable law firms and other professionals to help us comply, and in many cases, an inadvertent lapse can be cured by payment of a late fee or by other means in accordance with the applicable rules. However, there are situations in which non-compliance can result in abandonment or lapse of the patent or patent application, resulting in partial or complete loss of patent rights in the relevant jurisdiction. In such an event, our competitors might be able to enter the market and this circumstance would have a material adverse effect on our business.

***We engage a number of consultants employed by academic institutions in jurisdictions that contain inventorship laws mandating that any inventions developed by such consultants whilst performing consultancy services automatically or otherwise shall reside in the employing institution and granting such institutions the first right to develop and/or commercialize such inventions. We may not be able to secure rights (whether through ownership or license interest) in inventions developed by such consultants during performance of consulting services for our companies.***

We enter into confidentiality and intellectual property assignment agreements with our employees, consultants, outside scientific collaborators, sponsored researchers and other advisors. These agreements generally provide that inventions conceived by the party in the course of rendering services to us will be our exclusive property. However, these agreements may not be honored and may not effectively assign intellectual property rights to us. For example, even if we have a consulting agreement in place with an academic advisor pursuant to which such academic advisor is required to assign any inventions developed in connection with providing services to us, such academic advisor may not have the right to assign such inventions to us, as it may conflict with his or her obligations to assign their intellectual property to his or her employing institution.

Despite our undertaking of the measures listed above, we are subject to claims challenging the inventorship or ownership of our patents and other intellectual property and may be subject to further claims in the future. For example, our subsidiary PearlRiver Bio has entered into consulting arrangements with a number of its founders and other investigators who, in each case, are employed by or affiliated with certain universities in Germany. The consulting arrangements provide that in the event such consultants invent during the course of performing activities for PearlRiver Bio, such invention shall nonetheless be owned by the employing university and the employing university would be entitled to commercialize the invention. In order for PearlRiver Bio to gain access to such invention, it would need to negotiate and enter into a licensing arrangement with the employing university. There can be no assurances that PearlRiver Bio would be successful in such negotiations or that a license would be obtained on favorable terms. Litigation may be necessary to defend against these and other claims challenging inventorship or ownership. If we fail in defending any such claims, in addition to paying monetary damages, we may lose valuable intellectual property rights, such as exclusive ownership of, or right to use, valuable intellectual property. Such an outcome could have a material adverse effect on our business. Even if we are successful in defending against such claims, litigation could result in substantial costs and be a distraction to management and other employees.

***Certain of our employees and inventions are subject to German law.***

Certain of our personnel work in Germany and are subject to German employment law. Inventions which may be the subject of a patent or of protection as a utility model and which are or were made by personnel working in Germany (except for legal representatives of our respective legal entities, for example managing directors) are subject to the provisions of the German Act on Employees' Inventions (Gesetz über Arbeitnehmererfindungen), or the German Inventions Act, which regulates the ownership of, and compensation for, inventions made by employees. We face the risk that disputes may occur between us and our current or past employees pertaining to the sufficiency of compensation paid by us, allocation of rights to inventions under this act or alleged non-adherence to the provisions of this act, any of which may be costly to resolve and take up our management's time and efforts whether we prevail or fail in such dispute. Even if we lawfully own all inventions created by our employees who are subject to the German Inventions Act, we are required under German law to reasonably compensate such employees for the use of the inventions and intellectual property rights related thereto. If we are required to pay compensation or face other disputes under the German Inventions Act, our results of operations could be adversely affected. Legal representatives of legal entities, for example managing directors, whose contractual relationships with the respective entity are subject to German law and that are not subject to the German Inventions Act as well as consultants must assign and transfer their interest in inventions and/or patents they invent or co-invent to us in order for us to have any rights to such inventions or patents.

There can be no assurance that all such assignments are fully effective, which may lead to unexpected costs or economic disadvantages and may harm our business, prospects, financial condition and results of operations. If any of our current or past employees, legal representatives of our legal entities or consultants obtain or retain ownership or co-ownership of any inventions or related intellectual property rights that we believe we own, we may lose valuable intellectual property rights and be required to obtain and maintain licenses from such employees or legal representatives of legal entities or consultants to such inventions or intellectual property rights, which may not be available on commercially reasonable terms or at all, or may be non-exclusive. If we are unable to obtain and maintain a license to any such employee's, legal representative's of legal entities or consultant's interest in such inventions or intellectual property rights, we may need to cease the development, manufacture, and commercialization of one or more of the products or solutions we may develop or may have developed. In addition, any loss of exclusivity of our intellectual property rights could limit our ability to stop others from using or commercializing similar or identical products and solutions. Any of the foregoing events could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, prospects and results of operations.

#### **Risks Related to Commercialization**

***We have never commercialized a product candidate and we may lack the necessary expertise, personnel and resources to successfully commercialize any of our products that receive regulatory approval on our own or together with collaborators.***

We have never commercialized a product candidate. Our operations to date have been limited to organizing and staffing our company, business planning, raising capital, acquiring the rights to our product candidates and undertaking preclinical studies and clinical trials of our product candidates. We currently have no sales force, marketing or distribution capabilities. To achieve commercial success of our product candidates, if any are approved, we will have to develop our own sales, marketing and supply capabilities or outsource these activities to a third party.

Factors that may affect our ability to commercialize our product candidates on our own include recruiting and retaining adequate numbers of effective sales and marketing personnel, obtaining access to or persuading adequate numbers of physicians to prescribe our product candidates and other unforeseen costs associated with creating an independent sales and marketing organization. Developing a sales and marketing organization requires significant investment, is time-consuming and could delay the launch of our product candidates. We may not be able to build an effective sales and marketing organization in the United States, the European Union, the United Kingdom or other key global markets. If we are unable to build our own distribution and marketing capabilities or to find suitable partners for the commercialization of our product candidates, we may have difficulties generating revenue from them.

***The commercial success of any of our product candidates will depend upon its degree of market acceptance by physicians, patients, third-party payors and others in the medical community.***

Ethical, social and legal concerns about our product candidates could result in additional regulations restricting or prohibiting our products. Even with the requisite approvals from the FDA in the United States, the European Commission (on the recommendation of the EMA) in the European Economic Area, the MHRA in the United Kingdom and other regulatory authorities internationally, the commercial success of our product candidates will depend, in part, on the acceptance of physicians, patients and health care payors of our product candidates as medically necessary, cost-effective and safe. Any product that we commercialize may not gain acceptance by physicians, patients, health care payors and others in the medical community. If these products do not achieve an adequate level of acceptance, we may not generate significant product revenue and may not become profitable. The degree of market acceptance of our product candidates, if approved for commercial sale, will depend on several factors, including:

- the efficacy and safety of such product candidates as demonstrated in clinical trials;
- the potential and perceived advantages of product candidates over alternative treatments;
- the cost of treatment relative to alternative treatments;
- the clinical indications for which the product candidate is approved by FDA, the EMA or the MHRA;
- patient awareness of, and willingness to seek, genotyping;
- the willingness of physicians to prescribe new therapies;
- the willingness of the target patient population to try new therapies;
- the prevalence and severity of any side effects;
- product labeling or product insert requirements of FDA, EMA, MHRA or other regulatory authorities, including any limitations or warnings contained in a product's approved labeling;
- relative convenience and ease of administration;

- the strength of marketing and distribution support;
- the timing of market introduction of competitive products;
- publicity concerning our products or competing products and treatments; and
- sufficient third-party payor coverage and reimbursement.

Even if a potential product displays a favorable efficacy and safety profile in preclinical studies and clinical trials, market acceptance of the product will not be fully known until after it is launched.

***If the market opportunities for our product candidates are smaller than we believe they are, it may not be financially viable to commercialize, and if we do commercialize, our product revenues for any therapies that are approved for commercial sale may be adversely affected and our business may suffer.***

We focus our research and product development on treatments for various diseases. Our understanding of both the number of people who have these diseases, as well as the subset of people with these diseases who have the potential to benefit from treatment with our product candidates, are based on estimates. These estimates may prove to be incorrect and new studies may reduce the estimated incidence or prevalence of these diseases. The number of patients in the United States, the European Union, the United Kingdom and elsewhere may turn out to be lower than expected, may not be otherwise amenable to treatment with our products or patients may become increasingly difficult to identify and access, all of which would adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

Further, there are several factors that could contribute to making the actual number of patients who receive our potential products less than the potentially addressable market. These include the lack of widespread availability of, and limited reimbursement for, new products or therapies in many underdeveloped markets.

***If we are unable to establish sales, medical affairs and marketing capabilities or enter into agreements with third parties to market and sell our product candidates, we may be unable to generate any product revenue.***

We currently have no sales and marketing organization. To successfully commercialize any products that may result from our development programs, we will need to develop these capabilities, either on our own or with others. The establishment and development of our own commercial team or the establishment of a contract sales force to market any products we may develop will be expensive and time-consuming and could delay any product launch. Moreover, we cannot be certain that we will be able to successfully develop this capability. We may enter into collaborations regarding our product candidates with entities to utilize their established marketing and distribution capabilities, but we may be unable to enter into such agreements on favorable terms, if at all. If any current or future collaborators do not commit sufficient resources to commercialize our products, or we are unable to develop the necessary capabilities on our own, we will be unable to generate sufficient product revenue to sustain our business. We compete with many companies that currently have extensive, experienced and well-funded medical affairs, marketing and sales operations to recruit, hire, train and retain marketing and sales personnel. We also face competition in our search for third parties to assist us with the sales and marketing efforts of our product candidates. Without an internal team or the support of a third party to perform marketing and sales functions, we may be unable to compete successfully against these more established companies.

Our efforts to educate the medical community and third-party payors on the benefits of our product candidates may require significant resources and may never be successful. Such efforts may require more resources than are typically required due to the complexity and uniqueness of our potential products. If any of our product candidates is approved but fails to achieve market acceptance among physicians, patients or third-party payors, we will not be able to generate significant revenues from such product, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

***Healthcare legislative reform measures may have a material adverse effect on our business and results of operations.***

In the United States, there have been, and continue to be, several legislative initiatives to contain healthcare costs. For example, in March 2010, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act (ACA), was passed, which substantially changes the way health care is financed by both the government and private insurers, and significantly impacts the U.S. pharmaceutical industry. The ACA, among other things: (i) addresses a new methodology by which rebates owed by manufacturers under the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program are calculated for drugs that are inhaled, infused, instilled, implanted or injected; (ii) increases the minimum Medicaid rebates owed by manufacturers under the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program and extends the rebate program to individuals enrolled in Medicaid managed care organizations; (iii) establishes annual fees and taxes on manufacturers of certain branded prescription drugs; (iv) expands the availability of lower pricing under the 340B drug pricing program by adding new entities to the program; and (v) establishes a new Medicare Part D coverage gap discount program, in which manufacturers must agree to offer 50% (increased to 70% pursuant to the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018, effective as of January 1, 2019) point-of-sale discounts off negotiated prices of applicable brand drugs to eligible beneficiaries during their coverage gap period, as a condition for the manufacturer's outpatient drugs to be covered under Medicare Part D. Additionally, in the United States, the Biologics Price Competition and Innovation Act of 2009 created an abbreviated approval pathway for biologic products that are demonstrated to be "highly similar" or "biosimilar or interchangeable" with an FDA-approved biologic product. This new pathway could allow competitors to reference data from biologic products already approved after 12 years from the time of approval. This could expose us to potential competition by lower-cost biosimilars even if we commercialize a product candidate faster than our competitors.

Additional changes that may affect our business include those governing enrollment in federal healthcare programs, reimbursement changes, rules regarding prescription drug benefits under the health insurance exchanges and fraud and abuse and enforcement. Continued implementation of the ACA and the passage of additional laws and regulations may result in the expansion of new programs such as Medicare payment for performance initiatives, and may impact existing government healthcare programs, such as by improving the physician quality reporting system and feedback program.

For each state that does not choose to expand its Medicaid program, there likely will be fewer insured patients overall, which could impact the sales, business and financial condition of manufacturers of branded prescription drugs. Where patients receive insurance coverage under any of the new options made available through the ACA, the possibility exists that manufacturers may be required to pay Medicaid rebates on that resulting drug utilization, a decision that could impact manufacturer revenues. The U.S. federal government also has announced delays in the implementation of key provisions of the ACA. The implications of these delays for our and our partners' business and financial condition, if any, are not yet clear.

We expect that additional state and federal healthcare reform measures will be adopted in the future, any of which could limit the amounts that federal and state governments will pay for healthcare products and services, which could result in reduced demand for our product candidates or additional pricing pressures.

***Enacted and future legislation may increase the difficulty and cost for us to obtain marketing approval of and commercialize our product candidates and affect the prices we may charge for such product candidates.***

The United States and many foreign jurisdictions have enacted or proposed legislative and regulatory changes affecting the healthcare system that could prevent or delay marketing approval of our product candidates, restrict or regulate post-approval activities and affect our ability to profitably sell any product for which we obtain marketing approval.

In March 2010, the ACA was enacted, which includes measures that have significantly changed the way health care is financed by both governmental and private insurers. There have been executive, judicial and



congressional challenges to certain aspects of the ACA. For example, in January 2017, then-President Trump signed an Executive Order directing federal agencies with authorities and responsibilities under the ACA to waive, defer, grant exemptions from, or delay the implementation of any provision of the ACA that would impose a fiscal or regulatory burden on states, individuals, healthcare providers, health insurers, or manufacturers of pharmaceuticals or medical devices. Further, various portions of the ACA are currently undergoing legal and constitutional challenges in the United States Supreme Court. It is unclear how the Supreme Court ruling, other such litigation, and the healthcare reform measures of the Biden administration will impact the ACA and our business.

In addition, other legislative changes have been proposed and adopted since the ACA was enacted. For example, in August 2011, then-President Obama signed into law the Budget Control Act of 2011, which, among other things, created the Joint Select Committee on Deficit Reduction to recommend to Congress proposals in spending reductions. The Joint Select Committee on Deficit Reduction did not achieve a targeted deficit reduction, which triggered the legislation's automatic reduction to several government programs. This includes aggregate reductions to Medicare payments to providers of, on average, 2% per fiscal year, and, due to subsequent legislative amendments, will remain in effect through 2030 unless Congress takes additional action. Pursuant to the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, also known as the CARES Act, as well as subsequent legislation, these reductions have been suspended from May 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Proposed legislation, if passed, would extend this suspension until the end of the pandemic. Recently, there has been increasing legislative and enforcement interest in the United States with respect to specialty drug pricing practices. Specifically, there have been several recent U.S. congressional inquiries and proposed bills designed to, among other things, bring more transparency to drug pricing, reduce the cost of prescription drugs under Medicare, review the relationship between pricing and manufacturer patient programs and reform government program reimbursement methodologies for drugs. The probability of success of any previously announced policies under the former Trump administration and their impact on the United States prescription drug marketplace is unknown, particularly in light of the new Biden administration.

The former Trump administration's budget proposal for fiscal year 2021 included a \$135 billion allowance to support legislative proposals seeking to reduce drug prices, increase competition, lower out-of-pocket drug costs for patients, and increase patient access to lower-cost generic and biosimilar drugs. On March 10, 2020, the former Trump administration sent "principles" for drug pricing to Congress, calling for legislation that would, among other things, cap Medicare Part D beneficiary out-of-pocket pharmacy expenses, provide an option to cap Medicare Part D beneficiary monthly out-of-pocket expenses, and place limits on pharmaceutical price increases. Further, the former Trump administration also previously released a "Blueprint" to lower drug prices and reduce out of pocket costs of drugs that contains additional proposals to increase manufacturer competition, increase the negotiating power of certain federal healthcare programs, incentivize manufacturers to lower the list price of their products and reduce the out of pocket costs of drug products paid by consumers. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), has already started the process of soliciting feedback on some of these measures from the former administration and, at the same time, is immediately implementing others under its existing authority. For example, in May 2019, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) issued a final rule to allow Medicare Advantage Plans the option of using step therapy for Part B drugs beginning January 1, 2020. However, it is unclear whether the Biden administration will challenge, reverse, revoke or otherwise modify these executive and administrative actions.

In addition, there have been several changes to the 340B drug pricing program, which imposes ceilings on prices that drug manufacturers can charge for medications sold to certain health care facilities. On December 27, 2018, the District Court for the District of Columbia invalidated a reimbursement formula change under the 340B drug pricing program, and CMS subsequently altered the FYs 2019 and 2018 reimbursement formula on specified covered outpatient drugs (SCODs). The court ruled this change was not an "adjustment" which was within the Secretary's discretion to make but was instead a fundamental change in the reimbursement calculation. However, more recently, on July 31, 2020, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit overturned the district court's decision and found that the changes were within the Secretary's authority. On September 14, 2020, the plaintiffs-appellees filed a Petition for Rehearing En Banc (i.e., before the full court), but was denied

on October 16, 2020. Plaintiffs-appellees filed a petition for a writ of certiorari at the Supreme Court on February 10, 2021. It is unclear how these developments could affect covered hospitals who might purchase our future products and affect the rates we may charge such facilities for our approved products in the future, if any.

At the federal level, Trump administration used several means to propose or implement drug pricing reform, including through federal budget proposals, executive orders and policy initiatives. On July 24, 2020 and September 13, 2020, former President Trump announced several executive orders related to prescription drug pricing that seek to implement several of the administration's proposals. In response, the FDA released a final rule on September 24, 2020, which went into effect on November 30, 2020, providing guidance for states to build and submit importation plans for drugs from Canada. Further, on November 20, 2020 CMS issued an Interim Final Rule implementing the Most Favored Nation (MFN) Model under which Medicare Part B reimbursement rates will be calculated for certain drugs and biologicals based on the lowest price drug manufacturers receive in Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development countries with a similar gross domestic product per capita. The MFN Model regulations mandate participation by identified Part B providers and would have applied to all U.S. states and territories for a seven-year period beginning January 1, 2021, and ending December 31, 2027. However, in response to a lawsuit filed by several industry groups, on December 28, the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California issued a nationwide preliminary injunction enjoining government defendants from implementing the MFN Rule pending completion of notice-and-comment procedures under the Administrative Procedure Act. On January 13, 2021, in a separate lawsuit brought by industry groups in the U.S. District of Maryland, the government defendants entered a joint motion to stay litigation on the condition that the government would not appeal the preliminary injunction granted in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California and that performance for any final regulation stemming from the MFN Interim Final Rule shall not commence earlier than 60 days after publication of that regulation in the Federal Register. The Interim Final Rule has not been finalized and is subject to revision and challenge.

Additionally, on November 20, 2020, HHS finalized a regulation removing safe harbor protection for price reductions from pharmaceutical manufacturers to plan sponsors under Part D, either directly or through pharmacy benefit managers, unless the price reduction is required by law. The implementation of the rule has been delayed by the Biden administration from January 1, 2022 to January 1, 2023 in response to ongoing litigation. The rule also creates a new safe harbor for price reductions reflected at the point-of-sale, as well as a safe harbor for certain fixed fee arrangements between pharmacy benefit managers and manufacturers, the implementation of which have also been delayed pending review by the Biden administration until March 22, 2021. Although a number of these and other proposed measures may require authorization through additional legislation to become effective, and the Biden administration may reverse or otherwise change these measures, Congress has indicated that it will continue to seek new legislative measures to control drug costs.

At the state level, individual states are increasingly aggressive in passing legislation and implementing regulations designed to control pharmaceutical and biological product pricing, including price or patient reimbursement constraints, discounts, restrictions on certain product access and marketing cost disclosure and transparency measures, and, in some cases, designed to encourage importation from other countries and bulk purchasing. Further, on May 30, 2018, the Right to Try Act, was signed into law. The law, among other things, provides a federal framework for certain patients to access certain investigational new drug products that have completed a Phase 1 clinical trial and that are undergoing investigation for FDA approval. Under certain circumstances, eligible patients can seek treatment without enrolling in clinical trials and without obtaining FDA permission under the FDA expanded access program. There is no obligation for a pharmaceutical manufacturer to make its drug products available to eligible patients as a result of the Right to Try Act.

We expect that the healthcare reform measures that have been adopted and may be adopted in the future, may result in more rigorous coverage criteria and in additional downward pressure on the price that we receive for any approved product and could seriously harm our future revenues. Any reduction in reimbursement from Medicare or other government programs may result in a similar reduction in payments from private payors. The implementation of cost containment measures or other healthcare reforms may prevent us from being able to generate revenue, attain profitability or commercialize our products.

***The insurance coverage and reimbursement status of newly-approved products is uncertain. Failure to obtain or maintain adequate coverage and reimbursement for our products, if approved, could limit our ability to market those products and decrease our ability to generate product revenue.***

We expect the cost of our product candidates and programs, to be substantial, when and if they achieve regulatory approval. We expect that coverage and reimbursement by government and private payors will be essential for most patients to be able to afford these treatments. Accordingly, sales of our product candidates will depend substantially, both domestically and abroad, on the extent to which the costs of our product candidates will be paid by health maintenance, managed care, pharmacy benefit and similar healthcare management organizations, or will be reimbursed by government authorities, private health coverage insurers and other third-party payors. Coverage and reimbursement by a third-party payor may depend upon several factors, including the third-party payor's determination that use of a product is:

- a covered benefit under its health plan;
- safe, effective and medically necessary;
- appropriate for the specific patient;
- cost-effective; and
- neither experimental nor investigational.

Obtaining coverage and reimbursement for a product from third-party payors is a time-consuming and costly process that could require us to provide to the payor supporting scientific, clinical and cost-effectiveness data. We may not be able to provide data sufficient to gain acceptance with respect to coverage and reimbursement. If coverage and reimbursement are not available, or are available only at limited levels, we may not be able to successfully commercialize our product candidates. Even if coverage is provided, the approved reimbursement amount may not be adequate to realize a sufficient return on our investment.

There is significant uncertainty related to third-party coverage and reimbursement of newly approved products. In the United States, third-party payors, including government payors such as the Medicare and Medicaid programs, play an important role in determining the extent to which new drugs and biologics will be covered and reimbursed. The Medicare and Medicaid programs increasingly are used as models for how private payors and government payors develop their coverage and reimbursement policies. It is difficult to predict what the CMS will decide with respect to coverage and reimbursement for fundamentally novel products, as there is no body of established practices and precedents for these types of products. Moreover, reimbursement agencies in the European Union may be more conservative than CMS. For example, several cancer drugs have been approved for reimbursement in the United States and have not been approved for reimbursement in certain European Union Member States. It is difficult to predict what third-party payors will decide with respect to the coverage and reimbursement for our product candidates.

Outside the United States, international operations generally are subject to extensive government price controls and other market regulations, and increasing emphasis on cost-containment initiatives in the European Union, Canada and other countries may put pricing pressure on us. In many countries, the prices of medical products are subject to varying price control mechanisms as part of national health systems. In general, the prices of medicines under such systems are substantially lower than in the United States. Other countries allow companies to fix their own prices for medical products, but monitor and control company profits. Additional foreign price controls or other changes in pricing regulation could restrict the amount that we are able to charge for our product candidates. Accordingly, in markets outside the United States, the reimbursement for our products may be reduced compared with the United States and may be insufficient to generate commercially reasonable product revenues. Further, as discussed above, United States regulators are contemplating a MFN Model under which Medicare Part B reimbursement rates would be calculated for certain drugs and biologics based on the lowest price drug manufacturers receive in Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development countries with a similar gross domestic product per capita.

Moreover, increasing efforts by government and third-party payors in the United States and abroad to cap or reduce healthcare costs may cause such organizations to limit both coverage and the level of reimbursement for new products approved and, as a result, they may not cover or provide adequate payment for our product candidates. Net prices for drugs may be reduced by mandatory discounts or rebates required by government healthcare programs or private payors and by any future relaxation of laws that presently restrict imports of drugs from countries where they may be sold at lower prices than in the United States. Payors increasingly are considering new metrics as the basis for reimbursement rates, such as average sales price (ASP), average manufacturer price, and actual acquisition cost. The existing data for reimbursement based on some of these metrics is relatively limited, although certain states have begun to survey acquisition cost data for the purpose of setting Medicaid reimbursement rates, and CMS has begun making pharmacy National Average Drug Acquisition Cost and National Average Retail Price data publicly available on at least a monthly basis. Therefore, it may be difficult to project the impact of these evolving reimbursement metrics on the willingness of payors to cover candidate products that we or our partners are able to commercialize. In addition, many pharmaceutical manufacturers must calculate and report certain price reporting metrics to the government, such as ASP, and best price. Penalties may apply in some cases when such metrics are not submitted accurately and timely. Further, these prices for drugs may be reduced by mandatory discounts or rebates required by government healthcare programs. We expect to experience pricing pressures in connection with the sale of any of our product candidates due to the trend toward managed healthcare, the increasing influence of health maintenance organizations and additional legislative changes. The downward pressure on healthcare costs in general, particularly prescription drugs and surgical procedures and other treatments, has become intense. As a result, increasingly high barriers are being erected to the entry of new products such as ours.

***Product liability lawsuits against us could cause us to incur substantial liabilities and could limit commercialization of any product candidates that we may develop.***

We face an inherent risk of product liability exposure related to the testing of product candidates in human clinical trials and will face an even greater risk if we commercially sell any medicines that we may develop. If we cannot successfully defend ourselves against claims that our product candidates or medicines caused injuries, we could incur substantial liabilities. Regardless of merit or eventual outcome, liability claims may result in:

- decreased demand for any product candidates or medicines that we may develop;
- injury to our reputation and significant negative media attention;
- withdrawal of clinical trial participants;
- significant costs to defend the related litigation;
- substantial monetary awards to trial participants or patients;
- loss of revenue; and
- the inability to commercialize our product candidates.

Although we coverage for clinical trials that we sponsor, it may not be adequate to cover all liabilities that we may incur. We anticipate that we will need to increase our insurance coverage as we commence additional clinical trials and if we successfully commercialize any product candidates. The market for insurance coverage is increasingly expensive, and the costs of insurance coverage will increase as our clinical programs increase in size. We may not be able to maintain insurance coverage at a reasonable cost or in an amount adequate to satisfy any liability that may arise.

**Risks Related to our Business and Industry**

***Business interruptions resulting from the COVID-19 outbreak or similar public health crises could cause a disruption of the development of our product candidates and adversely impact our business.***

In December 2019, a novel strain of the coronavirus, COVID-19, was identified in Wuhan, China. This virus spread globally, including within the United States and in March 2020 the World Health Organization declared

COVID-19 a pandemic. The pandemic and government measures taken in response have also had a significant impact, both direct and indirect, on businesses and commerce, as worker shortages have occurred; supply chains have been disrupted; facilities and production have been suspended; and demand for certain goods and services, such as medical services and supplies, has spiked, while demand for other goods and services, such as travel, has fallen. As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, we could experience disruptions that could severely impact our business, preclinical studies and clinical trials, including:

- delays or difficulties in enrolling and retaining patients in our clinical trials;
- delays or difficulties in clinical site initiation, including difficulties in recruiting clinical site investigators and clinical site staff;
- delays in receiving authorizations from regulatory authorities to initiate our planned clinical trials;
- diversion of healthcare resources away from the conduct of clinical trials, including the diversion of hospitals serving as our clinical trial sites and hospital staff supporting the conduct of our clinical trials;
- interruption of key clinical trial activities, such as clinical trial site data monitoring, due to limitations on travel imposed or recommended by federal or state governments, employers and others or interruption of clinical trial subject visits and study procedures (such as endoscopies that are deemed non-essential), which may impact the integrity of subject data and clinical study endpoints;
- risk that participants enrolled in our clinical trials will contract COVID-19 while the clinical trial is ongoing, which could impact the results of the clinical trial, including by increasing the number of observed adverse events;
- risk that we are unable to enroll participants in our clinical trials in adequate numbers;
- interruption or delays in the operations of the FDA or other regulatory authorities, which may impact review and approval timelines;
- interruption of, or delays in receiving, supplies of our product candidates from our contract manufacturing organizations due to staffing shortages, production slowdowns or stoppages and disruptions in delivery systems;
- interruptions in preclinical studies due to restricted or limited operations at our laboratory facility;
- delays in necessary interactions with local regulators, ethics committees and other important agencies and contractors due to limitations in employee resources or forced furlough of government employees;
- changes in local regulations as part of a response to the COVID-19 pandemic, which may require us to change the ways in which our clinical trials are conducted, which may result in unexpected costs, or to discontinue such clinical trials altogether;
- limitations on employee resources that would otherwise be focused on the conduct of our preclinical studies and clinical trials, including because of sickness of employees or their families or the desire of employees to avoid contact with large groups of people; and
- interruption or delays to our sourced identification, discovery and clinical activities.

Since March 2020, foreign and domestic inspections by the FDA have largely been on hold due to the coronavirus pandemic. In July 2020, FDA announced plans to resume prioritized domestic inspections. Should FDA determine that an inspection is necessary for approval of a marketing application and an inspection cannot be completed during the review cycle due to restrictions on travel, FDA has stated that it generally intends to issue a complete response letter. Further, if there is inadequate information to make a determination on the acceptability of a facility, FDA may defer action on the application until an inspection can be completed. In 2020, several companies announced receipt of complete response letters due to the FDA's inability to complete required inspections for their applications. Regulatory authorities outside the U.S. may adopt similar restrictions or other policy measures in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and may experience delays in their regulatory activities.

Additionally, as of June 23, 2020, the FDA noted it is continuing to ensure timely reviews of applications for medical products during the COVID-19 pandemic in line with its user fee performance goals. On July 16, 2020, FDA noted that it is continuing to expedite oncology product development with its staff teleworking full-time. However, FDA may not be able to continue its current pace and approval timelines could be extended, including where a pre-approval inspection or an inspection of clinical sites is required and due to the COVID-19 pandemic and travel restrictions FDA is unable to complete such required inspections during the review period.

The COVID-19 pandemic continues to rapidly evolve. The extent to which the pandemic impacts our business, preclinical studies and clinical trials will depend on future developments, which are highly uncertain and cannot be predicted with confidence, such as the ultimate geographic spread of the disease, the duration of the pandemic, travel restrictions and social distancing in the United States and other countries, business closures or business disruptions and the effectiveness of actions taken in the United States and other countries to contain and treat the disease.

***Our future success depends on our ability to retain key employees, consultants and advisors and to attract, retain and motivate qualified personnel.***

Our ability to compete in the highly competitive biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries depends upon our ability to attract and retain highly qualified managerial, scientific and medical personnel. We are highly dependent on our senior management, including scientific and medical personnel and other key employees. While we expect to engage in an orderly transition process as we integrate newly appointed officers and managers, we face a variety of risks and uncertainties relating to management transition, including diversion of management attention from business concerns, failure to retain other key personnel or loss of institutional knowledge. In addition, the loss of the services of any of our executive officers, other key employees and other scientific and medical advisors, and an inability to find suitable replacements could result in delays in product development and harm our business. In particular, due to our small number of employees, the loss of one employee may have a larger impact on our business than compared to a loss at one of our peers. We currently do not maintain “key person” insurance for any members of our management team.

Our Centessa Subsidiaries have historically conducted operations across facilities around the world. We may in the future expand our operations in the U.S. and other geographies, particularly in certain biotech hubs. Competition for skilled personnel in our market is intense and may limit our ability to hire and retain highly qualified personnel on acceptable terms or at all. Changes to immigration and work authorization laws and regulations, including those that restrain the flow of scientific and professional talent, can be significantly affected by political forces and levels of economic activity. Our business may be materially adversely affected if legislative or administrative changes to immigration or visa laws and regulations impair our hiring processes and goals or projects in the key jurisdictions in which we operate.

To encourage valuable employees to remain at our company, in addition to salary and cash incentives, we have provided equity awards that vest over time. The value to employees of equity awards that vest over time may be significantly affected by movements in our share price that are beyond our control, and may at any time be insufficient to counteract more lucrative offers from other companies. Despite our efforts to retain valuable employees, members of our management, scientific and development teams may terminate their employment with us at any time. Although we have employment agreements with our key employees, certain of these employment agreements provide for at-will employment, which means that any of our employees could leave our employment at any time. Our success also depends on our ability to continue to attract, retain and motivate highly skilled junior, mid-level and senior managers as well as junior, mid-level and senior scientific and medical personnel.

Additionally, we rely on our scientific founders and other scientific and clinical advisors and consultants to assist us in formulating our research, development and clinical strategies. Certain of our scientific founders, advisors and consultants are not our employees and may have commitments to, or consulting or advisory contracts with,

other entities that may limit their availability to us. If a conflict of interest arises between their work for us and their work for another entity, we may lose their services. Furthermore, our advisors may have arrangements with other companies to assist those companies in developing products or technologies that may compete with ours. In particular, if we are unable to maintain consulting relationships with our scientific founders or if they provide services to our competitors, our development and commercialization efforts will be impaired and our business will be significantly harmed.

***Our employees may engage in misconduct or other improper activities, including noncompliance with regulatory standards and requirements.***

We are exposed to the risk of employee fraud or other misconduct. Misconduct by employees could include intentional failures to comply with FDA regulations, provide accurate information to the FDA, comply with manufacturing standards we may establish, comply with federal and state healthcare fraud and abuse laws and regulations, report financial information or data accurately or disclose unauthorized activities to us. In particular, sales, marketing and business arrangements in the healthcare industry are subject to extensive laws and regulations intended to prevent fraud, kickbacks, self-dealing and other abusive practices. These laws and regulations may restrict or prohibit a wide range of pricing, discounting, marketing and promotion, sales commission, customer incentive programs and other business arrangements. Employee misconduct could also involve the improper use of information obtained in the course of clinical trials, which could result in regulatory sanctions and serious harm to our reputation. It is not always possible to identify and deter employee misconduct, and the precautions we take to detect and prevent this activity may not be effective in controlling unknown or unmanaged risks or losses or in protecting us from governmental investigations or other actions or lawsuits stemming from a failure to be in compliance with such laws or regulations. If any such actions are instituted against us, and we are not successful in defending ourselves or asserting our rights, those actions could have a significant impact on our business, including the imposition of significant fines or other sanctions.

***If we fail to comply with environmental, health and safety laws and regulations, we could become subject to fines or penalties or incur costs that could have a material adverse effect on the success of our business.***

We are subject to numerous environmental, health and safety laws and regulations, including those governing laboratory procedures and the handling, use, storage, treatment and disposal of hazardous materials and wastes. Our operations involve the use of hazardous and flammable materials, including chemicals and biological materials. Our operations also produce hazardous waste products. We generally contract with third parties for the disposal of these materials and wastes. We cannot eliminate the risk of contamination or injury from these materials. In the event of contamination or injury resulting from our use of hazardous materials, we could be held liable for any resulting damages, and any liability could exceed our resources. We also could incur significant costs associated with civil or criminal fines and penalties for failure to comply with such laws and regulations.

In addition, we may incur substantial costs in order to comply with current or future environmental, health and safety laws and regulations. These current or future laws and regulations may impair our research, development or production efforts. Our failure to comply with these laws and regulations also may result in substantial fines, penalties or other sanctions.

***Our internal computer systems, or those of our collaborators or other contractors or consultants, may fail or suffer security breaches, which could result in a material disruption of our product development programs.***

In the ordinary course of our business, we may store, use, process or otherwise gain access to certain sensitive information, including proprietary information, confidential information, personal data and personal health data, intellectual property, trade secrets, and proprietary business information owned or controlled by ourselves or other parties. We may use third-party service providers and subprocessors to help us operate our business and we may also share such sensitive information with our partners or other third parties in conjunction with our business. We may be required to expend significant resources, at significant cost, fundamentally change our

business activities and practices, or modify our operations, including our clinical trial activities, or information technology in an effort to protect against security breaches and to mitigate, detect, and remediate actual or potential vulnerabilities as well as security breaches. Our internal computer systems (including, without limitation, any relevant sensitive information and other assets stored therein or accessible thereby) and those of our current and any future collaborators, contractors or consultants are vulnerable to damage from computer viruses, bugs, unauthorized access, denial-of-service attacks (such as credential stuffing); ransomware attacks, user errors or malfeasance, natural disasters, terrorism, war and telecommunication and electrical failures. For example, Capella Biosciences was the victim of an attack in which an unrelated party hacked into the email of Capella Biosciences' Chief Executive officer. In the past, a Centessa Subsidiary experienced unauthorized access to its systems through social engineering schemes. If any such material system failure, accident or security breach were to occur and cause interruptions in our operations, it could result in a material disruption of our development programs and our business operations, whether due to a loss of our trade secrets or other sensitive information or other similar disruptions, as well as necessitating that we incur significant costs to address such failure, accident or security breach. For example, the loss of clinical trial data from completed or future clinical trials could result in delays in our regulatory approval efforts and significantly increase our costs to recover or reproduce the data. In addition, failures or significant downtime of our information technology or telecommunication systems or those used by our third-party service providers could cause significant interruptions in our operations and adversely impact the confidentiality, integrity and availability of sensitive information. We may also be the subject of server malfunction, software or hardware failures, supply-chain cyber attacks, loss of data or other computer assets, and other similar issues. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, a significant portion of our workforce works remotely that has increased the risk to our information technology assets and data.

To the extent that any disruption or security breach were to result in a loss of, or damage to, our data or applications, or inappropriate disclosure of sensitive information, we could incur liability, our competitive position could be harmed and the further development and commercialization of our product candidates could be delayed. Relevant laws, regulations, and industry standards, as well as contractual obligations, may require us to implement specific security measures or use industry-standard or reasonable measures to protect against security breaches. Even if we were to take and have taken security measures designed to protect against security breaches, there can be no assurance that such security measures or those of our service providers, partners and other third parties will be effective in protecting against disruptions or security breaches, or mitigating against the impact or the adverse consequences thereof. We may be unable to detect, anticipate, measure or prevent threats or techniques used to detect or exploit vulnerabilities in our (or our third parties') information technology, services, communications or software, or cause security breaches, because such threats and techniques change frequently, are often sophisticated in nature, and may not be detected until after an incident has occurred. We cannot be certain that we will be able to address any such vulnerabilities, in whole or part, and there may be delays in developing and deploying patches and other remedial measures to adequately address vulnerabilities. Relevant laws, regulations, and industry standards, as well as contractual obligations, may also require us to notify relevant stakeholders (including affected individuals, partners, collaborators, customers, regulators, law enforcement agencies, credit reporting agencies and others) of security breaches, and such disclosures are costly and could also have a material adverse effect on our reputation, business, or financial condition.

Actual or perceived security breaches or vulnerabilities, lack of appropriate information security safeguards and concerns regarding data privacy or security may cause some of our actual or prospective customers, collaborators, partners and/or clinical trial participants to stop participating in our trials, using our products or working with us. Additionally, regulators could impose penalties and monetary fines against us for similar concerns. The discontinuance of relationships with third parties, or the failure to meet the expectations of such third parties, and/or regulatory investigation or enforcement, could result in material harm to our operations, financial performance or reputation and affect our ability to grow and operate our business. We cannot be sure that our insurance coverage, if any, will be adequate or otherwise protect us from or adequately mitigate liabilities arising out of such security breaches or vulnerabilities. The successful assertion of one or more large claims against us that exceeds our available insurance coverage, or results in changes to our insurance policies



(including premium increases or the imposition of large excess or deductible or co-insurance requirements), could materially and adversely affect our business.

***Unfavorable global economic conditions could adversely affect our business, financial condition or results of operations.***

Our results of operations could be adversely affected by general conditions in the global economy and in the global financial markets. The most recent global financial crisis caused extreme volatility and disruptions in the capital and credit markets. A severe or prolonged economic downturn, such as the most recent global financial crisis, could result in a variety of risks to our business, including weakened demand for our product candidates and our ability to raise additional capital when needed on acceptable terms, if at all. A weak or declining economy could strain our suppliers, possibly resulting in supply disruption, or cause delays in payments for our services by third-party payors or our collaborators. Any of the foregoing could harm our business and we cannot anticipate all of the ways in which the current economic climate and financial market conditions could adversely impact our business.

***Our international operations may expose us to business, regulatory, legal, political, operational, financial, pricing and reimbursement risks associated with doing business across multiple jurisdictions outside of the United States.***

Our business is subject to risks associated with conducting business internationally. Our Centessa Subsidiaries, suppliers, industry partners and clinical study centers are located across Europe, the United States and certain other jurisdictions. Furthermore, our business strategy incorporates potential international expansion as we seek to obtain regulatory approval for, and commercialize, our product candidates in patient populations outside the United States. If approved, we may hire sales representatives and conduct physician and patient association outreach activities across multiple jurisdictions. Doing business internationally involves a number of risks, including but not limited to:

- multiple, conflicting and changing laws, regulations, and compliance requirements such as privacy regulations, tax laws and practice, export and import restrictions, employment laws, regulatory requirements, and other governmental approvals, permits and licenses;
- failure by us to obtain and maintain regulatory approvals for the use of our products in various countries;
- rejection or qualification of foreign clinical trial data by the competent authorities of other countries;
- additional potentially relevant third-party patent rights;
- complexities and difficulties in obtaining, maintaining, protecting and enforcing our intellectual property;
- difficulties in staffing and managing foreign operations;
- complexities associated with managing multiple payor reimbursement regimes, government payors or patient self-pay systems;
- limits in our ability to penetrate international markets;
- financial risks, such as longer payment cycles, difficulty collecting accounts receivable, the impact of local and regional financial crises on demand and payment for our products and exposure to foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations;
- natural disasters, political and economic instability, including wars, terrorism and political unrest, outbreak of disease, boycotts, curtailment of trade and other business restrictions;
- certain expenses including, among others, expenses for travel, translation and insurance; and

- regulatory and compliance risks that relate to anti-corruption compliance and record-keeping that may fall within the purview of the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and/or the UK Bribery Act of 2010, or provisions of anti-corruption or anti-bribery laws in other countries.

Any of these factors could harm our future international expansion and operations and, consequently, our results of operations.

***We may be subject, directly or indirectly, to federal and state healthcare fraud and abuse laws, false claims laws and health information privacy and security laws. If we are unable to comply, or have not fully complied, with such laws, we could face substantial penalties.***

If we obtain FDA approval for any of our product candidates and begin commercializing those products in the United States, our operations will be directly, or indirectly through our prescribers, customers and purchasers, subject to various federal and state fraud and abuse laws and regulations, including, without limitation, the federal Health Care Program Anti-Kickback Statute, the federal civil and criminal False Claims Act and Physician Payments Sunshine Act and regulations. These laws will impact, among other things, our proposed sales, marketing and educational programs. In addition, we may be subject to patient privacy laws by both the federal government and the states in which we conduct our business. The laws that will affect our operations include, but are not limited to:

- the federal Health Care Program Anti-Kickback Statute, which prohibits, among other things, persons or entities from knowingly and willfully soliciting, receiving, offering or paying any remuneration (including any kickback, bribe or rebate), directly or indirectly, overtly or covertly, in cash or in kind, in return for the purchase, recommendation, leasing or furnishing of an item or service reimbursable under a federal healthcare program, such as the Medicare and Medicaid programs. This statute has been interpreted to apply to arrangements between pharmaceutical manufacturers on the one hand, and prescribers, purchasers and formulary managers on the other. The ACA amends the intent requirement of the federal Anti-Kickback Statute. A person or entity no longer needs to have actual knowledge of this statute or specific intent to violate it. Violations are subject to civil and criminal fines and penalties for each violation, plus up to three times the remuneration involved, imprisonment, and exclusion from government healthcare programs. In addition, the government may assert that a claim including items or services resulting from a violation of the federal Anti-Kickback Statute constitutes a false or fraudulent claim for purposes of the federal False Claims Act or federal civil money penalties. On December 2, 2020, the Office of Inspector General (OIG), published further modifications to the federal Anti-Kickback Statute. Under the final rules, OIG added safe harbor protections under the Anti-Kickback Statute for certain coordinated care and value-based arrangements among clinicians, providers, and others. This rule (with exceptions) became effective January 19, 2021. Implementation of this change and new safe harbors for point-of-sale reductions in price for prescription pharmaceutical products and pharmacy benefit manager service fees are currently under review by the Biden administration and may be amended or repealed. We continue to evaluate what effect, if any, this rule will have on our business;
- federal civil and criminal false claims laws and civil monetary penalty laws which prohibit, among other things, individuals or entities from knowingly presenting, or causing to be presented, claims for payment or approval from Medicare, Medicaid or other government payors that are false or fraudulent. The ACA provides and recent government cases against pharmaceutical and medical device manufacturers support the view that Federal Anti-Kickback Statute violations and certain marketing practices, including off-label promotion, may implicate the False Claims Act;
- the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), which created new federal criminal statutes that prohibit a person from, among other things, knowingly and willfully executing a scheme or from making false or fraudulent statements to defraud any healthcare benefit program, regardless of the payor (e.g., public or private);

- HIPAA, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH), and its implementing regulations, and as amended again by the final HIPAA omnibus rule, Modifications to the HIPAA Privacy, Security, Enforcement, and Breach Notification Rules Under HITECH and the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act; Other Modifications to HIPAA, published in January 2013, which imposes certain requirements on covered entities, including health plans, health care clearinghouses and certain health care providers and their business associates and covered subcontractors relating to the privacy, security and transmission of individually identifiable health information without appropriate authorization;
- federal transparency laws, including the federal Physician Payment Sunshine Act, that require disclosure of payments and other transfers of value provided to physicians (defined to include defined to include doctors, dentists, optometrists, podiatrists and chiropractors) and teaching hospitals, and ownership and investment interests held by physicians and other healthcare providers and their immediate family members and applicable group purchasing organizations. Beginning in 2022, applicable manufacturers also will be required to report such information regarding its payments and other transfers of value to physician assistants, nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, anesthesiologist assistants, certified registered nurse anesthetists and certified nurse midwives during the previous year;
- federal government price reporting laws, which require us to calculate and report complex pricing metrics in an accurate and timely manner to government programs;
- federal consumer protection and unfair competition laws, which broadly regulate marketplace activities and activities that potentially harm consumers; and
- state law equivalents of each of the above federal laws, state laws that require drug manufacturers to report information related to payments and other transfers of value to physicians and other healthcare providers or marketing expenditures and state and foreign laws governing the privacy and security of health information in certain circumstances, many of which differ from each other in significant ways and may not have the same effect, thus complicating compliance efforts in certain circumstances, such as specific disease states.

Because of the breadth of these laws and the narrowness of the statutory exceptions and safe harbors available, it is possible that some of our business activities could be subject to challenge under one or more of such laws. If our operations are found to be in violation of any of the laws described above or any other government regulations that apply to us, we may be subject to penalties, including civil and criminal penalties, damages, fines, exclusion from participation in government health care programs, such as Medicare and Medicaid, imprisonment and the curtailment or restructuring of our operations, any of which could adversely affect our ability to operate our business and our results of operations.

The provision of benefits or advantages to physicians to induce or encourage the prescription, recommendation, endorsement, purchase, supply, order or use of medicinal products is prohibited in the European Union. The provision of benefits or advantages to physicians is also governed by the national anti-bribery laws of European Union Member States, such as the UK Bribery Act 2010. Infringement of these laws could result in substantial fines and imprisonment.

Payments made to physicians in certain European Union Member States must be publicly disclosed. Moreover, agreements with physicians often must be the subject of prior notification and approval by the physician's employer, his or her competent professional organization and/or the regulatory authorities of the individual European Union Member States. These requirements are provided in the national laws, industry codes or professional codes of conduct, applicable in the European Union Member States. Failure to comply with these requirements could result in reputational risk, public reprimands, administrative penalties, fines or imprisonment.

For further information on privacy laws, regulations and standards, as well as policies, contracts and other obligations related to data privacy and security, and the potential application thereof to our operations (including in relation to our use of health-related personal data), see the sub-section immediately below this.

***We are subject to stringent and changing privacy laws, regulations and standards as well as policies, contracts and other obligations related to data privacy and security. Our actual or perceived failure to comply with such obligations could lead to government enforcement actions (that could include fines and penalties), a disruption of our clinical trials or commercialization of our products, private litigation, harm to our reputation, or other adverse effects on our business or prospects.***

The legislative and regulatory framework relating to the collection, use, retention, safeguarding, disclosure, sharing, transfer, security and other processing (collectively, Process or Processing) of personal data (including health-related personal data) worldwide is rapidly evolving and is likely to remain uncertain for the foreseeable future. Globally, virtually every jurisdiction in which we operate has established its own data security and privacy frameworks with which we must comply and some of which may impose potentially conflicting obligations.

Accordingly, we are, or may become, subject to data privacy and security laws, regulations, and industry standards as well as policies, contracts and other obligations that apply to the Processing of personal data both by us and on our behalf (collectively, Data Protection Requirements). If we fail, or are perceived to have failed, to address or comply with Data Protection Requirements, this could result in government enforcement actions against us that could include investigations, fines, penalties, audits and inspections, additional reporting requirements and/or oversight, temporary or permanent bans on all or some Processing of personal data, orders to destroy or not use personal data, and imprisonment of company officials. Further, individuals or other relevant stakeholders could bring a variety of claims against us for our actual or perceived failure to comply with the Data Protection Requirements. Any of these events could have a material adverse effect on our reputation, business, or financial condition, and could lead to a loss of actual or prospective customers, collaborators or partners; interrupt or stop clinical trials; result in an inability to Process personal data or to operate in certain jurisdictions; limit our ability to develop or commercialize our products; or require us to revise or restructure our operations.

For example, in May 2018 the General Data Protection Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (GDPR), came into effect across the European Economic Area (EEA). Also, notwithstanding the UK's withdrawal from the EU, by operation of the so-called "UK GDPR," the GDPR continues to apply in substantially equivalent form in the context of the UK, UK establishments and UK-focused Processing operations.

Collectively, European data protection laws (including the GDPR) are wide-ranging in scope and impose numerous, significant and complex compliance burdens in relation to the Processing of personal data, such as: limiting permitted Processing of personal data to only that which is necessary for specified, explicit and legitimate purposes; requiring the establishment of a legal basis for Processing personal data; broadening the definition of personal data to possibly include 'pseudonymized' or key-coded data; creating obligations for controllers and processors to appoint data protection officers in certain circumstances; increasing transparency obligations to data subjects; introducing the obligation to carry out data protection impact assessments in certain circumstances; establishing limitations on the collection and retention of personal data through 'data minimization' and 'storage limitation' principles; establishing obligations to implement 'privacy by design'; introducing obligations to honor increased rights for data subjects; formalizing a heightened and codified standard of data subject consent; establishing obligations to implement certain technical and organizational safeguards to protect the security and confidentiality of personal data; introducing obligations to agree to certain specific contractual terms and to take certain measures when working with third-party processors or joint controllers; introducing the obligation to provide notice of certain significant personal data breaches to the relevant supervisory authority(ies) and affected individuals; and mandating the appointment of representatives in the UK and/or EU in certain circumstances. In particular, the Processing of "special category personal data" (such as personal data related to health and genetic information), which will be relevant to our operations in the context of our conduct of clinical trials, imposes heightened compliance burdens under European data protection laws and is a topic of active interest among relevant regulators.

In addition, the GDPR provides that EEA member states may introduce specific requirements related to the Processing of special categories of personal data such as health data that we may process in connection with

clinical trials or otherwise. In the UK, the UK Data Protection Act 2018 complements the UK GDPR in this regard. This fact may lead to greater divergence on the law that applies to the Processing of such personal data across the EEA and/or UK, which may increase our costs and overall compliance risk. Such country-specific regulations could also limit our ability to Process relevant personal data in the context of our EEA and/or UK operations ultimately having an adverse impact on our business, and harming our business and financial condition.

Further, certain European data protection laws restrict transfers of personal data to the United States and most other countries outside Europe unless the parties to the transfer have implemented specific safeguards to protect the transferred personal data. One of the primary safeguards that allowed U.S. companies to import personal data from Europe had been certification to the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield and Swiss-U.S. Privacy Shield frameworks administered by the U.S. Department of Commerce. However, in July 2020, the Court of Justice of the EU (CJEU) invalidated the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield, in a case known as "Schrems II." Following this decision: the UK government has similarly invalidated use of the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield as a mechanism for lawful personal data transfers from the UK to the United States under the UK GDPR; and the Swiss Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner announced that the Swiss-U.S. Privacy Shield does not provide adequate safeguards for the purposes of personal data transfers from Switzerland to the United States. The CJEU's decision in Schrems II also raised questions about whether one of the primary alternatives to the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield, namely, the European Commission's Standard Contractual Clauses, can lawfully be used for personal data transfers from Europe to the United States or other third countries that are not the subject of an adequacy decision of the European Commission. While the CJEU upheld the adequacy of the Standard Contractual Clauses in principle in Schrems II, it made clear that reliance on the Standard Contractual Clauses alone may not necessarily be sufficient in all circumstances. Use of the Standard Contractual Clauses must now be assessed on a case-by-case basis taking into account the legal regime applicable in the destination country, in particular regarding applicable surveillance laws and relevant rights of individuals with respect to the transferred personal data. In the context of any given transfer, where the legal regime applicable in the destination country may or does conflict with the intended operation of the Standard Contractual Clauses and/or applicable European data protection laws, the decision in Schrems II and subsequent draft guidance from the European Data Protection Board (EDPB) would require the parties to that transfer to implement supplementary technical, organizational and/or contractual measures in order to rely on the Standard Contractual Clauses as a compliant 'transfer mechanism.' However, the EDPB draft guidance appears to conclude that no combination of supplementary measures could be sufficient to allow effective reliance on the Standard Contractual Clauses in the context of transfers of personal data 'in the clear' to recipients in countries where the power granted to public authorities to access the transferred personal data goes beyond that which is 'necessary and proportionate in a democratic society' – which may, following the CJEU's conclusions in Schrems II on relevant powers of United States public authorities and commentary in that draft EDPB guidance, include the United States in certain circumstances (for example, where Section 702 of the US Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act applies). At present, there are few, if any, viable alternatives to the Standard Contractual Clauses. The risks associated with such exports of personal data from locations within Europe are particularly relevant to our business as our group comprises several operating entities, many of which are located, and/or sponsor clinical trials, in Europe. We have yet to adopt and implement comprehensive processes, systems and other relevant measures within our organization, and/or with our relevant collaborators, service providers, contractors or consultants, which are appropriate to address relevant requirements relating to international transfers of personal data from Europe, and to minimize the potential impacts and risks resulting from those requirements, across our organization. Failure to implement valid mechanisms for personal data transfers from Europe, may result in our facing increased exposure to regulatory actions, substantial fines and injunctions against Processing personal data from Europe. Inability to export personal data may also: restrict our activities outside Europe; limit our ability to collaborate with partners as well as other service providers, contractors and other companies outside of Europe; and/or require us to increase our Processing capabilities within Europe at significant expense or otherwise cause us to change the geographical location or segregation of our relevant systems and operations – any or all of which could adversely affect our operations or financial results. Additionally, other countries outside of Europe have enacted or are considering enacting similar cross-border data transfer restrictions and laws requiring local data

residency, which could increase the cost and complexity of delivering our services and operating our business. The type of challenges we face in Europe will likely also arise in other jurisdictions that adopt laws similar in construction to the GDPR or regulatory frameworks of equivalent complexity.

European data protection laws also provide for more robust regulatory enforcement and greater penalties for noncompliance than previous data protection laws, including, for example, under the GDPR, fines of up to €20 million or 4% of global annual revenue of any noncompliant organization for the preceding financial year, whichever is higher. In addition to administrative fines, a wide variety of other potential enforcement powers are available to competent supervisory authorities in respect of potential and suspected violations of the GDPR, including extensive audit and inspection rights, and powers to order temporary or permanent bans on all or some Processing of personal data carried out by noncompliant actors – including permitting authorities to require destruction of improperly gathered or used personal data. The GDPR also confers a private right of action on data subjects and consumer associations to lodge complaints with supervisory authorities, seek judicial remedies, and obtain compensation for damages resulting from violations of the GDPR.

Further, the UK’s decision to leave the EU, often referred to as Brexit, and ongoing developments in the UK have created uncertainty regarding data protection regulation in the UK. Following December 31, 2020, and the expiry of transitional arrangements between the UK and EU, the data protection obligations of the GDPR continue to apply to UK-related Processing of personal data in substantially unvaried form under the so-called ‘UK GDPR’ (i.e., the GDPR as it continues to form part of UK law by virtue of section 3 of the EU (Withdrawal) Act 2018, as amended). However, going forward, there is increasing risk for divergence in application, interpretation and enforcement of the data protection laws as between the UK and EEA. Furthermore, the relationship between the UK and the EEA in relation to certain aspects of data protection law remains uncertain. For example, it is unclear whether transfers of personal data from the EEA to the UK will be permitted to take place on the basis of a future adequacy decision of the European Commission, or whether a ‘transfer mechanism’ such as the Standard Contractual Clauses will be required. Under the post-Brexit Trade and Cooperation Agreement between the EU and the UK, the UK and EU have agreed that transfers of personal data to the UK from EEA member states will not be treated as ‘restricted transfers’ to a non-EEA country for a period of up to four months from January 1, 2021, plus a potential further two months extension (the Extended Adequacy Assessment Period). Although the current maximum duration of the Extended Adequacy Assessment Period is six months, it may end sooner, for example, in the event that the European Commission adopts an adequacy decision in respect of the UK, or the UK amends the UK GDPR and/or makes certain changes regarding data transfers under the UK GDPR/Data Protection Act 2018 without the consent of the EU (unless those amendments or decisions are made simply to keep relevant UK laws aligned with the EU’s data protection regime). If the European Commission does not adopt an ‘adequacy decision’ in respect of the UK prior to the expiry of the Extended Adequacy Assessment Period, from that point onwards the UK will be an ‘inadequate third country’ under the GDPR and transfers of personal data from the EEA to the UK will require a ‘transfer mechanism’ such as the Standard Contractual Clauses.

Additionally, as noted above, the UK has transposed the GDPR into UK domestic law by way of the UK GDPR with effect from January 2021, which could expose us to two parallel regimes where the UK GDPR and EU GDPR both apply, each of which potentially authorizes similar fines and other potentially divergent enforcement actions for certain violations. Also, following the expiry of the post-Brexit transitional arrangements, the UK Information Commissioner’s Office is not able to be our ‘lead supervisory authority’ in respect of any ‘cross border Processing’ for the purposes of the GDPR. For so long as we are unable to, and/or do not, designate a lead supervisory authority in an EEA member state, with effect from January 1, 2021, we are not able to benefit from the GDPR’s ‘one stop shop’ mechanism. Amongst other things, this would mean that, in the event of a violation of the GDPR affecting data subjects across the UK and the EEA, we could be investigated by, and ultimately fined by, the UK Information Commissioner’s Office and the supervisory authority in each and every EEA member state where data subjects have been affected by such violation.

In the United States, there are a broad variety of data protection laws and regulations that may apply to our activities such as state data breach notification laws, state personal data privacy laws (for example, the California

Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (CCPA)), state health information privacy laws, and federal and state consumer protection laws. A range of enforcement agencies exist at both the state and federal levels that can enforce these laws and regulations. For example, the CCPA requires covered businesses that process personal information of California residents to disclose their data collection, use and sharing practices. Further, the CCPA provides California residents with new data privacy rights (including the ability to opt out of certain disclosures of personal data), imposes new operational requirements for covered businesses, provides for civil penalties for violations as well as a private right of action for data breaches and statutory damages (that is expected to increase data breach class action litigation and result in significant exposure to costly legal judgements and settlements). Aspects of the CCPA and its interpretation and enforcement remain uncertain. In addition, it is anticipated that the CCPA will be expanded on January 1, 2023, when the California Privacy Rights Act of 2020 (CPRA) becomes operative. The CPRA will, among other things, give California residents the ability to limit use of certain sensitive personal information, further restrict the use of cross-contextual advertising, establish restrictions on the retention of personal information, expand the types of data breaches subject to the CCPA's private right of action, provide for increased penalties for CPRA violations concerning California residents under the age of 16, and establish a new California Privacy Protection Agency to implement and enforce the new. Although there are limited exemptions for clinical trial data under the CCPA, the CCPA and other similar laws could impact our business activities depending on how it is interpreted.

In other foreign jurisdictions in which we operate or have operated (including sponsoring past, present or future clinical trials), such as, without limitation, Canada and Georgia, similar Data Protection Requirements may apply.

Generally, these laws exemplify the vulnerability of our business to the evolving regulatory environment related to personal data and may require us to modify our Processing practices at substantial costs and expenses in an effort to comply.

Additionally, regulations promulgated pursuant to HIPAA, as amended, establish privacy and security standards that limit the use and disclosure of individually identifiable health information, or protected health information, and require the implementation of administrative, physical and technological safeguards designed to protect the privacy, confidentiality, integrity and availability of protected health information. These provisions may be applicable to our business or that of our collaborators, service providers, contractors or consultants.

Determining whether protected health information has been handled in compliance with applicable Data Protection Requirements can be complex and may be subject to changing interpretation. If we are unable to properly protect the privacy and security of protected health information, we could be found to have violated these privacy and security laws and/or breached certain contracts with our business partners (including as a business associate). Further, if we fail to comply with applicable Data Protection Requirements, such as, to the extent applicable, HIPAA privacy and security standards, we could face significant civil and criminal penalties. In the United States, the Department of Health and Human Services' and state attorneys general enforcement activity can result in financial liability and reputational harm, and responses to such enforcement activity can consume significant internal resources. In addition, state attorneys general are authorized to bring civil actions seeking either injunctions or damages in response to violations that threaten the privacy of state residents. We cannot be sure how these regulations will be interpreted, enforced or applied to our operations. In addition to the risks associated with enforcement activities and potential contractual liabilities, our ongoing efforts to comply with evolving laws and regulations at the federal and state level may be costly and require ongoing modifications to our policies, procedures and systems.

Given the breadth and evolving nature of Data Protection Requirements, preparing for and complying with these requirements is rigorous, time-intensive and requires significant resources and a review of our technologies, systems and practices, as well as those of any third-party collaborators, service providers, contractors or consultants that Process personal data on our behalf.

We may publish privacy policies and other documentation regarding our Processing of personal data and/or other confidential, proprietary or sensitive information. Although we endeavor to comply with our published policies

and other documentation, we may at times fail to do so or may be perceived to have failed to do so. Moreover, despite our efforts, we may not be successful in achieving compliance if our employees, third-party collaborators, service providers, contractors or consultants fail to comply with our policies and documentation. Such failures can subject us to potential foreign, local, state and federal action if they are found to be deceptive, unfair, or misrepresentative of our actual practices. Moreover, subjects about whom we or our partners obtain information, as well as the providers who share this information with us, may contractually limit our ability to use and disclose the information. Claims that we have violated individuals' privacy rights or failed to comply with data protection laws or applicable privacy notices even if we are not found liable, could be expensive and time-consuming to defend and could result in adverse publicity that could harm our business or otherwise materially and negatively impact our business.

***We are subject to U.S. and certain foreign export and import controls, sanctions, embargoes, anti-corruption laws, and anti-money laundering laws and regulations. Compliance with these legal standards could impair our ability to compete in domestic and international markets. We can face criminal liability and other serious consequences for violations, which can harm our business.***

We are subject to export control and import laws and regulations, including the U.S. Export Administration Regulations, U.S. Customs regulations, various economic and trade sanctions regulations administered by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Controls, the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (FCPA), the U.S. domestic bribery statute contained in 18 U.S.C. § 201, the U.S. Travel Act, the USA PATRIOT Act, and other state and national anti-bribery and anti-money laundering laws in the countries in which we conduct activities. Anti-corruption laws are interpreted broadly and prohibit companies and their employees, agents, contractors, and other collaborators from authorizing, promising, offering, or providing, directly or indirectly, improper payments or anything else of value to recipients in the public or private sector. We may engage third parties to sell our products outside the United States, to conduct clinical trials, and/or to obtain necessary permits, licenses, patent registrations, and other regulatory approvals. We have direct or indirect interactions with officials and employees of government agencies or government-affiliated hospitals, universities, and other organizations. We can be held liable for the corrupt or other illegal activities of our employees, agents, contractors, and other collaborators, even if we do not explicitly authorize or have actual knowledge of such activities. Any violations of the laws and regulations described above may result in substantial civil and criminal fines and penalties, imprisonment, the loss of export or import privileges, debarment, tax reassessments, breach of contract and fraud litigation, reputational harm, and other consequences.

***We are comprised of multiple portfolio operating entities, all of which are at differing stages in their commercial, clinical, and pre-clinical operations, and all of which have taken differing measures to comply (and have varying degrees of compliance) with Data Protection Requirements. The lack of uniformity in the portfolio operating entities' efforts to comply with Data Protection Requirements, including, without limitation, establishing appropriate information security measures, could materially and adversely affect our business.***

We are comprised of multiple portfolio operating entities, many of which were previously unrelated to the others and have operated discretely. Accordingly, the particular application of Data Protection Requirements may vary significantly across our group; as may the approach adopted by, and success of, relevant members of our organization to comply with relevant Data Protection Requirements. We have yet to adopt a harmonized approach to compliance with Data Protection Requirements across our group. The design, implementation, consolidation and harmonization of Processing operations, and relevant systems and facilities, across our company may cause us to incur significant expense, even where relevant members of the group are located within the same jurisdictions. These efforts could adversely affect our financial results.

Furthermore, the risks resulting from potential failure to comply, or perception of failure to comply, with Data Protection Requirements may vary significantly across our group.



Our company results from the combination of multiple early-stage operating companies within the life sciences sector. As early-stage companies, many of our operating companies are not at a level of maturity in relation to efforts to achieve compliance with Data Protection Requirements and the structuring of Processing operations, which would ordinarily be expected of an operating company that is a subsidiary of a publicly-traded company. Consequently, there exists a high level of risk with respect to one or more such companies as a result of its or their failure to comply, or perception of failure to comply, with Data Protection Requirements.

**Risks Related to this Offering and Ownership of Our Securities**

***We are an emerging growth company and a smaller reporting company, and we cannot be certain if the reduced reporting requirements applicable to emerging growth companies and smaller reporting companies will make our ADSs less attractive to investors.***

We are an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act (JOBS Act), enacted in April 2012. For as long as we continue to be an emerging growth company, we may take advantage of exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies, including not being required to comply with the auditor attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, as amended (Sarbanes-Oxley Act), reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in this prospectus and our periodic reports and proxy statements, and exemptions from the requirements of holding nonbinding advisory votes on executive compensation and shareholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved. We could be an emerging growth company for up to five years following the year in which we complete this offering, although circumstances could cause us to lose that status earlier. We will remain an emerging growth company until the earlier of (1) the last day of the fiscal year (a) following the fifth anniversary of the closing of this offering, (b) in which we have total annual gross revenue of at least \$1.07 billion or (c) in which we are deemed to be a large accelerated filer, which requires the market value of our ordinary shares that is held by non-affiliates to exceed \$700 million as of the prior June 30th, and (2) the date on which we have issued more than \$1 billion in non-convertible debt during the prior three-year period.

Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can also delay adopting new or revised accounting standards until such time as those standards apply to private companies. We have elected to not “opt out” of this exemption from complying with new or revised accounting standards and, therefore, we will adopt new or revised accounting standards at the time private companies adopt the new or revised accounting standard and will do so until such time that we either (i) irrevocably elect to “opt out” of such extended transition period or (ii) no longer qualify as an emerging growth company.

Even after we no longer qualify as an emerging growth company, we may still qualify as a “smaller reporting company,” which would allow us to continue to take advantage of many of the same exemptions from disclosure requirements, including not being required to comply with the auditor attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act and reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in this prospectus and our periodic reports and proxy statements. We cannot predict if investors will find our ADSs less attractive because we may rely on these exemptions. If some investors find our ADSs less attractive as a result, there may be a less active trading market for our ADSs and our ADS price may be more volatile.

***Our new articles of association, to be adopted with effect from the completion of this offering, will provide that the courts of England and Wales will be the exclusive forum for the resolution of all shareholder complaints other than complaints asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, and that the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York will be the exclusive forum for the resolution of any shareholder complaint asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.***

Our articles of association will provide that, unless we consent by ordinary resolution to the selection of an alternative forum, the courts of England and Wales shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be the exclusive forum for: (a) any derivative action or proceeding brought on our behalf; (b) any action or proceeding asserting a

claim of breach of fiduciary duty owed by any of our directors, officers or other employees to us; (c) any action or proceeding asserting a claim arising out of any provision of the Companies Act 2006 (Companies Act), or our articles of association (as may be amended from time to time); or (d) any action or proceeding asserting a claim or otherwise related to our affairs, or the England and Wales Forum Provision. The England and Wales Forum Provision will not apply to any causes of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act. Our articles of association will further provide that unless we consent by ordinary resolution to the selection of an alternative forum, the United States District Courts shall be the exclusive forum for resolving any complaint asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, or the U.S. Federal Forum Provision. In addition, our articles of association will provide that any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in our shares is deemed to have notice of and consented to the England and Wales Forum Provision and the U.S. Federal Forum Provision; provided, however, that our shareholders cannot and will not be deemed to have waived our compliance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder.

The England and Wales Forum Provision and the U.S. Federal Forum Provision in our articles of association may impose additional litigation costs on our shareholders in pursuing any such claims. Additionally, the forum selection clauses in our Articles may limit the ability of our shareholders to bring a claim in a judicial forum that they find favorable for disputes with us or our directors, officers or employees, which may discourage the filing of lawsuits against us and our directors, officers and employees, even though an action, if successful, might benefit our shareholders. In addition, while the Delaware Supreme Court ruled in March 2020 that federal forum selection provisions purporting to require claims under the Securities Act be brought in federal court are “facially valid” under Delaware law, there is uncertainty as to whether other courts, including the courts of England and Wales and other courts within the U.S., will enforce our U.S. Federal Forum Provision. If the U.S. Federal Forum Provision is found to be inapplicable or unenforceable in an action, we may incur additional costs associated with resolving such action in other jurisdictions, which could adversely affect our results of operations and financial condition. The U.S. Federal Forum Provision may also impose additional litigation costs on our shareholders who assert that the provision is not enforceable or invalid. The courts of England and Wales and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York may also reach different judgments or results than would other courts, including courts where a shareholder considering an action may be located or would otherwise choose to bring the action, and such judgments may be more or less favorable to us than our shareholders.

***The price of our ADSs may be volatile, and you could lose all or part of your investment.***

The trading price of our ADSs following this offering is likely to be highly volatile and could be subject to wide fluctuations in response to various factors, some of which are beyond our control, including limited trading volume. In addition to the factors discussed in this “Risk Factors” section and elsewhere in this prospectus, these factors include:

- the results of our ongoing, planned or any future preclinical studies, clinical trials or clinical development programs;
- the commencement, enrollment, or results of clinical trials of our product candidates or any future clinical trials we may conduct, or changes in the development status of our product candidates;
- adverse results or delays in preclinical studies and clinical trials;
- our decision to initiate a clinical trial, not to initiate a clinical trial, or to terminate an existing clinical trial;
- any delay in our regulatory filings or any adverse regulatory decisions, including failure to receive regulatory approval of our product candidates;
- changes in laws or regulations applicable to our products, including but not limited to clinical trial requirements for approvals;
- adverse developments concerning our manufacturers or our manufacturing plans;

- our inability to obtain adequate product supply for any licensed product or inability to do so at acceptable prices;
- our inability to establish collaborations if needed;
- our failure to commercialize our product candidates;
- changes in the structure of healthcare payment systems;
- additions or departures of key scientific or management personnel;
- unanticipated serious safety concerns related to the use of our product candidates;
- introduction of new products or services offered by us or our competitors;
- announcements of significant acquisitions, strategic partnerships, joint ventures or capital commitments by us or our competitors;
- our ability to effectively manage our growth;
- the size and growth of our initial cancer target markets;
- our ability to successfully treat additional types of cancers or at different stages;
- actual or anticipated variations in quarterly operating results;
- our cash position;
- our failure to meet the estimates and projections of the investment community or that we may otherwise provide to the public;
- publication of research reports about us or our industry, or immunotherapy in particular, or positive or negative recommendations or withdrawal of research coverage by securities analysts;
- changes in the market valuations of similar companies;
- overall performance of the equity markets;
- sales of our ADSs by us or holders of our ADSs in the future;
- trading volume of our ADSs;
- changes in accounting practices;
- ineffectiveness of our internal controls;
- disputes or other developments relating to intellectual property or proprietary rights, including patents, litigation matters and our ability to obtain patent protection for our technologies;
- significant lawsuits, including intellectual property or shareholder litigation;
- general political and economic conditions; and
- other events or factors, many of which are beyond our control.

In addition, the stock market in general, and the market for biopharmaceutical companies in particular, have experienced extreme price and volume fluctuations that have often been unrelated or disproportionate to the operating performance of these companies. Broad market and industry factors may negatively affect the market price of our ADSs, regardless of our actual operating performance. If the market price of our ADSs after this offering does not exceed the initial public offering price, you may not realize any return on your investment in us and may lose some or all of your investment. In the past, securities class action litigation has often been instituted against companies following periods of volatility in the market price of a company's securities. This type of litigation, if instituted, could result in substantial costs and a diversion of management's attention and resources, which would harm our business, financial condition, results of operation and future prospects.

***Sales of a substantial number of securities by our existing shareholders in the public market could cause our ADS price to fall.***

If our existing shareholders sell, or indicate an intention to sell, substantial amounts of our ADSs in the public market after the lockup and other legal restrictions on resale discussed in this prospectus lapse, the trading price of our ADSs could decline. Based on the number of shares outstanding as of \_\_\_\_\_, upon the closing of this offering, we will have outstanding a total of \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares (including ordinary shares represented by ADSs) (or \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares if the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional ADSs). Of these shares, only the ADSs sold in this offering by us, plus any ADSs sold upon exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional ADSs, will be freely tradable without restriction in the public market immediately following this offering. In connection with this offering, our officers, directors and substantially all of our shareholders have agreed to be subject to a contractual lock-up with the underwriters, which will expire 180 days after the date of this prospectus. The lock-up agreements contain important exceptions that govern their applicability. Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC, Jefferies LLC and Evercore Group L.L.C., however, may, in their sole discretion, permit our officers, directors and other shareholders who are subject to these lock-up agreements to sell ordinary shares or ADSs prior to the expiration of the lock-up agreements.

In addition, ordinary shares that are either subject to outstanding options or reserved for future issuance under equity incentive plans, each to be effective upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, will become eligible for sale in the public market to the extent permitted by the provisions of various vesting schedules, the lock-up agreements and Rule 144 and Rule 701 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act. If these additional ordinary shares are sold, or if it is perceived that they will be sold, in the public market, the trading price of our ADSs could decline.

After this offering, the holders of \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares will be entitled to rights with respect to the registration of their shares under the Securities Act, subject to the 180-day lock-up agreements described above. See "Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association—Registration Rights." Registration of these shares under the Securities Act would result in such shares becoming freely tradable without restriction under the Securities Act, except for shares held by affiliates, as defined in Rule 144 under the Securities Act. Any sales of securities by these shareholders could have a material adverse effect on the trading price of our ADSs.

***We do not know whether an active, liquid and orderly trading market will develop for our ADSs or what the market price of our ADSs will be and, as a result, it may be difficult for you to sell your ADSs.***

Prior to this offering, there was no public trading market for our ADSs. Although we have applied to list our ADSs on The Nasdaq Global Market, an active trading market for our ADSs may never develop or be sustained following this offering. You may not be able to sell your ADSs quickly or at the market price if trading in shares of our ADSs is not active. The initial public offering price for our ADSs will be determined through negotiations with representatives of the underwriters, and the negotiated price may not be indicative of the market price of the ADSs after the offering. As a result of these and other factors, you may be unable to resell your ADSs at or above the initial public offering price. Further, an inactive market may also impair our ability to raise capital by selling additional ADSs and may impair our ability to enter into strategic partnerships or acquire companies or products by using our ADSs as consideration.

***If securities or industry analysts do not publish research or publish inaccurate or unfavorable research about our business, the price of our ADSs and trading volume could decline.***

The trading market for our ADSs will depend in part on the research and reports that securities or industry analysts publish about us or our business. Securities and industry analysts do not currently, and may never, publish research on our company. If no securities or industry analysts commence coverage of our company, the trading price for our ADSs would likely be negatively impacted. In the event securities or industry analysts initiate coverage, if one or more of the analysts who cover us downgrades our ADSs or publishes inaccurate or unfavorable research about our business, our ADS price may decline. If one or more of these analysts ceases

coverage of our company or fails to publish reports on us regularly, demand for our ADSs could decrease, which might cause our ADS price and trading volume to decline.

***Our principal shareholders and management own a significant percentage of our ADSs and will be able to exert significant influence over matters subject to shareholders' approval.***

Prior to this offering, our executive officers, directors, and 5% shareholders beneficially owned approximately % of our voting shares as of and assuming the sale by us of ADSs in this offering, based on an assumed initial public offering price of \$ per share, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, and not accounting for any shares purchased in this offering by certain of our existing shareholders (or their affiliates), we anticipate that same group will hold approximately % of our outstanding ordinary shares following this offering (assuming no exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional ADSs), without giving effect to any purchases that certain of these holders may make through our directed share program. Therefore, even after this offering, these shareholders will have the ability to influence us through this ownership position. These shareholders may be able to determine all matters requiring shareholder approval. For example, these shareholders may be able to control elections, re-elections and removal of directors, amendments of our articles of association, or approval of any merger, scheme of arrangement, sale of assets, or other major corporate transaction. This may prevent or discourage unsolicited acquisition proposals or offers for our ADSs that you may feel are in your best interest as a holder of our ADSs.

In addition, some of these persons or entities may have interests different than yours. For example, because many of these shareholders purchased their ordinary shares at prices substantially below the price at which ADSs are being sold in this offering and have held their ordinary shares for a longer period, they may be more interested in selling our company to an acquirer than other investors or they may want us to pursue strategies that deviate from the interests of other shareholders.

***If you purchase our ADSs in this offering, you will incur immediate and substantial dilution in the book value of your shares.***

The initial public offering price will be substantially higher than the net tangible book value per ADS. Investors purchasing ADSs in this offering will pay a price per share that substantially exceeds the book value of our tangible assets after subtracting our liabilities. As a result, investors purchasing ADSs in this offering will incur immediate dilution of \$ per ADS, based on the assumed initial public offering price of \$ per share, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus. Further, investors purchasing ADSs in this offering will contribute approximately % of the total amount invested by shareholders since our inception, but will own only approximately % of the total number of ordinary shares (including ordinary shares represented by ADSs) outstanding after this offering (or % if the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional ADSs).

This dilution is due to our investors who purchased shares prior to this offering having paid substantially less when they purchased their shares than the price offered to the public in this offering, and the exercise of share options granted to our employees. To the extent that outstanding share options or warrants are exercised, there will be further dilution to new investors. As a result of the dilution to investors purchasing ADSs in this offering, investors may receive significantly less than the purchase price paid in this offering, if anything, in the event of our liquidation. For a further description of the dilution that you will experience immediately after this offering, see the section of this prospectus entitled "Dilution."

***Future sales and issuances of our ADSs or rights to purchase ordinary shares, including pursuant to our equity incentive plans, could result in additional dilution of the percentage ownership of our shareholders and could cause the price of our ADSs to fall.***

We expect that significant additional capital may be needed in the future to continue our planned operations, including conducting clinical trials, expanded research and development activities, and costs associated with operating as a public company. To raise capital, we may sell ADSs, ordinary shares, convertible securities, or

other equity securities in one or more transactions at prices and in a manner we determine from time to time. If we sell ADSs, ordinary shares, convertible securities, or other equity securities, investors may be materially diluted by subsequent sales, and new investors could gain rights, preferences, and privileges senior to the holders of our ADSs, including ADSs sold in this offering. Pursuant to our 2021 Plan, our management is authorized to grant share options to our employees, directors, and consultants.

Initially, the aggregate number of ordinary shares that may be issued pursuant to share awards under the 2021 Plan will be \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares. The number of ordinary shares reserved for issuance under the 2021 Plan shall be cumulatively increased on January 1, 2022 and each January 1 thereafter by up to \_\_\_\_\_ % of the total number of ordinary shares outstanding on December 31 of the preceding calendar year or a lesser number of ordinary shares determined by our board of directors. Unless our board of directors elects not to increase the number of ordinary shares available for future grant each year, our shareholders may experience additional dilution, which could cause the price of our ADSs to fall.

***We have broad discretion in the use of the net proceeds from this offering and may not use them effectively.***

Our management will have broad discretion in the application of the net proceeds from this offering, including for any of the purposes described in the section entitled “Use of Proceeds,” and you will not have the opportunity as part of your investment decision to assess whether the net proceeds are being used appropriately. Because of the number and variability of factors that will determine our use of the net proceeds from this offering, their ultimate use may vary substantially from their currently intended use. Our management might not apply our net proceeds in ways that ultimately increase or maintain the value of your investment. Pending their use, we may invest the net proceeds from this offering in short-term, investment-grade, interest-bearing securities. These investments may not yield a favorable return to our shareholders.

***We do not intend to pay dividends on our ordinary shares, so any returns will be limited to the value of our ordinary shares or ADSs.***

We currently anticipate that we will retain future earnings for the development, operation, and expansion of our business and do not anticipate declaring or paying any cash dividends for the foreseeable future. In addition, we may enter into agreements that prohibit us from paying cash dividends without prior written consent from our contracting parties, or which other terms prohibiting or limiting the amount of dividends that may be declared or paid on our ADS. Furthermore, under the Companies Act, a company’s accumulated realized profits, so far as not previously utilized by distribution or capitalization, must exceed its accumulated realized losses so far as not previously written off in a reduction or reorganization of capital duly made (on a non-consolidated basis), before dividends can be paid. In the future, were our dividend policy to change, a dividend or distribution may still be restricted from being declared and paid. In addition, under the Companies Act, a public company can only affect a buyback of shares out of distributable profits or a fresh issue of shares and cannot do so out of capital. For these reasons, any return to shareholders may therefore be limited to the appreciation of their shares, which may never occur.

***After the completion of this offering, we may be at an increased risk of securities class action litigation, which is expensive and could divert management attention.***

The market price of our securities may be volatile and, in the past, companies that have experienced volatility in the market price of their stock have been subject to securities class action litigation. Historically, securities class action litigation has often been brought against a company following a decline in the market price of its securities. This risk is especially relevant for us because biotechnology and pharmaceutical companies have experienced significant share price volatility in recent years. If we were to be sued, it could result in substantial costs and a diversion of management’s attention and resources, which could harm our business.

***We will incur significant increased costs as a result of operating as a public company, and our management will be required to devote substantial time to new compliance initiatives.***

As a public company, we will incur significant legal, accounting, and other expenses that we did not incur as a private company. We will be subject to the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act, which will require, among other things, that we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), annual, quarterly, and current reports with respect to our business and financial condition. In addition, the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, as well as rules subsequently adopted by the SEC and The Nasdaq Global Market to implement provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, impose significant requirements on public companies, including requiring establishment and maintenance of effective disclosure and financial controls and changes in corporate governance practices. Further, in July 2010, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (the Dodd-Frank Act), was enacted. There are significant corporate governance and executive compensation related provisions in the Dodd-Frank Act that require the SEC to adopt additional rules and regulations in these areas, such as “say on pay” and proxy access. Recent legislation permits emerging growth companies to implement many of these requirements over a longer period and up to five years from the pricing of this offering. We intend to take advantage of this new legislation but cannot guarantee that we will not be required to implement these requirements sooner than budgeted or planned and thereby incur unexpected expenses. Shareholder activism, the current political environment, and the current high level of government intervention and regulatory reform may lead to substantial new regulations and disclosure obligations, which may lead to additional compliance costs and impact the manner in which we operate our business in ways we cannot currently anticipate.

We expect the rules and regulations applicable to public companies to substantially increase our legal and financial compliance costs and to make some activities more time-consuming and costly. If these requirements divert the attention of our management and personnel from other business concerns, they could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, and results of operations. The increased costs will decrease our net income or increase our net loss and may require us to reduce costs in other areas of our business or increase the prices of our products or services. For example, we expect these rules and regulations to make it more difficult and more expensive for us to obtain director and officer liability insurance and we may be required to incur substantial costs to maintain the same or similar coverage. We cannot predict or estimate the amount or timing of additional costs we may incur to respond to these requirements. The impact of these requirements could also make it more difficult for us to attract and retain qualified persons to serve on our board of directors, our board committees, or as executive officers.

***We have material weaknesses in our internal control systems over financial reporting and will need to hire additional personnel and design and implement proper and effective internal controls over financial reporting. We may identify additional material weaknesses in the future that may cause us to fail to meet our reporting obligations or result in material misstatements in our financial statements. If we fail to remediate our material weaknesses, we may not be able to report our financial results accurately or to prevent fraud.***

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control over financial reporting, disclosure controls, and compliance with the other requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act and the rules promulgated by the SEC thereunder. Internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements in accordance with international financial reporting standards. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over financial reporting, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected on a timely basis.

In connection with the audits of our financial statements as of December 31, 2020 and for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 and in connection with audits of our Centessa Subsidiaries as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 for the periods or years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, we identified material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting. Neither Centessa nor the Centessa Subsidiaries have a sufficient complement of personnel commensurate with the accounting and reporting requirements of a public company. The material weaknesses identified relate to inadequate controls that address

segregation of certain accounting duties and reconciliation and analysis of certain key accounts. We have concluded that these material weaknesses arose because, as a pre-revenue private company recently formed, we and Centessa Subsidiaries did not have the necessary personnel to design effective components of internal control including risk assessment control activities information/communication and monitoring to satisfy the accounting and financial reporting requirements of a public company.

Management will aim to remediate the material weaknesses described above through hiring additional qualified accounting and financial reporting personnel, and designing and implementing financial reporting systems, processes, policies and internal controls. However, we will not be able to fully remediate these material weaknesses until these steps have been completed and are functioning effectively, which may expose us to errors, losses or fraud until remediated. In addition, we cannot at this time provide an estimate of the costs we expect to incur or the expected timeline in connection with implementing our remediation plan. These remediation measures may be time-consuming and costly, and might place significant demands on our financial and operational resources. If we are unable to successfully remediate these material weaknesses or successfully supervise and rely on outside advisors with expertise in these matters to assist us in the preparation of our financial statements, our financial statements could contain material misstatements that, when discovered in the future, could cause us to fail to meet our future reporting obligations and cause the price of our ADSs to decline.

***If we fail to develop or maintain an effective system of disclosure controls and internal control over financial reporting, our ability to produce timely and accurate financial statements or comply with applicable regulations could be impaired.***

As a public company, we will be required to develop and maintain internal control over financial reporting and to report any material weaknesses in such internal controls. The Sarbanes-Oxley Act, requires that we evaluate and determine the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting and, beginning with our second annual report following our IPO, provide a management report on internal control over financial reporting. In addition, once we are no longer an emerging growth company, we will be required to include an attestation report on internal control over financial reporting issued by our independent registered public accounting firm.

Any failure to develop or maintain effective controls, or any difficulties encountered in their implementation or improvement, could harm our results of operations, cause us to fail to meet our reporting obligations, result in a restatement of our financial statements for prior periods, or adversely affect the results of management evaluations and independent registered public accounting firm audits of our internal control over financial reporting that we will eventually be required to include in our periodic reports that will be filed with the SEC. In addition, to the extent we acquire or establish additional consolidated subsidiaries, the financial statements of such entities may not be initially prepared by us, and we will not have direct control over their financial statement preparation. As a result, we will, for our financial reporting, depend on what these entities report to us, which could result in our adding monitoring and audit processes, and increase the difficulty of implementing and maintaining adequate controls over our financial processes and reporting in the future, which could lead to delays in our external reporting. In particular, this may occur where we are establishing such entities with partners that do not have sophisticated financial accounting processes in place, or where we are entering into new relationships at a rapid pace, straining our integration capacity. Additionally, if we do not receive the information from the consolidated subsidiaries on a timely basis, it could cause delays in our external reporting. Ineffective disclosure controls and procedures and internal controls over financial reporting could also cause investors to lose confidence in our reported financial and other information, which would likely have a negative effect on the trading price of our ADSs.

In preparation for this offering, we have relied upon and, in the future we expect to continue to rely upon third-party contracted service providers to assist with our financial reporting. We are in the process of designing and implementing internal controls over financial reporting required to comply with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. This process will be time consuming, costly, and complicated. If we are unable to assert that our internal control over financial reporting is effective or when required in the future, if our independent registered public accounting



firm issues an adverse opinion on the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting, investors may lose confidence in the accuracy and completeness of our financial reports, the market price of our ADSs could be adversely affected and we could become subject to investigations by the stock exchange on which our securities are listed, the SEC, or other regulatory authorities, which could require additional financial and management resources.

***Our business and operations in the UK and EU may be negatively impacted by the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the EU, which could adversely affect the price of our ADSs.***

On June 23, 2016, the UK held a referendum in which a majority of voters approved an exit from the EU (Brexit). After nearly three years of negotiation and political and economic uncertainty, the UK's withdrawal from the EU became effective on January 31, 2020. There was a transitional period, during which EU laws, including pharmaceutical laws, continued to apply in the UK, however this ended on December 31, 2020. The UK and EU have signed a EU-UK trade and cooperation agreement (EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement), which became provisionally applicable on January 1, 2021 and will become formally applicable once ratified by both the UK and the EU. This agreement provides details on how some aspects of the UK and EU's relationship regarding medicinal products will operate, particularly in relation to Good Manufacturing Practice, however there are still many uncertainties. Many of the regulations that now apply in the UK following the transition period (including financial laws and regulations, tax, intellectual property rights, data protection laws, supply chain logistics, environmental, health and safety laws and regulations, medicine approval and regulations, immigration laws and employment laws), will likely be amended in future as the UK determines its new approach, which may result in significant divergence from EU regulations. This lack of clarity on future UK laws and regulations and their interaction with the EU laws and regulations increases our regulatory burden of operating in and doing business with both the UK and the EU.

The long-term effects of Brexit will depend in part on how the EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement, and any future agreements signed by the UK and the EU, take effect in practice. Such a withdrawal from the EU is unprecedented, and it is unclear how the restrictions on the UK's access to the European single market for goods, capital, services and labor within the EU and the wider commercial, legal and regulatory environment, could impact our current and future operations and clinical activities in the UK.

We may also face new regulatory costs and challenges that could have an adverse effect on our operations as a result of Brexit. Since the regulatory framework in the UK covering quality, safety and efficacy of medicinal products, clinical trials, marketing authorization, commercial sales and distribution of medicinal products is derived from EU directives and regulations, Brexit could materially impact the future regulatory regime with respect to the approval of any of our future product candidates in the UK. For instance, the UK will now no longer be covered by the centralized procedure for obtaining EEA-wide marketing and manufacturing authorizations from the EMA for medicinal products and a separate process for authorization of drug products will be required in the UK. For a period of two years from 1 January 2021, the MHRA may rely on a decision taken by the European Commission on the approval of a new marketing authorization in the centralized procedure, in order to more quickly grant a UK marketing authorization, however a separate application will still be required. Any delay in obtaining, or an inability to obtain, any regulatory approvals, as a result of Brexit or otherwise, would delay or prevent us from commercializing our current or future product candidates in the UK and could restrict our ability to generate revenue from that market.

We expect that, now the transition period has expired, Brexit could lead to legal uncertainty and potentially divergent national laws and regulations as the UK determines which EU laws to replicate or replace, including those related to the regulation of medicinal products. Any of these effects of Brexit, and others we cannot anticipate, could negatively impact our business and results of operations in the UK.

The uncertainty concerning the UK's legal, political and economic relationship with the EU following Brexit may also be a source of instability in the international markets, create significant currency fluctuations, and/or otherwise adversely affect trading agreements or similar cross-border co-operation arrangements (whether economic, tax, fiscal, legal, regulatory or otherwise).

***Holders of ADSs are not treated as holders of our ordinary shares.***

By participating in this offering you will become a holder of ADSs with underlying ordinary shares in a company incorporated under English law. Holders of ADSs are not treated as holders of our ordinary shares, unless they withdraw the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs in accordance with the deposit agreement and applicable laws and regulations. The depositary is the holder of the ordinary shares underlying the ADSs. Holders of ADSs therefore do not have any rights as holders of our ordinary shares, other than the rights that they have pursuant to the deposit agreement. See “Description of American Depositary Shares.”

***Holders of ADSs may be subject to limitations on the transfer of their ADSs and the withdrawal of the underlying ordinary shares.***

ADSs are transferable on the books of the depositary. However, the depositary may close its books at any time or from time to time when it deems expedient in connection with the performance of its duties. The depositary may refuse to deliver, transfer or register transfers of ADSs generally when our books or the books of the depositary are closed, or at any time if we or the depositary think it is advisable to do so because of any requirement of law, government or governmental body, or under any provision of the deposit agreement, or for any other reason, subject to the right of ADS holders to cancel their ADSs and withdraw the underlying ordinary shares. Temporary delays in the cancellation of your ADSs and withdrawal of the underlying ordinary shares may arise because the depositary has closed its transfer books or we have closed our transfer books, the transfer of ordinary shares is blocked to permit voting at a shareholders’ meeting or we are paying a dividend on our ordinary shares. In addition, ADS holders may not be able to cancel their ADSs and withdraw the underlying ordinary shares when they owe money for fees, taxes and similar charges and when it is necessary to prohibit withdrawals in order to comply with any laws or governmental regulations that apply to ADSs or to the withdrawal of ordinary shares or other deposited securities. See “Description of American Depositary Shares.”

***We are entitled to amend the deposit agreement and to change the rights of ADS holders under the terms of such agreement, or to terminate the deposit agreement, without the prior consent of the ADS holders.***

We are entitled to amend the deposit agreement and to change the rights of the ADS holders under the terms of such agreement, without the prior consent of the ADS holders. We and the depositary may agree to amend the deposit agreement in any way we decide is necessary or advantageous to us or to the depositary. Amendments may reflect, among other things, operational changes in the ADS program, legal developments affecting ADSs or changes in the terms of our business relationship with the depositary. In the event that the terms of an amendment are materially disadvantageous to ADS holders, ADS holders will only receive 30 days’ advance notice of the amendment, and no prior consent of the ADS holders is required under the deposit agreement. Furthermore, we may decide to direct the depositary to terminate the ADS facility at any time for any reason. For example, terminations may occur when we decide to list our ordinary shares on a non-U.S. securities exchange and determine not to continue to sponsor an ADS facility or when we become the subject of a takeover or a going-private transaction. If the ADS facility will terminate, ADS holders will receive at least 30 days’ prior notice, but no prior consent is required from them. Under the circumstances that we decide to make an amendment to the deposit agreement that is disadvantageous to ADS holders or terminate the deposit agreement, the ADS holders may choose to sell their ADSs or surrender their ADSs and become direct holders of the underlying ordinary shares, but will have no right to any compensation whatsoever.

***ADS holders may not be entitled to a jury trial with respect to claims arising under the deposit agreement, which could result in less favorable outcomes to the plaintiff(s) in any such action.***

The deposit agreement governing the ADSs representing our ordinary shares provides that, to the fullest extent permitted by law, holders and beneficial owners of ADSs irrevocably waive the right to a jury trial of any claim they may have against us or the depositary arising out of or relating to the ADSs or the deposit agreement.

If this jury trial waiver provision is not permitted by applicable law, an action could proceed under the terms of the deposit agreement with a jury trial. If we or the depository opposed a jury trial demand based on the waiver, the court would determine whether the waiver was enforceable based on the facts and circumstances of that case in accordance with the applicable state and federal law. To our knowledge, the enforceability of a contractual pre-dispute jury trial waiver in connection with claims arising under the federal securities laws has not been finally adjudicated by the United States Supreme Court. However, we believe that a contractual pre-dispute jury trial waiver provision is generally enforceable, including under the laws of the State of New York, which govern the deposit agreement, by a federal or state court in the City of New York, which has non-exclusive jurisdiction over matters arising under the deposit agreement. In determining whether to enforce a contractual pre-dispute jury trial waiver provision, courts will generally consider whether a party knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily waived the right to a jury trial. We believe that this is the case with respect to the deposit agreement and the ADSs. It is advisable that you consult legal counsel regarding the jury waiver provision before entering into the deposit agreement.

If you or any other holders or beneficial owners of ADSs bring a claim against us or the depository in connection with matters arising under the deposit agreement or the ADSs, including claims under federal securities laws, you or such other holder or beneficial owner may not be entitled to a jury trial with respect to such claims, which may have the effect of limiting and discouraging lawsuits against us and/or the depository. If a lawsuit is brought against us and/or the depository under the deposit agreement, it may be heard only by a judge or justice of the applicable trial court, which would be conducted according to different civil procedures and may result in different outcomes than a trial by jury would have had, including results that could be less favorable to the plaintiff(s) in any such action, depending on, among other things, the nature of the claims, the judge or justice hearing such claims, and the venue of the hearing.

No condition, stipulation or provision of the deposit agreement or ADSs serves as a waiver by any holder or beneficial owner of ADSs or by us or the depository of compliance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

Moreover, as the jury trial waiver relates to claims arising out of or relating to the ADSs or the deposit agreement, we believe that, as a matter of construction of the clause, the waiver would likely to continue to apply to ADS holders who withdraw the ordinary shares from the ADS facility with respect to claims arising before the cancellation of the ADSs and the withdrawal of the ordinary shares, and the waiver would most likely not apply to ADS holders who subsequently withdraw the ordinary shares represented by ADSs from the ADS facility with respect to claims arising after the withdrawal. However, to our knowledge, there has been no caselaw on the applicability of the jury trial waiver to ADS holders who withdraw the ordinary shares represented by the ADSs from the ADS facility.

***You will not have the same voting rights as the holders of our ordinary shares and may not receive voting materials in time to be able to exercise your right to vote.***

Except as described in this prospectus and the deposit agreement, holders of the ADSs will not be able to exercise voting rights attaching to the ordinary shares represented by the ADSs. Under the terms of the deposit agreement, holders of the ADSs may instruct the depository to vote the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs. Otherwise, holders of ADSs will not be able to exercise their right to vote unless they withdraw the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs to vote them in person or by proxy in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and our articles of association. Even so, ADS holders may not know about a meeting far enough in advance to withdraw those ordinary shares. If we ask for the instructions of holders of the ADSs, the depository, upon timely notice from us, will notify ADS holders of the upcoming vote and arrange to deliver our voting materials to them. Upon our request, the depository will mail to holders a shareholder meeting notice that contains, among other things, a statement as to the manner in which voting instructions may be given. We cannot guarantee that ADS holders will receive the voting materials in time to ensure that they can instruct the depository to vote the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs. A shareholder is only entitled to participate in, and vote at, the meeting of shareholders, provided that it holds our ordinary shares as of the record date set for such

meeting and otherwise complies with our articles of association. In addition, the depositary's liability to ADS holders for failing to execute voting instructions or for the manner of executing voting instructions is limited by the deposit agreement. As a result, holders of ADSs may not be able to exercise their right to give voting instructions or to vote in person or by proxy and they may not have any recourse against the depositary or us if their ordinary shares are not voted as they have requested or if their shares cannot be voted.

***You may not receive distributions on our ordinary shares represented by the ADSs or any value for them if it is illegal or impractical to make them available to holders of ADSs.***

The depositary for the ADSs has agreed to pay to you the cash dividends or other distributions it or the custodian receives on our ordinary shares or other deposited securities after deducting its fees and expenses. You will receive these distributions in proportion to the number of our ordinary shares your ADSs represent. However, in accordance with the limitations set forth in the deposit agreement, it may be unlawful or impractical to make a distribution available to holders of ADSs. We have no obligation to take any other action to permit distribution on the ADSs, ordinary shares, rights or anything else to holders of the ADSs. This means that you may not receive the distributions we make on our ordinary shares or any value from them if it is unlawful or impractical to make them available to you. These restrictions may have an adverse effect on the value of your ADSs.

***Claims of U.S. civil liabilities may not be enforceable against us.***

We are incorporated under English law and have our registered office in England. Certain members of our board of directors and senior management are non-residents of the United States, and all or a substantial portion of our assets and the assets of such persons are located outside the United States. As a result, it may not be possible to serve process on such persons or us in the United States or to enforce judgments obtained in U.S. courts against them or us based on civil liability provisions of the securities laws of the United States.

The United States and England and Wales do not currently have a treaty providing for recognition and enforcement of judgments (other than arbitration awards) in civil and commercial matters. Consequently, a final judgment for payment given by a court in the United States, whether or not predicated solely upon U.S. securities laws, would not automatically be recognized or enforceable in England and Wales. In addition, uncertainty exists as to whether the courts of England and Wales would entertain original actions brought in England and Wales against us or our directors or senior management predicated upon the securities laws of the United States or any state in the United States. Any final and conclusive monetary judgment for a definite sum obtained against us in U.S. courts would be treated by the courts of England and Wales as a cause of action in itself and sued upon as a debt at common law so that no retrial of the issues would be necessary, provided that certain requirements are met. Whether these requirements are met in respect of a judgment based upon the civil liability provisions of the U.S. securities laws, including whether the award of monetary damages under such laws would constitute a penalty, is an issue for the court making such decision. If the courts of England and Wales give judgment for the sum payable under a U.S. judgment, the judgment of the English and Welsh court will be enforceable by methods generally available for this purpose. These methods generally permit the courts of England and Wales discretion to prescribe the manner of enforcement.

As a result, U.S. investors may not be able to enforce against us or our senior management, board of directors or certain experts named herein who are residents of England and Wales or countries other than the United States any judgments obtained in U.S. courts in civil and commercial matters, including judgments under the U.S. federal securities laws.

***Your right to participate in any future rights offerings may be limited, which may cause dilution to your holdings.***

We may from time to time distribute rights to our shareholders, including rights to acquire our securities. However, we cannot make rights available to you in the United States unless we register the rights and the securities to which the rights relate under the Securities Act or an exemption from the registration requirements is

available. Also, under the deposit agreement, the depositary bank will not make rights available to you unless either both the rights and any related securities are registered under the Securities Act, or the distribution of them to ADS holders is exempted from registration under the Securities Act. We are under no obligation to file a registration statement with respect to any such rights or securities or to endeavor to cause such a registration statement to be declared effective. Moreover, we may not be able to establish an exemption from registration under the Securities Act. If the depositary does not distribute the rights, it may, under the deposit agreement, either sell them, if possible, or allow them to lapse. Accordingly, you may be unable to participate in our rights offerings and may experience dilution in your holdings.

***If we are a controlled foreign corporation, there could be material adverse U.S. federal income tax consequences to certain U.S. Holders.***

Each “Ten Percent Shareholder” (as defined below) in a non-U.S. corporation that is classified as a “controlled foreign corporation,” or a CFC, for U.S. federal income tax purposes generally is required to include in income for U.S. federal tax purposes such Ten Percent Shareholder’s pro rata share of the CFC’s “Subpart F income” and investment of earnings in U.S. property, even if the CFC has made no distributions to its shareholders. Subpart F income generally includes dividends, interest, rents, royalties, “global intangible low-taxed income,” gains from the sale of securities and income from certain transactions with related parties. In addition, a Ten Percent Shareholder that realizes gain from the sale or exchange of shares in a CFC may be required to classify a portion of such gain as dividend income rather than capital gain. A non-U.S. corporation generally will be classified as a CFC for U.S. federal income tax purposes if Ten Percent Shareholders own, directly or indirectly, more than 50% of either the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of such corporation entitled to vote or of the total value of the stock of such corporation. A “Ten Percent Shareholder” is a United States person (as defined by the Code) who owns or is considered to own 10% or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock entitled to vote or 10% or more of the total value of all classes of stock of such corporation.

We do not expect to be a CFC in the current taxable year; however, it is possible that we may become a CFC in a subsequent taxable year. The determination of CFC status is complex and includes attribution rules, the application of which is not certain. In addition, as a result of recent changes made to the attribution rules in the Code, the stock of our non-U.S. subsidiaries is attributed to our U.S. subsidiary, which results in our non-U.S. subsidiaries being treated as CFCs and could result in certain United States persons being treated as Ten Percent Shareholders of such non-U.S. subsidiary CFCs. We cannot provide any assurances that we will assist holders of our ordinary shares or ADSs in determining whether we are treated as a CFC or whether any holder of ordinary shares or ADSs is treated as a Ten Percent Shareholder with respect to any such CFC or furnish to any Ten Percent Shareholders information that may be necessary to comply with the aforementioned reporting and tax paying obligations.

U.S. Holders should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the potential material adverse U.S. tax consequences of becoming a Ten Percent Shareholder in a CFC, including the possibility and consequences of becoming a Ten Percent Shareholder in our non-U.S. subsidiaries that are treated as CFCs due to the changes to the attribution rules. If we are classified as both a CFC and a PFIC (as defined below), we generally will not be treated as a PFIC with respect to those U.S. Holders that meet the definition of a Ten Percent Shareholder during the period in which we are a CFC.

***If we are a passive foreign investment company (PFIC), there could be material adverse U.S. federal income tax consequences to U.S. holders.***

Under the Code, we will be a PFIC, for any taxable year in which (1) 75% or more of our gross income consists of passive income or (2) 50% or more of the average quarterly value of our assets consists of assets that produce, or are held for the production of, passive income. For purposes of these tests, passive income includes dividends, interest, gains from the sale or exchange of investment property and certain rents and royalties. In addition, for purposes of the

above calculations, a non-U.S. corporation that directly or indirectly owns at least 25% by value of the shares of another corporation is treated as holding and receiving directly its proportionate share of assets and income of such corporation. If we are a PFIC for any taxable year during which a U.S. Holder holds our ordinary shares or ADSs, the U.S. Holder may be subject to material adverse tax consequences regardless of whether we continue to qualify as a PFIC, including ineligibility for any preferred tax rates on capital gains or on actual or deemed dividends, interest charges on certain taxes treated as deferred and additional reporting requirements.

It is uncertain whether we or any of our Centessa Subsidiaries will be treated as a PFIC for U.S. federal income tax purposes for the current or any subsequent tax year. The determination of whether we are a PFIC is a fact-intensive determination made on an annual basis applying principles and methodologies that in some circumstances are unclear and subject to varying interpretation. The value of our assets would also be determined differently for the purposes of this determination if we were treated as a CFC, as discussed above. Under the income test described above, our status as a PFIC depends on the composition of our income which will depend on the transactions we enter into in the future and our corporate structure. The composition of our income and assets is also affected by the spending of the cash we raise in any offering, including this offering. Because PFIC status is based on our income, assets, and activities for the entire taxable year, we have not yet made any determination as to our expected PFIC status for the current taxable year and our PFIC status may change from year to year. However, our operations currently generate very limited amounts of non-passive income. Until we generate sufficient revenue from active licensing and other non-passive sources, there is a risk that we will be a PFIC under the PFIC income test.

In certain circumstances, a U.S. Holder of shares in a PFIC may alleviate some of the adverse tax consequences described above by making either a “qualified electing fund,” or QEF, election or a mark-to-market election (if our ordinary shares or ADSs constitute “marketable” securities under the Code). However, a U.S. Holder may make a QEF election with respect to our ordinary shares or ADSs only if we agree to furnish such U.S. Holder annually with required information. If we determine that we are a PFIC for this taxable year or any future taxable year, we currently expect that we would make available the information necessary for U.S. Holders to make a QEF Election. However, there is also no assurance that we will have timely knowledge of our status as a PFIC in the future or of the required information to be provided.

For further discussion of the PFIC rules and the adverse U.S. federal income tax consequences in the event we are classified as a PFIC, see the section of this prospectus entitled “Material Income Tax Considerations — Material United States Federal Income Considerations for U.S. Holders.” U.S. Holders should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the potential material adverse U.S. tax consequences if we or any of our Centessa Subsidiaries are or were to become a PFIC.

***Future changes to tax laws could materially adversely affect our company and reduce net returns to our shareholders.***

We conduct business globally. The tax treatment of the company or any of the group companies is subject to changes in tax laws, regulations and treaties, or the interpretation thereof, tax policy initiatives and reforms under consideration and the practices of tax authorities in jurisdictions in which we operate, as well as international tax policy initiatives and reforms including those related to the Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development’s (OECD), Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS), Project, the European Commission’s state aid investigations and other initiatives. Such changes may include (but are not limited to) the taxation of operating income, investment income, dividends received or (in the specific context of withholding tax) dividends paid.

We are unable to predict what tax reform may be proposed or enacted in the future or what effect such changes would have on our business, but such changes, to the extent they are brought into tax legislation, regulations, policies or practices, could affect our financial position, future results of operations, cash flows in a particular period and overall or effective tax rates in the future in countries where we have operations, reduce post-tax returns to our shareholders, and increase the complexity, burden and cost of tax compliance.

***Tax authorities may disagree with our positions and conclusions regarding certain tax positions, resulting in unanticipated costs, taxes or non-realization of expected benefits.***

We operate through various Centessa Subsidiaries in a number of countries throughout the world. Consequently, we are subject to tax laws, treaties, and regulations in the countries in which we operate, and these laws and treaties are subject to interpretation. We have taken, and will continue to take, tax positions based on our interpretation of such tax laws. A tax authority may disagree with tax positions that we have taken, which could result in increased tax liabilities. For example, HM Revenue & Customs (HMRC), the Internal Revenue Service or another tax authority could challenge our allocation of income by tax jurisdiction and the amounts paid between our affiliated companies pursuant to our intercompany arrangements and transfer pricing policies, including amounts paid with respect to our intellectual property development. There can be no assurance that a taxing authority will not have a different interpretation of applicable law and assess us with additional taxes. Similarly, a tax authority could assert that we are subject to tax in a jurisdiction where we believe we have not established a taxable connection, often referred to as a “permanent establishment” under international tax treaties, and such an assertion, if successful, could increase our expected tax liability in one or more jurisdictions. If we are assessed with additional taxes, this may result in a material adverse effect on our results of operations and/or financial condition.

A tax authority may take the position that material income tax liabilities, interest and penalties are payable by us, for example where there has been a technical violation of contradictory laws and regulations that are relatively new and have not been subject to extensive review or interpretation, in which case, we expect that we might contest such assessment. Contesting such an assessment may be lengthy and costly and if we were unsuccessful in disputing the assessment, the implications could increase our anticipated effective tax rate, where applicable, or result in other liabilities.

As described further in the section titled, “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration” in January 2021 the shareholders of each of our operating subsidiaries exchanged their shares in those subsidiaries for ordinary shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited. The exchanges of shares in our operating subsidiaries that were incorporated in the United Kingdom gave rise to a liability to United Kingdom stamp duty at the rate of 0.5% of the value of the ordinary shares issued by Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to each of the former shareholders. The stamp duty was calculated and paid on the basis that the ordinary shares so issued would in effect have the same value as the shares of the operating subsidiary shares exchanged for those ordinary shares in each case. As of the date hereof, HM Revenue & Customs have not issued acknowledgment of acceptance of the amount of stamp duty paid and confirmation that Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited can, accordingly, be entered in the registers of members of each of the relevant operating subsidiaries as the registered holder of title to all of the issued shares of those operating subsidiaries. In principle, HM Revenue & Customs could raise enquiries into the basis of calculation of the amount of stamp duty paid and seek to assert that a greater value should have been ascribed to some or all of the ordinary shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited issued as consideration for the transfers of the relevant operating subsidiaries. In the event of such an assertion being sustained, we would incur a liability to additional United Kingdom stamp duty equating to 0.5% of any additional value ascribed to the ordinary shares issued by Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited in respect of the exchanges.

***We may be unable to use U.K. net operating loss and tax credit carryforwards and certain built-in losses to reduce future tax payments or benefit from favorable U.K. tax legislation.***

As a U.K. incorporated and tax resident entity, we are subject to U.K. corporate taxation on tax-adjusted trading profits. Due to the nature of our business, we have generated losses since inception and have not paid any U.K. corporation tax. We therefore have accumulated carryforward tax losses. Subject to numerous utilization criteria and restrictions (including those that limit the percentage of profits that can be reduced by carried forward losses and those that can restrict the use of carried forward losses where there is a change of ownership of more than half the ordinary shares of the Company and a major change in the nature, conduct or scale of the trade), we expect these to be eligible for carry forward and utilization against future operating profits. The use of loss

carryforwards in relation to U.K. profits incurred on or after April 1, 2017 is generally limited each year to £5.0 million plus an incremental 50% of U.K. taxable profits. In addition, if we were to have a major change in the nature of the conduct of our trade, loss carryforwards may be restricted or extinguished.

As a company that carries out extensive research and development activities, we seek to benefit from two U.K. research and development tax relief programs, the Small and Medium-sized Enterprises R&D Tax Credit Program (SME Program), and the Research and Development Expenditure Credit program (RDEC Program). Where available, we may be able to surrender the trading losses that arise from our qualifying research and development activities for cash or carried forward for potential offset against future profits (subject to relevant restrictions). The majority of our pipeline research, clinical trials management and manufacturing development activities are eligible for inclusion within these tax credit cash rebate claims. Our eligibility to claim payable research and development tax credits may be limited or eliminated because we may no longer qualify as a small or medium-sized company. Proposed changes to the SME Program are scheduled to begin from April 2021 and will cap the available claim under the SME Program to a multiple of payroll taxes (broadly, to a maximum payable credit equal to £20,000 plus three times the total PAYE and NICs liability of the company). This cap may limit the value we can claim. We may benefit in the future from the United Kingdom's "patent box" regime, which allows certain profits attributable to revenues from patented products (and other qualifying income) to be taxed at an effective rate of 10%. We are the exclusive licensee or owner of several patent applications which, if issued, would cover our product candidates, and accordingly, future upfront fees, milestone fees, product revenues and royalties could be taxed at this tax rate. When taken in combination with the enhanced relief available on our research and development expenditures, we expect a long-term lower rate of corporation tax to apply to us. If, however, there are unexpected adverse changes to the U.K. research and development tax credit regime or the "patent box" regime, or for any reason we are unable to qualify for such advantageous tax legislation, or we are unable to use net operating loss and tax credit carryforwards and certain built-in losses to reduce future tax payments then our business, results of operations and financial condition may be adversely affected.]

***Shareholder protections found in provisions under the UK City Code on Takeovers and Mergers, or the Takeover Code, will not apply if our place of central management and control remains outside of the United Kingdom (or the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man).***

We believe that, as of the date of this prospectus, our place of central management and control is not in the United Kingdom (or the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man) for the purposes of the jurisdictional criteria of the Takeover Code. Accordingly, we believe that we are not currently subject to the Takeover Code and, as a result, our shareholders are not currently entitled to the benefit of certain takeover offer protections provided under the Takeover Code, including the rules regarding mandatory takeover bids.

In the event that this changes, or if the interpretation and application of the Takeover Code by the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (Takeover Panel), changes (including changes to the way in which the Takeover Panel assesses the application of the Takeover Code to English companies whose shares are listed outside of the United Kingdom), the Takeover Code may apply to us in the future.

The Takeover Code provides a framework within which takeovers of companies which are subject to the Takeover Code are regulated and conducted. The following is a brief summary of some of the most important rules of the Takeover Code:

- in connection with a potential offer, if following an approach by or on behalf of a potential bidder, the company is "the subject of rumor or speculation" or there is an "untoward movement" in the company's share price, there is a requirement for the potential bidder to make a public announcement about a potential offer for the company, or for the company to make a public announcement about its review of a potential offer



- when any person, or group of persons acting in concert, acquires, whether by a series of transactions over a period of time or not, an interest in shares which (taken together with shares already held by that person and an interest in shares held or acquired by persons acting in concert with him or her) carry 30% or more of the voting rights of a company that is subject to the Takeover Code, that person is generally required to make a mandatory offer to all the holders of any class of equity share capital or other class of transferable securities carrying voting rights in that company to acquire the balance of their interests in the company;
- when any person who, together with persons acting in concert with him or her, is interested in shares representing not less than 30% but does not hold more than 50% of the voting rights of a company that is subject to the Takeover Code, and such person, or any person acting in concert with him or her, acquires an additional interest in shares which increases the percentage of shares carrying voting rights in which he or she is interested, then such person is generally required to make a mandatory offer to all the holders of any class of equity share capital or other class of transferable securities carrying voting rights of that company to acquire the balance of their interests in the company;
- a mandatory offer triggered in the circumstances described in the two paragraphs above must be in cash (or be accompanied by a cash alternative) and at not less than the highest price paid within the preceding 12 months to acquire any interest in shares in the company by the person required to make the offer or any person acting in concert with him or her;
- in relation to a voluntary offer (i.e. any offer which is not a mandatory offer), when interests in shares representing 10% or more of the shares of a class have been acquired for cash by an offeror (i.e., a bidder) and any person acting in concert with it in the offer period and the previous 12 months, the offer must be in cash or include a cash alternative for all shareholders of that class at not less than the highest price paid for any interest in shares of that class by the offeror and by any person acting in concert with it in that period. Further, if an offeror, or any person acting in concert with them, acquires for cash any interest in shares during the offer period, a cash alternative must be made available at not less than the highest price paid for any interest in the shares of that class;
- if, after making an offer for a company, the offeror or any person acting in concert with them acquires an interest in shares in an offeree company (i.e., a target) at a price higher than the value of the offer, the offer must be increased to not less than the highest price paid for the interest in shares so acquired;
- the offeree company must appoint a competent independent adviser whose advice on the financial terms of the offer must be made known to all the shareholders, together with the opinion of the board of directors of the offeree company;
- special or favorable deals for selected shareholders are not permitted, except in certain circumstances where independent shareholder approval is given and the arrangements are regarded as fair and reasonable in the opinion of the financial adviser to the offeree;
- all shareholders must be given the same information;
- each document published in connection with an offer by or on behalf of the offeror or offeree must state that the directors of the offeror or the offeree, as the case may be, accept responsibility for the information contained therein;
- profit forecasts, quantified financial benefits statements and asset valuations must be made to specified standards and must be reported on by professional advisers;
- misleading, inaccurate or unsubstantiated statements made in documents or to the media must be publicly corrected immediately;
- actions during the course of an offer by the offeree company, which might frustrate the offer are generally prohibited unless shareholders approve these plans. Frustrating actions would include, for example, lengthening the notice period for directors under their service contract or agreeing to sell off material parts of the target group;

- stringent requirements are laid down for the disclosure of dealings in relevant securities during an offer, including the prompt disclosure of positions and dealing in relevant securities by the parties to an offer and any person who is interested (directly or indirectly) in 1% or more of any class of relevant securities; and
- employees of both the offeror and the offeree company and the trustees of the offeree company's pension scheme must be informed about an offer. In addition, the offeree company's employee representatives and pension scheme trustees have the right to have a separate opinion on the effects of the offer on employment appended to the offeree board of directors' circular or published on a website.

***The rights of our shareholders may differ from the rights typically offered to shareholders of a U.S. corporation.***

We are incorporated under the laws of England and Wales. The rights of holders of ordinary shares and, therefore, certain of the rights of holders of ADS, are governed by English law, including the provisions of the Companies Act, and by our articles of association. These rights differ in certain respects from the rights of shareholders in typical U.S. corporations. See "Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association — Differences in Corporate Law" in this prospectus for a description of the principal differences between the provisions of the Companies Act applicable to us and, for example, the Delaware General Corporation Law relating to shareholders' rights and protections.

The principal differences include the following:

- under English law and our articles of association, each shareholder present at a meeting has only one vote unless demand is made for a vote on a poll, in which case each holder gets one vote per share owned. Under U.S. law, each shareholder typically is entitled to one vote per share at all meetings;
- under English law, it is only on a poll that the number of shares determines the number of votes a holder may cast. You should be aware, however, that the voting rights of ADS are also governed by the provisions of a deposit agreement with our depositary bank;
- under English law, subject to certain exceptions and disapplications, each shareholder generally has preemptive rights to subscribe on a proportionate basis to any issuance of ordinary shares or rights to subscribe for, or to convert securities into, ordinary shares for cash. Under U.S. law, shareholders generally do not have preemptive rights unless specifically granted in the certificate of incorporation or otherwise;
- under English law and our articles of association, certain matters require the approval of 75% of the shareholders who vote (in person or by proxy) on the relevant resolution (or on a poll of shareholders representing 75% of the ordinary shares voting (in person or by proxy)), including amendments to the articles of association. This may make it more difficult for us to complete corporate transactions deemed advisable by our board of directors. Under U.S. law, generally only majority shareholder approval is required to amend the certificate of incorporation or to approve other significant transactions;
- in the United Kingdom, takeovers may be structured as takeover offers or as schemes of arrangement. Under English law, a bidder seeking to acquire us by means of a takeover offer would need to make an offer for all of our outstanding ordinary shares/ADS. If acceptances are not received for 90% or more of the ordinary shares/ADS under the offer, under English law, the bidder cannot complete a "squeeze out" to obtain 100% control of us. Accordingly, acceptances of 90% of our outstanding ordinary shares/ADSs will likely be a condition in any takeover offer to acquire us, not 50% as is more common in tender offers for corporations organized under Delaware law. By contrast, a scheme of arrangement, the successful completion of which would result in a bidder obtaining 100% control of us, requires the approval of a majority of shareholders voting at the meeting and representing 75% of the ordinary shares voting for approval; and

- under English law and our articles of association, shareholders and other persons whom we know or have reasonable cause to believe are, or have been, interested in our shares may be required to disclose information regarding their interests in our shares upon our request, and the failure to provide the required information could result in the loss or restriction of rights attaching to the shares, including prohibitions on certain transfers of the shares, withholding of dividends and loss of voting rights. Comparable provisions generally do not exist under U.S. law.

***As an English public limited company, certain capital structure decisions will require shareholder approval, which may limit our flexibility to manage our capital structure.***

English law provides that a board of directors may only allot shares (or grant rights to subscribe for or to convert any security into shares) with the prior authorization of shareholders, either pursuant to an ordinary resolution or as set out in the articles of association. This authorization must state the aggregate nominal amount of shares that it covers, can be valid up to a maximum period of five years and can be varied, renewed or revoked by shareholders. Such authority from our shareholders to allot additional shares for a period of five years from 2021 was included in the ordinary resolution passed by our shareholders on [redacted], 2021, which authorization will need to be renewed upon expiration (i.e., at least every five years) but may be sought more frequently for additional five- year terms (or any shorter period).

English law also generally provides shareholders with preemptive rights when new shares are issued for cash. However, it is possible for the articles of association, or for shareholders to pass a special resolution at a general meeting, being a resolution passed by at least 75% of the votes cast, to disapply preemptive rights. Such a disapplication of preemptive rights may be for a maximum period of up to five years from the date of adoption of the articles of association, if the disapplication is contained in the articles of association, but not longer than the duration of the authority to allot shares to which this disapplication relates or from the date of the shareholder special resolution, if the disapplication is by shareholder special resolution. In either case, this disapplication would need to be renewed by our shareholders upon its expiration (i.e., at least every five years). Such authority from our shareholders to disapply preemptive rights for a period of five years was included in the special resolution passed by our shareholders on [redacted], 2021, which disapplication will need to be renewed upon expiration (i.e., at least every five years) to remain effective, but may be sought more frequently for additional five-year terms (or any shorter period).

English law also generally prohibits a public company from repurchasing its own shares without the prior approval of its shareholders by ordinary resolution, being a resolution passed by a simple majority of votes cast, and other formalities. Such approval may be provided for a maximum period of up to five years. In addition, a public company can only affect a buyback of shares out of distributable profits or a fresh issue of shares and cannot do so out of capital.

**SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This prospectus, including the sections titled “Prospectus Summary,” “Risk Factors,” “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited,” “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities” and “Business,” contains forward-looking statements that are based on our management’s views, beliefs, intentions, expectations and assumptions based on information currently available to our management. Although we believe that the beliefs, intentions and expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable, these statements relate to future events or our future financial performance, and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause our actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terminology such as “may,” “will,” “should,” “expects,” “intends,” “plans,” “anticipates,” “believes,” “estimates,” “predicts,” “potential,” “continue” or the negative of these terms or other comparable terminology. Forward-looking statements in this prospectus include, but are not limited to, statements about:

- the initiation, timing, progress and results of our preclinical studies and clinical trials, and our research and development programs;
- our ability to advance our product candidates into, and successfully complete, clinical trials;
- our reliance on the success of our product candidates and our pipeline programs;
- our ability to utilize our screening platform to identify and advance additional product candidates into clinical development;
- our ability to become the partner of choice to attract founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs;
- the timing or likelihood of regulatory filings and approvals;
- the impact of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic on our business and operations;
- the commercialization of our product candidates, if approved;
- our ability to develop sales and marketing capabilities;
- the pricing, coverage and reimbursement of our product candidates, if approved;
- the implementation of our business model, strategic plans for our business, product candidates and technology;
- the scope of protection we are able to establish and maintain for intellectual property rights covering our product candidates and technology;
- our ability to operate our business without infringing the intellectual property rights and proprietary technology of third parties;
- cost associated with defending intellectual property infringement, product liability and other claims;
- regulatory development in the United States, the European Union, the United Kingdom and other jurisdictions;
- estimates of our expenses, future revenues, capital requirements and our needs for additional financing;
- the potential benefits of strategic collaboration agreements and our ability to enter into strategic arrangements;

- our ability to maintain and establish collaborations or obtain additional funding;
- the rate and degree of market acceptance of any approved products;
- developments relating to our competitors and our industry, including competing therapies;
- our ability to effectively manage our anticipated growth;
- our ability to attract and retain qualified employees and key personnel;
- our expectations regarding the period during which we qualify as an emerging growth company under the JOBS Act;
- statements regarding future revenue, hiring plans, expenses, capital expenditures, capital requirements and share performance;
- our expected use of proceeds of this offering;
- the future trading price of the ADSs and impact of securities analysts' reports on these prices; and
- other risks and uncertainties, including those listed under the caption "Risk Factors."

Forward-looking statements are only predictions. You should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements because they involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors, which are, in some cases, beyond our control and which could materially affect results. Factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from current expectations include, among other things, those listed under "Risk Factors" and elsewhere in this prospectus. If one or more of these risks or uncertainties occur, or if our underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual events or results may vary significantly from those implied or projected by the forward-looking statements. No forward-looking statement is a guarantee of future performance. You should read this prospectus and the documents that we reference in this prospectus and have filed with the SEC as exhibits to the registration statement, of which this prospectus is a part, completely and with the understanding that our actual future results may be materially different from any future results expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements.

The forward-looking statements in this prospectus represent our management's views as of the date of this prospectus. We anticipate that subsequent events and developments will cause our views to change. However, while we may elect to update these forward-looking statements at some point in the future, we have no current intention of doing so except to the extent required by applicable law. You should therefore not rely on these forward-looking statements as representing our views as of any date subsequent to the date of this prospectus.

In addition, statements that "we believe" and similar statements reflect our beliefs and opinions on the relevant subject. These statements are based upon information available to us as of the date of this prospectus, and while we believe such information forms a reasonable basis for such statements, such information may be limited or incomplete, and our statements should not be read to indicate that we have conducted an exhaustive inquiry into, or review of, all potentially available relevant information. These statements are inherently uncertain and investors are cautioned not to unduly rely upon these statements.

**MARKET, INDUSTRY AND OTHER DATA**

This prospectus contains estimates, projections and other information concerning our industry, our business and the markets for our product candidates. Information that is based on estimates, forecasts, projections, market research or similar methodologies is inherently subject to uncertainties, and actual events or circumstances may differ materially from events and circumstances that are assumed in this information. Unless otherwise expressly stated, we obtained this industry, business, market and other data from our own internal estimates and research as well as from reports, research surveys, studies and similar data prepared by market research firms and other third parties, industry, medical and general publications, government data and similar sources.

In addition, assumptions and estimates of our and our industry's future performance are necessarily subject to a high degree of uncertainty and risk due to a variety of factors, including those described in the section titled "Risk Factors." These and other factors could cause our future performance to differ materially from those expressed in the industry publications, as well as from our assumptions and estimates. See the section titled "Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements."

## USE OF PROCEEDS

We estimate that the net proceeds to us from the sale of ADSs in this offering will be approximately \$ million based upon an assumed initial public offering price of \$ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover of this prospectus, and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us. If the underwriters exercise their option to purchase additional ADSs in full, we estimate that our net proceeds will be approximately \$ million, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

Each \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed initial public offering price of \$ per ADS would increase (decrease) the net proceeds to us from this offering by approximately \$ million, assuming the number of ADSs offered by us, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us. Similarly, each increase (decrease) of 1,000,000 ADSs offered by us would increase (decrease) the net proceeds to us from this offering by approximately \$ million, assuming the assumed initial public offering price remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

The principal purposes of this offering are to create a public market for the ADSs and to facilitate our future access to the public equity markets and obtain additional capital. We currently expect to use the net proceeds from this offering, together with our existing cash, as follows:

- approximately \$ million to fund the continuation of the lixivaptan Phase 3 safety study (ALERT) and initiation of a Phase 3 pivotal trial (ACTION);
- approximately \$ million for the initiation of Phase 2 clinical trials for imgatuzumab;
- approximately \$ million for the completion of the ongoing Phase 1 clinical trial for ZF874 and initiation of future clinical studies for ZF874; IND enabling studies and initiation of Phase 1 for ZF887;
- approximately \$ million for the completion of ongoing Phase 2a clinical trial and initiation of future clinical trials for SerpinPC;
- approximately \$ million to fund continued development of the other programs in our pipeline, including designing and conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials, as well as funding discovery, manufacturing, research and development; and
- the remainder for working capital and other general corporate purposes as well as to fund the acquisition of and drug development activities related to new programs; although we have no material agreements, commitments or understandings with respect to any in-license or acquisition, we have and plan to continue to evaluate such opportunities and engage in related discussions with other business entities from time to time.

This expected use of the net proceeds from this offering and our existing cash represents our intentions based upon our current plans and business conditions. As of the date of this prospectus, we cannot predict with certainty all of the particular uses for the net proceeds to be received upon the completion of this offering or the amounts that we will actually spend on the uses set forth above. We currently expect that our cash resources, together with the net proceeds of this offering, will enable us to fund operations until . The amounts and timing of our actual expenditures and the extent of clinical development may vary significantly depending on numerous factors, including the progress of our development efforts, the status of and results from preclinical studies and any ongoing clinical trials or clinical trials we may commence in the future, as well as any collaborations that we may enter into with third parties for our product candidates and any unforeseen cash needs. As a result, our management will retain broad discretion over the allocation of the net proceeds from this offering and may change the allocation of use of these proceeds among the uses described above. An investor

will not have the opportunity to evaluate the economic, financial or other information on which we base our decisions on how to use the proceeds.

Pending our use of the net proceeds from this offering, we intend to invest the net proceeds in a variety of capital preservation investments, including short-term, investment-grade, interest-bearing instruments, or hold as cash.



**DIVIDEND POLICY**

We have not declared or paid any dividends to our shareholders on our ordinary shares or our convertible preferred shares. We currently intend to retain all available funds and any future earnings, if any, to fund the development and expansion of our business and we do not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. Investors should not purchase the ADSs with the expectation of receiving cash dividends.

Any future determination to pay dividends will be made at the discretion of our board of directors and may be based on a number of factors, including our future operations and earnings, capital requirements and surplus, general financial condition, contractual restrictions and other factors that our board of directors may deem relevant. In addition, our ability to pay dividends may be limited under English law. See “Risk Factors—We do not intend to pay dividends on our ordinary shares, so any returns will be limited to the value of our ordinary shares or ADSs.” If we pay any dividends, ADS holders will generally have the right to receive the dividends paid on the underlying ordinary shares, subject to the terms of the deposit agreement, including the fees and expenses payable thereunder. See “Description of American Depositary Shares.” Cash dividends on our ordinary shares, if any, will be paid in U.S. dollars.

## SHARE CAPITAL REORGANIZATION AND RE-REGISTRATION

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited was incorporated under the laws of England and Wales on October 26, 2020 as a private company with limited liability, under the name United Medicines Biopharma Limited, with nominal assets and liabilities for the purpose of acquiring the Centessa Subsidiaries. The Centessa Subsidiaries were incorporated at various times within the period from 2013 to 2019, and have historically operated as independent companies. Pursuant to the terms of contribution agreements in respect of each Centessa Subsidiary dated December 31, 2021 in the case of PearlRiver Bio (as amended from time to time) and January 23, 2021 in the case of all other Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences), all shareholders of each of the Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences) exchanged the shares held by them in the relevant Centessa Subsidiary for newly issued B ordinary shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and, as a result, each of the Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences) became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, the issuer in this offering. On the same date, Palladio Biosciences merged with UPM Merger Sub, Inc. (a subsidiary of Centessa incorporated for the purposes of merging with Palladio Biosciences) pursuant to a merger agreement. Palladio Biosciences was the surviving entity of the merger and thereby became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

In connection with this offering, we intend to re-register Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as an English public limited company and rename it as Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc. Therefore, investors in this offering will only acquire, and this prospectus only describes the offering of, ADSs representing ordinary shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc.

We refer to the reorganization, pursuant to which each of the Centessa Subsidiaries became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, and the subsequent re-registration of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public limited company to be renamed Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc and reorganization of shares in Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc, as our “Reorganization.”

The Reorganization is taking place in several steps.

### Founding of Centessa

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited was incorporated on October 26, 2020 with a single subscriber share (being one Ordinary Share of £1) issued to an individual associated with Medicxi.

On November 17, 2020, Centessa Pharmaceuticals, Inc. was incorporated in Delaware as a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa under the name of United Medicines Biopharma US Inc. Centessa Pharmaceuticals, Inc. was incorporated to be Centessa’s operating company in the US.

On November 24, 2020, Centessa Limited was incorporated in England and Wales as a private company with limited liability and a wholly subsidiary of Centessa under the name of United Medicines Biopharma (Midco) Limited with company number 13040752 for the purposes of becoming the direct holding company of the Centessa Subsidiaries.

On November 27, 2020, the one Ordinary Share of £1 held by an individual associated with Medicxi was sub-divided into 1,000 Ordinary Shares of £0.001 each; and Centessa issued 13,495,000 Ordinary Shares to individuals associated with Medicxi and on 2 December 2020, Centessa issued 1,504,000 further Ordinary Shares to the Index Foundation. Each of the 15,000,000 Ordinary Shares were redesignated as A Ordinary Shares in connection with the closing of the Crossover Investment (as defined below) on January 29, 2021 and 8,900,000 A Ordinary Shares were acquired for nominal value and cancelled by Centessa.

On December 29, 2020, Centessa entered into a convertible loan agreement with Medicxi Growth I LP and Medicxi Group Co-Invest I LP (collectively Medicxi Growth), whereby the Company issued \$5.0 million of

unsecured convertible term notes to Medicxi Growth (the Convertible Notes). The Convertible Notes converted into an aggregate 1,136,363 Series A Shares at a subscription price of \$4.399999824 in connection with the closing of the Crossover Investment on January 29, 2021.

#### **Contributions of Subsidiary Company Shares in Exchange for B Ordinary Shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**

Pursuant to the terms of contribution agreements in respect of each Centessa Subsidiary dated December 31, 2020 in the case of PearlRiver Bio (as amended from time to time) and January 23, 2021 in the case of all other Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences), all shareholders of each of the Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences) exchanged the shares held by them in the relevant Centessa Subsidiary for newly issued B ordinary shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and, as a result, each of the Centessa Subsidiaries (other than Palladio Biosciences) became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Contribution Agreements, on January 29, 2021, Centessa simultaneously acquired 100% of the outstanding equity of the ten entities set out below, in each case in exchange for B ordinary shares in the capital of Centessa. Those Centessa Subsidiaries acquired by Centessa pursuant to the Contribution Agreements are:

1. ApcinteX Limited (“ApcinteX”);
2. Capella Bioscience Limited (“Capella”);
3. Inexia Limited (“Inexia”);
4. Janpix Limited (“Janpix”);
5. LockBody Therapeutics Ltd (“LockBody”);
6. Morphogen-IX Limited (“Morphogen-IX”);
7. Orexia Limited (“Orexia”);
8. PearlRiver Bio GmbH (“Pearl River”);
9. Pega-One SAS (“PegaOne”); and
10. Z Factor Limited (“Z Factor”).

On January 23, 2021, Palladio Biosciences entered into an agreement and plan of reorganization (the Merger Agreement) with Centessa UPM Merger Sub, Inc. (a subsidiary of Centessa incorporated in Delaware for the purposes of merging with Palladio Biosciences). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, UPM Merger Sub, Inc. merged with and into Palladio Biosciences as the surviving corporation with the shareholders of Palladio receiving B ordinary shares of Centessa and certain Contingent Value Rights.

On January 29, 2021, immediately following the completion of the acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries, the entire issued share capital of each of the Centessa Subsidiaries (other than PearlRiver Bio, Pega-One and Palladio) held by Centessa was re-designated into a single class of ordinary shares.

#### **Crossover Investment**

On January 29, 2021, Centessa issued 44,545,456 Series A preferred shares to new investors in exchange for \$245 million of gross proceeds (the Crossover Investment). In connection with the Crossover Investment, the Convertible Notes were converted into 1,136,363 Series A preferred shares of Centessa.

#### **Orexia Therapeutics Limited and Inexia Limited business combination**

Due to the overlapping therapeutic focus of our Centessa subsidiaries, Orexia Therapeutics Limited and Inexia Limited, we determined it to be in the best interest of both entities to combine the business of Orexia Therapeutics Limited and Inexia Limited. The combination was implemented by the transfer of the business and assets of Inexia Limited to Orexia Therapeutics Limited. The business combination was implemented on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

#### **Capital Reduction and Re-designation of the Shares in Centessa**

Pursuant to part 17 of the Companies Act, on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021, Centessa reduced the nominal value of each of its B ordinary shares from £1.50 to £0.001 and cancelled the full amount standing to the credit of its share premium reserve pursuant to a capital reduction supported by a directors' solvency statement. The capital reduction was carried out to create distributable reserves in Centessa to support future distributions. Following the capital reduction, Centessa re-designated all of the A Ordinary Shares and B Ordinary Shares into a single class of ordinary shares with a nominal value of £0.0001 in order to simplify its capital structure.

#### **Sale of the Centessa Subsidiaries to Centessa Limited**

On \_\_\_\_\_, 2021, Centessa exchanged all of the shares of the Centessa Subsidiaries for \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares of our wholly-owned subsidiary, Centessa Limited, pursuant to the terms of a share exchange agreement in order to insert an intermediate holding company between Centessa and each of the Centessa Subsidiaries.

#### **Re-registration of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc**

On \_\_\_\_\_, 2021, we altered the legal status of our company under English law from a private limited company by re-registering Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as a public limited company and renaming it to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc. Such re-registration required the passing of special resolutions by the shareholders of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited to approve the re-registration as a public company, the name change to Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc and the adoption of new articles of association for Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc.

#### **Re-designation and Consolidation of Shares in Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**

Immediately prior to and conditional on the completion of this offering, and as the final step of the Reorganization, all of Centessa's outstanding Series A preferred shares of nominal value £0.001 each will be converted on a one-to-one basis into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares of nominal value £0.001 each.

Following this, Centessa will undertake a \_\_\_\_\_-for-one reverse share split of all of Centessa's ordinary shares of nominal value £ \_\_\_\_\_ each. The fractional entitlements resulting from the reverse split will be consolidated into a single \_\_\_\_\_ deferred shares of £ \_\_\_\_\_ and transferred to us for no consideration and subsequently cancelled. These actions taken together are described in this registration statement as our "reverse share split" and will take effect immediately prior to and conditional on completion of this offering. Our reverse share split will not alter the proportionate shareholding of any of our existing shareholders (save for the consolidation of fractional entitlements). The steps described in this paragraph will require ordinary and special resolutions of our shareholders to be passed at a general meeting. For further detail regarding these required resolutions, please see "Description of share capital and articles of association."

Therefore, upon the consummation of the Reorganization and prior to the completion of this offering, assuming an initial public offering price of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS, the current shareholders of Centessa will hold an aggregate of \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares in Centessa. In the event of a \$1.00 increase in the assumed initial public offering price per ADS, the current shareholders of Centessa will hold an aggregate of \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares in Centessa. In the event of a \$1.00 decrease in the assumed initial public offering price per ADS, the current shareholders of Centessa will hold an aggregate of \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares in Centessa.

Certain further resolutions will be required to be passed by the shareholders of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited prior to the completion of this offering.

## CAPITALIZATION

The following table sets forth our cash and cash equivalents and capitalization as of December 31, 2020 on:

- an actual basis;
- a pro forma basis to give effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus (including 308,934 restricted shares), (ii) sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 and (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering; and
- on a pro forma as adjusted basis giving effect to the pro forma adjustments set forth above and to give further effect to the sale of ADSs in this offering.

The pro forma as adjusted calculations assume an initial public offering price of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

You should read this information together with our financial statements and related notes appearing elsewhere in this prospectus and the information set forth under the sections titled “Selected Financial Data,” “Use of Proceeds,” and “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results Of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited” and “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results Of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities.”

	As of December 31, 2020		
	Actual	Pro Forma (in thousands)	Pro Forma As Adjusted
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,003	\$ 313,983	\$
Convertible term notes	4,171	—	
Derivative liability	833	—	
Term loans	—	288	
Shareholders' (deficit) equity:			
Preferred Series A, no shares authorized, issued or outstanding, actual; £0.01 nominal value, 45,681,819 shares authorized, no shares issued and outstanding pro forma and pro forma as adjusted	—	—	
Ordinary shares, £0.0001 nominal value, 15,000,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding, actual; £0.01 nominal value, 166,779,420 shares authorized and 142,057,824 shares issued and outstanding pro forma; £0.01 nominal value, share authorized and shares issued and outstanding pro forma as adjusted	21	1,936	
Additional paid-in capital	—	515,738	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(86)	(86)	
Accumulated deficit	(3,149)	(222,175)	
Total shareholders' (deficit) equity	(3,214)	295,413	
Total capitalization	\$ 1,790	\$ 295,701	\$

The number of ordinary shares outstanding in the table above does not include:

- 16,436,506 ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of options to subscribe for ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 at a weighted average exercise price of \$2.85 per ordinary share;
- ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Share Option Plan upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part; and
- ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Employee Share Purchase Plan, upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part.

**DILUTION**

If you invest in the ADSs in this offering, your interest will be diluted to the extent of the difference between the initial public offering price per ADS and the pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per ordinary share/ADS immediately after this offering. Dilution results from the fact that the initial public offering price per ADS is substantially in excess of the net tangible book value per ordinary share/ADS.

Our net tangible book value as of December 31, 2020 was \$(3.5) million, or \$(0.23) per ordinary share/ADS. Net tangible book value represents our total assets less our total liabilities and the carrying value of our convertible preferred shares and net tangible book value per share as of December 31, 2020 represents net tangible book value divided by the 15,000,000 ordinary shares outstanding as of that date.

Our pro forma net tangible book value as of December 31, 2020 was \$295.3 million, or \$2.08 per ordinary share/ADS. Pro forma net tangible book value per share is calculated after giving effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus (including 308,934 restricted shares), (ii) sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 and (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering.

After giving further effect to our issuance and sale of ADSs in this offering at the assumed initial public offering price of \$ per ADS, the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, our pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value as of December 31, 2020 would have been \$ million, or \$ per share/ADS.

This represents an immediate increase in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per ordinary share of \$ to existing shareholders and immediate dilution in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per ADS of \$ to new investors purchasing ADSs in this offering. Dilution per ADS to new investors is determined by subtracting pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per ADS after this offering from the initial public offering price per ADS paid by new investors. The following table illustrates this dilution:

Assumed initial public offering price	\$
Historical net tangible book value per ADS as of December 31, 2020	\$(0.23)
Pro forma increase in net tangible book value per ADS as of December 31, 2020	2.31
Pro forma net tangible book value per ADS as of December 31, 2020	2.08
Increase in pro forma net tangible book value per ADS attributable to new investors	_____
Pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per ADS after this offering	_____
Dilution per ADS to investors participating in this offering	\$ _____

Each \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed initial public offering price of \$ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, would increase (decrease) the dilution to new investors by \$ per ADS, assuming the number of ADSs offered by us, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, remains the same, and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated expenses payable by us. We may also increase or decrease the number of ADSs we are offering. An increase of 1,000,000 ADSs offered by us would decrease the dilution to new investors by \$ per ADS, assuming the assumed initial public offering price remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated expenses payable by us. A decrease of 1,000,000 ADSs offered by us would increase the dilution to new investors by \$ per ADS, assuming the assumed initial public offering price remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated expenses payable by us.

If the underwriters exercise their option to purchase additional ADSs in full, the pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value would be \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ordinary share/ADS, and the dilution in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value to investors in this offering would be \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS.

The following table summarizes, on a pro forma as adjusted basis as of December 31, 2020, the differences between existing shareholders, including holders of our convertible preferred shares, and new investors with respect to the number of ordinary shares (in the form of ADSs or shares) purchased from us, the total consideration paid and the average price per ordinary share/ADS paid before deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, at an assumed initial public offering price of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover of this prospectus.

The total number of ordinary shares does not include ordinary shares underlying the ADSs issuable upon the exercise of the option to purchase additional ADSs granted to the underwriters.

	Ordinary Shares (ADSs) Purchased		Total Consideration		Average Price per Ordinary Share/ADS
	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent	\$
Existing shareholders			\$	%	\$
New investors		%		%	\$
<b>Total</b>		<b>100%</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>100%</b>	

If the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional ADSs, the percentage of ordinary shares/ADSs held by existing shareholders would be reduced to \_\_\_\_\_ % of the total number of ordinary shares/ADSs outstanding after the offering, and the number of ordinary shares/ADSs held by investors participating in the offering would be increased to \_\_\_\_\_ % of the total number of ordinary shares/ADSs outstanding after the offering.

A \$1.00 increase or decrease in the assumed initial offering price of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS, which is the midpoint of the price range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, would increase or decrease total consideration paid by new investors by \$ \_\_\_\_\_ million, assuming that the number of ADSs offered by us, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, remains the same, after deducting the estimated underwriting commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

The number of shares to be outstanding after this offering is based on 15,000,000 ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 and gives further effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus (including 308,934 restricted shares), (ii) sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 and (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering, and excludes:

- 16,436,506 ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of options to subscribe for ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 at a weighted average exercise price of \$2.85 per ordinary share;
- \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Share Option Plan upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part; and
- \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares that will be made available for future issuance under our 2021 Employee Share Purchase Plan, upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part.



The pro forma information discussed above is illustrative only. Our net tangible book value following the closing of this offering is subject to adjustment based on the actual initial public offering price of the ADSs and other terms of this offering determined at pricing.

To the extent that outstanding options are exercised, you will experience further dilution. In addition, we may choose to raise additional capital due to market conditions or strategic considerations even if we believe we have sufficient funds for our current or future operating plans. To the extent that additional capital is raised through the sale of equity or convertible debt securities, the issuance of these securities may result in further dilution to our shareholders.

## UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

On January 29, 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (“Centessa” or the “Company”) acquired the equity of eleven entities (“Contributed Companies”) in which the equity in each entity was contributed (or otherwise transferred by way of merger) to a new holding company, Centessa, in exchange for Centessa ordinary shares (the “Acquisition”). Concurrent with the above transactions, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt (the “Financing”).

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements are based on the historical financial statements of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, Centessa Predecessor Group (the “Centessa Predecessor”) and the other acquired entities, as adjusted to give effect to the Acquisition and the Financing. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet gives pro forma effect to the Acquisition and Financing as if they had been consummated on December 31, 2020. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the year ended December 31, 2020 give effect to the Acquisition and Financing as if they had occurred on January 1, 2020.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements were prepared in accordance with Article 11 of SEC Regulation S-X, as amended by the final rule, Release No. 33-10786 “*Amendments to Financial Disclosures about Acquired and Disposed Businesses*.” Release No. 33-10786 replaces the existing pro forma adjustment criteria with simplified requirements to depict the accounting for the transaction (“Transaction Accounting Adjustments”) and present the reasonably estimable synergies and other transaction effects that have occurred or reasonably expected to occur (“Management’s Adjustments”). Centessa has elected not to present Management’s Adjustments and will only be presenting Transaction Accounting Adjustments for the Acquisition and the Financing in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information. The adjustments presented in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements have been identified and presented to provide relevant information necessary for an understanding of the combined company upon consummation of the Acquisition and Financing.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements have been derived from and should be read in conjunction with:

- the accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information;
- the historical audited financial statements of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as of December 31, 2020 and for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus;
- the historical audited financial statements of the Centessa Predecessor, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2020 and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus;
- the historical audited financial statements of the residual entities as of and for the year ended December 31, 2020 and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus; and
- the sections entitled “*Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited*,” “*Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities*,” and other financial information included elsewhere in this prospectus.

**UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information is for illustrative purposes only and is not necessarily indicative of what the actual results of operations and financial position would have been had the Acquisition and Financing taken place on the dates indicated, nor are they indicative of the future consolidated results of operations or financial position of the combined company.

**CENTESSA PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED**  
**UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET**  
**AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2020**  
**(in thousands, except per share data)**

	Historical Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited	Historical Centessa Predecessor Group	Historical Other Acquired Entities	Acquisition Transaction Adjustments		Financing Transaction Adjustments		Pro forma Combined
<b>Assets</b>								
<b>Current assets:</b>								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,003	\$ 7,227	\$ 61,735	(6,381) 2,986	4a 4b	\$ 245,000 (1,576)	5a 5a 5c	\$ 313,983
Tax incentive receivable	—	2,633	6,027	—		(11)		8,660
Subscription receivable	11	—	2,975	(2,986)	4b	—		—
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	—	1,305	2,492	(1,369)	4c	—		2,428
Total current assets	5,014	11,165	73,229	(7,750)		243,413		325,071
Non-current assets	248	552	558	(203)	4a	(112)	5a	1,043
Total assets	<u>\$ 5,262</u>	<u>\$ 11,717</u>	<u>\$ 73,787</u>	<u>\$ (7,953)</u>		<u>\$ 243,301</u>		<u>\$ 326,114</u>
<b>Current liabilities:</b>								
Accounts payable	\$ 15	\$ 1,032	\$ 2,389	—		—		3,436
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	3,457	1,047	3,197	(3,342)	4a	—		4,359
Related party loan	—	—	1,369	(1,369)	4c	—		—
Derivative liability	833	913	—	(913)	4d	(833)	5b	—
Convertible term notes	4,171	5,339	—	(5,339)	4d	(4,171)	5b	—
Term loans	—	288	—	—		—		288
Total current liabilities	8,476	8,619	6,955	(10,963)		(5,004)		8,083
Non-current liabilities	—	—	—	22,618	4e	—		22,618
Total liabilities	8,476	8,619	6,955	11,655		(5,004)		30,701
Convertible preferred shares	—	25,521	158,701	(184,222)	4f	—		—
Ordinary shares: £0.0001 nominal value	21	—	30	(30)	4f	(11)	5c	100
Series A preferred shares	—	—	—	90	4g	245,000 (1,576)	5a 5a	243,312
Additional paid-in capital	—	—	14,014	(14,014)	4f	5,004	5b	274,262
				261,297	4g			
				(1,784)	4h			
				1,310	4h			
				2,183	4h			
				6,252	4e			
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(86)	—	2,654	(2,654)	4f	—		(86)
Accumulated deficit	(3,149)	—	(108,567)	108,567	4f	—		(222,175)
				(216,843)	4i			
				(2,183)	4i			
Combined deficit	—	(22,423)	—	22,423	4f	—		—
Total shareholders' equity (deficit)	(3,214)	3,098	66,832	(19,608)		248,305		295,413
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' equity (deficit)	<u>\$ 5,262</u>	<u>\$ 11,717</u>	<u>\$ 73,787</u>	<u>\$ (7,953)</u>		<u>\$ 243,301</u>		<u>\$ 326,114</u>

See accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information.

**UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020**  
(in thousands)

	Historical Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited	Historical Centessa Predecessor Group	Historical Other Acquired Entities	Transaction Accounting Adjustments		Pro forma Statement of Operations
Operating expenses:						
Research & development	\$ —	\$ 9,301	\$ 25,536	\$ 6,301	4j	\$ 41,138
Acquired in-process research and development	—	—	3,164	—		3,164
General and administrative	3,139	1,139	6,448	(3,139)	4k	7,587
Total operating expenses	3,139	10,440	35,148	3,162		51,889
Loss from operations	(3,139)	(10,440)	(35,148)	(3,162)		(51,889)
Interest income (expense), net	(2)	(68)	(924)	994	4l	—
Amortization of debt discount	(8)	(310)	(2,386)	2,704	4l	—
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(186)	(1,067)	1,253	4l	—
Gain on extinguishment of debt	—	341	—	—		341
Foreign currency loss	—	—	(36)	—		(36)
Net loss	\$ (3,149)	\$ (10,663)	\$ (39,561)	\$ 1,789		\$ (51,584)
Net loss per ordinary share – basic and diluted	\$ (0.40)					\$ (0.54)
Weighted average ordinary shares – basic and diluted	7,836,299				4m	96,067,339

See accompanying notes to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information.

## 1. Description of the Acquisition

On January 23, 2021, ten entities entered into a contribution agreement with Centessa (the “Contribution Agreements”) and one entity, Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (“Palladio”), entered into an agreement and plan of reorganization with Centessa and the other parties thereto (the “Merger Agreement”, and together with the Contribution Agreements, the “Transfer Agreements”). All eleven of the entities are pre-revenue development stage biotechnology companies.

As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Transfer Agreements, on January 29, 2021, Centessa simultaneously acquired 100% of the outstanding equity of the eleven entities, in each case in exchange for ordinary shares in the capital of Centessa (and, in the case of the Palladio acquisition, certain contingent value rights for ordinary shares in the capital of Centessa). The Contributed Companies acquired by Centessa as part of the Acquisition are as follows (individually a “Contributed Company”; collectively the “Contributed Companies”):

1. ApcinteX Limited (“ApcinteX”);
2. Capella Bioscience Limited (“Capella”);
3. Inexia Limited (“Inexia”);
4. Janpix Limited (“Janpix”);
5. LockBody Therapeutics Ltd (“LockBody”);
6. Morphogen-IX Limited (“Morphogen-IX”);
7. Orexia Limited (“Orexia”);
8. Palladio Biosciences, Inc;
9. PearlRiver Bio GmbH (“Pearl River”);
10. Pega-One SAS (“Pega-One”); and
11. Z Factor Limited (“Z Factor”)

Concurrent with the Acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt.

## 2. Basis of Pro Forma Presentation

Centessa was formed on October 26, 2020, with the acquisition of the Contributed Companies occurring on January 29, 2021. Prior to the acquisition, Centessa’s operations were not significant relative to the Contributed Companies. Accordingly, the Company determined that Centessa should not be presented as the predecessor for purposes of satisfying the historical audited financial statement requirement in this prospectus. The Company determined that certain entities under common control, pursuant to Accounting Standards Codification 810, could be included in a set of combined financial statements. Those entities, referred to as the Centessa Predecessor Group were Z Factor, LockBody, and Morphogen-IX. In addition, fair value indicators clearly point to the Centessa Predecessor Group entities as being the predecessor, as the combined value of that group is more than 50% higher (as a percentage) than the next Contributed Company or group of Contributed Companies under common control.

Management has made significant estimates and assumptions in its determination of the pro forma adjustments. As the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information has been prepared based on these preliminary estimates, the final amounts recorded may differ materially from the information presented.

The pro forma adjustments reflecting the consummation of the Acquisition and Financing are based on certain currently available information and certain assumptions and methodologies that Centessa believes are reasonable under the circumstances. The pro forma adjustments, which are described in the accompanying notes, may be revised as additional information becomes available and is evaluated. Therefore, it is likely that the actual adjustments will differ from the pro forma adjustments, and it is possible the difference may be material. Centessa believes that its assumptions and methodologies provide a reasonable basis for presenting all of the significant effects of the Acquisition and Financing based on information available to management at this time and that the pro forma adjustments give appropriate effect to those assumptions and are properly applied in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information.

The historical financial information has been adjusted to give effect to matters that are (i) directly attributable to the Acquisition and Financing, (ii) factually supportable and (iii) with respect to the statements of operations, expected to have a continuing impact on the operating results of the combined company. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information does not give effect to any anticipated synergies, operating efficiencies, tax savings, or cost savings that may be associated with the Acquisition. Centessa and the acquired entities have not had any historical relationship prior to the Acquisition. Accordingly, no pro forma adjustments were required to eliminate activities between the companies.

The Acquisition has been preliminarily treated as eleven individual asset acquisitions, with the Company as the accounting acquirer. Accordingly, unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information reflects the assets acquired at cost. In accordance with U.S. GAAP the Company must first assess whether an integrated set of assets and activities should be accounted for as an acquisition of a business or an asset acquisition. The U.S. GAAP guidance requires an initial screen test to determine if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single asset or group of similar assets. If that screen is met, the set is not considered a business and is accounted for as an asset acquisition. If the screen is not met, the Company must then evaluate whether the set meets the requirement that a business include, at a minimum, an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create outputs. The Company determined that none of the Contributed Companies meet the definition of a business due to one of the following conclusions, (1) substantially all of the fair value of the entity is concentrated in the acquired in-process research and development (“IPR&D”) asset, or (2) the entity did not have the requisite inputs and substantive processes to be considered a business.

**3. Estimated consideration and preliminary purchase price allocation.**

a) Total Consideration Transferred

Under the terms of the Acquisition, Centessa acquired the Contributed Companies for total consideration of \$289.9 million calculated as follows:

	(in thousands, except share and per share data)	
Total ordinary shares issued	89,516,188	i.
Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited share price	\$ 2.92	i.
Stock portion of the consideration transferred	\$ 261,387	i.
Fair value of contingent consideration	22,618	ii.
Fair value of replacement equity awards allocated to consideration	1,310	iii.
Transaction costs	4,597	iv.
<b>Total consideration transferred</b>	<b>\$ 289,912</b>	

i. The fair value of the ordinary shares issued was \$261.4 million. In the absence of a public trading market for Centessa ordinary shares, the Company estimated the fair value of Centessa ordinary shares based on the information known to the Company on the acquisition date, upon a review of any recent

events and their potential impact on the estimated fair value per share of the ordinary shares, and in part on contemporaneous input from an independent third-party valuation firm. The Centessa board of directors considered various objective and subjective factors, along with input from management, to determine the fair value of Centessa ordinary shares, including:

- stage of development and business strategy, including the status of research and development efforts of the Company's product candidates and the material risks related to its business and industry;
- results of operations and financial position, including levels of available capital resources;
- the valuation of publicly traded companies in the life sciences and biotechnology sectors, as well as recently completed mergers and acquisitions of peer companies;
- the lack of marketability of Centessa ordinary shares as a private company;
- the prices of Centessa preferred shares sold to investors in arm's length transactions and the rights, preferences and privileges of Centessa preferred shares relative to those of Centessa ordinary shares;
- the likelihood of achieving a liquidity event for the holders of Centessa ordinary shares, such as an initial public offering or a sale of the Company, given prevailing market conditions;
- trends and developments in the Company's industry; and
- external market conditions affecting the life sciences and biotechnology industry sectors.

The third-party valuations of the Company's ordinary shares that the Centessa board of directors considered in making its determinations were performed in accordance with the guidance outlined in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' Accounting and Valuation Guide, *Valuation of Privately-Held-Company Equity Securities Issued as Compensation* ("[Practice Guide](#)"), which prescribes several valuation approaches for determining the value of an enterprise, such as the cost, market and income approaches, and various methodologies for allocating the value of an enterprise to its capital structure and specifically the ordinary shares.

The Company's determinations of the fair value of the ordinary shares were performed using methodologies, approaches and assumptions consistent with the Practice Guide. In accordance with the Practice Guide, the Company considered the following methods for allocating the enterprise value across its classes and series of capital shares to determine the fair value of its ordinary shares at each valuation date.

- *Option Pricing Method* ("[OPM](#)"). The OPM estimates the value of the ordinary equity of the Company using the various inputs in the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The OPM treats the rights of the holders of ordinary shares as equivalent to that of call options on any value of the enterprise above certain break points of value based upon the liquidation preferences of the holders of the Company's convertible preferred shares, as well as their rights to participation, and the share prices of the outstanding options. Thus, the value of the ordinary shares can be determined by estimating the value of its portion of each of these call option rights. Under this method, the ordinary shares has value only if the funds available for distribution to shareholders exceed the value of the liquidation preference at the time of a liquidity event, such as a merger or sale. Given the ordinary shares represents a non-marketable equity interest in a private enterprise, an adjustment to the preliminary value estimates had to be made to account for the lack of liquidity that a shareholder experiences. This adjustment is commonly referred to as a discount for lack of marketability ("[DLOM](#)").
- *Probability-Weighted Expected Return Method* ("[PWERM](#)"). The PWERM is a scenario-based analysis that estimates the value per share based on the probability-weighted present value of



expected future investment returns, considering each of the possible outcomes considered by the Company, as well as the economic and control rights of each share class.

- *Hybrid Method.* The Hybrid Method is a hybrid between the PWERM and OPM, estimating the probability-weighted value across multiple scenarios, but using the OPM to estimate the allocation of value within one or more of those scenarios. Weighting allocations are assigned to the OPM and PWERM methods factoring possible future liquidity events.

The Company's estimated the fair value of its ordinary shares based on the Hybrid Method. In doing so, the Company, with assistance from the third-party valuation specialist, considered one scenario reflecting a potential IPO (Scenario 1) and one scenario reflecting only the consummation of the Series A preferred share financing (Scenario 2), weighted at 35% and 65%, respectively. Subjective factors considered by the Centessa board of directors and management in January 2021 included the pending addition of new executive members and the election of new independent directors to the Centessa board of directors, as well as definitive plans to undertake an IPO. After application of the probability weightings for each of the two scenarios to the per share fair values, the Company established a fair value of \$2.92 per share of the ordinary share.

For Scenario 1, the Guideline IPO Transactions Method was utilized to determine the value under a potential IPO. The future enterprise value at an expected IPO date of June 30, 2021 was projected at \$917.6 million and was discounted to present value using a discount rate of 25.0% and allocated to each outstanding share class, on a fully diluted basis assuming all existing shares convert into ordinary share. The enterprise value was estimated using the original issue price of the Series A financing. The valuation used a DLOM of 10.0%, resulting in a value per ordinary share of \$4.95.

For Scenario 2, the equity value of the Company was estimated using a market approach that derives an implied total equity value from the per share sale price of the Company's equity securities in a recent arm's-length transaction (the "**Backsolve Method**" of the OPM). The equity value of the Company was determined using the terms of the Series A preferred financing. The transaction was led by unrelated third-party investors. As such, it was determined to be an arm's-length transaction that reasonably reflected the expected economics of the Company. The total implied equity value of the Company was determined to be approximately \$551.2 million.

The OPM was then utilized to allocate the equity value for the Company. Specifically, the Backsolve Method was utilized to quantify the implied equity value in the Series A preferred share transaction by considering the economic and control rights of the preferred shareholders compared to the ordinary shareholders. In determining the total implied equity value under the Backsolve Method, the Company used the OPM to allocate the equity value using an estimated volatility of 66.5%, an estimated time to liquidity of 2.0 years, based on the mean of guideline companies at such time, and a DLOM of 35.0%, which was implied using put option values, resulting in a value per ordinary share of \$1.83.

There are significant judgments and estimates inherent in the determination of the fair value of ordinary shares. These judgments and estimates include assumptions regarding the Company's future operating performance, the time to complete an initial public offering or other liquidity event and the determination of the appropriate valuation methods. If the Company had made different assumptions, its ordinary shares could have been significantly different.

ii. In connection with the Acquisition, Centessa issued contingent value rights, or CVRs, to former shareholders and option holders of Palladio Biosciences, Inc, or Palladio. In total, the CVRs represent the contractual rights to receive payment of \$39.7 million upon the first patient dosed in a Phase 3 pivotal study of lixivaptan for the treatment of autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD) in any of the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, the United Kingdom and Japan (designated the ACTION Study). The contingent milestone, if triggered, will be settled through the issuance of Centessa ordinary shares equal to the amount of the total CVRs payable based on the per share value of ordinary shares at the milestone date.

The Company has preliminarily determined that the contingent value rights should be accounted for as a liability in accordance with ASC 480. Accordingly, fair value of the contingent consideration will be assessed quarterly until settlement. As such, the total consideration transferred in connection with the Acquisition reflected in this unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information does not purport to represent the actual total consideration transferred in connection with the Acquisition. To estimate the fair value of the contingent consideration, the Company applied a cumulative probability of achieving the clinical milestone and applied it to the potential payout. Prior to initiating the ACTION Study and dosing the first patient, the Company will consider the status and on-going results of the Phase 3a safety study (designated the ALERT Study). As this is an open-label study for which enrollment is on-going, the Company will evaluate if the on-going results support the belief that lixivaptan has a de-risked safety profile. Assuming the on-going results from the ALERT Study continue to support this view, the probability of commencing the ACTION study and dosing the first patient is high and is currently expected during early-to-mid 2022. The cumulative probability of achieving positive results from the ALERT Study and dosing the first patient in the ACTION Study was applied to the CVR payout to arrive at a fair value of \$22.6 million as of the Acquisition date.

iii. As part of the Acquisition, Centessa issued replacement equity awards to select employees and consultants of certain Contributed Companies. The awards consisted of options and restricted shares with vesting provisions generally consistent with the original awards prior to the Acquisition. Pursuant to ASC 805, the Company determined that a portion of the fair value of the replacement awards should be apportioned to consideration, with the remainder apportioned to post-combination share-based compensation expense.

iv. The Company incurred \$4.6 million of transaction costs consisting primarily of legal, accounting and valuation services. Under ASC 805, transaction costs in an asset acquisition are included as a component of consideration transferred.

b) Allocation of Total Consideration Transferred to Assets Acquired and Liabilities Assumed

	(in thousands)	
Cash	\$	68,962
Prepaid and other current assets		16,198
Other long-term assets		1,110
Accounts payable		(3,421)
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		(6,379)
Convertible notes		(5,339)
Other long-term liabilities		(1,201)
Net assets acquired		69,930
IPR&D	\$	219,982
Total Consideration	\$	289,912

i. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information has been prepared using the Company's available accounting records as of December 31, 2020.

ii. IPR&D represents the research and development projects of each Contributed Company which were in-process, but not yet completed, and which Centessa plans to advance. Accounting standards require that the fair value of IPR&D projects acquired in an asset acquisition with no alternative future use be allocated a portion of the consideration transferred and charged to expense at the acquisition date.

This preliminary purchase price allocation has been used to prepare the Acquisition accounting adjustments in the pro forma balance sheet and income statement. The final purchase price allocation will be determined when the Company has completed the detailed valuations and necessary calculations as described in more detail

in the explanatory notes below. The final allocation is expected to be completed during the first quarter of 2021 and could differ materially from the preliminary allocation used in the Acquisition Transaction Adjustments. The final allocation may include (1) changes in fair values of IPR&D and (2) changes in Assets acquired based on balance sheet data as of January 29, 2021.

The IPR&D charge, inclusive of transaction expenses, has been excluded from the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations as the IPR&D charge does not have an ongoing impact. However, total transaction costs of \$4.6 million have been included as a reduction to cash in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as pro forma adjustments to properly reflect the Company's pro forma cash and cash equivalents balance.

In addition, the tax impact arising from the difference between the book and tax bases of the assets gives rise to an increase in the acquired IPR&D and the recognition of a corresponding deferred tax liability. As the acquired IPR&D asset is immediately charged to expense, the deferred tax liability is also written off resulting in no impact to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations or the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet. This tax impact has also been excluded from the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations as it reflects charges directly related to the merger which do not have an ongoing impact.

#### 4. Acquisition Transaction Adjustments

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of December 31, 2020 reflects the following adjustments:

- a) To reflect certain cash transactions pertaining to the Acquisition as follows:

Transaction costs incurred through December 31, 2020 and accrued in Centessa historical financial statements	\$3,139
Transaction costs incurred through December 31, 2020 and accrued in Palladio historical financial statements	203
<b>Total transaction costs incurred and accrued through December 31, 2020</b>	<b>3,342</b>
Additional transaction costs incurred after December 31, 2020	1,255
<b>Total transaction costs</b>	<b>4,597</b>
Issuance cost of ordinary shares	1,784
<b>Adjustment to cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>\$6,381</b>

- b) To reflect the receipt of cash from subscriptions receivable.
- c) To eliminate a related party loan between Contributed Companies.
- d) Upon the acquisition of LockBody, LockBody convertible note holders, who also held a controlling equity interest in LockBody, forfeited their right to convert their convertible notes. Due to the related party nature, the forgiveness of all outstanding principal and interest of \$5.3 million, and the related derivative liability of \$0.9 million, were treated as an equity contribution in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.
- e) Transaction accounting adjustment made to record the Palladio contingent value rights included as part of the total consideration transferred. See Note 3. Estimated consideration and preliminary purchase price allocation for further details.
- f) To eliminate the historical convertible preferred shares and components of shareholders' equity.

g) To reflect the issuance of 89,516,188 Centessa ordinary shares as Acquisition consideration at a per share value of \$2.92 with a stated par value of £0.001 and excludes 759,817 ordinary shares issued as replacement awards to certain individuals.

h) To adjust additional paid-in capital for the following items:

Fair value of replacement awards allocated to consideration	\$ 1,310
Post combination share-based compensation expense from replacement awards	\$ 2,183
Cost to issue ordinary shares	(1,784)

i) To adjust accumulated deficit as follows:

Acquired IPR&D expense	\$219,982
Less: transaction costs expense recorded in historical financial statements	(3,139)
	216,843
Post combination share-based compensation expense from replacement awards	2,183
	<u>\$219,026</u>

j) To account for components of share-based compensation as follows:

Replacement awards	\$2,183	i
Accelerated vesting of share-based awards at Contributed Companies	4,118	ii
	<u>\$6,301</u>	

i. As part of the Acquisition, Centessa issued replacement equity awards to select employees and consultants of certain Contributed Companies. The awards consisted of options and restricted shares with vesting provisions generally consistent with the original awards. Pursuant to ASC 805, the Company determined that a portion of the fair value of the replacement award should be apportioned to consideration, with the remainder apportioned to post-combination expense. The replacement awards require post-combination service and, in some instances, portions of the replacement awards vest immediately on the acquisition date. The share-based compensation expense related to replacement awards consists of \$1.7 million of expense to be recognized immediately from awards that have no continuing vesting provisions and \$0.5 million related to replacement awards with continuing vesting conditions.

ii. The Acquisition of the Contributed Companies by Centessa triggered change of control provisions in the existing share-based equity awards held by employees and consultants at each of the Contributed Companies. Accordingly, the unvested compensation cost of \$4.1 million associated with these awards was immediately accelerated and vested and recorded in research and development expense according to the roles and responsibilities of the underlying award holders. The change of control provisions were waived by certain award holders in lieu of receiving the replacement awards described above.

k) To reclassify transaction costs incurred as of December 31, 2020 and recorded to General and administrative expenses into Acquired in-process research and development as these costs are part of the consideration transferred. The IPR&D charge, inclusive of transaction expenses has been excluded from the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations as it reflects charges directly related to the merger which do not have an ongoing impact.

- l) To eliminate interest expense, amortization of debt discount, and the changes in fair value of derivative liability upon the conversion and cancellation of convertible notes as more fully described in Note 4d and Note 5b.
- m) Represents the pro forma weighted average shares outstanding after giving effect to the Acquisition and Financing.

	Year Ended December 31, 2020
<b>Basic and diluted</b>	
Centessa ordinary shares issued to Contributed Companies	89,516,188
Centessa founders shares	6,100,000
Adjustment to include fully vested Centessa replacement awards	451,151(i)
Pro forma weighted average number of basic and diluted ordinary shares outstanding	<u>96,067,339</u>

All potentially dilutive items, including employee share options and Series A preferred shares were excluded from the diluted share calculation because their effect would have been anti-dilutive as the Company was in a loss position.

- (i) of the total 759,817 shares issued as replacement awards, 450,883 shares vested immediately upon the Acquisition. 97,820 shares will vest after the first year of service. These 97,820 shares were assumed to have vested on December 31, 2020, and were factored into the weighted average shares calculation as if they were outstanding for one day.

**5. Financing Transaction Adjustments**

- a) To reflect the January 29, 2021 issuance of 44,545,456 Preferred Shares, with a stated par value of £0.001 for gross cash proceeds of \$245.0 million. The Company received \$243.8 million of proceeds, net of issuance costs. Total issuance costs were \$1.6 million, consisting of \$1.2 million deducted directly from the gross proceeds, \$0.1 million accrued in Other assets as of December 31, 2020 and reclassified as equity issuance costs in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet presentation and an additional \$0.3 million incurred subsequent to year-end. Total preferred shares issuance costs have been reflected as a reduction to cash and cash equivalents in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet presentation.
- b) To reflect the January 29, 2021 issuance of an additional 1,136,363 Series A preferred shares with a stated par value of £0.001 to settle the Company's outstanding convertible notes. Accordingly, the company cancelled the convertible notes which had an outstanding principal and interest balance \$4.2 million and related derivative liability of \$0.8 million. Due the related party nature of the convertible note holders, no gain or loss was recorded as part of this extinguishment and the preferred share issuance and convertible note extinguishment were recorded as a capital contribution in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet.
- c) A portion of the proceeds from the Series A Preferred Share issuance was used to buy back 8,900,000 founder's shares with a stated par value of £0.001. The buyback amounted to \$11,000.

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND  
RESULTS OF OPERATIONS OF CENTESSA PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED**

*The following discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with our audited financial statements and related notes thereto included elsewhere in this prospectus. This discussion and analysis and other parts of this prospectus contain forward-looking statements based upon current beliefs, plans and expectations that involve risks, uncertainties and assumptions, such as statements regarding our plans, objectives, expectations, intentions and projections. Our actual results and the timing of selected events could differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of several factors, including those set forth under "Risk Factors" and elsewhere in this prospectus. You should carefully read the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus to gain an understanding of the important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from forward-looking statements. Please also see the section entitled "Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements."*

**Overview**

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (Centessa) is reimagining the traditional pharmaceutical research and development model to build, from the bottom-up, a research and development engine predicated on asset centrality to discover, develop and ultimately deliver impactful medicines to patients. We believe the successful execution at scale of our asset-centric R&D model has the potential to result in increased R&D productivity and could have a positive impact for patients, providers and society more broadly.

We were formed on October 26, 2020 and had limited operating activity in 2020. In January 2021, we implemented our reimagined approach to research and development by completing the acquisition of eleven asset-centric private biotech companies (the Centessa Subsidiaries). Simultaneous with our acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries, we completed a \$250.0 million Series A convertible preferred share financing that was comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt.

During this period we had limited operations. Our financial statements for future periods will contain the results of the Centessa Subsidiaries. The historical financial data discussed in this Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations are those of Centessa from the period of October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020.

Our ability to generate product revenue sufficient to achieve profitability will depend heavily on the successful development and eventual commercialization of our current or future product candidates. We expect to continue to incur significant expenses and increasing operating losses in connection with ongoing development activities related to the portfolio of programs as we advance the preclinical and clinical development of our product candidates; perform research activities as we seek to discover and develop additional programs and product candidates; carry out maintenance, expansion enforcement, defense, and protection of our intellectual property portfolio; and hire additional research and development, clinical operations and other personnel. In addition, we will have potential development and commercial milestone payment obligations under several licensing arrangements associated with the Centessa Subsidiaries.

In addition, if we obtain marketing approval for any of our existing or future product candidates, we expect to incur significant commercialization expenses related to product manufacturing, marketing, sales and distribution. Furthermore, upon the closing of this offering, we expect to incur additional costs associated with operating as a public company, including significant legal, accounting, investor relations and other expenses that we would not incur as a private company. We expect our existing cash and cash equivalents, including the proceeds received in January 2021 in connection with the sale of our Series A preferred stock, together with the net proceeds from this offering, will enable us to fund our operating expenses and capital expenditure requirements until . See "Use of Proceeds."

As a result, we will need to raise substantial additional capital to support our continuing operations and pursue our growth and development strategy. Until the time we can generate significant revenue from product sales, if ever, we plan to finance our operations through the sale of equity, debt financings or other capital sources, which may include collaborations with other companies or other strategic transactions. There are no assurances that we will be successful in obtaining an adequate level of financing as and when needed to finance our operations on acceptable terms or at all. If we are unable to secure adequate additional funding as and when needed, we may have to significantly delay, scale back or discontinue the development and commercialization of one or more product candidates or delay the pursuit of potential in-licenses or acquisitions.

Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with product development, we are unable to predict the timing or amount of increased expenses or when or if it will be able to achieve or maintain profitability. Even if we are able to generate product sales, we may not become profitable. If we fail to become profitable or unable to sustain profitability on a continuing basis, then we may be unable to continue operations at planned levels and be forced to reduce or terminate operations.

#### **Components of Results of Operations**

##### ***Revenues***

To date, we have not generated any revenue. Our ability to generate revenue and to become profitable will depend upon the ability to successfully develop, obtain regulatory approval and commercialize any future product candidates. Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with product development and regulatory approval, we are unable to predict the amount or timing of revenue.

##### ***Research and Development Expenses***

Research and development activities will be central to our business model. Product candidates in later stages of clinical development will generally have higher development costs than those in earlier stages of clinical development, primarily due to the increased size and duration of later-stage clinical trials. We expect research and development expenses associated with the Centessa Subsidiaries to increase significantly over the next several years due to increases in personnel costs, including share-based compensation, increases in costs to conduct clinical trials for their current product candidates and other clinical trials for future product candidates and prepare regulatory filings for any product candidates.

The successful development of Centessa Subsidiaries' current or future product candidates is highly uncertain. At this time, we cannot reasonably estimate or know the nature, timing and costs of the efforts that will be necessary to complete the remainder of the development of current or future product candidates, or when, if ever, material net cash inflows may commence from product candidates. The amounts and timing of our actual expenditures and the extent of clinical development may vary significantly depending on numerous factors, including the progress of our development efforts, the status of and results from preclinical studies and any ongoing clinical trials or clinical trials we may commence in the future, as well as any collaborations that we may enter into with third parties for our product candidates and any unforeseen cash needs. As a result, our management will retain broad discretion over the allocation of the net proceeds from this offering and may change the allocation of use of these proceeds. This uncertainty is due to the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with the duration and cost of research and development activities and clinical trials, which vary significantly over the life of a project as a result of many factors, including:

- personnel-related expenses, including salaries, bonuses, benefits and share-based compensation for employees and consultants engaged in research and development functions;
- continuing our platform research and drug discovery efforts for our current and future product candidates;
- the successful achievement of preclinical and clinical milestones;

- delays in regulators or institutional review boards authorizing us or its investigators to commence our clinical trials, or in our ability to negotiate agreements with clinical trial sites or CROs;
- the ability to secure adequate supply of product candidates for trials;
- the number of clinical sites included in the trials;
- the ability and the length of time required to enroll suitable patients;
- the number of patients that ultimately participate in the trials;
- the number of doses patients receive;
- any side effects associated with product candidates;
- the duration of patient follow-up;
- the results of clinical trials;
- significant and changing government regulations;
- launching commercial sales of product candidates, if and when approved, whether alone or in collaboration with others; and
- future potential payments under incentivization agreements.

Our expenditures are subject to additional uncertainties, including the terms and timing of regulatory approvals. We may never succeed in achieving regulatory approval for the Centessa Subsidiaries' product candidates. We may obtain unexpected results from clinical trials and may elect to discontinue, delay or modify clinical trials of our product candidates. A change in the outcome of any of these variables with respect to the development of a product candidate could mean a significant change in the costs and timing associated with the development of that product candidate. For example, if the EMA, FDA or other comparable regulatory authorities were to require us to conduct clinical trials beyond those that are currently anticipated, or if we experience significant delays in enrollment in any clinical trials, we could be required to expend significant additional financial resources and time on the completion of clinical development. Product commercialization will take several years, and we expect to spend a significant amount in development costs.

#### ***General and Administrative Expense***

During our limited period of operations in 2020, general and administrative expense consisted primarily of legal and professional costs associated with our formation, corporate matters. Following the acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries in January 2021, general and administrative expenses will consist of personnel expenses, including salaries and benefits for employees in certain executive functions and share-based compensation. General and administrative expenses will also include corporate facility costs, including rent, utilities, depreciation and maintenance, not otherwise included in research and development expense, as well as legal fees related to intellectual property and corporate matters and fees for accounting and consulting services.

We expect general and administrative expenses will increase in the future to support our ongoing and continued research and development activities, potential commercialization efforts and increased costs of operating as a public company. These increases will likely include increased costs related to the hiring of additional personnel and fees to outside consultants, lawyers and accountants, among other expenses. Additionally, we anticipate increased costs associated with being a public company, including expenses related to services associated with maintaining compliance with the requirements of Nasdaq and the SEC, insurance and investor relations costs. If any current or future product candidates obtain regulatory approval, we expect to incur significantly increased expenses associated with building a sales and marketing team.

#### ***Interest Expense***

Interest expense consists of interest on proceeds received under convertible debt and the amortization of debt discount consists of the capitalization of debt issuance costs and the bifurcation of the embedded redemption



feature associated with our convertible debt. The debt discount was amortized over the life of the convertible debt until it was settled subsequent to December 31, 2020.

### Results of Operations

#### For the Period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020

The following table sets forth our results of operations for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

Operating expenses:	
General and administrative	\$ 3,139
Loss from operations	(3,139)
Interest expense, net	(2)
Amortization of debt discount	(8)
Net loss	<u>\$ (3,149)</u>

#### General and Administrative Expense

General and administrative expenses for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 was \$3.1 million attributable to formation costs and associated legal and professional fees.

#### Interest Expense, net and amortization of debt discount

We recognized \$10,000 of interest expense during the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 in connection with our bridge financing arrangement with Medicxi Growth.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

#### Debt Financing

In December 2020, we entered into a Convertible Loan Agreement Growth with Medicxi Growth I LP and Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I LP (collectively Medicxi Growth) whereby we issued \$5.0 million of unsecured convertible notes to Medicxi Growth. The convertible notes were issued as a bridge financing, in contemplation of completing a Series A financing which occurred in January 2021, to fund formation and transaction related costs. Upon the completion of the Series A financing, the outstanding principal and interest converted into the shares of Series A preferred stock at 80% of the subscription price of the Series A offering.

#### Sources of Liquidity

As of December 31, 2020, we had cash of \$5.0 million. We were formed on October 26, 2020 and have had minimal operating activity and our operations were not financed until December 2020 when we received bridge financing from Medicxi Growth. Other than our bridge financing with Medicxi Growth, which has been settled, we have no ongoing material financing commitments, such as lines of credit or guarantees, that are expected to affect liquidity over the next five years.

**Cash Flows**

The following table shows a summary of cash flows for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

Net cash (used in) provided by:	
Operating activities	\$ —
Financing activities	5,010
Exchange rate effect on cash and cash equivalents	(7)
Net increase in cash	<u>\$ 5,003</u>

*Operating Activities*

During the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, we used no cash in our operating activities as our primary source of funding occurred in December 2020. Our operating activities were primarily comprised of formation efforts and preparation to complete future strategic initiatives.

*Financing Activities*

During the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, financing activities provided \$5.0 million in net cash proceeds solely attributable to our bridge financing with Medicxi Growth.

**Funding Requirements**

Following the acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries, our expenses will increase in connection with ongoing and continuing activities, particularly as we continue the research and development of, continue or initiate clinical trials of, and seek marketing approval for any of current and future product candidates. In addition to funding the research and development activities of the Centessa Subsidiaries, we plan to invest significantly in a fully integrated and centralized infrastructure for operational, legal, and financial functions and controls in the near term. If marketing approval is obtained for any product candidates, we also expect to incur significant commercialization expenses related to product sales, marketing, manufacturing and distribution. Furthermore, following the completion of this offering, additional costs associated with operating as a public company are expected. Accordingly, there will be a need to obtain substantial additional funding in connection with the continuing operations. If we are unable to raise capital when needed or on attractive terms, we would be forced to delay, reduce or eliminate research and development programs or future commercialization efforts. For more information please see “*Risk Factors — We face challenges, risks and expenses related to the Reorganization in integrating the operations of our asset-centric Centessa Subsidiaries, as well as the management of the expected growth in the scale and complexity of our operations following this offering.*”

We anticipate that expenses will increase substantially as we:

- seek to discover and develop current and future clinical and preclinical product candidates;
- scale up clinical and regulatory capabilities;
- adapt regulatory compliance efforts to incorporate requirements applicable to marketed products;
- establish a sales, marketing and distribution infrastructure and scale up external manufacturing capabilities to commercialize any product candidates for which regulatory approval may be obtained;
- maintain, expand and protect the intellectual property portfolio;
- hire additional internal or external clinical, manufacturing and scientific personnel or consultants;
- integrate the operations of the Centessa Subsidiaries into our larger organization and harmonize the operational, legal, financial and management controls, reporting systems and procedures;
- add operational, financial and management information systems and personnel, including personnel to support product development efforts; and
- incur additional legal, accounting and other expenses in operating as a public company.

Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated research, development and commercialization of product candidates, we are unable to estimate the exact amount of working capital requirements. Future funding requirements will depend on and could increase significantly as a result of many factors, including:

- the scope, progress, results and costs of preclinical studies and clinical trials;
- the scope, prioritization and number of research and development programs;
- the costs, timing and outcome of regulatory review of product candidates;
- the ability to establish and maintain collaborations on favorable terms, if at all;
- the extent to which obligations to reimburse exist, or entitled to reimbursement of, clinical trial costs under collaboration agreements, if any;
- the costs of preparing, filing and prosecuting patent applications, maintaining and enforcing intellectual property rights and defending intellectual property-related claims;
- the extent to which we acquire or in-license other companies, product candidates and technologies;
- the costs of securing manufacturing arrangements for commercial production; and
- the costs of establishing or contracting for sales and marketing capabilities if regulatory approvals are obtained to market product candidates.

Identifying potential product candidates and conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials is a time-consuming, expensive and uncertain process that takes many years to complete, and may never generate the necessary data or results required to obtain marketing approval and achieve product sales. In addition, product candidates, if approved, may not achieve commercial success. Commercial revenues, if any, will be derived from sales of product candidates that do not expect to be commercially available for the next couple of years, if at all. Accordingly, the need to continue to rely on additional financing to achieve our business objectives will continue. Adequate additional financing may not be available on acceptable terms, or at all.

Until such time, if ever, as we can generate substantial product revenues, financing cash needs through a combination of equity offerings, debt financings, collaborations, strategic alliances and licensing arrangements are expected. To the extent that additional capital is raised through the sale of equity or convertible debt securities, ownership interests will be diluted, and the terms of these securities may include liquidation or other preferences that adversely affect rights as an ordinary shareholder. Debt financing, if available, may involve agreements that include covenants limiting or restricting the ability to take specific actions, such as incurring additional debt, making capital expenditures or declaring dividends.

If we raise funds through collaborations, strategic alliances or additional licensing arrangements with third parties, we may have to relinquish valuable rights to technologies, future revenue streams, research programs or product candidates or to grant licenses on terms that may not be favorable. If we are unable to raise additional funds when needed, they may delay, limit, reduce or terminate product development or future commercialization efforts or grant rights to develop and market product candidates that we would otherwise prefer to develop and market.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Management's discussion and analysis of its financial condition and results of operations are based on our audited financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The preparation of these financial statements requires estimates and judgments be made that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and expenses and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities in the financial statements. On an ongoing basis, an evaluation of estimates and judgments are required, including those related to accrued expenses and share-based compensation. Estimates are based on historical experience, known

trends and events, and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

While the significant accounting policies are described in more detail in Note 2 to our audited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus, the following accounting policy for share-based payments are the most critical to the judgments and estimates used in the preparation of our financial statements.

#### **Share-Based Compensation**

We measure compensation expense for all share-based awards based on the estimated fair value of the award on the grant date. We issued ordinary shares to several founders and executives that are subject to future time-based vesting requirements.

#### **Estimating the Fair Value of Ordinary Shares**

Estimating the fair value of our ordinary shares for our share-based awards is required. Because we are not currently publicly traded, the fair value of our ordinary shares has been estimated by our board of directors, with input from our management team, considering most recently available third-party valuation of ordinary shares.

Our board of directors considers various objective and subjective factors to estimate the estimated fair value of ordinary shares, including:

- the estimated value of all classes of securities outstanding;
- the anticipated capital structure that will directly impact the value of the currently outstanding securities;
- results of operations and financial position;
- the status of research and development efforts;
- the composition of, and changes to, management team and board of directors;
- the lack of liquidity of ordinary shares as a private company;
- stage of development and business strategy and the material risks related to the business and industry;
- external market conditions affecting the life sciences and biotechnology industry sectors;
- United Kingdom, Europe and global economic conditions;
- the likelihood of achieving a liquidity event for the holders of ordinary shares, such as an initial public offering (IPO) or a sale of the company, given prevailing market conditions; and
- the market value and volatility of comparable companies.

In estimating the fair value of our ordinary shares, our board of directors considered the subjective factors discussed above in conjunction with the most recent valuations of shares that were prepared by an independent third-party. Following the closing of this offering, the fair value of our ordinary shares will be the closing price of our ADSs on the Nasdaq Global Market as reported on the date of the grant.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

See Note 2 to our audited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus for a description of recent accounting pronouncements applicable to the financial statements.

#### **Contractual Obligations and Other Commitments**

As of December 31, 2020, we had no material contractual obligations and other commitments associated with contracts that are enforceable and legally binding and that specify all significant terms, including fixed or minimum services to be used, fixed, minimum or variable price provisions, and the approximate timing of the actions under the contracts.

In connection with our acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries in January 2021, we issued contingent value rights, or CVRs, to former shareholders and option holders of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (Palladio). In total, the CVRs represent the contractual rights to receive payment of \$39.7 million upon the dosing of the first patient in commencement of a Palladio's ACTION study, a pivotal Phase 3 clinical trial of lixivaptan for the treatment of Polycystic Kidney Disease in any of the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, the United Kingdom and Japan, with an expected commencement date in early-to-mid 2022. The contingent milestone, if triggered, will be settled through the issuance of a number of our ordinary shares equal to the amount of the total CVRs payable based on the per share value of our ordinary shares at the milestone date.

#### *Incentivization Agreements*

In January 2021 we established incentivization arrangements pursuant to which certain members of the senior management teams of each predecessor entity are eligible to earn certain payments based on the attainment of corresponding milestone performance by and/or an exit event of such predecessor entity, as applicable to each executive. Milestones may include the designation of a product candidate or the attainment of approvals, licenses, permits, certifications registrations or authorizations necessary for the sale of a particular product candidate or related molecules in the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain or the United Kingdom. The milestone payment amount for each subsidiary is in the low eight figure range to be divided among the members of the respective subsidiary's senior management team and employees according to the terms of its respective incentivization agreement. Any milestone payment earned will be payable in a lump sum within twenty (20) days after attainment of the milestone. In addition, if a sale of a controlling interest in a subsidiary or sale (or grant of an exclusive license) of its respective product candidate occurs prior to attainment of the milestone or within the three (3) year period following attainment of the milestone, an exit payment equal in the range of single digit to low teens percentage of the sales proceeds less any amounts previously paid as a milestone payment (if any) and any fees, costs and expenses of the sale (excluding any earn out, milestone, royalty payment or other contingent payments but including any escrow, holdback or similar amount) will become due and payable to certain employees and members of the subsidiary's senior management team. To the extent an exit event occurs following the occurrence of an adverse event (which includes the failure to achieve milestones within the specified time period), no exit payment will become due unless sale proceeds are in excess of an amount in the eight-figure range.

The contractual obligations we have disclosed do not include any potential development, regulatory and commercial milestone payments and potential royalty payments that we may be required to make under the various license agreements entered into by the Centessa Subsidiaries and collaboration agreement. We excluded these payments given that the timing of any such payments cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

#### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

We do not have any relationships with unconsolidated entities or financial partnerships, including entities sometimes referred to as structured finance or special purpose entities that were established for the purpose of facilitating off-balance sheet arrangements or other contractually narrow or limited purposes. We do not engage in off-balance sheet financing arrangements. In addition, we do not engage in trading activities involving non-exchange traded contracts. Therefore, we believe that they are not materially exposed to any financing, liquidity, market or credit risk that could arise if we were engaged in these relationships.

**Qualitative and Quantitative Disclosures About Market Risk**

We are exposed to market risks in the ordinary course of its business. These risks primarily include interest rate sensitivities. Interest-earning assets consist of cash and cash equivalents. Interest income earned on these assets was de minimis for the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020.

**JOBS Act Transition Period**

In April 2012, the JOBS Act was enacted. Section 107 of the JOBS Act provides that an “emerging growth company” can take advantage of the extended transition period provided in Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, for complying with new or revised accounting standards. Thus, an emerging growth company can delay the adoption of certain accounting standards until those standards would otherwise apply to private companies. We are electing to utilize the extended transition period and, as a result, will comply with new or revised accounting standards on the relevant dates on which adoption of such standards is required for emerging growth companies.

We are in the process of evaluating the benefits of relying on other exemptions and reduced reporting requirements under the JOBS Act. Subject to certain conditions, as an emerging growth company, we may rely on certain of these exemptions, including without limitation, (1) providing an auditor’s attestation report on the system of internal controls over financial reporting pursuant to Section 404(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act and (2) complying with any requirement that may be adopted by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board regarding mandatory audit firm rotation or a supplement to the auditor’s report providing additional information about the audit and the financial statements, known as the auditor discussion and analysis. We will remain an emerging growth company until the earlier to occur of (a) the last day of the fiscal year (i) following the fifth anniversary of the completion of this offering, (ii) in which we have total annual gross revenues of at least \$1.07 billion or (iii) in which we are deemed to be a “large accelerated filer” under the rules of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, which means the market value of its ordinary shares that is held by non-affiliates exceeds \$700 million as of the prior June 30th, and (b) the date on which we have issued more than \$1.0 billion in non-convertible debt during the prior three-year period.

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND  
RESULTS OF OPERATIONS OF THE CENTESSA PREDECESSOR GROUP AND CERTAIN OTHER ACQUIRED ENTITIES**

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**Background and Format of Presentation**

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (Centessa) was formed on October 26, 2020 and had limited operating activities through December 31, 2020. In January 2021, Centessa acquired 100% of the equity interests of the Centessa Subsidiaries in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Within this registration statement, Centessa is required to present a minimum of two years of financial information. As a result, Centessa determined three of the eleven Centessa Subsidiaries, on a combined basis, represent the predecessor entity prior to Centessa's acquisitions in January 2021. The predecessor includes the combined financial information of Z Factor Limited, Morphogen-IX Limited and LockBody Therapeutics Ltd and is collectively referred to as the Centessa Predecessor Group, or the Group. Management's discussion and analysis of the Centessa Predecessor Group and the audited financial statements and notes thereto can be found elsewhere in this prospectus. In addition to presenting financial information for Centessa Predecessor Group, and in accordance with Rule 3-05 of Regulation S-X, Centessa is required to include the historical audited financial statements and related notes thereto for the remaining Centessa Subsidiaries and such financial information can be found elsewhere in this prospectus.

When considering each of the remaining eight entities' stages of development and related future research and development costs associated with each entity, Centessa believes that Palladio Biosciences, Inc., or Palladio and ApcinteX Limited, or ApcinteX, are material to include in management's discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations in addition to the discussion pertaining to the Group. As a result, the financial condition and results of operations for Palladio and ApcinteX have been included.

*Z Factor Limited*

Z Factor Limited is a clinical-stage biotechnology company founded in 2015 to identify and develop therapeutic agents to treat alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency, or AATD, a common genetic disorder where a single mistake in the DNA encoding the protein alpha-1-antitrypsin causes both liver and lung disease. Z Factor's lead product candidate, ZF874, is a novel compound that acts as a molecular patch for the faulty protein, allowing it to fold correctly, thereby simultaneously relieving the liver burden of polymer accumulation and providing fully-functional Z-A1AT in the circulation to protect the lungs. The first human volunteer was dosed with ZF874 in August 2020 in a Phase 1 clinical trial designed to determine how safe and effective ZF874 is at raising levels of Z-A1AT in humans in a short period of time.

*LockBody Therapeutics Ltd*

LockBody is pioneering a platform technology to develop LockBody CD47 (LB1) and LockBody CD3 (LB2) for optimal targeting of solid tumors by the innate immune system. LockBody aims to develop novel

therapeutics based on its platform technology that is designed to selectively drive CD47 or CD3 activity while avoiding systemic toxicity. As compared to the mechanism of bispecific antibodies, LockBody technology is monospecific until activated, and thereby is intended to address the classical limitations of bispecific antibodies by locking the cell-killing mechanism of action, such as CD47 or CD3, beneath a well-tolerated tumor targeting arm such as Her2 or PD-L1. LockBody seeks to leverage its technology to generate lead compounds with novel mechanisms of action to address solid tumors, which previously have not been addressed by CD47 or CD3-targeting therapies and are resistant to current standard of care. LockBody is currently conducting preclinical evaluation and cell line development for its first asset, targeting CD47, designated LB1, and lead optimization for its second asset, which targets CD3, designated LB2. In parallel, LockBody has been pursuing Her2/CD47 and PD-L1/CD47 molecules.

*Morphogen-IX Limited*

Morphogen-IX Limited was founded in 2015 to identify and develop bone morphogenetic proteins, or BMPs, as a novel therapy for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension, or PAH. PAH, a severe form of pulmonary hypertension, is a progressive life-limiting disease caused by narrowing of small pulmonary arteries in the periphery of the lung. Morphogen-IX's lead product candidate, MGX292, is a disease-modifying, protein-engineered variant of human bone morphogenetic protein 9 (BMP9) for the treatment of PAH.

Since inception, the Centessa Predecessor Group has devoted substantially all of its resources to acquiring and developing product and technology rights, conducting research and development in its clinical and preclinical trials and raising capital. The Group has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and has funded operations primarily through the sale and issuance of its convertible preferred stock and convertible promissory notes. The ability to generate product revenue sufficient to achieve profitability will depend heavily on the successful development and eventual commercialization of current or future product candidates. The Group expects to continue to incur significant expenses and increasing operating losses for the foreseeable future in connection with ongoing development activities related to the portfolio of programs as the Centessa Predecessor Group entities advance the preclinical and clinical development of product candidates; perform research activities as the Group seeks to discover and develop additional programs and product candidates; carry out maintenance, expansion enforcement, defense, and protection of its intellectual property portfolio; and hires additional research and development, clinical and commercial personnel. In addition, the Group has development and commercial milestone payment obligations under licensing arrangements with the University of Cambridge Enterprise.

The Group's net loss was \$5.1 million and \$10.7 million for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the Group had \$7.2 million in cash and combined deficit of \$22.4 million.

*Palladio Biosciences, Inc.*

Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (Palladio) was created with the goal of developing transformative medicines for orphan diseases of the kidney. Palladio is actively investigating its lead product candidate, lixivaptan, an oral, non-peptide, new chemical agent that works by selectively suppressing the activity of the hormone vasopressin at the V2 receptor, as well as evaluating its potential to deliver a differentiated safety profile for patients with autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD). Lixivaptan's development program is designed to show that lixivaptan can slow the decline in renal function that is typically observed in ADPKD patients while avoiding the liver safety issues associated with JYNARQUE®, a form of branded tolvaptan indicated for ADPKD, which is the only drug currently approved for ADPKD. We believe the potential of lixivaptan in ADPKD is supported by data to date, which includes extensive data from a quantitative-systems toxicology modeling tool, clinical development in a different indication as well as preclinical and clinical studies in ADPKD.



Palladio is currently conducting a Phase 3 clinical trial (designated the ALERT Study), an open-label, repeat-dose study designed to assess hepatic and non-hepatic safety of lixivaptan in patients who previously experienced abnormal liver chemistry test results while treated with tolvaptan and were permanently discontinued from tolvaptan for that reason. While the ALERT Study is not a registrational trial, Palladio is preparing to conduct a global Phase 3 pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, (designated the ACTION study), which we expect to commence by early-to-mid 2022.

#### *ApcinteX Limited*

ApcinteX Limited (ApcinteX) is focused on developing SerpinPC for the treatment of Hemophilia A (HA) and Hemophilia B (HB). Hemophilia is a rare bleeding disorder that is caused by a deficiency of thrombin generation upon vascular damage. SerpinPC, a biologic of the serpin family of proteins, is designed to allow more thrombin to be generated by inhibiting Activated Protein C (APC). ApcinteX's approach is to rebalance coagulation in hemophilia by decreasing a single anticoagulant force. SerpinPC has the potential to treat all types of hemophilia regardless of severity or inhibitor status, and may also prevent bleeding associated with other bleeding disorders. ApcinteX seeks to develop SerpinPC as a one-size-fits-all approach for the treatment of HA and HB.

#### **Licensing Arrangements**

##### *Z Factor License Agreement*

In February 2015, Z Factor Limited entered into a license agreement with Cambridge Enterprise Limited (CE), which is a company wholly owned by the University of Cambridge, relating to small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin (Z-chaperones). Under such license agreement, Z Factor obtained from CE an exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free, sublicensable (subject to certain requirements) license, or the CE Exclusive License, to certain specified deliverables, or CE Data, materials and know-how, or Exclusive Licensed Technology, for the development Z-chaperones. Z Factor also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free, sublicensable (subject to certain requirements) license, or the CE Non-Exclusive License, to certain knowledge, experience, materials, data and technical or regulatory information which may be of commercial interest to Z Factor, (Non-Exclusive Technical Know-How), in the Z-chaperones field. Under the CE Exclusive License and the CE Non-Exclusive License (collectively, the Z Factor License Agreement), Z Factor has the worldwide right to research, develop, manufacture, market, sell and distribute Z-chaperones in the Field. CE, in accordance with its standard practice, has reserved on behalf of University of Cambridge, and its researchers, a limited, irrevocable, world-wide, royalty-free, right to use the Exclusive Licensed Technology and Non-Exclusive Technical Know-How in the Field for academic publication, teaching, and academic research, but specifically excluding any commercial use or exploitation.

In exchange for the rights under the license agreement, Z Factor granted to CE a number of ordinary shares of Z Factor License Agreement, in addition to an upfront license fee, and reimbursing CE for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by CE prior to the effective date of the Z Factor License Agreement. Z Factor is also obligated to pay to CE total aggregate milestone payments in the low hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling upon satisfaction of certain financing and developmental milestones. Each milestone payment is payable only once, regardless of multiple INDs submitted for different therapeutic indications, for the term of the Z Factor License Agreement.

Unless terminated earlier, the Z Factor License Agreement will be in effect for a period of 20 years from the effective date Z Factor License Agreement. Z Factor may continue to use all know-how after expiry of the Z Factor License Agreement. Z Factor may terminate the License at any time for convenience with adequate written notice to CE. Either party may terminate the License if the other materially breaches the agreement without timely remedy, becomes insolvent, or if acts of nature exist for an extended period of time. Z Factor may assign the Z Factor License Agreement without CE's prior consent in connection with a transfer of substantially all of Z Factor's assets. In all other cases, Z Factor would obtain the prior written consent from CE before assigning its rights and obligations under the Z Factor License Agreement.

*Morphogen-IX Licence Agreement*

On October 30, 2015, our subsidiary, Morphogen-IX Limited, or Morphogen-IX, entered into a Patent and Know-How Licence Agreement, or License, with Cambridge Enterprise Limited (a company wholly owned by the University of Cambridge), or CE, relating to BMP 9 and 10. Pursuant to the agreement, Morphogen-IX obtained from CE an exclusive, worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (through multiple tiers) license, or the Exclusive CE License, under certain patent rights, or BMP Patents, and certain technical information and materials relating to BMP 9 and 10, or BMP Know-How, for the treatment of all diseases, including prophylaxis, for human and animal health or any related research or development, or the Field. Morphogen-IX also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (through multiple tiers) license, or the CE Non-Exclusive License, to under certain, data, technical information and other know-how that is not specific to BMP 9 and 10, or the Non-Exclusive Know-How. Under the CE Exclusive License and the CE Non-Exclusive License, Morphogen-IX has the right to develop and commercialize any product, process, service or use that uses or incorporates any BMP Patents, the BMP Know-How or the Non-Exclusive Know-How, or any materials that are sold in conjunction with any such products or services, in each such case, a Licensed Product. CE has reserved a customary limited right to use the BMP Patents, BMP Know-How and Non-Exclusive Know-How for academic publication, teaching, and academic research.

In addition to the rights described above, Morphogen-IX also obtained the right to exclusively license, upon request, any and all improvements, modifications, and other developments to the BMP Patents or the BMP Know-how arising during the term of the agreement, or BMP Improvements, provided that such BMP Improvements have been created by any or all of the inventors named in the BMP Patent and assigned to CE within 3 years from the effective date of the agreement.

Morphogen-IX must use commercially reasonable efforts to develop and commercialize the Licensed Products in accordance with the development plan, to introduce Licensed Products into the commercial market and to market Licensed Products after such introduction in the market, and to commit the necessary and available funding and personnel to maximize sales and corresponding return to CE under the Licence Agreement. Morphogen-IX, at its own cost, has the right to control the prosecution, maintenance and enforcement of the BMP Patents. CE has certain step-in rights if Morphogen-IX does not conduct certain BMP patent-related activities as set forth in the Licence Agreement.

In consideration for the rights granted by CE under the Licence Agreement, Morphogen-IX is obligated to reimburse CE for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by CE prior to the effective date of the Licence Agreement and pay an annual license fee of \$14,000 (£10,000 at an exchange rate of 0.73).

Additionally, Morphogen-IX is obligated to pay CE certain milestone payments in the aggregate amount of up to \$1.0 million (£0.8 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) upon the achievement of certain development and regulatory milestones. Upon commercialization of any Licensed Products, Morphogen-IX is obligated to pay CE a low single-digit royalty based on Morphogen-IX's or its sublicensee's annual net sales for each Licensed Product in the relevant country until the expiry of the royalty term, subject customary royalty deductions for necessary third party licenses. In countries where valid claims exist under the licensed patents, royalties are payable on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product and country-by-country basis until there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country.

Unless terminated earlier, the agreement will be in effect until the licensed patents have expired or been revoked without a right of further appeal; Morphogen-IX retains the right to use the licensed know-how in such circumstances. Morphogen-IX may terminate the Licence Agreement at any time for convenience with adequate written notice to CE. Either party may terminate the Licence Agreement based on customary termination rights. CE retains the right to terminate the agreement if Morphogen-IX challenges the validity or ownership of the BMP patents.

*Palladio Biosciences (Palladio) License*

As of December 15, 2020, Palladio owns one pending US patent application and five pending foreign applications in Japan, Europe, Australia, Canada and Korea. Palladio's patent portfolio includes claims directed to methods of treatment with lixivaptan. The pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

In July 2016, Palladio acquired Cardiokine, Inc. from Chiesi USA, Inc. (Chiesi). In connection with the acquisition, Palladio acquired a license from Wyeth (now Pfizer) for lixivaptan and inherited certain historical contingent payment obligations (see below "Payments due to certain former Cardiokine stakeholders") and agreed to make certain contingent consideration payments to Chiesi (see below "Payments due to Chiesi"). Palladio subsequently acquired the rights due to certain (but not all) former Cardiokine stakeholders, reducing the contingent future obligations (the "Repurchased Rights").

Under the license agreement, Wyeth granted to Palladio an exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, sublicensable license under certain patents and know-how to research, develop, manufacture and commercialize, or exploit, products containing lixivaptan, or Licensed Products, in all fields other than veterinary use. All in-licensed patents directed to composition of matter of lixivaptan and certain methods of use related to lixivaptan have expired.

Palladio is obligated to use commercially reasonable efforts to exploit the Licensed Products in the United States, Canada, United Kingdom (UK) and certain European Union (EU) countries. Before Palladio can enter into a marketing partnership, co-promotion or other similar relationship for a Licensed Product for an indication in a country, Chiesi has a right of first negotiation to enter into such a marketing partnership with Palladio.

Unless earlier terminated, the license agreement will terminate on a country-by-country basis upon the later of (i) the expiration of the last to expire licensed patent, or (ii) ten years after the first commercial sale of each Licensed Product in such country. In any such terminated country, Palladio has an irrevocable, nonexclusive, fully paid-up, perpetual and royalty-free, fully transferable license under the licensed patents and licensed know-how to manufacture and commercialize such Licensed Product in such country, with the right to grant sublicenses. In certain cases, Palladio may terminate the license agreement for convenience with written notice to Wyeth. Either party may terminate if the other party materially breaches the license agreement or becomes insolvent. Palladio may assign the License Agreement without Wyeth's prior consent in connection with the acquisition of Palladio. In all other cases, Palladio must obtain the prior written consent of Wyeth before assigning the license agreement.

Palladio has certain milestone obligations and certain royalty obligations arising in the event a Licensed Product is commercialized and the corresponding sales milestones are met as follows:

*Payments due to Chiesi*

The terms of the Cardiokine acquisition from Chiesi included certain contingent consideration payments which would be due to Chiesi in the event a Licensed Product is commercialized. Such payments are structured as a tiered percentage of net sales with aggregate annual payment to Chiesi capped at \$32.5 million.

*Payments due to certain former Cardiokine stakeholders*

There are certain consideration payments previously agreed with Cardiokine stakeholders that were inherited by Palladio when it acquired Cardiokine and such payment obligations remain and would be due in the event the payment criteria are met. These comprise sales based milestones and royalty payments, including sales based milestones to former stakeholders of up to \$16.3 million and low single digit royalty payments (the first \$19 million of which would be due to Pfizer). In all cases these amounts take into account the effect of the Repurchased Rights.

In the event Palladio sublicenses the ex-US rights to the Licensed Product to third parties, Palladio is further obligated to share any up-front payments and royalties it earns from such ex-US sublicenses, subject to certain caps, with the former Cardiokine stakeholders. Certain other obligations arise if Palladio develops the Licensed Product for indications other than ADPKD.

*ApcinteX Limited License Agreement*

In December 2016, ApcinteX entered into an Exclusive Patent and Non-Exclusive Know-How License Agreement (ApcinteX License Agreement) with Cambridge Enterprise Limited (CE), which is a company wholly owned by the University of Cambridge. Under the License Agreement, ApcinteX obtained from CE an exclusive, worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (subject to certain requirements) license under certain patent rights and technical information, know-how and materials specific to modified serpins for the treatment of bleeding disorders, or the Exclusive Know-How, for the field of development, manufacture and sale of licensed products, processes or uses, or Licensed Products, for the diagnosis, prognosis and treatment of human disease. ApcinteX also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (subject to certain requirements) license to additional technical information, know-how and materials, or the Non-Exclusive Know-How for the development, manufacture and sale of Licensed Products in the field. The licensor has, in accordance with its standard practice, retained an irrevocable, worldwide, royalty-free right to use the licensed patents and know-how for publication, teaching, academic research, and clinical patient care, but specifically excluding any commercial use or exploitation on behalf of the inventors and the University of Cambridge and other associated institutions.

ApcinteX also has the right to license, with the rights to sublicense, certain improvements, modifications, new applications and other developments, either on an exclusive basis or non-exclusive basis, as applicable, that are generated by, or under the supervision of, Dr. Trevor Baglin or Professor Jim Huntington, and are disclosed by CE to ApcinteX related to the field for a period of three years after the effective date of the license.

In exchange for the rights under the ApcinteX License Agreement, ApcinteX granted to CE a number of ordinary shares of ApcinteX and paid an upfront license fee, and reimbursed CE for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by CE prior to the entry into the ApcinteX License Agreement.

ApcinteX is also obligated to pay to CE an annual license fee equal to low double-digit thousands of pounds sterling, and for each Licensed Product, total aggregate milestone payments in the upper hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling upon meeting certain clinical and approval milestones. Upon commercialization of any Licensed Products, ApcinteX is obligated to pay to CE a flat low-single digit royalty based on ApcinteX's and its sublicensees' net sales. In countries where valid claims exist under the licensed patents, royalties are payable once on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product and country-by-country basis until there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country, subject to a customary step-down if ApcinteX considers it necessary to obtain a license to third party patents.

ApcinteX may terminate the ApcinteX License Agreement at any time for convenience with written notice to CE. CE has the right to terminate the agreement if ApcinteX challenges the validity or ownership of the licensed patents. Either party may terminate if the other party materially breaches the ApcinteX License Agreement without remedy, becomes insolvent, or in the event of force majeure. ApcinteX may assign the ApcinteX License Agreement without CE's prior consent in connection with a transfer of substantially all of ApcinteX's assets. In all other cases, ApcinteX would be required to obtain the prior written consent of CE before assigning its rights and obligations under the ApcinteX License Agreement.

*PearlRiver C797 License Agreement*

In June 2020, PearlRiver entered to an assignment agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH and TU Dortmund, together the Assignors, involving small molecule inhibitors of C797 mutated EGFR and related inventions (C797, or Product). Under the assignment agreement, the Assignors each and jointly sold, assigned and transferred to PearlRiver their entire right, title and interest to certain know-how, patent application, invention disclosures, chemical and biological materials, and data analyses related to C797, or Assigned Technology. PearlRiver has the sole right but not the obligation to control patent prosecution at its own cost. To the extent requested by PearlRiver, and not included under the Assigned Technology, Assignors also agreed to grant a worldwide, non-exclusive, irrevocable, perpetual, transferable, right and license under C797 related intellectual property rights and/or know-how, for the purpose of developing, manufacturing, marketing, selling and/or otherwise commercializing any products or medical technology based on or comprising C797. PearlRiver is obligated to use commercially reasonable efforts commercialize one or more Products at its own expense.

In consideration for the rights under the assignment agreement, PearlRiver paid Assignors an upfront fee in the mid-to-high five-digit range in euros. In addition, PearlRiver is obligated to pay Assignors up to a high single-digit millions in euros in total aggregate milestone payments upon meeting certain clinical and approval milestones and up to low double digit millions in euros in total aggregate sales milestone payments.

Upon commercialization of any Products, PearlRiver is obligated to pay to Assignors a tiered low single-digit royalty based on annual net sales on a Product-by-Product and country-by-country basis until the expiry of the royalty term. The royalty term will expire upon the later of (i) the date on which the manufacture, distribution, use, marketing or sale of such Product in such country no longer infringes a valid claim of a patent in such country or (ii) ten years from the date of the first commercial sale of such Product in such country. The royalty payments are subject to certain reductions if for third party licenses.

If PearlRiver materially breaches the assignment agreement (including a breach of payment obligations), the Assignors may withdraw from the agreement. In such event, PearlRiver is obligated to retransfer its rights to the Assigned Technology to the Assignors. However, in case of withdrawal, PearlRiver will automatically receive a non-exclusive, transferable license, which includes the right to sublicense in multiple tiers, to use the Assigned Technology for the development, manufacture, testing, authorization and/or commercialization of any technology and/or compounds, drug substance and/or drug products based on C797 and/or the Assigned Technology. PearlRiver will still be responsible for any milestone and royalty payments described above.

*PearlRiver Lead Discovery Center License Agreement*

In March 2019, Lead Discovery Center GmbH (Lead Discovery) entered into a license agreement with PearlRiver related to small molecule inhibitors of Her2 and EGFR carrying Exon 20 mutations. Under the license agreement, PearlRiver obtained an exclusive, worldwide, transferable and sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, under certain patents, patent applications, technical information and licensed know-how, to research, develop, make, use, manufacture, have manufactured, offer, promote, sell, import or export products that use or incorporate the licensed know-how and technology. PearlRiver also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, transferable and sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, under the Lead Discovery's background intellectual property, to research, develop, make, use, manufacture, have manufactured, offer, promote, sell, import or export products and/or otherwise exploit the licensed technology. Lead Discovery retains the non-exclusive, non-transferable, cost-free right to make, have made and use specific materials for internal non-commercial scientific research purposes, and to provide materials for non-commercial collaborations not interfering with the development of the products under the license agreement, and for other scientific purposes solely to non-profit research organisations.

In consideration for the rights under the license agreement, PearlRiver is to pay Lead Discovery low single-digit royalties on the net sales of each licensed product that is sold or supplied by PearlRiver or any of its sublicensees (subject to certain scenarios). Royalties are on a product-by-product and country-by country basis. Payments will commence with the first commercial sale of such product in a country and continue for the later of: (i) the date on which the manufacture, distribution, marketing or sale of a Product no longer infringes a valid claim (being a claim from an unexpired patent right or a patent application using the licensed technology) in such country; or (ii) ten years after the first commercial sale in such country. Additionally, PearlRiver is required to pay certain one-time tiered milestone payments, on a molecule-by-molecule basis, in the low double digits million pounds sterling, and a one-time low double digits million pounds sterling sales milestone once cumulative net sales equal or exceed £0.5BN.

The license agreement lasts until terminated or until the last royalty term expires. PearlRiver may terminate the agreement for convenience at its sole discretion with adequate written notice to Lead Discovery. Each party has customary termination rights in the event of breach. Lead Discovery is able to terminate in the event PearlRiver notifies Lead Discovery of an intent to cease activities related to the licensed technology or the termination of the development of all Exon 20 development activities. In the event of termination, all licenses would cease and all research, development, manufacturing, marketing, sales and distribution of products that use or incorporate the licensed know-how and any other use of the patents would end. Additionally, if PearlRiver terminates the license agreement for convenience, it must transfer certain inventions, intellectual property, records and title and interest in and to regulatory filings rights back to Lead Discovery. In the event PearlRiver

terminates the license agreement due to a breach by Lead Discovery, PearlRiver would retain a non-exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, sublicensable license to licensed technology to the extent necessary to enable the use of research results for the purpose of researching, developing, making, using, selling and importing products in the field.

#### *Orexia License Agreement*

In January 2019, Heptares Therapeutics Limited entered into a license, assignment, and research services agreement with Orexia Limited, which was amended and restated in 2020 (together the agreement), relating to certain specific molecules with, among other criteria, the primary mode of action of an orexin agonist or orexin positive modulator (Molecules). Under the agreement, Heptares assigned to Orexia all of Heptares' right, title, and interest in and to intellectual property that is already in existence and that is developed as a result of the agreement that relates solely to Molecules or products that contain Molecules (Products), including all rights to obtain patent or similar protection throughout the world for such intellectual property and to take any and all actions regarding past infringements of existing intellectual property. Additionally, Heptares granted to Orexia an exclusive, sublicensable (subject to certain terms) license to make, import, export, use, sell, or offer for sale, including to development, commercialization, registration, modification, enhancement, improvement, manufacturing, holding, keeping or disposing of Molecules and Products. Orexia granted to Heptares a non-exclusive license with the right to grant certain sublicenses under Molecule-specific intellectual property and Orexia intellectual property that is necessary or useful for the exploitation of a Molecule or Product. Heptares must not by itself or through a third party (other than a single company) exploit, use or dispose of (*inter alia*) any product in the field of orexin agonism and orexin positive modulation for the duration of the agreement and for three years thereafter.

In consideration for the assignment and license, Orexia is to pay Heptares a royalty in the low single-digits on net sales of Products (subject to limitations in certain scenarios). Royalties are on a Product-by-Product and country-by country basis. Payments shall commence with the first commercial sale of such product in a country and shall continue until the later of: (a) the duration of regulatory exclusivity in the country; or (b) ten years after the first commercial sale. Further, Orexia is responsible for all development costs incurred by itself or Heptares in the performance of the research program (within the confines of the research budget). Additionally, Orexia must pay Heptares, on a Molecule-by-Molecule basis, development milestone payments in the aggregate of a low double-digit number in the millions of pounds sterling. Milestone payments are payable once per Molecule.

Orexia may terminate the agreement at any time following the expiration or termination of the research program. In addition, customary termination rights exist for both parties for breach and insolvency. In the event of termination, all licenses automatically terminate.

The term of the agreement is until the later of: (i) the expiration of the last to expire patent within the licensed intellectual property; (ii) the expiration of the royalty term; and (iii) the fifteenth anniversary of the effective date. Upon expiration, with respect to any given Molecule, the license granted to Orexia shall become perpetual, irrevocable, and fully-paid up.

#### *LockBody IP Assignment*

Our subsidiary, LockBody (formerly known as UltraHuman Six Limited, or UH6) has obtained from UltraHuman Limited, or UH, an assignment of all intellectual property rights, title, and interest related to the LockBody platform. In September 2019, UH and UH6 entered into an Amended and Restated Intellectual Property Assignment Agreement, or IP Assignment, expanding the prior April 2017 IP Assignment related to the UH6 antibodies, to further include intellectual property related to the Lockbody platform technology which enables the activity of pharmaceutically-active molecules such as an antibody or receptor proteins to be locked inside a carrier molecule in an inactive prodrug state, until the prodrug so encapsulated is activated within a desired tissue, whereon the prodrug is released, including the use of platform technology with an antibody.

Lockbody also owns certain patent rights related to the LB1 bispecific antibody targeting CD47 for the treatment of solid tumors.

*Janpix Limited License Agreement*

In July 2017, Janpix entered into a license agreement with the Governing Council of the University of Toronto (UT) related to direct small molecule modulators of signal transducer and activator of transcription 3 (STAT 3) and signal transducer and activator of transcription 5 (STAT 5). Under the license agreement, Janpix obtained an exclusive, worldwide, sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, or the UT License, under certain patents and know-how, or Licensed Technology, to research, develop, manufacture, market, sell, distribute and commercially exploit any licensed products for all uses in humans and animals, or the Field. UT has retained for itself and certain other institutions, a customary right of use to the Licensed Technology for academic research and educational purposes. Additionally, Janpix has the right to exclusively license, with the right to sublicense, certain improvements to the Licensed Technology under the license agreement. Janpix also has an option right to negotiate a new license grant to any other intellectual property related to STAT 3 and/or STAT 5 inhibitors that is not considered an improvement under the license agreement.

Upon satisfaction of certain development and regulatory milestones, Janpix may be obligated to pay to UT total aggregate milestone payments in the tens of millions of dollars upon the achievement of certain development and regulatory milestones. Janpix is also obligated to pay to UT aggregate sales milestone payments up to in the tens of millions of dollars based on total worldwide aggregate annual net sales for all licensed products containing a Licensed Compound. Each milestone payment is payable only once for a licensed product during term of the license agreement. Upon commercialization of any licensed products, Janpix is obligated to pay to UT a flat low to mid-single digit royalty based on Janpix's and its sublicensees' net sales, subject to certain royalty reductions when there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country or if Janpix deems it necessary to obtain a license to third party patents to avoid infringement.

Unless terminated earlier, the license agreement expires on the date that the underlying patents expire and there is no possibility of any applications in the patents proceeding to grant. Janpix may terminate the agreement upon reasonable grounds with adequate written notice. Either party may terminate the license agreement based on customary termination rights, or if UT challenges the validity of patents or the substantial or secret nature of the licensed know-how. In the event of termination, all licenses shall cease and revert to the relevant institution, and Janpix must cease all exploitation of the Licensed Technology.

See "Business—Intellectual Property and License Agreements" for more information.

**Components of Results of Operations**

***Revenues***

The Centessa Predecessor Group, Palladio and ApcinteX have not generated any revenue. The ability to generate product revenue and to become profitable will depend upon the ability to successfully develop, obtain regulatory approval and commercialize any current and future product candidates. Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with product development and regulatory approval, the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX are unable to predict the amount or timing of product revenue.

***Research and Development Expense***

Research and development expenses consist primarily of costs incurred in connection with the discovery and development of the Group's clinical and preclinical programs, net of reimbursements. Research and development costs are expensed as incurred. These expenses include:

- expenses incurred to conduct the necessary preclinical studies and clinical trials required to obtain regulatory approval;
- milestone payments pursuant to the license agreements;
- personnel expenses, including salaries, benefits and share-based compensation expense for employees engaged in research and development functions;
- costs of funding research performed by third parties, including pursuant to agreements with contract research organizations, or CROs, as well as investigative sites and consultants that conduct preclinical studies and clinical trials;

- expenses incurred under agreements with contract manufacturing organizations, or CMOs, including manufacturing scale-up expenses and the cost of acquiring and manufacturing preclinical study and clinical trial materials;
- fees paid to consultants who assist with research and development activities;
- expenses related to regulatory activities, including filing fees paid to regulatory agencies; and
- allocated expenses for facility costs, including rent, utilities, depreciation and maintenance.

Research and development activities are central to Group's business model. Product candidates in later stages of clinical development will generally have higher development costs than those in earlier stages of clinical development, primarily due to the increased size and duration of later-stage clinical trials. The Group expects research and development expenses to increase significantly over the next several years due to increases in personnel costs, including share-based compensation, increases in costs to conduct clinical trials for current product candidates and other clinical trials for future product candidates and prepare regulatory filings for any product candidates.

The successful development of the Group's current or future product candidates is highly uncertain. At this time, the Centessa Predecessor Group cannot reasonably estimate or know the nature, timing and costs of the efforts that will be necessary to complete the remainder of the development of current or future product candidates, or when, if ever, material net cash inflows may commence from product candidates. This uncertainty is due to the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with the duration and cost of clinical trials, which vary significantly over the life of a project as a result of many factors, including:

- delays in regulators or institutional review boards authorizing the Group or its investigators to commence our clinical trials, or in the Group's ability to negotiate agreements with clinical trial sites or CROs;
- the ability to secure adequate supply of product candidates for trials;
- the number of clinical sites included in the trials;
- the ability and the length of time required to enroll suitable patients;
- the number of patients that ultimately participate in the trials;
- the number of doses patients receive;
- any side effects associated with product candidates;
- the duration of patient follow-up;
- the results of clinical trials;
- significant and changing government regulations; and
- launching commercial sales of product candidates, if and when approved, whether alone or in collaboration with others.

The Group's expenditures are subject to additional uncertainties, including the terms and timing of regulatory approvals. Centessa Predecessor Group may never succeed in achieving regulatory approval for their product candidates. The Group may obtain unexpected results from clinical trials and may elect to discontinue, delay or modify clinical trials of product candidates. A change in the outcome of any of these variables with respect to the development of a product candidate could mean a significant change in the costs and timing associated with the development of that product candidate. For example, if the EMA, FDA, other comparable regulatory authorities were to require the Group to conduct clinical trials beyond those that are currently anticipated, or if the Group experiences significant delays in enrollment in any clinical trials, the Group could be required to expend significant additional financial resources and time on the completion of clinical development. Product commercialization will take several years, and the Group expect to spend a significant amount in development costs.



**Research and Development Tax Incentives**

Centessa Predecessor Group and ApcinteX participate in research tax incentive programs that are granted to companies by the United Kingdom and European tax authorities in order to encourage them to conduct technical and scientific research. Expenditures that meet the required criteria are eligible to receive a tax credit that is reimbursed in cash. Estimates of the amount of the cash refund expected to be received are determined at each reporting period and recorded as reductions to research and development expenses. In the future periods Centessa and the Centessa Subsidiaries do not expect to continue to benefit from this program after Centessa becomes a public company unless Centessa is considered a small or medium-sized entity in the United Kingdom.

**General and Administrative Expense**

General and administrative expense consists primarily of personnel expenses, including salaries and benefits for employees in certain executive functions and share-based compensation. General and administrative expense also includes corporate facility costs, including rent, utilities, depreciation and maintenance, not otherwise included in research and development expense, as well as legal fees related to intellectual property and corporate matters and fees for accounting and consulting services.

**Change in Fair Value of Derivative Liability**

Change in fair value of derivative liability reflects the change in the fair value of the embedded redemption feature contained in the Group's and Palladio's convertible term notes in 2019 and 2020. As a result of the convertible notes being convertible into a variable number of shares of the Group's and Palladio's preferred stock, this embedded redemption feature was bifurcated from the convertible debt at each issuance date and recorded at fair value. The derivative has been remeasured at each reporting period until settled. In connection with Palladio's Series B financing in September 2020 and Centessa's acquisition of the Group and concurrent Series A financing event in January 2021, the outstanding principal, interest and derivative liability were settled in their entirety and are no longer subject to remeasurement.

**Amortization of Debt Discount**

Amortization of debt discount primarily consists of the bifurcation of the embedded redemption feature associated with the Group's and Palladio's convertible term notes. The debt discount was amortized over the life of the loans until they were settled in September 2020 for Palladio and subsequent to December 31, 2020 for the Group.

**Interest Expense, net**

Interest expense consists of interest on proceeds received under convertible term loans, partially offset by interest income earned from the Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's cash.

**Gain on Extinguishment of Debt**

Gain on extinguishment of debt is attributable to the forgiveness of the outstanding principal and accrued interest under a loan agreement with portfolio company owned by certain Group investors.

**Income Tax Expenses**

Since inception, the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX have incurred significant net losses. As of December 31, 2020, the Group has combined net operating loss carryforwards, or NOLs, of \$12.4 million. Palladio and ApcinteX had NOLs of \$8.7 million and \$6.3 million, respectively as of December 31, 2020. A valuation allowance has been provided for and against the full amount of the deferred tax assets since, in the opinion of management, based upon earnings history, it is more likely than not that the benefits will not be realized. There were no material changes in the Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's tax position, and they remained in a full valuation allowance position as of December 31, 2020.

Utilization of NOLs may be subject to a substantial annual limitation. The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX have recorded a valuation allowance on substantially all of the deferred tax assets, including deferred tax assets related to net operating loss carryforwards.

## Results of Operations

## Centessa Predecessor Group

## Comparison of the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2020

The following table sets forth the Group's results of operations for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	Year Ended December 31,	
	2019	2020
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 4,263	\$ 9,301
General and administrative	790	1,139
Loss from operations	(5,053)	(10,440)
Interest income (expense), net	5	(68)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(186)
Amortization of debt discount	(118)	(310)
Gain on extinguishment of debt	105	341
Net loss	<u>\$ (5,061)</u>	<u>\$ (10,663)</u>

## Research and Development Expense

The Group tracks outsourced development, outsourced personnel costs and other external research and development costs of specific programs. The following table summarizes the Group's research and development expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	Year Ended December 31,		Change
	2019	2020	
ZF874	\$ 1,294	\$ 3,121	\$ 1,827
LB1	899	1,349	450
LB2	371	1,200	829
MGX292	1,688	3,566	1,878
Other research and development expenses	299	573	274
Personnel expenses	999	1,691	692
Research tax credits	(1,287)	(2,199)	(912)
	<u>\$ 4,263</u>	<u>\$ 9,301</u>	<u>\$ 5,038</u>

Research and development expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 were \$4.3 million, compared to \$9.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The increase of \$5.0 million was primarily due to the increase in clinical development of activities and expenses for the product candidates. Costs associated with Z Factor's lead candidate, ZF874, increased \$1.8 million from \$1.3 million in 2019 to \$3.1 million in 2020 as Z Factor initiated its Phase 1 clinical trial and dosed its first human patient in August 2020. Costs associated with LockBody's lead candidates, LB1 and LB2, increased \$1.3 million in the aggregate from \$1.2 million in 2019 to \$2.5 million in 2020 as LockBody initiated its preclinical evaluation and cell line development for LB1 and lead optimization for LB2. Costs associated with Morphogen-LX's lead candidate, MGX292, increased \$1.9 million from \$1.7 million in 2019 to \$3.6 million in 2020 and primarily attributable to ongoing preclinical development in preparation for submitting an investigational new drug application. Other research and development expenses increased \$0.3 million from \$0.3 million in 2019 to \$0.6 million in 2020 in connection with preclinical activities and discovery efforts for other programs. Personnel related expenses increased \$0.7 million from \$1.0 million in 2019 to \$1.7 million in 2020 and was attributable to the increase in research and development employee headcount. These increases were offset by an increase in research tax credits of \$0.9 million earned as a result of the increase in qualified research and development expenses in 2020 when compared to 2019.

*General and Administrative Expense*

The following table summarizes the Group's general and administrative expenses for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	Year Ended December 31,		Change
	2019	2020	
Personnel expenses	\$ 46	\$ 62	\$ 16
Facilities and supplies	14	6	(8)
Legal and professional fees	612	1,031	419
Other expenses	118	40	(78)
	<u>\$ 790</u>	<u>\$ 1,139</u>	<u>\$ 349</u>

General and administrative expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 were \$0.8 million, compared to \$1.1 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The increase of \$0.3 million was primarily attributable to an increase of in legal and professional fees of \$0.4 million that were partially offset by a \$78,000 decrease in other administrative expenses.

*Change in Fair Value of Derivative Liability*

The Group recognized \$0.2 million for the change in fair value of the derivative liability for the year ended December 31, 2020 and attributable to the bifurcated redemption feature associated with convertible term loans that are subject to remeasurement at each reporting period until the loans are settled.

*Amortization of Debt Discount*

The Group recognized \$0.1 million of amortization of debt discount for the year ended December 31, 2019 compared to \$0.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The \$0.2 million increase is attributable to the additional principal borrowings in 2020 and related bifurcated redemption feature that is recorded as a debt discount and subsequently amortized.

*Interest Income (Expense), net*

The Group recognized \$5,000 net interest income during the year ended December 31, 2019 and primarily attributable to the cash balances held in financial institutions compared to \$68,000 of net interest expense during the year ended December 31, 2020 attributable to the convertible debt borrowings.

*Gain on Extinguishment of Debt*

The Group recognized a gain on extinguishment of \$0.1 million and \$0.3 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively attributable to the extinguishment of loans from related party investors.

**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**

**Comparison of Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019 and the Year Ended December 31, 2020**

The following table sets forth our results of operations for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 5,557	\$ 5,449
General and administrative	1,353	3,223
Loss from operations	(6,910)	(8,672)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(967)
Amortization of debt discount	(1,072)	(2,386)
Interest expense, net	(408)	(882)
Loss before tax	(8,390)	(12,907)
Net loss	<u>\$ (8,390)</u>	<u>\$ (12,907)</u>

*Research and Development Expense*

Palladio tracks outsourced development, outsourced personnel costs and other external research and development costs for lixivaptan. The following table summarizes Palladio's research and development expenses for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020	Change
Lixivaptan	\$ 4,799	\$ 4,195	\$ (604)
Personnel expenses	735	1,228	493
Other expenses	23	26	3
	<u>\$ 5,557</u>	<u>\$ 5,449</u>	<u>\$ (108)</u>

Research and development expenses for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 were \$5.6 million, compared to \$5.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The decrease of \$0.1 million was primarily due to the completion of Palladio's Phase 2 clinical trial for lixivaptan in 2020 offset by an increase in personnel costs which was attributable to the increase in research and development employee headcount. The decrease is also attributable to the comparison of nine months and twelve months of operating activity for 2019 and 2020, respectively.

*General and Administrative Expense*

The following table summarizes Palladio's general and administrative expenses for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020	Change
Personnel expenses	\$ 788	\$ 2,427	\$1,639
Facilities and supplies	104	213	109
Legal and professional fees	169	345	176
Other expenses	292	238	(54)
	<u>\$ 1,353</u>	<u>\$ 3,223</u>	<u>\$1,870</u>

General and administrative expenses for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 were \$1.4 million compared to \$3.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The increase of \$1.9 million was attributable to \$1.6 million in personnel expenses due to increases in executive and operational headcounts, \$0.1 million in facilities and supplies and \$0.2 million in legal and professional fees in support of patent portfolio.

*Change in Fair Value of Derivative Liability*

Palladio recognized \$1.0 million for the change in fair value of the derivative liability for the year ended December 31, 2020 that was attributable to the settlement of Palladio's convertible debt and derivative liability in September 2020 upon completing the sale of its Series B convertible preferred stock.

*Amortization of Debt Discount*

Palladio recognized \$1.1 million of amortization of debt discount for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 compared to \$2.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The \$1.3 million increase is attributable to the acceleration of amortization upon settlement of the convertible debt derivative liability in September 2020.

*Interest Expense, net*

Palladio recognized \$0.4 million and \$0.9 million in interest expense, net of interest income, for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively. The \$0.5 million increase in expense is attributable to the additional convertible debt borrowings from May 2019 through December 2019 and in July 2020. Interest income recognized from cash and cash equivalent balances held in financial institutions was immaterial for each period.

**ApcinteX Limited**

**Comparison of the Years Ended December 31, 2019 and 2020**

The following table sets forth our results of operations for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	<b>Year Ended December 31,</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 4,848	\$ 2,582
General and administrative	226	297
Loss from operations	(5,074)	(2,879)
Interest income, net	18	7
Loss before tax	(5,056)	(2,872)
Net loss	<u>\$ (5,056)</u>	<u>\$ (2,872)</u>

*Research and Development Expense*

ApcinteX tracks outsourced development, outsourced personnel costs and other external research and development costs of specific programs. The following table summarizes the ApcinteX's research and development expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	<b>Year Ended December 31,</b>		<b>Change</b>
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	
SerpinPC	\$ 4,863	\$ 1,934	\$(2,929)
Preclinical and clinical development expenses	809	729	(80)
Personnel expenses	615	720	105
Research tax credits	(1,439)	(803)	636
	<u>\$ 4,848</u>	<u>\$ 2,580</u>	<u>\$(2,268)</u>

Research and development expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 were \$4.9 million, compared to \$2.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The decrease of \$2.3 million was primarily due to the

decrease in clinical development of its lead product candidate, SerpinPC, and primarily attributable to the Phase 1b clinical trial that was initiated in 2019 and completed in 2020. Personnel related expenses increased \$0.1 million from \$0.6 million in 2019 to \$0.7 million in 2020 and attributable to the increase in research and development employee headcount. Research tax credits decreased \$0.6 million from \$1.4 million in 2019 to \$0.8 million in 2020 as a result of the decrease in qualified research and development expenses in 2020 when compared to 2019.

*General and Administrative Expense*

The following table summarizes ApcinteX's general and administrative expenses for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>Change</u>
Personnel expenses	\$ 23	\$ 24	\$ 1
Facilities and supplies	24	37	13
Legal and professional fees	126	219	93
Other expenses	53	17	(36)
	<u>\$226</u>	<u>\$297</u>	<u>\$ 71</u>

General and administrative expenses for the year ended December 31, 2019 were \$0.2 million, compared to \$0.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2020. The increase of \$71,000 was attributable to \$93,000 increase in legal and professional fees in support of the patent portfolio and \$13,000 increase in facilities and supplies. These increases were offset by a \$36,000 decrease in other expenses.

*Interest Income, net*

Interest income, net of expenses, from cash and cash equivalent balances held in financial institutions was immaterial during each of the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

**Liquidity and Capital Resources**

*Sources of Liquidity*

As of December 31, 2020, the Group had cash of \$7.2 million and Palladio and ApcinteX has cash and cash equivalents of \$15.4 million and \$15.1 million, respectively. The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX have primarily financed operations since inception through the sale of convertible preferred shares, the issuance of convertible term loans and proceeds from tax incentives associated with research and development efforts. Through December 2020, the Group has sold convertible preferred shares and convertible term loans, raising aggregate net proceeds of \$5.0 million. Concurrent with the acquisition into Centessa in January 2021, Centessa completed a \$250.0 million Series A convertible preferred financing that was comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds and the \$5.0 million in convertible debt.

The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX have no ongoing material financing commitments, such as lines of credit or guarantees, that are expected to affect liquidity over the next five years.

**Cash Flows**

*Centessa Predecessor Group*

The following table shows a summary of cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	<u>Year Ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Net cash (used in) provided by:		
Operating activities	\$ (5,825)	\$ (10,630)
Financing activities	9,005	1,362
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	520	(75)
Net increase (decrease) in cash	<u>\$ 3,700</u>	<u>\$ (9,343)</u>

*Operating Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Group used \$10.6 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected a net loss of \$10.7 million and \$0.3 million non-cash gains in connection with the extinguishment of debt and the change in fair value of the derivative liability. The Group also used cash of \$0.5 million related to the change in operating assets. These uses were offset by \$0.9 million in non-cash charges associated with non-cash interest and share-based compensation expense.

During the year ended December 31, 2019, the Group used \$5.8 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected the net loss of \$5.1 million and \$0.1 non-cash gains in connection with the extinguishment of debt. The Group also used cash of \$1.1 million related to the change in operating assets that were offset by \$0.4 million in non-cash charges for non-cash interest expense, depreciation expense and share-based compensation expense.

*Financing Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, financing activities provided \$1.4 million in net cash proceeds, primarily attributable to proceeds from convertible debt issuances.

During the year ended December 31, 2019, financing activities provided \$9.0 million in net cash proceeds and attributable to \$3.8 million upon the issuance of convertible debt and \$5.2 million upon the sale and issuance of Series A convertible preferred shares.

*Palladio Biosciences, Inc.*

The following table shows a summary of cash flows for the periods indicated (in thousands):

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Net cash (used in) provided by:		
Operating activities	\$ (5,482)	\$ (8,328)
Financing activities	11,959	16,771
Net increase in cash	<u>\$ 6,477</u>	<u>\$ 8,443</u>

*Operating Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, Palladio used \$8.3 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected a net loss of \$12.9 million that was offset by a \$3.3 million non-cash interest expense associated with the convertible debt, \$1.0 million non-cash charge for the change in fair value of the derivative liability and \$0.3 million of non-cash stock-based compensation expense. The change in our operating net assets was immaterial.

During the nine months ended December 31, 2019, Palladio used \$5.5 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected the net loss of \$8.4 million that was offset by \$1.6 million in non-cash charges for interest expense, and stock-based compensation expense. The net loss was also offset by the \$1.3 million change in operating assets attributable to the timing in vendor payments.

*Financing Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, financing activities provided \$16.8 million in net cash proceeds, primarily attributable to the sale of Series B convertible preferred stock for net proceeds of \$15.4 million and \$1.4 million in net proceeds from convertible debt issuances.

During the nine months ended December 31, 2019, financing activities provided \$12.0 million in net cash proceeds and attributable to the issuance of convertible debt.

*ApcinteX Limited*

The following table shows a summary of cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in thousands):

	<b>Year Ended December 31,</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
Net cash (used in) provided by:		
Operating activities	\$ (6,005)	\$ (1,074)
Financing activities	5,575	11,697
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(20)	749
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ (450)</u>	<u>\$ 11,372</u>

*Operating Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, ApcinteX used \$1.1 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected a net loss of \$2.9 million that was offset by a \$0.5 million non-cash share-based compensation expense. The net loss was also offset by the \$1.3 million change in operating assets.

During the year ended December 31, 2019, ApcinteX used \$6.0 million of net cash in operating activities. Cash used in operating activities reflected the net loss of \$5.1 million and \$1.3 million change in operating assets that were offset by \$0.3 million in non-cash charges for share-based compensation expense.

*Financing Activities*

During the year ended December 31, 2020, financing activities provided \$11.7 million in net cash proceeds, attributable to the sale of Series B convertible preferred stock.

During the year ended December 31, 2019, financing activities provided \$5.6 million in net cash proceeds, attributable to the sale of Series A convertible preferred stock.

*Sources of Funding*

The Group's primary sources of capital to date have been from private placements of preferred shares and the issuance of convertible term loans. Through December 31, the Group raised approximately \$23.5 million from private placements of preferred shares. From July 2019 through November 2020, LockBody issued convertible term loans in exchange for aggregate gross proceeds of \$5.1 million (£4.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.78). The notes accrued simple interest of 2% per annum and, if not converted, will convert in August 2021. Upon the completion of a qualified financing event, the outstanding principal and interest automatically convert into the shares issued in connection with the financing event and at 80% of the subscription price. In connection with the Centessa Series A financing in January 2021, the notes were settled in their entirety.

*Palladio Biosciences, Inc. Convertible Preferred Stock*

In July 2016 and 2017, Palladio entered into a Series A stock purchase agreement pursuant to which it issued and sold to investors an aggregate of 5,009,185 shares of Series A convertible preferred stock at a purchase price of \$1.00 per share, for aggregate consideration of approximately \$5.0 million.

In September 2020 and December 2020, Palladio entered into a Series B stock purchase agreement pursuant to which it issued and sold to investors an aggregate of 8,409,088 shares of its Series B convertible preferred stock at a purchase price of \$2.20 per share, for aggregate consideration of approximately \$18.5 million of which \$3.0 million was received in January 2021.



*Palladio Biosciences, Inc. Convertible Debt*

From August 2018 through July 2020, Palladio issued convertible debt instruments in exchange for aggregate gross proceeds of \$16.5 million. The notes accrued simple interest of 8% per annum and, if not converted, would have matured on various dates ranging from December 2020 to December 2021. Upon the completion of a qualified financing event, the outstanding principal and interest automatically converted into the shares issued in connection with the financing event and at 75%-80% of the subscription price. In the event of a change in control prior to conversion or maturity, the notes were entitled to receive three times their initial investment. The Company completed a qualified financing in September 2020 and issued 10,275,650 shares of Series B convertible preferred stock in exchange for the outstanding principal and interest of \$16.5 million and \$1.5 million, respectively.

*ApcinteX Limited Convertible Preferred Stock*

Through December 2019, ApcinteX sold an aggregate of 2,357,265 Series A convertible preferred shares for proceeds of \$19.1 million. In October 2020, ApcinteX completed a Series B financing whereby it sold 508,147 shares of Series B preferred for proceeds of \$11.7 million.

**Funding Requirements**

Following the acquisition by Centessa, the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX expect expenses to increase in connection with ongoing activities, particularly as Centessa continues the research and development of, continue or initiate clinical trials of, and seek marketing approval for any of current and future product candidates. In addition, if marketing approval is obtained for any product candidates, Centessa expects to incur significant commercialization expenses related to product sales, marketing, manufacturing and distribution. Furthermore, following the completion of this offering by Centessa, additional costs associated with operating as a public company are expected. Accordingly, there will be a need to obtain substantial additional funding in connection with the continuing operations. For the foreseeable future, the Centessa Subsidiaries expect the significant majority of their funding to come from Centessa. If Centessa is unable to raise capital when needed or on attractive terms, it would be forced to delay, reduce or eliminate research and development programs or future commercialization efforts.

Centessa anticipates that the Group expenses will increase substantially as it:

- seeks to discover and develop current and future clinical and preclinical product candidates;
- scales up clinical and regulatory capabilities;
- adapts regulatory compliance efforts to incorporate requirements applicable to marketed products;
- establishes a sales, marketing and distribution infrastructure and scale up external manufacturing capabilities to commercialize any product candidates for which regulatory approval may be obtained;
- maintains, expands and protects the intellectual property portfolio;
- hires additional internal or external clinical, manufacturing and scientific personnel or consultants;
- adds operational, financial and management information systems and personnel, including personnel to support product development efforts; and
- incurs additional legal, accounting and other expenses in operating as a public company.

Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated research, development and commercialization of product candidates, Centessa is unable to estimate the exact amount of the Group's working capital requirements. Future funding requirements will depend on and could increase significantly as a result of many factors, including:

- the scope, progress, results and costs of preclinical studies and clinical trials;
- the scope, prioritization and number of research and development programs;

- the costs, timing and outcome of regulatory review of product candidates;
- the ability to establish and maintain collaborations on favorable terms, if at all;
- the extent to which obligations to reimburse exist, or entitled to reimbursement of, clinical trial costs under collaboration agreements, if any;
- the costs of preparing, filing and prosecuting patent applications, maintaining and enforcing intellectual property rights and defending intellectual property-related claims;
- the costs of securing manufacturing arrangements for commercial production; and
- the costs of establishing or contracting for sales and marketing capabilities if regulatory approvals are obtained to market product candidates.

Identifying potential product candidates and conducting preclinical studies and clinical trials is a time-consuming, expensive and uncertain process that takes many years to complete, and may never generate the necessary data or results required to obtain marketing approval and achieve product sales. In addition, product candidates, if approved, may not achieve commercial success. Commercial revenues, if any, will be derived from sales of product candidates that do not expect to be commercially available for the next couple of years, if at all. Accordingly, the need to continue to rely on additional financing to achieve our business objectives will exist. Adequate additional financing may not be available on acceptable terms, or at all.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Management's discussion and analysis of its financial condition and results of operations is based on the combined financial statements of Centessa Predecessor Group and the financial statements of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. and ApcinteX Limited which have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The preparation of these financial statements requires estimates and judgments be made that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and expenses and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities in the combined financial statements. On an ongoing basis, an evaluation of estimates and judgments are required, including those related to accrued expenses and share-based compensation. Estimates are based on historical experience, known trends and events, and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

While the significant accounting policies are described in more detail in Note 2 to the Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's audited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus, the following accounting policies are the most critical to the judgments and estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements.

#### **Research and Development Accruals**

Research and development expenses consist primarily of costs incurred in connection with the development of product candidates. Research and development costs are expensed as incurred.

Expenses for preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties are accrued based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with CROs and clinical trial sites. Estimates are determined by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the clinical development plan.

Estimates of accrued expenses are made as of each balance sheet date in the financial statements based on facts and circumstances known at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, an adjustment to the accrual will be made accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

Milestone payments within the each of the Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's licensing arrangements are recognized when achievement of the milestone is deemed probable to occur. To the extent products are commercialized and future economic benefit has been established, commercial milestones that become probable are capitalized and amortized over the estimated remaining useful life of the intellectual property. In addition, royalty expenses are accrued and sublicense nonroyalty payments, as applicable, for the amount it is obligated to pay, with adjustments as sales are made.

#### ***Share-Based Compensation***

The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX measure compensation expense for all share-based awards based on the estimated fair value of the award on the grant date. The Group and ApcinteX grant share-based awards in the form of B ordinary shares and are accounted for as restricted shares due to the nominal exercise price at the time of grant. Compensation expense associated with B ordinary awards are recognized on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period, which is generally the vesting period of the award. Palladio has issued stock option awards and uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to value its awards.

The Black-Scholes option-pricing model requires the use of subjective assumptions that include the expected stock price volatility and the fair value of the underlying common shares on the date of grant. See Note 9 to Palladio's audited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus for information concerning certain of the specific assumptions used in applying the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the estimated fair value of stock options granted during the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 2020.

#### ***Estimating the Fair Value of the Group and ApcinteX Ordinary Shares and Palladio Common Stock***

Estimating the fair value of the Group and ApcinteX's ordinary shares and Palladio's common shares underlying their respective share-based awards is required. Because the Group, ApcinteX's and Palladio's shares are not currently publicly traded, the fair value of the shares has been estimated by the Group's, ApcinteX's and Palladio's respective board of directors, with input from each respective management team, considering most recently available third-party valuation of ordinary and common shares.

The Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's board of directors each considered various objective and subjective factors to estimate the estimated fair value of ordinary and common shares, including:

- the estimated value of all classes of securities outstanding;
- the anticipated capital structure that will directly impact the value of the currently outstanding securities;
- results of operations and financial position;
- the status of research and development efforts;
- the composition of, and changes to, management team and board of directors;
- the lack of liquidity of common and ordinary shares as a private company;
- stage of development and business strategy and the material risks related to the business and industry;
- external market conditions affecting the life sciences and biotechnology industry sectors;
- United Kingdom, Europe and global economic conditions;

- the likelihood of achieving a liquidity event for the holders of common and ordinary shares, such as an initial public offering, or IPO, or a sale of the company, given prevailing market conditions; and
- the market value and volatility of comparable companies.

In estimating the fair value of the Group's, Palladio's and ApcinteX's shares, each board of directors considered the subjective factors discussed above in conjunction with the most recent valuations of shares that were prepared by an independent third-party. Following the closing of this offering, the fair value of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited's ordinary shares will be the closing price of our ADS on the Nasdaq Global Market as reported on the date of the grant.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

See Note 2 to the Group's and ApcinteX's and Note 3 to Palladio's audited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus for a description of recent accounting pronouncements applicable to the respective financial statements.

#### **Contractual Obligations and Other Commitments**

As of December 31, 2020, the Centessa Predecessor Group had non-cancellable commitments for purchase of clinical materials, contract manufacturing, maintenance and committed funding of up to \$3.4 million, of which the Group expects to pay within one year. The amount and timing of these payments vary depending on the rate of progress of development.

As of December 31, 2020, Palladio had an operating lease for its corporate office location in Horsham, Pennsylvania and is subject to future minimum lease payments of \$68,000 and \$57,000 during 2021 and 2022, respectively.

As of December 31, 2020, ApcinteX Limited had non-redeemable commitments for purchase of clinical materials, contract manufacturing, maintenance and committed funding of up to \$5.7 million of which \$3.0 million and \$2.7 million are expected to be paid in less than one year and between one and three years, respectively.

The contractual obligations and other commitments of the Centessa Predecessor Group, Palladio and ApcinteX Limited that have been disclosed do not include any potential development, regulatory and commercial milestone payments and potential royalty payments that the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX may be required to make under their respective license agreements. These payments are excluded given that the timing of any such payments cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

#### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX do not have any relationships with unconsolidated entities or financial partnerships, including entities sometimes referred to as structured finance or special purpose entities that were established for the purpose of facilitating off-balance sheet arrangements or other contractually narrow or limited purposes. In addition, the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX do not engage in trading activities involving non-exchange traded contracts. Therefore, the Group, Palladio and ApcinteX believe that they are not materially exposed to any financing, liquidity, market or credit risk that could arise if they engaged in these relationships.

#### **Qualitative and Quantitative Disclosures About Market Risk**

The Group, Palladio and ApcinteX is exposed to market risks in the ordinary course of its business. These risks primarily include interest rate sensitivities. Interest-earning assets consist of cash and cash equivalents. Interest income earned on these assets was de minimis for the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

## BUSINESS

### Our Vision

We are reimagining the traditional pharmaceutical research and development model to build, from the bottom-up, an R&D engine predicated on asset centrality to discover, develop and ultimately deliver impactful medicines to patients. We believe the successful execution at scale of our asset-centric R&D model has the potential to result in R&D productivity surpassing that of today's largest pharmaceutical companies and could translate into a dramatic impact for patients, providers and society more broadly.

Our approach to delivering consequential medicines to patients is guided by three foundational principles:

1. We pursue discovery and development of **programs with clear biological rationale**.
2. We aim to build a **self-sustaining, evergreen R&D engine** anchored on asset centrality.
3. We strive to be the **partner of choice** for founder-subject matter experts who share our vision.

### Overview

Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc (Centessa) was conceived by combining the primary strengths of the asset-centric model with the benefits of diversification and scale typically attributed to traditional large R&D organizations. The asset-centric model refers to single-purpose companies which are focused on developing a single program or programs associated with a single biological pathway. We were inspired by the success realized by the asset-centric model and were founded on the principle of developing asset centrality at scale. We have implemented this reimagined approach to R&D by initially combining a curated portfolio of ten wholly-owned asset-centric companies, which we refer to as Centessa Subsidiaries, that are developing 16 high conviction programs with clear biological rationale. Each Centessa Subsidiary is led by one or more individuals we believe to be some of the leading subject matter experts in their respective disciplines. We empower our subsidiaries to advance their research and development plans in an independent and unbiased manner. Our programs cover a range of high-value therapeutic areas including oncology, hematology, immunology / inflammation, neuroscience, hepatology, pulmonology, nephrology, and range from discovery-stage research through late-stage clinical development. Additionally, a substantial number of our programs focus on rare disease indications with significant unmet need. We currently anticipate a total of more than a dozen clinical read-outs over the next three years, including three clinical read-outs in 2021. We expect this robust cadence of clinical progress will be coupled with significant development advancements for our earlier-stage preclinical programs. As a therapeutic-focused company, we intend to pursue a "develop to commercialize" approach for our programs with a relentless focus on efficiently delivering consequential medicines to patients.

Centessa was formed in October 2020 by Medicxi with a view to ultimately acquiring, and thereby becoming the holding company of, several pre-revenue, development stage biotech companies each of which was either controlled by and/or invested in by a fund affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures. On January 29, 2021, Centessa acquired 11 biotechnology companies and simultaneously closed a Series A funding round of \$250 million. Prior to the acquisition, Centessa's activities were limited mainly to engaging advisors and recruitment efforts. Centessa commenced active operations after the consummation of the acquisitions. Each of the Centessa Subsidiaries was a portfolio company of a fund affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures at the time of the acquisition.

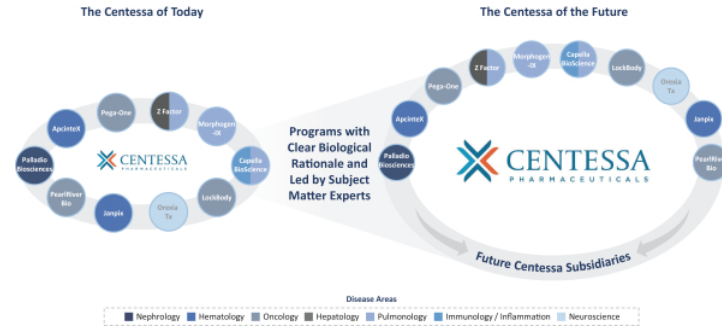
We are led by our experienced management team who play a critical role in enabling our Centessa Subsidiaries by providing centralized resources, supporting development of programs and overseeing judicious capital allocation. We are convinced that bringing together our 16 high conviction programs under a unified, asset-centric structure at scale is in itself a unique competitive advantage in the industry. Going forward, our intent is to become the partner of choice for founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs by fostering a research engine that allows our leading talent to focus exclusively on the pursuit of their unique product visions, striving for scientific excellence and patient benefit. Consistent with our operating model today, these founder-subject matter experts will be directly incentivized

and appropriately supported to develop and bring medicines to market. Direct incentivization is achieved through two principle financial incentives: first, through each founder-subject matter expert having a significant equity stake in Centessa and, thereby, compensated commensurately with the Company’s performance; second, they disproportionately share in upside through certain agreed milestone payments of a pre-agreed amount payable upon defined events such as regulatory approval of an applicable drug or the payment of a pre-agreed percentage of the net aggregate cash proceeds from certain strategic transactions (including partnerships / out-licensing agreements and/or a sale) concerning the relevant Centessa Subsidiary. These incentives are designed to motivate our founder-subject matter experts to develop and bring medicines to patients.

Separately, our relentless focus on data-driven decision-making is aimed at enabling us to embrace and implement a “fail fast, and fail early” philosophy to close programs expeditiously when data dictates. Data-driven decision making is at the core of our asset-centric model. Centessa management retains final authority over resource allocation decisions across the Centessa Subsidiaries’ programs, and aims to expeditiously terminate programs when the data do not support advancing a program. These features of our asset-centric model are designed to reflect our “fail fast and fail early” philosophy when data warrants. We believe our direct incentivization model and relentless focus on data-driven decision-making is a differentiated approach and philosophy to that deployed by traditional R&D models.

Our bottom-up, asset-centric operating model fosters an ecosystem in which we enable the founder-subject matter experts at each Centessa Subsidiary to develop their programs with a high degree of autonomy and with complementary operational and R&D support from Centessa. This is designed to enable each Centessa Subsidiary to execute its program or programs with greater agility and enhanced probability of success. Each Centessa Subsidiary focuses its resources and expertise on progressing high conviction programs that follow well elucidated biological pathways, with the goal of addressing a significant unmet patient need. While we focus on well elucidated biological pathways where there is prior learning in human genetics and/or clinical evidence, many of our highly-differentiated programs are enabled by proprietary structural biology insights.

Our ten initial Centessa Subsidiaries and their disease areas of focus as well as our expectation for expansion in the number of Centessa Subsidiaries are summarized in the below figure:



Traditional R&D organizations realize the benefit of having a diversified pipeline with multiple uncorrelated programs while reaching a scale that allows for an optimized and flexible balance sheet and access to infrastructure and resources. By initially combining a curated portfolio of asset-centric companies under a central management team, we expect to receive the benefits of a diversified pipeline of high conviction programs and mitigate the binary risk inherent in single-asset companies. We believe our unique incentivization framework enables our Centessa Subsidiary teams to

maintain an undiluted singular product focus, and pursue paths forward that are determined primarily by the data that they generate. Subsidiary teams are designed to be small, with limited fixed costs to further enhance the economics of drug development, particularly in cases where expeditious closure of programs is warranted.

In addition to the broad range of disease areas we pursue, our portfolio is diversified in several other ways:

- *Therapeutic approaches:* small molecule inhibitors, agonists, correctors, degraders, traditional and engineered antibodies and biologics based on engineered molecules;
- *Development approaches:* novel targets differentiated fast-follower based on improved safety and/or refined mechanism; and
- *Discovery approaches:* structure-based design, protein engineering and novel screening methods.

Our multiple modes of diversification across our portfolio substantially mitigate the binary nature of product development.

Our current pipeline includes the following four clinical stage product candidates:

- **Lixivaptan (Palladio Biosciences):** vasopressin V2 receptor small molecule inhibitor currently in Phase 3 clinical development for the treatment of autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD). While the ongoing Phase 3 study is not a registrational trial, Palladio is preparing to conduct a global Phase 3 pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, (designated the ACTION study) which we expect to commence by early-to-mid 2022. We believe lixivaptan has the potential to deliver similar efficacy benefits to tolvaptan, which is currently indicated for a subset of ADPKD patients, with a differentiated safety and tolerability profile that may benefit a broader set of patients;
- **SerpinPC (ApcinteX):** activated protein C inhibitor currently in Phase 2a clinical development for the treatment of hemophilia A and B. We believe SerpinPC has the potential to improve upon the current standards of care by offering a long-acting, subcutaneous, non-replacement therapy that rebalances the coagulation cascade to provide both prophylactic and on-demand therapy in all patients with hemophilia regardless of subtype;
- **Imgatuzumab (Pega-One):** anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody expected to enter a potential registrational Phase 2 clinical study for the treatment of cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (CSCC). Imgatuzumab is also being considered for treatment of other solid tumors in the context of combination treatment with immunotherapy. We believe imgatuzumab represents a next-generation of antibody design offering enhanced antibody derived cell cytotoxicity (ADCC) and antibody derived cell phagocytosis (ADCP) properties; and
- **ZF874 (Z Factor):** small molecule chemical chaperone folding corrector of the Z variant of alpha-1-antitrypsin (Z-A1AT) currently in Phase 1 clinical development for the treatment of alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency (A1ATD). ZF874 leverages Z Factor's proprietary insights into the misfolding of the Z-A1AT protein to correct protein folding and normalize protein levels to treat both lung and liver disease manifestations of A1ATD.

In addition to our clinical stage product candidates, our current portfolio consists of 12 preclinical assets, 11 of which are being evaluated in IND-enabling studies or lead optimization activities and one additional program in discovery stage. Across our Centessa Subsidiaries, we currently have a portfolio of 173 issued patents which includes 156 ex-U.S. patents and 17 issued U.S. patents directed to either our clinical stage product candidates or other programs being developed.

#### **Our History**

Our company is built upon our demand for excellence amongst our various participants and stakeholders. We believe this high bar for excellence is initially demonstrated by our ten current Centessa Subsidiaries. Each of our

Centessa Subsidiaries and their founder-subject matter experts have invested years dedicated to their program specialty. We intend to uphold this focus on excellence for future companies which may join our model as Centessa Subsidiaries. We complement the program expertise of our founder-subject matter experts with the broad experience of our centralized management team. Prior to establishing Centessa, our executive management team held positions in a wide range of settings, including some of the largest pharmaceutical companies in the world, leading biotechnology companies and world-class venture capital funds.

We are supported by a high-quality group of investors who share our passion for excellence and believe in the vision for our reimagined R&D model. These investors include our founding investor, Medicxi, alongside General Atlantic, Vida Ventures, Janus Henderson Investors, Boxer Capital, Cormorant Asset Management, T. Rowe Price, Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, Wellington Management Company, BVF Partners L.P., EcoR1 Capital, Franklin Templeton, Logos Capital, Samsara BioCapital, LifeSci Venture Partners and a U.S.-based, healthcare-focused fund.

The Centessa Subsidiaries were selected by Medicxi out of the portfolio of biotechnology investments by funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures. The key criteria deployed to identify companies that would be considered for Centessa include: advancement of a single program with clear biological rationale, a differentiated product profile, and a team with deep expertise led by a founder-subject matter expert. Each of the Centessa Subsidiaries was controlled by funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures or funds affiliated with Medicxi or Index Ventures had a significant investment and/or influence. Whilst such funds affiliated with Medicxi and Index Ventures were a controlling or key investor to each Centessa Subsidiary with material influence, the decision as to whether to be acquired by Centessa was ultimately a decision of the executive management team of each Centessa Subsidiary including the founder subject-matter experts. An extensive negotiation exercise was undertaken with the executive management teams of each Centessa Subsidiary and each Centessa Subsidiary was represented by external counsel. These negotiations were conducted at arms' length with each Centessa Subsidiary having been acquired on highly negotiated contribution terms (including as to valuation) and on highly negotiated individual incentivization terms which become payable if negotiated milestones are achieved or certain exit events are triggered. Further, the incoming Series A Centessa investors had a significant opportunity to diligence each Centessa Subsidiary and test the relative valuation and terms negotiated with the individual Centessa Subsidiaries.

#### **Our Operating Model**

We have implemented a reimagined R&D model that we believe leverages the key strengths of the traditional R&D organization and the core tenets of asset centrality. We believe that our approach will allow us to benefit from the characteristics of each model that are favorable for efficient drug development, while simultaneously removing the inefficiencies and potential challenges related to each.





*Inefficiencies Prevalent in Traditional R&D Organizational Model*

While traditional R&D organizations have significantly advanced science and developed important medicines for patients, we believe the traditional model as deployed today presents several opportunities to increase success rates and reduce the cost of bringing new drugs to market. For example, a study by the Tufts Center for the Study of Drug Development in 2014 found that the average pre-tax industry cost of developing new medicines, inclusive of failures and capital costs, was approximately \$2.6 billion per new prescription drug approval. When excluding failures, we estimate from this study that the average costs of developing a new drug is approximately \$500 million. Although we recognize failure in drug development will always exist, we believe this study highlights the opportunity for a better model. The traditional R&D model is often characterized by an abundance of centralized functions, which adds rigidity to the system and establishes a cost structure that is largely fixed in nature. As a result, traditional R&D organizations often unintentionally create structural pillars and homogeneity across the enterprise for the sake of enabling and streamlining day-to-day functions. Over time, the top-down nature and lack of asset focus within these organizations can lead to decreased organizational efficiency and effectiveness, including delayed R&D decision making, capital allocation driven by factors beyond observed data, lack of direct employee incentivization and an increased fixed-to-variable costs financial profile.

*Asset Centricity as a Prescription for Change*

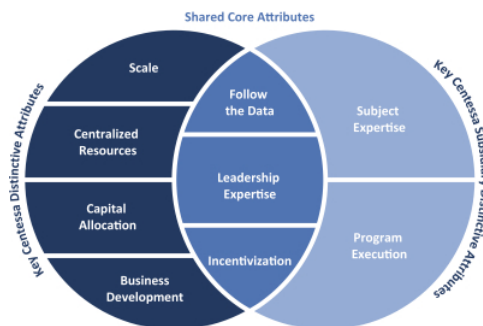
The asset-centric model in drug development has flourished over the past two decades and has demonstrated increased success rates in clinical outcomes while maintaining cost efficiency in drug development as evidenced by the growth over the last decade in launches of new molecular entities (NMEs) by small companies that are first-time launchers versus by traditional pharmaceutical companies. We believe the asset-centric model enhances R&D productivity by streamlining the decision making process and aligning incentives of all stakeholders involved. A fundamental organizational principle of the asset-centric model is the convergence of a high conviction program and subject matter expertise. Centessa Subsidiary management teams, often led by subject matter experts, have deep biological pathway expertise that translates into robust decision making for advancement of product candidates predicted on an evidence based, go/no-go decision-making framework. Additionally, because asset-centric entities have minimal infrastructure and require stepwise financing on an as-needed basis, the path to data generation is financially more efficient while determinations of write-offs can be more expeditiously managed.

*Asset Centricity at Scale—The Birth of Centessa*

We believe our organization combines the best elements of the asset-centric business model with the benefits from scale in specified areas that benefit traditional R&D organizations. In an asset-centric organization, a high standard is maintained for high conviction programs advanced by a leading subject matter expert. We define a high conviction program as having met three criteria: clear biological rationale, a highly-differentiated product profile and leadership by founder-subject matter experts. Traditional R&D organizations realize the benefit of having a diversified pipeline with multiple uncorrelated programs while reaching a scale that allows for an optimized and flexible balance sheet and access to infrastructure and resources. In a similar way, by initially combining a curated portfolio of asset-centric companies under a central management team, we expect to receive the benefits of a diversified pipeline of high conviction programs and mitigate the binary risk inherent in single-asset companies.

**Our Approach**

We have implemented a bottom-up, asset-centric operating model where the main premise is to build a non-hierarchical ecosystem in which we enable the founder-subject matter experts at each Centessa Subsidiary to develop their programs.



*Shared Core Principles*

We believe that our operating model benefits from core attributes that are common across Centessa and our Centessa Subsidiaries:

- **Follow the data.** Our R&D approach is anchored by pre-specified criteria that supports unbiased decision making, built from a bottom-up model in which our Centessa Subsidiaries have significant autonomy to provide data-driven recommendations with input from their scientific advisory boards and/or key opinion leaders. In close partnership with our Centessa Subsidiaries, we collectively determine whether the data merit the advancement or discontinuation of programs.
- **Leadership expertise.** Our leadership team consists of individuals with both biotechnology and pharmaceutical experience across a range of functions including R&D, finance, and operations. We are led by our Chief Executive Officer, Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D., who most recently served as the Senior Vice President of R&D at Bristol Myers Squibb and led translational medicine across all therapeutic areas. Dr. Saha’s prior experiences include having served as a venture partner at Atlas Venture, CEO of Delinia until its sale to Celgene and leading the New Indications Discovery Unit at Novartis. Our

strong leadership team is complemented by subject matter experts at the helm of each of our Centessa Subsidiaries. Many of our Centessa Subsidiary leaders are considered pioneers in their fields, and their life's work is often reflected in the programs they are leading.

- **Incentivization.** Our leadership team holds a significant stake in Centessa and is compensated commensurately with the Company's performance. The leadership teams for our Centessa Subsidiaries are incentivized to create asset value and they disproportionately share in that value. This is often structured as a milestone payment to the Centessa Subsidiary leadership team of a pre-agreed amount payable upon defined events such as regulatory approval of an applicable drug or the payment of a pre-agreed percentage of the net aggregate cash proceeds from certain strategic transactions (including partnerships / out-licensing agreements and/or a sale) concerning the relevant Centessa Subsidiary. In addition to being incentivized at the Centessa Subsidiary / program level, Centessa Subsidiary leaders also own equity in Centessa, further aligning key members with the overall success of our company and the portfolio at large.

*Distinctive Principles for Centessa*

We also believe that several distinctive principles specific to Centessa are critical to the success of our R&D model:

- **Scale.** We anticipate that our balance sheet will provide capital for our Centessa Subsidiaries to pursue their pipeline programs, provide leverage for strategic transactions and also enable optionality for development and commercialization. Our increased scale allows us to efficiently access capital on behalf of our Centessa Subsidiaries, enabling asset centrality while mitigating the binary risk that would otherwise make funding our programs prohibitively expensive.
- **Centralized resources.** We offer infrastructure, competencies and benefits that are truly enabling to our Centessa Subsidiaries. These include competencies that are broadly applicable to our Centessa Subsidiaries such as management of manufacturing relationships and regulatory support to enable and expedite scientific prosecution of programs, to prosecute and maintain intellectual property and to procure economically favorable vendor terms that would otherwise not be available to a stand-alone entity.
- **Capital allocation.** We have the flexibility to deploy capital by adhering to a "follow-the-data" philosophy and work closely with our Centessa Subsidiaries in making funding decisions. Capital allocation decisions may also be influenced by other factors including external data readouts from competitor programs and consideration of available strategic options and opportunity costs. We also consider the benefits of third-party expertise and potential efficiencies as we evaluate whether a specific program is appropriate for further investment by Centessa or whether a strategic partnership may be warranted. Our structure also enables efficiencies related to central planning and headcount synergies.
- **Business development.** Our goal is to develop an evergreen pipeline by becoming the partner of choice for founder-subject matter experts who have the expertise and passion to bring innovative, high conviction therapies to patients. Our framework for business development is further guided by several key criteria. First, we prioritize product intrinsic factors, rather than portfolio fit. We source assets based on criteria that are tied to the DNA of the product candidate or program, rather than pre-established portfolio requirements. Second, we are agnostic to therapeutic area, modality, mechanism and source. We discount the origins of the program and are not biased towards a specific therapeutic area or modality as long as a significant unmet need or commercial opportunity exists. We believe that every program deserves a fair chance based on the metrics that matter most to us –biological rationale, differentiation, and team. Lastly, we focus on precedented biological pathways in which there is clear rationale or proxy for human effectiveness. We prioritize mechanisms that have demonstrated human proof-of-concept and/or are supported by unequivocal human genetic evidence.

*Distinctive Principles for Our Centessa Subsidiaries*

Two distinctive principles apply specifically to our Centessa Subsidiaries and are critical to their success under our model:

- **Subject expertise.** Our teams are led by subject matter experts who have deep expertise directly related to the biological pathways of interest. These subject matter experts are deeply focused on developing and bringing their product candidates or technologies to patients. They are also relieved from the distractions that typically arise from company-building and capital raising efforts.
- **Program execution.** Our companies are empowered to execute asset related strategic and operational plans with a “develop to commercialize” mindset. The founder-subject matter experts at each Centessa Subsidiary have the most intimate program knowledge and are best positioned to make key development decisions and drive full execution of the funded plan. Because our operating model is designed to have small teams and low fixed costs, this enables expeditious closure of programs when data dictate that to be the appropriate course of action.

**Our Strategy**

We have embarked on a journey to build a sustainable, evergreen pharmaceutical company with a reimagined asset-centric approach that we believe has the potential to fundamentally reshape the traditional research and development model. Our strategy is guided by four key tenets and grounded in a singular focus on advancing exceptional science to the ultimate benefit of patients. To execute on this strategy, we are focused on leveraging our operating model to advance our current pipeline of potential medicines while continuously searching for the next generation of founder-subject matter experts with high conviction assets with clear biological rationale, who seek to translate their subject matter expertise into breakthroughs for patients. Key elements of our strategy include:

- **An unwavering focus on asset centrality.** We believe continued commitment to an asset-centric approach to drug development is critical to the success of our model. Our first-of-its kind model brings to practice concepts that have been individually demonstrated to promote success in biotechnology R&D by sustaining program focus and rigor and coupling this with the expertise of founder-subject matter experts. Through this approach, we intend to enhance R&D productivity by streamlining the decision making process and aligning incentives of all stakeholders involved. As we grow through the addition of new Centessa Subsidiaries, asset centrality will remain our cornerstone, allowing us to stay nimble to make the best decision for individual programs.
- **Efficiently advancing our initial pipeline of high conviction programs to treat important unmet medical needs.** We are committed to supporting and efficiently advancing our pipeline by: adhering to a “follow the data” philosophy to judiciously deploy capital for pipeline maturation; enabling our program teams with centralized support to access expertise and accelerate interrogation of key scientific hypotheses; and operating with agility to adapt to external data readouts that have direct relevance to program conviction.
- **Attracting the next generation of founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs.** We believe our model is uniquely situated to uncover the next generation of founder-subject matter experts with high conviction programs that follow well elucidated biological pathways. We are agnostic to source of program and therapeutic area as long as our programs address important needs for patients, as evidenced by our diverse portfolio spanning across multiple disease areas. We believe these founder-subject matter experts will be attracted to our model due to the significant autonomy to further develop their assets, the absence of distractions that typically arise from company-building and capital raising efforts, access to our centralized resources, scale and capital and the unique incentives that we purposefully design to reward program success while mitigating downside.
- **Incentivizing and enabling our Centessa Subsidiary leadership teams who have deep expertise in their respective disciplines.** A key advantage for our founder-subject matter experts in prosecuting

their programs is the direct incentives tied to the success of their scientific endeavors and program development efforts. Our incentivization programs, with tangible milestone payments based on defined events such as regulatory approval of an applicable drug or execution of a strategic transaction concerning the relevant Centessa Subsidiary, align all stakeholders and ensure success in science is rewarded. We are confident this approach to incentivization will be a catalyst to attracting founder-subject matter experts to Centessa. In addition, Centessa Subsidiary leaders also own equity in Centessa, further aligning key members with the overall success of our Company.

**Our Pipeline**

Our current portfolio consists of 16 high-conviction programs, including four programs currently being evaluated in clinical trials and 12 additional preclinical programs. Our programs, which span multiple disease areas including oncology, hematology, immunology / inflammation, neuroscience, hepatology pulmonology, nephrology and, are largely uncorrelated with one another, and represent disease areas with significant unmet need for patients and large potential market opportunities. We aim to pursue programs that target pathways with clear biological rationale. Given that biological pathways have varying influence on disease pathophysiology, we believe it is paramount to identify the most critical pathways that contribute to disease onset and severity to aid in development of appropriate therapeutics. Human genetics offers a glimpse into specific genes, and downstream proteins that are associated with disease. By targeting such disease associated genes or proteins, we seek to increase the probability of impacting disease outcome. Further, we place a premium on learnings from the clinic whereby a drug has established the relevance of a biological pathway contributing to disease outcome. Our portfolio largely consists of programs where there is prior learning in human genetics or precedented human activity for a pathway of interest. Our strategy is to assemble a pipeline of product candidates bearing these attributes, which we believe may translate into program success.



Our new R&D model is designed to provide regular value-driving catalysts from our various Centessa Subsidiary programs over time. For example, we anticipate more than a dozen clinical read-outs over the next three years. At the same time, we anticipate that our promising earlier-stage Centessa Subsidiary programs will advance through various stages of preclinical and clinical development.

Each of our initial product candidates and programs are summarized on the following pages.



Developing lixivaptan, a selective, oral, small molecule vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist for autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD) with potential for a differentiated profile over the currently available treatment, tolvaptan

- LIXIVAPTAN**
- Oral, non-peptide, selective, **vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist** for ADPKD
  - Phase 3 open-label safety study ongoing
  - Orphan Drug Designation granted by FDA

- ADPKD OVERVIEW**
- Hereditary disease characterized by **formation and progressive enlargement of cysts in the kidney**
  - Results in **decreased kidney function**, and significant **negative impact on quality of life**
  - Majority of diagnosed patients will experience **kidney failure** and need **dialysis or transplantation to prevent death**



**NEXT MILESTONE**

Data from Phase 3 Alert Study (Not a registrational trial)

- COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE**
- Tolvaptan, a vasopressin V2 inhibitor, marketed by Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co.
  - Venglustat, a glucosylceramide synthase inhibitor, currently in Phase 3 development by Sanofi
  - Bardoxolone, an oral Nrf2 activator, currently in Phase 3 development by Reata Pharmaceuticals

- DIFFERENTIATION**
- **Potential to avoid safety issues associated with the only drug approved for the treatment of ADPKD, tolvaptan**, which is associated with serious drug induced liver injury (DILI) and in the US is available only under a Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS) distribution program

- VALIDATION & RATIONALE**
- **Proof of concept** for vasopressin V2 receptor antagonists as disease-modifying therapies for ADPKD supported by tolvaptan clinical studies
  - **Lixivaptan development plans and regulatory strategy** informed by learnings from tolvaptan approval history
  - **Pharmacodynamic effect showing a dose-related suppression of urine osmolality, a marker of receptor inhibition**, demonstrated at the end of the dosing interval in clinical pharmacology study of 31 ADPKD patients
  - **No signs of liver toxicity** as measured by ALT levels during 14 months of dosing in one patient who had previously experienced liver toxicity while on tolvaptan therapy; and 2) DILsym<sup>®</sup>, a state-of-the art, quantitative systems toxicology modeling tool utilized by the FDA, predicted lixivaptan is not likely to cause DILI and may be better tolerated than tolvaptan with respect to the mechanisms of liver toxicity currently represented in DILsym<sup>®</sup>


- LEADERSHIP & SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE**
- Alex Martin, MBA** – Chief Executive Officer
- Seasoned biotech executive with strong track record of leadership
  - Previously served as CEO of Realm Therapeutics (acquired by ESSA Pharma), COO of Intercept Pharmaceuticals, and CFO of BioXell (acquired by Cosmo Pharmaceuticals)
- Lorenzo Pellegrini, Ph.D.** – Founder & Chief Operating Officer
- Serial biotech entrepreneur and venture capitalist
  - Previously co-founded and served on the boards of companies including Minerva Neurosciences, Biocritica, and Sentinella Pharmaceuticals
- Neil H. Shusterman, M.D.** – Chief Medical Officer
- Subject matter expert in kidney disease as a board-certified nephrologist and former Assistant Professor of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, where he led a large outpatient dialysis program, and published widely on topics in renal medicine
  - 31 years of drug development experience bringing late-phase drugs to market, designing clinical trials, and leading registrational studies
  - Leading role in designing pivotal studies and regulatory filing for Coreg<sup>™</sup> (carvedilol), and contributed to the approval of products such as argatroban, Bystolic<sup>™</sup>, Corlopam<sup>™</sup>, and Teveten<sup>™</sup>



Developing SerpinPC, a specific inhibitor of activated protein C (APC), for the treatment of hemophilia A (HA) and hemophilia B (HB), representing a potential "one-size-fits-all" treatment	
<p><b>SERPINPC</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Variant of the serpin alpha-1-antitrypsin, modified to be a <b>specific inhibitor of APC</b></li> <li>&gt; Rebalances coagulation by decreasing circulating APC</li> <li>&gt; AP-0101, a Phase 1/2a open-label study ongoing</li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Potential to address all forms of hemophilia</b>, including moderate and severe HA and HB, regardless of inhibitor status, and potentially other rare bleeding disorders</li> <li>&gt; <b>Subcutaneous bioavailability, tolerability profile and PK suitable for monthly dosing</b> without the need for factor replacement</li> <li>&gt; <b>Potential to reach the large population of hemophilia patients currently without access to treatment</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>HEMOPHILIA OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; X-linked rare bleeding disorders characterized by <b>excessive bleeding</b></li> <li>&gt; Joint bleeds result in <b>chronic joint damage</b> and musculoskeletal destruction</li> <li>&gt; Standard of care factor replacement requires frequent intravenous infusions</li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Targets APC, a well elucidated biological pathway</b> shown to improve thrombin generation in the context of hemophilia in humans</li> <li>&gt; Mechanism of action leaves antithrombotic and signaling activities of APC intact. Lack of D-dimer elevation in multiple animal species, healthy volunteers and hemophilia patients supports low thrombosis risk</li> <li>&gt; <b>Normalization of bleeding in hemophilia mouse models required the lowering of the circulating APC levels</b> and was not related to the SerpinPC exposure at the time of challenge</li> </ul>
<p><b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b></p>  <p>~20,000 persons with hemophilia in the United States</p>  <p>500,000 estimated global prevalence</p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>James Huntington, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Internationally recognized expert in blood coagulation</li> <li>&gt; Devoted professional career to unravelling the structural basis of thrombin formation and function</li> <li>&gt; Professor of Molecular Haemostasis at the University of Cambridge</li> <li>&gt; Fellow of the Academy of Medical Sciences</li> <li>&gt; Recognized by the International Society of Thrombosis and Hemostasis with a life-time career award</li> <li>&gt; Co-founded XO1 with Dr. Trevor Baglin in 2013 (acquired by Janssen Pharmaceuticals) followed by Apcintex in 2014, and Z Factor with Dr. David Grainger in 2015</li> </ul> <p><b>Trevor Baglin, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder and Chief Medical Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Hemophilia expert with successful entrepreneurial and venture investing experience</li> <li>&gt; Deep clinical background in hemophilia with 35 years of experience in the U.K. National Health Service</li> <li>&gt; Former Consultant Hematologist at Cambridge University Hospitals</li> <li>&gt; Co-founded Apcintex with Professor Huntington in 2014</li> <li>&gt; Additionally serves as Chief Medical Officer of Z Factor</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEXT MILESTONE</b></p> <p>Phase 2a 6 month repeat dose study in patients with severe hemophilia</p>	
<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Emicizumab, a recombinant, bispecific mAb treatment for HA marketed by Roche Pharmaceuticals</li> <li>&gt; Concizumab, an anti-TFPI mAb in Phase 3 development by Novo Nordisk</li> <li>&gt; Fitusiran, a siRNA therapy in Phase 3 development by Sanofi</li> <li>&gt; Valoctogene roxaparvovec, an AAV-FVIII gene therapy for HA in Phase 3 development by BioMarin</li> <li>&gt; Fidanacogene elaparvovec, an AAV-FIX gene therapy for HB in Phase 3 development by Pfizer / Spark</li> </ul>	



Developing imgatuzumab, a next-generation EGFR targeting antibody, with enhanced antibody derived cell cytotoxicity (ADCC) and antibody derived cell phagocytosis (ADCP) properties, initially for the treatment of advanced cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (CSCC), with further potential across multiple oncology indications

<p><b>IMGATUZUMAB</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Next-generation EGFR targeting mAb</b> with enhanced ADCC and ADCP properties</li> <li>&gt; Originally developed by Glycart and licensed from Roche</li> <li>&gt; Data from prior clinical studies in 296 patients</li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Imgatuzumab is a novel, recombinant, humanized and <b>glycoengineered IgG1 monoclonal antibody</b> against the epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) with increased binding affinity for the Fc gamma receptor</li> <li>&gt; Glycoengineering enables enhanced <b>ADCC and ADCP properties</b> – significantly increasing capacity to recruit immune cells, like Natural Killer (NK) cells, macrophages/monocytes and neutrophils resulting in superior anti-tumor activity in vitro and in vivo models</li> </ul>
<p><b>CSCC OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Second most common skin cancer, with more than one million diagnosed annually</li> <li>&gt; Occurs when DNA damage from exposure to UV radiation or other damaging agents triggers abnormal changes in the squamous cells</li> <li>&gt; If left untreated, may progress to an advanced stage with a lack of curative approaches</li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Precedented activity in patients</b> – to date, 296 patients have been administered imgatuzumab within clinical trials sponsored by Roche, demonstrating an acceptable safety profile with manageable adverse events and promising anti-tumor activity in heavily pretreated patients</li> <li>&gt; Open-label clinical trial data suggests <b>anti-tumor activity across multiple solid tumor types</b>, including colorectal and head and neck squamous cell carcinoma</li> <li>&gt; <b>Leveraging proven glycoengineering technology</b> which Roche had also used to engineer the approved product Gazvya (obinutuzumab)</li> <li>&gt; Advanced CSCC is an area of high unmet need with patients ineligible for PD-1 inhibitors and patients who progress account for <b>65% of the total advanced stage CSCC patient population</b></li> <li>&gt; Imgatuzumab combination regimens with <b>immunotherapy compounds or small molecule inhibitors</b> have the potential to drive stronger anti-tumor activity in a broad spectrum of oncology indications</li> </ul>
<p><b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b></p>  <p>~10,000 new advanced stage CSCC patients diagnosed in the United States; ~5,000 in Europe</p> <p><b>EU</b></p> <p><b>NEXT MILESTONE</b></p> <p>Initiate an open label, single arm, Phase 2 trial of imgatuzumab in advanced CSCC; potential for Orphan Drug status</p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>Steffen Heeger, M.D., Ph.D.</b> – Chief Medical Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Over 20 years of clinical and industry experience, including instrumental roles in the development of Erbitux (cetuximab)</li> <li>&gt; Previously served as VP, Head of Clinical Development and Head of Clinical Operations at Morphosys AG, as well as prior roles at Merck Serono</li> </ul> <p><b>Aurélien Marabelle, M.D., Ph.D.</b> – Advisor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Senior Medical Oncologist in the Drug Development Department, a group leader in Prof Laurence Zitvogel’s lab</li> <li>&gt; Clinical Director of the Cancer Immunotherapy Program at The Institute Gustave Roussy</li> </ul> <p><b>Jean-Pierre Armand, M.D., Ph.D.</b> – Advisor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; 30 years of experience in both academia and the pharmaceutical industry and is certified in Medical Oncology</li> <li>&gt; Senior consultant at Institute Gustav Roussy and visiting professor of oncology in the Yunnan University in China</li> </ul>
<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>LIBTAYO®</b> (cemiplimab), a PD-1 inhibitor, marketed by Regeneron, for patients with metastatic CSCC or locally advanced CSCC who are not candidates for curative surgery or curative radiation</li> <li>&gt; <b>KEYTRUDA®</b> (pembrolizumab), a PD-1 inhibitor, marketed by Merck &amp; Co., for patients with recurrent or metastatic CSCC that is not curable by surgery or radiation</li> <li>&gt; Although not approved, other therapies including EGFR-targeting Erbitux (Cetuximab) are included in the NCCN guidelines for advanced CSCC</li> </ul>	



Developing small molecule folding correctors for the Z variant of alpha-1-antitrypsin, for the treatment of alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency (A1ATD), to increase serum levels and reduce liver burden to treat or prevent associated lung and liver disease manifestations

<p><b>ZF874</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Potent and specific <b>folding corrector for Z-A1AT</b>, improving secretion <i>in vitro</i> and <i>in vivo</i></li> <li>ZF-0101, a Phase 1 single ascending dose and 28 day multiple dose study ongoing in healthy subjects and PiXZ subjects</li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ZF874 is a small molecule chemical chaperone intended to rescue folding of the Z variant of alpha-1-antitrypsin (Z-A1AT), <b>increasing serum levels of active protein and reducing accumulation in the liver</b></li> <li><b>ZF874 addresses the underlying pathology of both lung and liver disease manifestations of A1ATD</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>ALATD OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Autosomal recessive disorder most frequently caused by missense mutations in the A1AT gene, which leads to reduced secretion of native A1AT</li> <li>Individuals homozygous for the Z mutation (PiZZ) have A1AT levels 10 to 15% of normal and account for 95% of the known cases of A1ATD</li> <li><b>May manifest as lung and / or liver disease</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seeks to <b>specifically address the underlying driver of disease</b>, A1AT misfolding and polymerization caused by the Z mutation</li> <li>In preclinical <i>in vivo</i> mouse studies, <b>ZF874 increased the plasma concentration of human Z-A1AT and reduced liver burden and pathology</b></li> <li>At high doses, <b>ZF874 has the potential to normalize A1AT levels</b></li> <li><b>Follow-on candidate ZF887</b> currently entering IND enabling phase with lead optimization completed</li> </ul>
<p><b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b></p> <p>Approximately 1 in 25 individuals of European descent are A1AT Z mutation carriers, with 1 in 1,800 homozygous for the Z mutation</p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>James Huntington, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three decades of study into the structural basis of function and dysfunction of A1AT and other serpins</li> <li>Professor of Molecular Haemostasis at the University of Cambridge</li> <li>Fellow of the Academy of Medical Sciences</li> <li>Co-founded XO1 with Dr. Trevor Baglin in 2013 (acquired by Janssen Pharmaceuticals) followed by ApicteX in 2014, and Z Factor with Dr. David Grainger in 2015</li> <li>Co-founder of 7 companies since 2013</li> </ul> <p><b>David Grainger, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>20 years running an academic group in the Department of Medicine at the University of Cambridge with a focus on inflammation</li> <li>Inventor on over 150 patents and patent applications</li> <li>Co-Founder of 28 biotech companies</li> <li>Co-Founder and Chief Scientific Advisor at Medixi</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEXT MILESTONE</b></p> <p>Phase 1 Part B Multiple-Dose Study Data of ZF874 in PiXZ subjects</p>	
<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>VX-864, an Z-A1AT folding corrector, currently in phase 2 development by Vertex Pharmaceuticals</li> <li>ARO-AAT, an RNAi therapy for the knockdown of Z-AAT, currently in phase 2 development by Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals</li> <li>Belcesiran, an RNAi therapy for the knockdown of Z-AAT, currently in early clinical trials by Dicerna Pharmaceuticals</li> </ul>	

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<b>MGX292</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Designed to <b>overcome the deficiency in BMP9 signaling in PAH</b>, restore vascular function and reverse disease pathology</li> <li>&gt; Lacks signaling via ALK2, which otherwise leads to undesired bone formation</li> </ul>	<b>DIFFERENTIATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; While currently approved therapeutics for PAH seek to address vasoconstriction, <b>MGX292 targets a central underlying disease mechanism (BMP9 signaling pathway)</b>, directly implicated from 20 years of human genetic discoveries in PAH</li> <li>&gt; As a protein-engineered variant of BMP9 designed to selectively activate ALK1 to preserve endothelial function, while avoiding the activation of ALK2, <b>MGX292 overcomes the undesired effect of heterotopic ossification</b>, or bone formation, otherwise associated with ALK2 activation</li> </ul>
<b>PAH OVERVIEW</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Rare and ultimately fatal disease affecting the lungs and heart</b></li> <li>&gt; Initially presents with breathlessness caused by severely elevated blood pressure in the pulmonary circulation</li> <li>&gt; <b>BMP9 signaling implicated in additional vascular diseases</b>, such as ARDS, HHT, and hepatopulmonary syndrome</li> </ul>	<b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Patients with idiopathic and familial PAH exhibit <b>loss of function in the BMP9/ALK1/BMP2 pathway</b></li> <li>&gt; In the Sugen-hypoxia preclinical rat model of severe PAH, daily administration of <b>MGX292 demonstrated a dose-dependent reversal of established lung vascular pathology</b></li> <li>&gt; In preclinical mouse models MGX292 was <b>devoid of bone forming activity</b> following intramuscular injection at high doses</li> </ul>
<b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b> <p>PAH prevalence is 25 to 50 per million individuals, affecting approximately 70,000 patients in North America, Europe and Japan</p>	<b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b> <p><b>Nick Morell, M.D.</b> – Co-Founder &amp; Chief Executive Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Over 25 years of research experience in PAH from genetics to experimental medicine</li> <li>&gt; Leads a laboratory at the University of Cambridge that is internationally recognized for contributions to understanding mechanisms of PAH, publishing over 250 papers in the field</li> </ul> <p><b>Wei Li, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder and Advisor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Expert in the protein biochemistry and structural biology of BMP ligands and receptors at the University of Cambridge</li> </ul> <p><b>Paul Upton, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder and Advisor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Expert in the vascular biology of BMPs, BMP signaling and animal models of PAH at the University of Cambridge</li> </ul>
<b>NEXT MILESTONE</b> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>MGX292 IND filing</b></p>	
<b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Sotatercept, a ligand trap with selectivity for multiple proteins within the TGF-<math>\beta</math> superfamily, currently in phase 3 development by Acceleron Pharma</li> <li>&gt; KER-012, a protein therapeutic designed to bind to and inhibit the signaling of TGF-<math>\beta</math> ligands, currently in preclinical development by Keros Therapeutics</li> </ul>	

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Pioneering monoclonal antibody therapeutics, including CBS001 (anti-LIGHT) and CBS004 (anti-BDCA-2), to treat chronic progressive pulmonary and inflammatory diseases

<p><b>CBS001 &amp; CBS004</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; CBS001 – high-affinity mAb for IPF <b>selectively targeting the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT</b></li> <li>&gt; CBS004 – humanized mAb for SSc and lupus <b>specific to BDCA-2, which is expressed exclusively on plasmacytoid dendritic cells (pDC)</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; CBS001 is the first anti-LIGHT antibody to <b>selectively block the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT</b> without impacting the soluble form</li> <li>&gt; CBS001 demonstrated approximately <b>10 times higher potency</b> than a competitor mAb while producing a clean safety profile on the FDA human tissue panel</li> <li>&gt; CBS004 has demonstrated approximately <b>5 times higher potency</b> than a competitor mAb for Lupis, while demonstrating it can reduce skin thickness induced by pDC to normal levels</li> </ul>
<p><b>IPF OVERVIEW</b></p> <p><b>Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF)</b> is a chronic, progressive respiratory disease characterized by inflammation and enhanced collagen deposition in the lung</p> <p>~135,000 estimated US prevalence</p>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; <b>Preclinical models</b> of lung fibrosis induced in humanized mice show that <b>CBS001 reduces fibrosis</b> as measured by the Ashcroft score</li> <li>&gt; Capella has demonstrated that <b>CBS004 can reduce fibrosis causing dermal and epidermal skin thickness</b> induced by pDC in a bleomycin induced mouse model</li> <li>&gt; <b>CBS004 has also been shown to completely inhibit collagen accumulation</b> and TGFβ message in a preclinical model</li> </ul>
<p><b>SSC OVERVIEW</b></p> <p><b>Systemic Sclerosis (SSc)</b> is a connective tissue disorder characterized primarily by the thickening and hardening of the skin and internal organs including heart, lung, and kidneys</p> <p>~200 cases per 1 million adults worldwide</p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>Steve Holmes, Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; mAb development expert with over 30 years of experience</li> <li>&gt; Previously served in senior positions at Oxford Glycosciences (acquired by UCB-Celltech), Domantis (acquired by GlaxoSmithKline), Kymab (acquired by Sanofi), and GlaxoSmithKline</li> </ul> <p><b>Donald Drakeman, J.D., Ph.D.</b> – Co-Founder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Skilled entrepreneur with significant drug development experience</li> <li>&gt; Overseen the progress of 30 innovative medical products</li> <li>&gt; Co-founded Medarex (acquired by Bristol-Myers Squibb)</li> <li>&gt; Co-founded Genmab</li> </ul>
<p><b>CLE / SLE OVERVIEW</b></p> <p><b>Lupus Erythematosus (CLE/SLE)</b> is a multisystemic inflammation resulting from abnormal immunological function and periodic flares of varying severity</p> <p>~70 cases per 100,000 persons</p>	
<p><b>NEXT MILESTONES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CBS001 IND filing</li> <li>CBS004 IND filing</li> </ul>	
<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; FG-3019, a humanized anti-CTGF mAb, currently in Phase 3 development by Fibrogen</li> <li>&gt; CERC-002, an anti-LIGHT mAb, currently in Phase 1b development by Cerecor</li> <li>&gt; BIIB059, an anti-BDCA-2 mAb, currently in Phase 2 development by Biogen</li> <li>&gt; VIB7734, a pDC targeting mAb, currently in Phase 1b development by Horizon Therapeutics (Viela Bio)</li> </ul>	

Leveraging LockBody platform technology to overcome classical limitations and minimize systemic toxicity in the targeting of CD47 and CD3 for the treatment of solid tumors

- LB1 & LB2**
- **LockBody CD47 (LB1)** – In preclinical and cell line development for optimal targeting of solid tumors
  - **LockBody CD3 (LB2)** – In preclinical development for the safe and effective targeting of solid tumors

- DISEASE OVERVIEW**
- Established standard of care for solid tumors remains **incapable of treating the majority of patients effectively**
  - **Current solid tumor treatments demonstrate poor therapeutic index** due to large target sinks and rate-limiting toxicity risks
  - Poor therapeutic index is particularly **problematic in the setting of potent tumor-killing mechanisms** such as CD47 and CD3

**EPIDEMIOLOGY**



Up to **~19 million** new cases and **~10 million** deaths globally, including **~1.6 million** and **~500,000** within the United States



- NEXT MILESTONES**
- LB1 IND filing
  - LB2 IND filing

- COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE**
- CD47-bispecific antibodies for solid tumors, currently in preclinical development by Light Chain Bioscience
  - IB322, a PD-L1 / CD47 bispecific, currently in phase 1 development by Innovent
  - Activatable CD3 bispecifics, currently in development by Harpoon, Maverick, Amunix and CytomX

**DIFFERENTIATION**

- **Addresses the poor therapeutic index limitations that antibodies and bispecifics often have** by “locking” CD47 or CD3 cell-killing mechanisms of action until activated in the tumor microenvironment for treatment of solid tumors
- LB1 is designed to **bypass CD47 sink, minimize peripheral toxicity, and drive maximal CD47 blocking activity** into the tumor
- **Modular and reproducible nature of the LockBody platform may facilitate the rapid generation of a full portfolio of innovative and differentiated clinical candidates**



**VALIDATION & RATIONALE**

- **Initially targeting CD47, a well elucidated immuno-oncology target** that is over-expressed and associated with poor survival in the majority of solid tumor cases
- In vitro preclinical data demonstrates **LB1 maximizes the cell-killing potency of tumor-targeting antibodies and is well expressed, soluble, stable and has mAb-like development characteristics**
- In vivo preclinical data further demonstrates LB1 stability in the circulation and antibody-like pharmacokinetics, and indicates **proteins remain locked until exposed to the tumor environment as intended**

**LEADERSHIP & SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE**

- Jonny Finlay, Ph.D.** – Founder and Chief Executive Officer
- Biotech entrepreneur with two decades of experience in biologics discovery and development in academia, government and industry
  - Previously at Pfizer, Wyeth, CBER-FDA
- Jamie Coleman, Ph.D.** – Founder and Chief Operating Officer
- Physiology, software and data analytics expert with serial entrepreneurial experience
  - Co-Founder of CodeBase, Granular Therapeutics, and Ultrahuman

Developing oral and intranasal orexin receptor agonists designed to selectively target orexin type-2 receptor to promote wakefulness and restore orexin neurotransmission in the brain, initially for the treatment of narcolepsy type 1 (NT1)

<p><b>OX2R</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Orexia's orexin receptor agonists <b>selectively target orexin type-2 receptor (OX2R)</b></li> <li>Molecules for both <b>oral and intranasal administration</b> are in preclinical development</li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>OX2R agonism directly targets the underlying pathophysiology of orexin neuron loss in NT1</b>, as opposed to standard of care treatments</li> <li><b>Diversified profile</b> – intranasal delivery using the exclusively licensed Optinose device may provide substantially faster onset of efficacy</li> <li><b>Significant expansion opportunity</b> into Narcolepsy Type 2 (NT2), rare hypersomnias and additional rare and common diseases</li> <li><b>Structural insights</b> - Orexia's <b>exclusive relationship with Sosei Heptares</b> enables unique drug discovery and development techniques via the use of the <b>OX2R stabilised receptors (StaRs) and proprietary structure-based drug design approaches</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>NT1 OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Narcolepsy type 1 (NT1) is a life-long disorder with loss of the brain's ability to regulate normal sleep-wake cycles</li> <li>NT1 is caused by the profound loss of orexin-producing neurons; characterized by excessive daytime sleepiness, sleep paralysis, hallucinations, and cataplexy</li> <li>Current treatments address symptoms of NT1, but no approved therapies address underlying pathophysiology</li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Orexin neuron loss is key pathophysiological driver for NT1 disease</li> <li>Preclinical and clinical studies demonstrate <b>orexin agonists promote wakefulness in healthy and NT1 patients and may alleviate cataplexy</b></li> <li>Small molecule <b>OX2R agonists and OX2R preferring peptides have shown enhanced wakefulness</b> in NT1 model and wild type mice</li> </ul>
<p><b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b></p>  <p>Estimated narcolepsy prevalence of <b>~150,000 in the United States</b>, of which approx. <b>~50% have NT1</b></p>  <p><b>~3 million prevalence of narcolepsy worldwide</b></p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>Mario Alberto Accardi, Ph.D.</b> – Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experienced biotech entrepreneur and venture capital investor</li> <li>Co-founded Orexia based on the idea of leveraging novel structural insights of the orexin receptors for the drug discovery of orexin agonists</li> <li>Previously in life sciences venture capital with Entrepreneurs Fund and Fort Rock Capital where he led several investments</li> </ul> <p><b>Deborah Hartman, Ph.D.</b> – Chief Scientific Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Expert orexin drug developer with large pharma experience</li> <li>Previously Global Program Lead of Takeda Pharmaceuticals' Orexin program, held earlier leadership positions at AstraZeneca and Hoffmann-La Roche</li> <li>Advanced two orexin agonist molecules into the first clinical studies in NT1 and multiple other indications at Takeda Pharmaceuticals</li> </ul> <p><b>Sarah Wurts Black, Ph.D.</b> – Head of Biology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Significant orexin pre-clinical experience and NT1 modeling expert</li> <li>Led in vivo effort for the orexin receptor modulator program at Reset Therapeutics</li> <li>Developed preclinical NT1 models and sleep/wake bioassays at Stanford University and SRI International</li> </ul> <p><b>Emiliangelo Ratti, Ph.D.</b> – R&amp;D Strategic Advisor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CNS and orexin agonist and antagonist drug development experience</li> <li>Previously Head of Neurosciences at Takeda Pharmaceuticals and GSK</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEXT MILESTONE</b></p> <p>Candidate Selection for oral and intranasal programs</p>	<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>XYREM®</b> (sodium oxybate), marketed by Jazz Pharmaceuticals for EDS or cataplexy symptoms in narcolepsy</li> <li><b>XYWAV®</b> (calcium, magnesium, potassium and sodium oxybates), marketed by Jazz Pharmaceuticals, for EDS or cataplexy symptoms in narcolepsy</li> <li><b>WAKIX®</b> (pitolisant), marketed by Harmony Biosciences for the treatment of narcolepsy (EDS and cataplexy)</li> <li><b>TAK-994</b> (orexin receptor-2 agonist), currently in Phase 2 development for NT1 by Takeda Pharmaceuticals</li> <li><b>FTZ18</b> (sodium oxybate), marketed by Avadel Pharmaceuticals for EDS and Cataplexy symptoms in narcolepsy</li> <li><b>RDC-264177</b> (orexin receptor-2 agonist), currently in pre-clinical development by Alkermes.</li> </ul>



**Small molecule protein degrader therapeutics designed to covalently and selectively bind to and degrade STAT3 and STAT5 proteins for the treatment of hematological malignancies**

<p><b>PROGRAMS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Small molecule, protein degraders</li> <li><b>Dual, covalent binding to STAT3/STAT5 to destabilize and degrade target protein</b></li> <li>Currently in lead optimization</li> </ul>	<p><b>DIFFERENTIATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Small molecule monovalent <b>protein degraders designed to destabilize and eventually remove STAT proteins</b> may lead to greater activity with lower likelihood of resistance formation, as well as more durable responses and longer dosing intervals</li> <li><b>Demonstrated ability to target a previously “undruggable” protein, STAT5</b>, which has historically been difficult to target due to its inherent instability</li> <li><b>STAT3/STAT5 dual selectivity</b> may potentially deprive cancer cells of a key escape mechanism leading to less resistance to therapy</li> </ul>
<p><b>DISEASE OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Leukemia and lymphomas are two types of hematopoietic cancers</li> <li>Leukemia occurs when the bone marrow produces too many abnormal non-functional white blood cells</li> <li>Lymphoma affects lymphocytes, a type of white blood cell, causing immune dysregulation, serious infection, and eventually respiratory failure</li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Aberrant STAT3 and STAT5 activity is widely recognized as a critical molecular abnormality and a master regulator of tumor apoptosis and proliferation in numerous cancers</b>, including hematologic malignancies. Targeting upstream JAK kinases has yielded only moderately successful therapies in cancer</li> <li>A lead compound was shown in a standard AML tumor model to <b>significantly reduce leukemic burden and suppress tumor dissemination</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>EPIDEMIOLOGY</b></p>  <p>~150,000 leukemia and lymphoma patients in the US;</p>  <p>~45,000 new cases per year of AML in the US and EU</p>	<p><b>LEADERSHIP &amp; SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE</b></p> <p><b>Patrick Gunning, Ph.D.</b> – Chief Scientific Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deep expertise in STAT with 15+ years of research in the field, which forms the scientific foundation of Janpix</li> <li>A professor of chemistry at the University of Toronto, and Canada Research Chair in Medicinal Chemistry</li> <li>Has published ~110 research papers, won 19 research awards including Canada’s Top 40 Under 40, founded two biotech companies with over \$26M in funding, and developed a dynamic and diverse medicinal chemistry program targeting protein-protein interactions</li> </ul> <p><b>Roman Fleck, Ph.D.</b> – Chief Executive Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seasoned biotech entrepreneur, investor and drug developer</li> <li>Previously was advisor and Principal at Index Ventures where he served on the boards of GlycoVaxyn (sold to GSK), Versartis (NASDAQ: VSAS), and Novocure (NASDAQ: NVCR). Prior to that served at Boehringer Ingelheim where he led the advancement of numerous programs in inflammation &amp; cardiovascular disease from pre-clinical to clinical stage.</li> <li>Received a PhD from MIT and MBA from NYU’s Stern School of Business</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEXT MILESTONE</b></p> <p>Candidate selection</p>	
<p><b>COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>STAT3 degrader PROTAC program, currently believed to be in preclinical development, by Oncopia Therapeutics (now Roivant Sciences)</li> <li>STAT3 degrader PROTAC program, expected to enter clinical trials in 2021, by Kymera Therapeutics</li> </ul>	

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<p><b>DISEASE OVERVIEW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths worldwide, with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) accounting for 85% of all lung tumors</li> <li>EGFR is the most frequent mutation with prevalence of ~15% of NSCLC patients</li> <li>EGFR Exon20 mutations account for between 4-12% of all EGFR mutations in NSCLC patients</li> </ul>	<p><b>VALIDATION &amp; RATIONALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EGFR mutations represent the most common group of druggable mutations in cancer; several EGFR inhibitors have been approved to treat patients whose tumor cells are driven by the mutant EGFR oncogene</li> <li>Current challenges of cancer resistance are well-characterized, either for cancers that lack sensitivity to available EGFR inhibitors, such as Exon20 insertions, or have acquired resistance mutations such as C797X following treatment with EGFR inhibitors (e.g., osimertinib)</li> <li>Exon20 program has demonstrated a favorable therapeutic index compared to competitor EGFR Exon20 inhibitors in preclinical studies</li> <li>C797S program has demonstrated high potency and robust therapeutic index in preclinical studies</li> </ul>
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## **Palladio Biosciences**

### *Introduction*

Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (Palladio) was created with the goal of developing transformative medicines for orphan diseases of the kidney. Palladio is actively investigating its lead product candidate, lixivaptan, an oral, non-peptide, new chemical agent that works by selectively suppressing the activity of the hormone vasopressin at the V2 receptor, as well as evaluating its potential to deliver a differentiated safety profile for patients with autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD). Palladio's development program is designed to show that lixivaptan can slow the decline in renal function that is typically observed in ADPKD patients while avoiding the liver safety issues associated with JYNARQUE®, a form of branded tolvaptan indicated for ADPKD, which is the only drug currently approved for ADPKD. We believe the potential of lixivaptan in ADPKD is supported by data to date, which includes extensive data from a quantitative-systems toxicology modeling tool, clinical development in a different indication as well as preclinical and clinical studies in ADPKD.

Palladio is currently conducting a Phase 3 clinical trial (designated the ALERT Study), an open-label, repeat-dose study designed to assess hepatic and non-hepatic safety and efficacy of lixivaptan in patients who previously experienced abnormal liver chemistry test results while treated with tolvaptan and were permanently discontinued from tolvaptan for that reason. While the ALERT Study is not a registrational trial, Palladio is preparing to conduct a global Phase 3 pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, (designated the ACTION study) which we expect to commence by early-to-mid 2022.

The Palladio team includes veterans in drug development, research, business entrepreneurship and management with extensive experience in our industry. Palladio is led by Alex Martin, Chief Executive Officer, who previously served as Chief Executive Officer of Realm Therapeutics and also held senior-level positions at several development stage biopharmaceutical companies. He is joined by Neil Shusterman, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, who was a practicing academic nephrologist at the University of Pennsylvania, where he cared for chronic kidney disease and dialysis patients with ADPKD. Dr. Shusterman is also a veteran drug developer in the pharmaceuticals industry with over 30 years of experience and is responsible for the development and approval of several notable products. Lorenzo Pellegrini, Ph.D., is a founder of Palladio and serves as its Chief Operating Officer. Dr. Pellegrini is a scientist, investor and entrepreneur and the co-founder of six drug development companies. During his tenure at a leading venture capital firm, he was responsible for monitoring the firm's investment in Cardiokine, the prior sponsor of lixivaptan, and became intimately familiar with lixivaptan's potential as a therapy for the treatment of ADPKD.

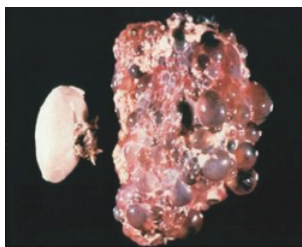
### *Disease Overview*

ADPKD is a hereditary disorder characterized by the formation and enlargement of cysts in the kidney, liver, and other organs. It is the fourth leading cause of kidney failure in the U.S. and one of the most common inherited genetic diseases in humans, occurring equally in women and men, in all races, globally. There are an estimated 140,000 diagnosed ADPKD patients in the U.S.

ADPKD results from loss-of-function mutations in one of two related genes, *PKD1* or *PKD2*, which encode for the gene products Polycystin 1 and Polycystin 2, respectively. These defects disrupt the normal differentiated phenotype of the renal tubular epithelium, leading to increases in intracellular cyclic adenosine monophosphate (cAMP), and resulting in increased cellular proliferation and cyst formation throughout the life of a patient. Progressive enlargement of the kidneys caused by ADPKD may result in severely enlarged and distorted kidneys. Whereas a normal kidney is usually about the size of a human fist and weighs around six ounces, kidneys affected by ADPKD can be as large as a football and may weigh 30 pounds. In ADPKD, cyst growth displaces and destroys normal kidney tissue, leading to a decreased number and function of nephrons. As normally functioning kidney tissue is replaced, the kidney's ability to function decreases. Although compensatory hyperfiltration can maintain kidney function within a normal range for some periods of time, ADPKD patients



often experience hypertension, acute and chronic pain, kidney stones, and hematuria as well as cyst and urinary tract infections even when kidney function appears normal. Eventually, the majority of ADPKD patients experience end stage kidney failure and require dialysis or kidney transplantation.



**Figure 1: Appearance of a normal kidney on the left as compared to that of a kidney from an ADPKD patient on the right.**

*Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

There is no cure for ADPKD. Only one drug, tolvaptan, has been approved for treatment of ADPKD. Tolvaptan, like lixivaptan, is a non-peptide vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist in the drug class of vaptans. Additional treatments for ADPKD patients are intended to manage conditions associated with the disease, such as hypertension, kidney infections, gout, kidney stones and pain.

Tolvaptan was first approved for the treatment of low sodium in the blood (hyponatremia) conditions. It has now also been approved for the treatment of ADPKD in Japan, Canada, Europe, the U.S. and other major markets. It is marketed by Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (Otsuka) for ADPKD under the tradename of JINARC® in Canada, Europe and other countries. It was approved in the United States in April 2018 for slowing kidney function decline in adults at risk of rapidly progressing ADPKD and is marketed in the U.S. by Otsuka under the tradename of JYNARQUE®. In 2020, U.S. sales of JYNARQUE® totaled approximately \$620 million. More than 5,000 patients have been treated with JYNARQUE® in the U.S. since its approval.

However, the use of tolvaptan for the treatment of ADPKD is associated with serious drug induced liver injury (DILI). Consequently, the labeling for tolvaptan for ADPKD carries a prominent DILI warning with requirements for extensive liver function monitoring while patients take the drug. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) also mandated a Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS) program as a condition of approval for tolvaptan for ADPKD. A REMS program is a drug safety program that the FDA can require for certain medications with serious safety concerns. JYNARQUE® prescribers must enroll and be certified in the REMS program. Patients must also enroll and are required to submit frequent blood tests to monitor for liver toxicity.

Market research conducted in the U.S. suggests that less than half of patients who are considered good clinical candidates for tolvaptan are actually prescribed the drug. Liver toxicity is cited as a major deterrent to using tolvaptan for many patients. The REMS program brings additional burden to both physicians and patients, which has also impacted market adoption of JYNARQUE®.

*Our Product Candidate*

We believe that lixivaptan may offer similar therapeutic activity in treating ADPKD as compared to tolvaptan while avoiding the DILI associated with tolvaptan use in this patient population. Because vasopressin is the

principal agonist pathway leading to the formation of cAMP in kidney tubule cells, therapeutic interventions aimed at counterbalancing the effect of vasopressin and/or normalizing intracellular levels of cAMP were hypothesized as possible treatments to delay disease progression in ADPKD, as supported by animal models and preclinical work. Definitive evidence in favor of the utility of vasopressin antagonism as a therapeutic approach for ADPKD is derived from clinical and therapeutic experience with tolvaptan.

Lixivaptan's development program for ADPKD builds on a historical, extensive development program conducted by our licensors in investigating lixivaptan for the treatment of hyponatremia. This work included 36 completed clinical studies in which more than 1,600 subjects were dosed with lixivaptan, the results from which we believe support lixivaptan's activity on key measures believed to be important for ADPKD. In addition, no lixivaptan-related liver toxicity was noted in a safety assessment conducted for potential hepatotoxicity in this previous development program.

Prior to administering lixivaptan to ADPKD patients, Palladio studied lixivaptan's liver safety profile, as compared to tolvaptan, by utilizing DILIsym, a state-of-the-art, predictive, quantitative systems toxicology modeling tool developed by the DILIsym Consortium in collaboration with the U.S. FDA and industry partners. DILIsym representations predicted that lixivaptan is not likely to cause DILI and may be better tolerated than tolvaptan with respect to the mechanisms of liver toxicity currently represented in DILIsym. The results of this work were published in a peer-reviewed journal.

Palladio has completed a Phase 2 clinical trial, designated the ELISA Study (Evaluation of Lixivaptan in Subjects with ADPKD). This study showed that lixivaptan has potent vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist activity in patients with ADPKD with varying degrees of kidney function (chronic kidney disease stages CKD1 through CKD3). The study also defined the dose range for further Phase 3 studies. Lixivaptan was well tolerated at the doses given, with adverse events (AEs) consistent with previous studies in non-ADPKD patients. No liver toxicity signals were noted.

Palladio has also completed a clinical study in a single subject with intractable pain due to ADPKD who was required to discontinue tolvaptan treatment due to clinically significant abnormalities in serum alanine aminotransferase (ALT), a sign of liver toxicity, on each of three sequential attempts to initiate treatment with tolvaptan. The patient was subsequently treated with lixivaptan for more than 14 months with no abnormalities in ALT or other liver chemistry tests.

Palladio is currently conducting its Phase 3 clinical trial (designated the ALERT Study), an open-label, repeat-dose study designed to assess hepatic and non-hepatic safety and efficacy of lixivaptan in patients who previously experienced abnormal liver chemistry test results while undergoing treatment with tolvaptan and who were permanently discontinued from tolvaptan for that reason. Initial, preliminary data from the ALERT study is expected to become available in mid-to-late 2021. While the ALERT Study is not a registrational trial, Palladio is preparing to conduct a global Phase 3 pivotal trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, (designated the ACTION study) which we expect to commence by early-to-mid 2022.

#### *Clinical Data*

Palladio has completed two Phase 2 trials of lixivaptan, the results from which we believe support its therapeutic potential in ADPKD, if approved. In addition, lixivaptan has shown activity in preclinical models in established models of PKD. Historically, lixivaptan has also been investigated in over 30 additional trials by our licensors in hyponatremia.

Completed Trials

**The ELiSA Study. PA-102—A Phase 2, open-label, multi-center study to evaluate the safety, pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics of lixivaptan in subjects with autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease.**

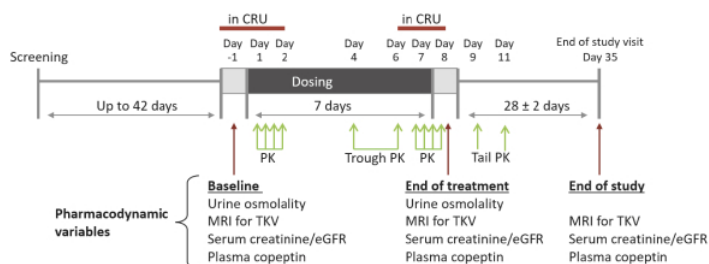
The ELiSA study was a Phase 2, open-label, parallel-group, multiple dose, multi-center study conducted to directly characterize the safety and tolerability, pharmacokinetics, and pharmacodynamics (pharmacologic response) of lixivaptan in ADPKD subjects with different degrees of renal function impairment. The study used administration of twice daily oral doses of 50 mg and 200 mg for seven days in subjects with both ADPKD and chronic kidney disease (CKD) stage 1, stage 2 or stage 3. Chronic kidney disease is categorized into five stages based on how well the kidneys can filter and waste and extra fluid out of the blood, corresponding to mild damage in stage 1 to complete kidney failure in stage 5. These safety, PK and PD assessments are being used to guide appropriate lixivaptan dosing recommendations for subjects with ADPKD and mild or moderate CKD in future clinical studies.

Study PA-102 enrolled a total of 31 subjects diagnosed with ADPKD who were assigned to four cohorts based on baseline renal function and treated with one of two doses of lixivaptan for seven days, twice daily (BID), as illustrated in Figure 2 below:

Cohort	CKD stage	Dose	N
1	CKD1 or CKD2	200 mg BID	9 subjects
2	CKD3	200 mg BID	8 subjects
3	CKD1 or CKD2	50 mg BID	7 subjects
4	CKD3	50 mg BID	7 subjects

**Figure 2: PA-102 dosing and CKD stage cohorts.**

Subjects were confined to the clinical research unit (CRU) during the critical periods of data collection at the initiation and completion of dosing. Safety assessments included clinical laboratory findings, 12-lead electrocardiography (ECGs), vital signs, physical examination findings, adverse event monitoring, and a tolerability questionnaire. PD assessments included concentration of dissolved chemicals in the urine (osmolality) and urine output, total kidney volume (TKV) and liver volume (LV) by magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), plasma copeptin, and serum creatinine to calculate estimated glomerular filtration rate (eGFR). PK assessments included determination of lixivaptan and metabolite concentrations over the PK sampling period (0-14 hours). The design of PA-102 is summarized in the graphic below.

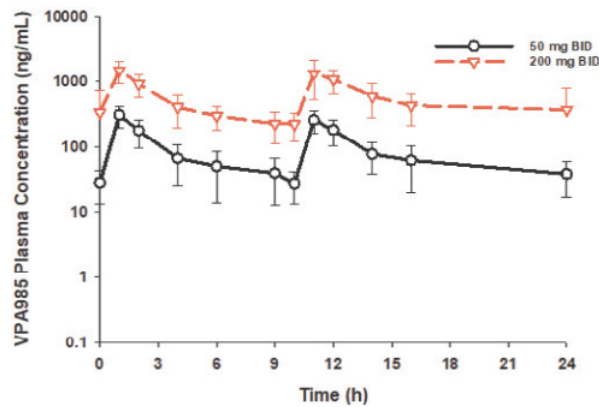


**Figure 3: Schematic representation of PA-102 trial design.**

Lixivaptan was well-tolerated across all cohorts, with all 31 subjects having completed the study. There were no deaths, serious AEs, or treatment-emergent adverse events (TEAEs), leading to discontinuation from the study. Fifteen subjects experienced at least one TEAE, which were mild or moderate in severity. The most common AEs observed were dry mouth, headache, nausea, diarrhea, flank pain, paresthesia, syncope and thirst. In addition, no abnormal changes in additional measured biomarkers such as ALT were observed.

In addition to the assessment of AEs, all subjects were asked to complete a tolerability questionnaire after the first and seventh days of dosing with lixivaptan. At the final assessment, 81% of the subjects indicated they could tolerate continuing on the drug for at least the next 12 months. All subjects indicated they could recommend lixivaptan to another patient.

The PK profile of lixivaptan and its metabolites in ADPKD patients in study PA-102 was clinically equivalent to the PK profile in healthy volunteers. The PK profile of 50 mg and 200 mg BID doses of lixivaptan on day seven is shown in the figure below.



**Figure 4:** Mean ( $\pm$  standard deviation) plasma concentrations of lixivaptan (VPA-985) observed on day 7 after twice-daily oral doses of 200 mg and 50 mg in ADPKD subjects in PA-102.

Importantly, Palladio observed a dose-dependent reduction in mean urine osmolality following lixivaptan administration, which we believe indicated blockade of the vasopressin V2 receptor over 24 hours on a twice a day dosing scheme at 200 mg BID.

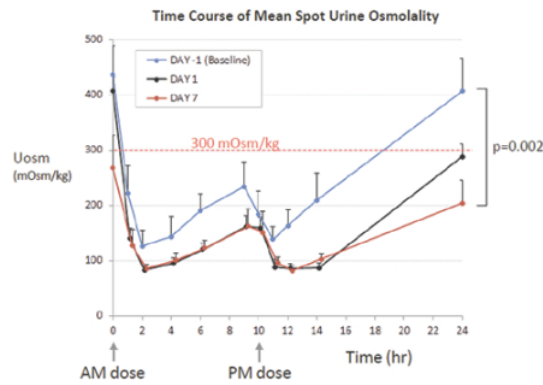


Figure 5: Time Course of Mean Spot Urine Osmolality.

The percentage of ADPKD subjects achieving adequate suppression of urine osmolality after seven days of dosing with lixivaptan with cross-study comparisons to normal healthy volunteers and published results for tolvaptan are shown in Figure 5.

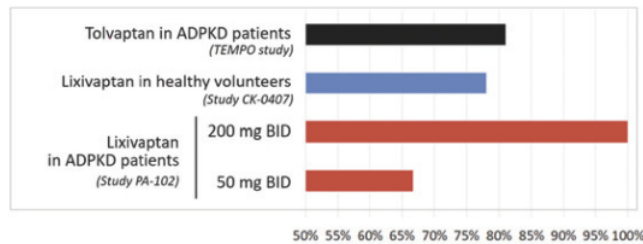


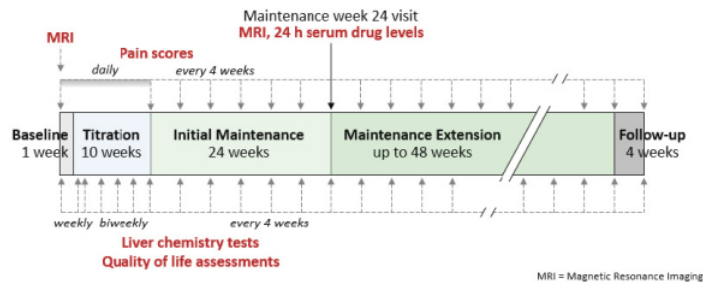
Figure 6: Percentage of subjects meeting the trough urine osmolality (Uosm) suppression target criterion (Uosm <300 mOsm/kg) at steady state on tolvaptan (ADPKD subjects in TEMPO trial) and lixivaptan (healthy volunteers in Study CK-0407 and ADPKD subjects in Study PA-102).

Based on these results, we believe the minimum efficacious daily dose is likely to be 100 mg BID with a maximum dose of 200 mg BID. The 50 mg BID dose is considered a starting dose to acquaint subjects with the aquaretic effects of the drug. Other changes in PD parameters for serum sodium, eGFR and plasma copeptin were consistent with the expected activity of the vaptan class of drugs in ADPKD patients.

In conclusion, we believe results from PA-102 suggest that lixivaptan may be a potent vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist with meaningful activity on urine osmolality, serum sodium, eGFR and plasma copeptin in subjects with ADPKD, and with a good tolerability profile and AEs that are consistent with previous studies.

**PA-103: An Expanded Access Study of Lixivaptan in a Single Subject with Intractable Pain Due to Polycystic Kidney Disease**

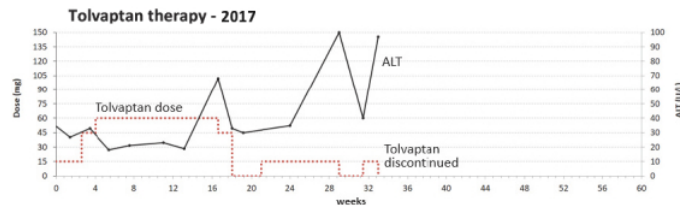
Study PA-103 is a Phase 2, open-label, single-arm, repeat dose expanded access study in a single subject with ADPKD who had been incapacitated by ADPKD-related abdominal pain. Pain is a frequent complication of ADPKD and clinical data with tolvaptan suggest that vaptan therapy may help alleviate pain. In this study, increasing doses of lixivaptan were provided to improve the marked abdominal pain that the subject was experiencing. Doses up to 150 mg in the morning and 100 mg in the evening were allowed during the titration period and subsequently were allowed to increase to 200 mg in the morning and 100 mg in the evening in the maintenance period. Liver chemistry tests, scales for quality of life and pain and AEs were monitored frequently during both the titration and maintenance periods.



**Figure 7: Schematic representation of PA-103 trial design.**

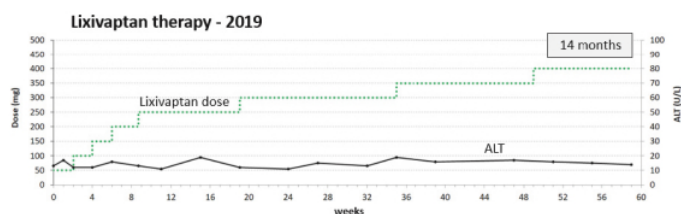
This subject was previously treated for the pain with tolvaptan but was unable to continue with the drug because of DILI, which manifested as elevated serum ALT levels that occurred on three separate occasions while on tolvaptan.

The subject's previous dosing and ALT levels on tolvaptan are shown in the chart below.



**Figure 8: Serum ALT levels and tolvaptan daily dose over time in an ADPKD subject with severe abdominal pain treated with tolvaptan in 2017.**

The subject started dosing with lixivaptan in May 2019. The dosing record and ALT levels through study completion in July 2020 are shown in the chart below.



**Figure 9: Serum ALT levels and lixivaptan daily dose over time in an ADPKD subject with severe abdominal pain treated with lixivaptan starting in 2019.**

Lixivaptan was well-tolerated by the subject in the study. The only AE reported determined to be definitely related to the study drug was increased urine output. Importantly, the subject completed 415 days of treatment with lixivaptan without any evidence of liver injury. All liver chemistry tests were normal while the subject had been receiving lixivaptan.

The subject's pain and quality of life modestly and mostly transiently improved while on lixivaptan therapy, but because of continued discomfort the subject elected to discontinue lixivaptan in order to pursue more aggressive pain management treatments.

While we believe the encouraging results from this study support the differentiated profile of lixivaptan in ADPKD, the study enrolled only a single patient. As a result, we are continuing to investigate lixivaptan in trials with larger patient populations to generate data to support further development of this candidate.

#### *Ongoing Trial*

The ALERT Study, PA-ADPKD-303, is an open-label, repeat-dose Phase 3 study designed to assess hepatic and non-hepatic safety and efficacy of lixivaptan in patients who previously experienced abnormal liver chemistry test results while treated with tolvaptan, and who were permanently discontinued from the drug for that reason. The first patient in this trial was dosed in November 2020. Up to 50 subjects will be enrolled and treated. Evaluations include frequent testing of liver chemistry and assessment of AEs.

After meeting entry criteria, subjects enter a baseline period to obtain baseline measurements followed by a titration period during which lixivaptan administered BID is increased to a dose that is tolerated and results in a reduced trough urine specific gravity (or the maximum dose level). Treatment continues for up to 52 weeks. The primary endpoint is the proportion of subjects who develop significantly elevated ALT levels. The design of the ALERT trial is summarized in the graphic below.

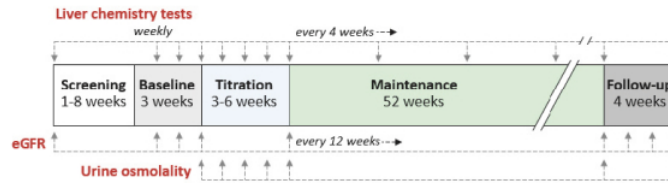


Figure 10: Schematic representation of PA-ADPKD-303 trial design (the ALERT study).

Development Plan

Palladio designed its planned global, registrational study based on FDA feedback. Designated the ACTION Study, PA-ADPKD 301 is expected to consist of two parts as described below. Both parts of the study are designed to contribute to evaluating the safety profile of lixivaptan, particularly with respect to any effects on liver chemistry tests. The primary endpoint in Part 1 is the effect of lixivaptan in slowing the decline in renal function as measured by change in eGFR. Part 2 is designed to assess the durability of the effect on renal function observed in Part 1. The design of the planned trial is summarized in the graphic below.

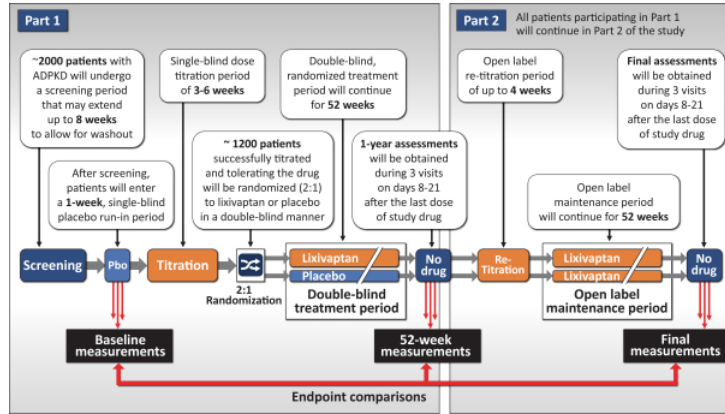


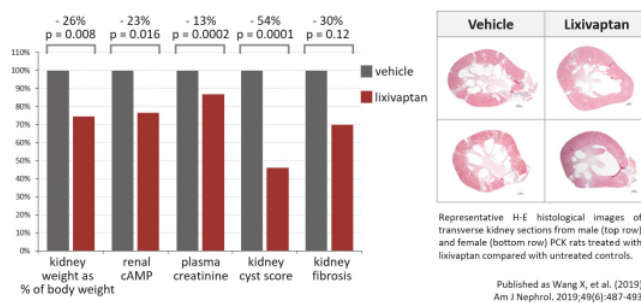
Figure 11: Schematic representation of planned PA-ADPKD-301 trial design.

Preclinical Data

Treatment with lixivaptan ameliorated disease manifestations in the PCK rat, an orthologous model of human PKD, and in the RC/RC mouse model, a hypomorphic genetic model of PKD due to homozygous R3277C mutations in the PKD1 gene. Compared to untreated controls, treatment with lixivaptan in one or both



models was associated with marked reductions in serum creatinine, kidney weight relative to body weight, kidney cystic score, kidney fibrosis and renal cAMP levels. The main results are shown in the figure below.



**Figure 12: Left Panel: Effect of lixivaptan (red bars) normalized to untreated control animals (grey bars) on disease-related parameters in the PCK rat model of ADPKD. Right Panel: Effect of lixivaptan on cyst burden in histological images of kidney sections.**

In both models, the magnitude of effect observed with lixivaptan was comparable to historical experiments conducted with tolvaptan in the same animal models.

We believe that the therapeutic potential of lixivaptan in ADPKD is based on its observed effect on the suppression of urinary osmolality to <300 mOsm/kg in a number of clinical studies and patient populations. Inhibition of AVP binding to vasopressin V2 receptors in kidney tubular epithelial cells leads to electrolyte free water excretion (aquaresis) and can be readily monitored by measuring urine osmolality. Urine osmolality suppression of the magnitude observed with lixivaptan is a measure of complete inhibition of vasopressin-mediated signaling, which we believe represents a predictive biomarker of its potential in the treatment of ADPKD. Lixivaptan was also associated with activity on other PD endpoints associated with vasopressin V2 receptor inhibition, including urine output increase, serum sodium increase, and an acute, reversible decrease in eGFR.

#### Legacy Studies in Hyponatremia

Palladio is leveraging the development work from the legacy hyponatremia program conducted by Wyeth, LLC and Cardiokine, Inc./Biogen Inc. The legacy program consisted of 22 Phase 1 trials, ten Phase 2 trials, three Phase 3 trials and one open label extension study for treating disease states associated with water retention. A total of 1,673 subjects received at least one dose of lixivaptan. The completed studies range from single-dose exposures over a variety of dosage strengths up to 800 mg daily dose to multiple dose trials for up to 28 weeks. Overall, the mean dose was 168.7 mg and the mean duration of exposure was 27.5 days.

Palladio considers the legacy studies in healthy volunteers, including PK studies, drug interaction studies, a renal insufficiency study and a thorough QTc study, to provide the most useful safety data for the current development program in ADPKD. Lixivaptan was generally well tolerated in these studies without identification of any clinically significant safety signals.

Following its acquisition of Cardiokine in July 2016, Palladio conducted a safety assessment for potential hepatotoxicity in the Cardiokine hyponatremia program. No lixivaptan-related liver toxicity was identified. In

October 2017, Palladio held a pre-IND meeting with the FDA to discuss the development plan for lixivaptan for ADPKD. Specific objectives included feedback and input from the FDA regarding the extent to which Palladio can rely on information previously submitted from the previous Cardiokine hyponatremia program as to certain issues noted in the advisory committee discussion for the hyponatremia program. Palladio also sought input regarding product quality issues raised in the complete response letter for the Cardiokine hyponatremia NDA. Specifically, Palladio sought agency feedback regarding the dissolution method and the risk of crystalline lixivaptan precipitation in the drug product, as well as the agency's request to Cardiokine in its hyponatremia program to investigate whether certain impurities in the lixivaptan drug substance synthesis process have genotoxic properties. The FDA agreed with Palladio that no additional non-clinical work would be required to support the planned IND study nor the eventual NDA submission for the treatment of ADPKD. The meeting minutes issued by the FDA stated that the FDA did not believe the mortality findings from the legacy Cardiokine BALANCE trial—treatment of hyponatremia in hospitalized patients with congestive heart failure—would pose a barrier to approval of lixivaptan for the treatment of ADPKD. The approach to address the product quality issues, as well as the timing for their resolution concurrently with the ADPKD clinical development program, were also confirmed.

#### *Drug Induced Liver Injury Assessments*

Clinical use of the vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist tolvaptan in ADPKD patients was found to be associated with serious DILI. Consequently, the approved labeling for tolvaptan in the U.S. and other countries carries a prominent DILI warning with requirement for extensive liver function monitoring while patients take the drug. Because of chemical similarities between lixivaptan and tolvaptan, a safety assessment was conducted for potential hepatotoxicity in the Cardiokine NDA program for lixivaptan for the treatment of hyponatremia.

In the healthy volunteer studies, analysis of AEs and liver-related laboratories showed no evidence of liver toxicity with lixivaptan. In the Phase 2 and Phase 3 trials in subjects with hyponatremia, the only suggestion of adverse hepatic effects was the frequency of serum gamma-glutamyltransferase (GGT) increased in lixivaptan arms compared to placebo arms (4.0% vs. 2.4%, respectively). However, while there were small consistent mean increases from pre-dose in GGT over time in the lixivaptan group compared to placebo, this effect was also associated with consistent mean decreases in serum ALT, AST, and total bilirubin, which we believe suggests that the GGT effect did not clearly indicate liver toxicity. Furthermore, there were no instances of hepatotoxicity meeting the definition of Hy's Law among subjects treated with lixivaptan.

In order to further evaluate the potential hepatic safety differences between lixivaptan and tolvaptan, Palladio modeled lixivaptan and its three major metabolites in DILIsym, a predictive mechanistic quantitative systems toxicology model licensed by the U.S. FDA and numerous pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies to evaluate potential liver toxicity of drug products. DILIsym simulation results have successfully predicted the differential liver toxicity profile of related drug pairs such as ubrogepant/telcagepant, pioglitazone/troglitazone, entacapone/tolcapone, among others, and have supported numerous regulatory submissions. DILIsym representations of tolvaptan correctly predicted the hepatic toxicity observed with tolvaptan and found that such toxicity may be due to two mechanisms that are shared with many other drugs that cause idiosyncratic hepatotoxicity, specifically, inhibition of mitochondrial function and disruption of bile salt homeostasis. Conversely, DILIsym representations of lixivaptan predicted that lixivaptan is not likely to cause DILI and may be better tolerated than tolvaptan with respect to the mechanisms of liver toxicity currently represented in DILIsym. The DILIsym results noted that the predicted difference in toxicity between lixivaptan and tolvaptan was due, in large part, to higher liver concentrations predicted for tolvaptan compared to lixivaptan, particularly for the molecular entities that potently interact with bile acid transporters.

#### *Development Plan*

Palladio is currently conducting an open-label, repeat dose Phase 3 clinical trial (designated the ALERT Study), designed to assess hepatic and non-hepatic safety and efficacy of lixivaptan in patients who previously

experienced abnormal liver chemistry test results while treated with tolvaptan and were permanently discontinued from tolvaptan for that reason. Initial, preliminary data from the ALERT study is expected to become available in mid-to-late 2021. In addition, Palladio is also preparing to conduct the ACTION Study, a global Phase 3 pivotal clinical trial of lixivaptan in ADPKD patients, which we expect to commence in early-to-mid 2022.

#### *Product Exclusivity*

Lixivaptan is a new chemical entity (NCE) that has never been approved or launched for any indication anywhere in the world. While the composition of matter patent for lixivaptan has expired, Palladio is pursuing, through a Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) patent application, worldwide patents for polycystic disease indications (including ADPKD), method of use, formulations, and dosage regimens. If granted, such patent applications would confer exclusivity protection to 2038. See “—Intellectual Property and License Agreements.” Commercial exclusivity of lixivaptan for the treatment of ADPKD is expected through a combination of existing and additional patent filings, patent term extension, as available, and regulatory and data exclusivity provisions of various countries. Time periods for data exclusivity vary by region, with U.S. NCE exclusivity lasting for five years and the EU generally providing ten years of exclusivity. In addition, the FDA has granted orphan drug designation for lixivaptan for ADPKD. This designation is designed to provide eligibility for certain benefits and confers seven years of market exclusivity following receipt of regulatory approval.

#### **Apcintex Limited**

##### *Introduction*

Apcintex Limited (Apcintex) is focused on developing SerpinPC for the treatment of Hemophilia A (HA) and Hemophilia B (HB). Hemophilia is a rare bleeding disorder that is caused by a deficiency of thrombin generation upon vascular damage. SerpinPC, a biologic of the serpin family of proteins, is designed to allow more thrombin to be generated by inhibiting Activated Protein C (APC). Apcintex's approach is to rebalance coagulation in hemophilia by decreasing a single anticoagulant force. SerpinPC has the potential to treat all types of hemophilia regardless of severity or inhibitor status, and may also prevent bleeding associated with other bleeding disorders. Apcintex seeks to develop SerpinPC as a one-size-fits-all approach for the treatment of HA and HB.

Apcintex founders, Professor James Huntington and Dr. Trevor Baglin, have been working together for over 20 years and are recognized scientific and clinical experts in blood coagulation. Professor Huntington serves as Professor of Molecular Haemostasis at the University of Cambridge and has devoted much of his professional career to unravelling the structure-function relationship of the serpin family and of thrombin formation and function, and has been recognized by the International Society of Thrombosis and Hemostasis with a life-time career award. Dr. Baglin has a deep clinical background in hemophilia, having served as a clinician in the U.K. National Health Service for 35 years, including as a Consultant Hematologist at Cambridge University Hospitals.

##### *Disease Overview*

HA and HB are X-linked genetic disorders affecting one in 5,000 and one in 20,000 live male births, respectively, resulting in spontaneous internal bleeding that can be life-threatening. More than 70% of bleeds occur into joints (hemarthrosis) causing chronic joint damage (arthropathy) with musculoskeletal destruction. The bleeding associated with these disorders is the result of a defect or deficiency in factor (f)VIII (in the case of HA) or fIX (in the case of HB), the two components of the intrinsic tenase complex.

Normal blood coagulation (hemostasis) is a crucial part of the physiological response to tissue damage. When blood components come into contact with extravascular cells and proteins, platelets accumulate and ultimately lead to the formation of thrombin, the effector enzyme of blood coagulation. Prothrombinase activity is required for the rapid, localized production of thrombin needed for adequate blood clotting. Prothrombinase is continuously degraded by APC, which is present in the circulation at low concentrations. In the setting of deficient intrinsic tenase activity (hemophilia), the natural anticoagulant activity of the circulating APC results in insufficient prothrombinase activity for normal blood clotting.

Hemophilia is characterized as severe, moderate and mild, corresponding to <1%, 1% to 5% and >5% factor activity, respectively. Bleeding often becomes noticeable after a child becomes mobile. Hemarthrosis manifests as swelling and pain in the joints, along with decreased range of motion, most commonly affecting the knees, ankles and elbows. Other common manifestations include bruising, which can be spontaneous or occur after minor trauma, gum bleeding and nose bleeds. Persons with severe hemophilia often suffer spontaneous joint bleeds between 20 and 50 times a year. Spontaneous bleeding is less frequent in persons with moderate hemophilia, but in many individuals this condition is still problematic because only two or three bleeds into a joint are sufficient to cause permanent joint damage, and because the frequency of bleeds does not warrant the treatment burden of regular intravenous (IV) prophylactic treatment with replacement factor.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

Estimates of the global prevalence of HA and HB vary between 400,000 and 450,000. The World Federation of Hemophilia identified 210,454 registered persons with hemophilia in its 2018 annual report. In the U.S., there are approximately 17,000 persons with hemophilia. Estimates of the prevalence of hemophilia in China is approximately 18,000. In India, approximately 20,000 persons are known to have hemophilia, but it is thought that 80% of cases are unknown. There are similarly large populations of persons with hemophilia in South America.

The global market for hemophilia is currently over \$11 billion. Only 20% of persons with hemophilia globally are believed to have access to adequate therapy.

The standard treatment for hemophilia consists of replacing the missing or defective fVIII or fIX by intravenous infusion of partially purified plasma-derived or recombinant fVIII or fIX protein, known as factor concentrate. Factor concentrate is administered either when bleeding occurs, known as on-demand therapy, or regularly to prevent bleeding, known as prophylaxis. Prophylaxis with standard factor concentrates requires intravenous infusion every second or third day in order to reduce annualized bleeding rates (ABR) to single figures. Less frequent intravenous infusion is required with recently approved extended half-life products. Emicizumab (marketed as Hemlibra by Roche) is a synthetic fVIII mimetic replacement therapy that is changing the treatment paradigm in HA. Emicizumab's main benefit is as a substitute for factor VIII in persons with HA with fVIII inhibitors (high-titer antibodies against fVIII), and as an infrequent subcutaneously administered prophylactic in HA without inhibitors. Emicizumab has no activity in HB.

Because the replacement factor is effectively a foreign protein treatment, it is often associated with the formation of inhibitory antibodies which requires the use of a different class of therapeutics called bypass agents. Bypass agents increase thrombin generation through mechanisms independent of the intrinsic tenase complex. The most commonly used bypass agents are recombinant fVIIa and FEIBA. However, the use of these agents is limited by their short half-lives and result in variable responses in patients. They are also less effective than replacement therapy before inhibitors were developed and are rarely used prophylactically.

Despite advances in hemophilia treatment, there remains a considerable unmet need in both HA and HB:

- The majority of persons with hemophilia have no or limited access to prophylactic treatment to prevent bleeding;
- Factor concentrate therapies require intravenous administration making prophylaxis challenging;
- Up to 30% of persons with HA and 3% of persons with HB develop inhibitory antibodies to factor concentrates, which limits effectiveness of treatment with factor concentrates; and
- The non-factor replacement therapies, both approved and in development, are associated with the risk of thrombosis.

Our Product Candidate SerpinPC

The protein C (PC) pathway is essential for regulating thrombin generation to avoid excessive blood coagulation. Severe PC deficiency (<5% of normal protein levels) results in widespread thrombosis, called purpura fulminans. PC is the precursor of APC, and is converted to APC when excess thrombin is generated. APC destroys the prothrombinase and intrinsic tenase complexes by cleavage of fVa and fVIIIa, respectively. The fV Leiden gene mutation present in 3% of the caucasian population causes partial resistance of prothrombinase to APC, and is sufficient to reduce bleeding in persons with severe hemophilia who coinherit the relatively common fV Leiden mutation. This was the genetic human proof-of-concept supporting APC inhibition as a treatment for persons with hemophilia.

All approved agents for the treatment of hemophilia improve thrombin generation by bolstering the levels of procoagulant factors. An alternative approach is to reduce the efficiency of natural anticoagulant mechanisms. These include inhibition of Tissue Factor Pathway Inhibitor (TFPI) with antibodies such as concizumab, and knocking down antithrombin levels with an RNA interference (fitusiran), both of which are in clinical development. In addition to these approaches, gene therapies for HA and HB are being developed by various sponsors including BioMarin, Pfizer/Spark and Freeline. Although gene therapies could be a significant development for patients, they face uncertainty regarding safety, durability and cost and are specific to either HA and HB.

We believe that the PC system is particularly attractive because partial APC resistance conferred by coinheritance of fV Leiden provides an early proof-of-concept in humans. The mode of action (MOA) of SerpinPC is to reduce levels of circulating APC, thereby prolonging activity of prothrombinase formed during the initiation stage of hemostasis and directly increasing the amount of thrombin generated at the site of tissue damage.

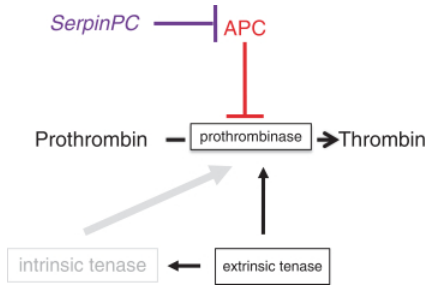


Figure 13: Schematic of the MOA for SerpinPC.

As depicted in Figure 13, thrombin is the effector enzyme in blood coagulation, and is produced by an enzyme complex known as prothrombinase, composed of fXa and fVa. At the initiation stage of blood coagulation, the fXa is produced by the extrinsic tenase complex while the fVa comes from platelets. This 'early prothrombinase' formation is preserved in hemophilia. However, early prothrombinase is inactivated by APC in the blood, so insufficient thrombin is produced to form a stable hemostatic clot, resulting in continued bleeding, unless more prothrombinase can be formed with the help of the intrinsic tenase complex. The two components of the intrinsic tenase complex are missing in HA and HB. SerpinPC treatment is designed to reduce the levels of APC so that the early prothrombinase has time to produce enough thrombin to form a stable hemostatic clot, thereby

preventing excessive blood loss. This expected MOA has a finite and maximal effect when all circulating APC is inhibited by SerpinPC.

SerpinPC is a variant of the serpin alpha-1-antitrypsin, modified to be a specific inhibitor of APC. We were able to convert A1AT into a specific inhibitor of APC by mutating 3 residues in the reactive center loop of the molecule. The serpin mechanism traps the protease during cleavage of the reactive center loop as a covalent complex, and therefore has an absolute requirement that the protease is active, i.e. not the inactive zymogen. For this reason, SerpinPC is designed to have complete specificity for APC over PC, and therefore is not expected to deplete the circulating concentration of PC. Consequently, when conditions favor APC generation (i.e. excessive thrombin generation) PC is available for conversion to APC to effect its anti-inflammatory and anti-thrombotic functions. Because SerpinPC is a relatively slow inhibitor of APC (second-order rate constant of 15,000 M<sup>-1</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>) it does not rapidly neutralize newly formed APC, preserving these functions at clinically-relevant doses. At the C<sub>max</sub> for the highest clinical dose, it takes 10 minutes to inhibit half of the newly formed APC, sufficient time to effect its signalling and antithrombotic functions. However, the covalent nature of the inhibitory mechanism enables low concentrations of SerpinPC in the blood to 'mop up' APC with time. In preclinical studies, it was demonstrated that normalization of bleeding in hemophilia mouse models required the lowering of the circulating APC levels and was not related to the SerpinPC exposure at the time of challenge. SerpinPC has favorable subcutaneous bioavailability, tolerability profile and PK potentially suitable for monthly dosing.

SerpinPC is designed as a long-acting non-replacement therapy intended to be administered as an infrequent injection under the skin that 'rebalances' blood coagulation without the need for factor replacement. As a result, we believe SerpinPC could be an attractive alternative therapy for many patients, if approved. Other rebalancing approaches have been plagued by incidences of venous and arterial thrombosis. We believe that the expected MOA of SerpinPC renders this an unlikely risk, since the secondary APC pathways (signaling and anti-thrombotic) remain intact at clinical doses. We believe that the observed lack of D-dimer elevation in healthy volunteers and persons with hemophilia support this profile.

The vial drug product is presented as a sterile lyophilized powder intended for intravenous infusion or subcutaneous injection following reconstitution with water. Stability studies have shown the drug product to be stable at temperatures up to 40°C, allowing for ease of shipment and storage.

The product vision of SerpinPC is a one-size-fits-all treatment for hemophilia and potentially other bleeding disorders. The differentiated MOA of SerpinPC is designed to enable an advantage over other rebalancing approaches under development, including fitusuran and concizumab. The hemophilia community, including persons with hemophilia, their physicians and caregivers, is risk averse given the devastation caused by HIV and hepatitis C transmission with plasma derived products. We believe that the trade-off of increased convenience or improved efficacy should not come at the cost of increased risk of serious adverse events such as thrombosis.

#### *Clinical Data*

ApicteX is currently conducting AP-0101, an ongoing Phase 2a open-label clinical trial to investigate the safety, tolerability and pharmacokinetics of intravenous and subcutaneous doses of SerpinPC in healthy male volunteers and male persons with severe hemophilia. Reduction in bleeding is an exploratory outcome.

The Phase 1 portion of this study was conducted in two parts, with Part 1a in healthy volunteers in a clinical trial unit in the U.K. In this part, four cohorts of healthy subjects received increasing doses of SerpinPC by IV infusion and one by subcutaneous injection. Phase 1b was conducted in established clinical trial units embedded in university hospitals in Moldova and Georgia with access to the target patient population of persons with hemophilia receiving only on-demand factor concentrates. The SAD study switched to persons with hemophilia at a dose at which biological effects might be expected, 0.1mg/kg to 1.2mg/kg by subcutaneous injection in four cohorts of three subjects each.

All doses in Part 1 were well-tolerated without incident or SerpinPC-related adverse events, including injection site reactions. Administration of SerpinPC did not lead to increases in D-dimer, TNF or IL-6 at any dose.

All patients in Part 1b had severe hemophilia and received factor concentrate on demand before and during the study. All patients had target joints (range 1 to 4, median 2.5). Annualized Bleeding Rates (ABR) were calculated for each subject from prospective observation prior to exposure to SerpinPC. The median ABR was 35 (range 26 to 41). In the eight weeks following a single subcutaneous injection of SerpinPC there was a 55% reduction in all bleeding and a 72% reduction in spontaneous joint and muscle bleeding. Five subjects experienced zero spontaneous bleeds for two months after receiving their single dose. A dose response was not detected, as expected from the MOA of SerpinPC. In total 97 bleeds occurred in the pre-exposure observation period and 29 in the 8 weeks following exposure. All 29 bleeds following SerpinPC administration were treated with factor concentrate on-demand as per standard of care without incident and without elevation in D-dimer levels. No anti-drug antibodies (ADAs) were detected in Part 1.

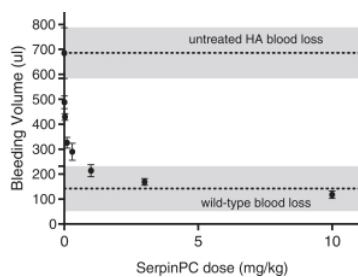
All subjects who participated in Part 1b chose to enroll in Part 2, a six-month Phase 2a study of monthly subcutaneous dosing of SerpinPC at three dose levels. In total, 23 subjects enrolled in Part 2. One subject was discontinued because of an injection site reaction. No other SerpinPC-related AEs have been recorded. No ADAs have been observed. Part 2 is ongoing and is expected to be completed in early-to-mid 2021. Subjects who successfully complete Part 2 will be offered participation in Part 3, a 12-month extension study at a flat monthly dose. The effect of prophylactic treatment on ABR in hemophilia is known to take months to years to fully manifest in subjects previously on on-demand treatment.

The observed PK of SerpinPC was expected, which we believe supports a monthly dosing interval.

#### Preclinical Data

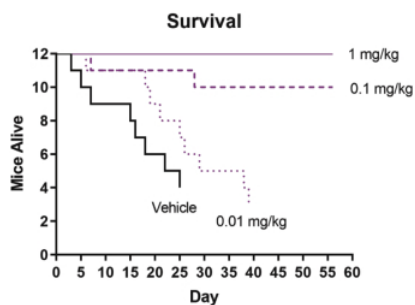
In preclinical studies, SerpinPC was associated with the complete correction of the hemophilia phenotype in multiple bleeding models:

- Pre-treatment of HB mice with SerpinPC rescued fibrin and platelet deposition at the site of laser damage to a blood vessel in intravital microscopy experiments and normalized blood loss to that of wild-type mice after tail amputation;
- Pre-treatment of HA mice with SerpinPC before tail-transection resulted in a dose-dependent decrease in blood loss, plateauing at wild-type mouse levels;
- Extending the interval between treatment with SerpinPC and tail transection resulted in reduced bleeding at very low doses (Figure 14);
- Subcutaneous dosing of SerpinPC in HA mice prevented death from internal bleeding (Figure 15); and
- Treatment of HA mice with SerpinPC after tail transection reduced blood loss, indicating that SerpinPC has the potential to treat an active bleed.



**Figure 14: Pre-treatment with SerpinPC 12 hours before tail transection reduced blood loss in HA mice in a dose-dependent manner.**

SerpinPC was dosed from 0.01 to 10 mg/kg by half-logs, and tails were transected 12 hours later. The half-life of SerpinPC in the mouse is approximately 10 hours. All doses reduced blood loss, plateauing at wild-type (WT) mouse levels at around 1mg/kg. Average volumes in vehicle-treated WT and HA mice are denoted by the dashed lines and the standard deviation is shaded in grey. The plasma concentration of SerpinPC at 12 hours for the 0.01 mg/kg dose was 3.2 ng/ml, or 64 pM. Assuming pseudo first-order kinetics and a rate constant of inhibition of full-length mouse APC of  $6,000 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$ , the  $t_{1/2}$  of inhibition of APC would be about three weeks. Yet the dose of 0.01 mg/kg resulted in a statistically significant 30% decrease in bleeding volume. The activity observed in this model is therefore unlikely to be related to SerpinPC exposure at the time of challenge, rather the reduction in APC levels achieved.



**Figure 15: SerpinPC administered subcutaneously every other day prevented death from spontaneous internal bleeding in HA mice.**

Hemophilia mice are susceptible to spontaneous bleeding and subsequently have much shorter lifespans than WT mice of the same strain. Cause of death is invariably internal bleeding, although the sites of bleedings are not always the same. HA mice were therefore used to evaluate SerpinPC as a prophylactic agent by simply monitoring the well-being of untreated and treated mice and plotting a Kaplan-Meier survival curve. Due to the stochastic nature of spontaneous bleeding, 12 age-matched mice (16–21 weeks) were used per group. Treatment was either vehicle (PBS), 0.01 mg/kg, 0.1 mg/kg or 1 mg/kg SerpinPC by subcutaneous injection three times per week for a total of 56 days. Mice treated with vehicle died rapidly, with half found dead or moribund (the humane endpoint) by Day 18. The vehicle treatment group was terminated on day 25. The SerpinPC 0.01 mg/kg treatment group reached the humane endpoint by Day 40. In contrast, only 2 of 12 mice died in the 0.1 mg/kg treatment group, and all receiving 1 mg/kg survived to the end of the study. This study demonstrates that SerpinPC is a potential prophylactic, preventing spontaneous internal bleeding associated with HA.

The anticipated therapeutic use of SerpinPC is as a once-monthly subcutaneous prophylactic to prevent bleeding associated with hemophilia. The preclinical model that best reflects this use is the spontaneous bleeding model in HA mice. A dose of 0.1 mg/kg (trough exposure of 40 ng/ml) was able to reduce bleeding in this model. Scaling by the difference in potency of SerpinPC for mouse and human APC (2.6-fold), we can conclude that SerpinPC levels should be maintained above 15 ng/ml to achieve a similar activity in humans.

To evaluate the potential of SerpinPC in treating established bleeding events, ApcinteX modified the tail clip method so that SerpinPC or a control hemostatic agent is administered via jugular cannula one minute after the challenge. Since the expected MOA of SerpinPC is inhibition of circulating APC, it is anticipated that, in the context of treating an active bleed, higher doses would be required to accelerate inhibition (pseudo first-order



kinetics apply). In this model, SerpinPC at 1 mg/kg demonstrated comparable activity in stopping bleeding as 100 U/kg human FVIII or 270 µg/kg NovoSeven (recombinant FVIIa).

In preclinical studies, SerpinPC was tested for safety, and the following observations were collected:

- SerpinPC was well tolerated when given daily to WT mice for 7 days at 100mg/kg with no evidence of thrombosis;
- SerpinPC was found to have subcutaneous tolerability in a minipig at 30mg/kg and in a rat at 150mg/kg;
- SerpinPC was not pro-inflammatory in WT mice challenged with sublethal levels of lipopolysaccharide;
- SerpinPC has low immunogenicity risk;
- SerpinPC was free of toxicological findings in a rat 28-day GLP study at doses up to 30mg/kg/week and was not associated with elevations in D-dimer; and
- SerpinPC was free of toxicological findings in a cynomolgus monkey 6-month GLP study at doses up to 10mg/kg/week and was not associated with elevations in D-dimer.

#### *Development Plan*

ApcinteX intends to commence a 48-week Open Label Extension study in early-to-mid 2021. Analysis of ApcinteX's ongoing 24-week Phase 2a multiple repeat dose study is expected to be available in mid-to-late 2021. Our intention is to develop a data package over the next two years to position SerpinPC as the next transformative therapy in hemophilia. With this in mind we expect to have the results from the first 6 month repeat dose study mid-to-late 2021. Following such results, we expect to have the results of the 12 month open label study in mid-to-late 2022. After completion of Part 2 of the ongoing AP-0101 clinical trial, ApcinteX intends to seek regulatory advice on subsequent trials.

#### *Product Exclusivity*

We currently benefit from exclusivity of SerpinPC through a variety of means, including patent protection and through the exclusive license of rights under our agreement with the University of Cambridge. See "—Intellectual Property and License Agreements." In addition, we intend to apply for orphan drug designation for SerpinPC with the EMA and may apply for Breakthrough Therapy Designation with the FDA.

### **Pega-One**

#### *Introduction*

PEGA1 SAS (Pega-One) was created to identify and develop oncology medicines in areas of high unmet need. The first asset of Pega-One is imgatuzumab (GA201), an anti-EGFR tumor-targeting monoclonal antibody (mAb) with enhanced antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC) and antibody-dependent cellular phagocytosis (ADCP) properties licensed from Roche. Pega-One is initially developing imgatuzumab as an investigational agent for the treatment of cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (CSCC). Pega-One is also exploring imgatuzumab's potential in combination with either immunotherapy or small molecules across multiple oncology indications.

We believe that the Pega-One management team is strongly positioned to advance imgatuzumab through development. Clinical development efforts at Pega-One are led by Steffen Heeger, M.D., Ph.D., our Chief Medical Officer who has over 20 years of clinical and industry experience, including clinical development of targeted cancer therapies. Throughout his career, Dr. Heeger led clinical development programs predominantly in areas of hematological malignancies and in solid tumors with antibody-based, targeted oncology drugs. His work was instrumental for the development of the blockbuster drug Erbitux, the first monoclonal therapeutic antibody targeting EGFR, as well as other anti-cancer therapeutic antibodies targeting CD19 (Monjuvi), CD38 and PSMA.

Pega-One is advised by a group of experts with significant experience in academia, clinical research and the pharmaceutical industry, including Jean-Pierre Sommadossi, who brings 30 years of scientific, operational, strategic and management experience in the life sciences industry and who was Principal Founder of Idenix Pharmaceuticals as well as Co-Founder of Pharmasset. Pega-One's advisors also include Michèle Ollier, who is co-founder and Partner at Medicxi, as well as scientists from institute Gustave Roussy in Paris, such as Jean-Pierre Armand, who has over 30 years of experience in both academia and the pharmaceutical industry, and Aurélien Marabelle, Ph.D., M.D. who is a Senior Medical Oncologist in the Drug Development Department (DITEP), a group leader in Prof Laurence Zitvogel's lab (INSERM U1015) and the Clinical Director of the Cancer Immunotherapy Program at Gustave Roussy. Pega-One's efforts are also supported by a number of leading consultants in the biotech industry, including Pawel Chrom, M.D., Ph.D., who has over eight years of experience in both clinical and industry settings, and is supporting Pega-One as consulting Medical Director.

#### *Disease Overview*

Advances in the understanding of molecular cancer biology have focused on the epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) pathway for its role in regulating diverse networks of tumor growth in numerous epithelial malignancies such as colorectal cancer, (CRC), head and neck squamous cell carcinoma (HNSCC), carcinomas of the pancreas, lung, cervix, renal cell, prostate, bladder and breast. EGFR inhibitors are useful therapeutic strategies for the treatment of EGFR-expressing cancers. Anti-EGFR antibodies and EGFR small-molecule tyrosine kinase inhibitors have demonstrated activity in multiple epithelial tumor types. To date, EGFR targeting antibodies have been approved in three indications, CRC, non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) and head and neck squamous cell carcinoma (HNSCC), and have been used off-label in various other tumors. An example of a high EGFR-expressing tumor is CSCC, in which EGFR expression is associated with poor clinical outcomes.

CSCC occurs when DNA damage from exposure to ultraviolet radiation or other damaging agents trigger abnormal changes in squamous cells. Higher UV exposure, and growth in aging populations and populations using immunosuppressive therapies, including organ transplant recipients, have led to a higher incidence of CSCC, which is the second most common skin cancer, accounting for approximately 20% to 30% of nonmelanoma skin cancers. More than one million individuals in the U.S. are diagnosed with CSCC annually. CSCC initially manifests itself as a non-healing ulcer with elevated margins or a pink nodule without overlying surface changes. At a localized stage, CSCC may be successfully treated with local therapies such as surgery or radiotherapy. However, if left untreated, CSCC leads to an advanced stage, which is characterized by a lack of curative approaches, highlighting the need for additional treatment options in this patient population. It is estimated that approximately 3% of CSCC patients progress to advanced disease. In 2018, CSCC accounted for approximately 10,000 new advanced stage patients in the U.S. and approximately 5,000 in Europe. The advanced CSCC patient population is projected to increase by 50% to approximately 15,000 in the U.S. and 22,500 globally by 2037. Given the low incidence of the condition, advanced stage CSCC is expected to qualify as an orphan designated disease in the U.S. and Europe.

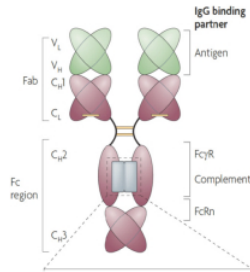
#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

When diagnosed early, CSCC can be treated by surgical intervention or radiotherapy with a good overall prognosis or even cure. However, at advanced stages of the disease, limited therapeutic options have been available. Most recently, the anti-PD-1 immune checkpoint inhibitors (ICIs), cemiplimab (marketed as LIBTAYO®) and pembrolizumab (marketed as KEYTRUDA®) have been approved in this indication. In 2018, the FDA approved LIBTAYO® in metastatic or recurrent CSCC and the product enjoyed approximately \$200 million in its first year of sales. Cetuximab (Erbiximab) is included on National Comprehensive Cancer Network's (NCCN) treatment guidelines as a treatment option for advanced CSCC patients who are ineligible for anti-PD1 or who relapse after treatment. While cetuximab is not indicated for advanced CSCC, a published investigator led study demonstrated a 28% overall response rate when used as a front-line treatment. Despite a substantial response rate of 35-50% to ICIs, more than half of treated advanced CSCC patients do not respond, including 10% to 25% of refractory patients. Most initial responders relapse within one year. Approximately 10% of treated advanced CSCC patients

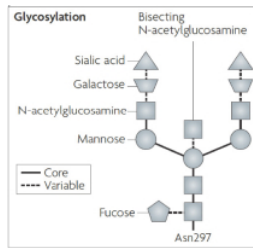
prematurely discontinue therapy due to unacceptable toxicity. Additionally, up to 25% of patients in the overall advanced CSCC population are not eligible for immunotherapy leaving a significant unmet need for additional treatment options for patients, including an effective, approved next-generation EGFR antibody. Beyond ICIs, few alternatives are available for patients with advanced CSCC. Cisplatin-based combinations have demonstrated modest activity with significant toxicity, and are often not well tolerated by elderly patients. Based on conversations with key opinion leaders in the U.S. and Europe, we estimate that imgatuzumab has the potential to address the needs of approximately 65% of advanced CSCC patients, including initial responders to ICIs who will relapse over time and eventually will require subsequent treatment. We estimate that the addressable opportunity for imgatuzumab in the PD-1-ineligible and second line advanced CSCC patient population in the U.S. and Europe is up to \$1.0 billion per year.

*Our Product Candidate*

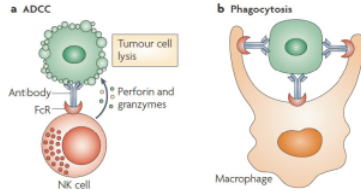
Imgatuzumab is a next-generation EGFR-targeting mAb with enhanced ADCC and ADCP properties. Imgatuzumab was originally developed by Glycart and licensed from Roche. The Glycart technology, which Roche had also utilized to engineer the approved product obinutuzumab (marketed as GAZYVA®), is based on defucosylation of the Fc region of the antibody inducing a higher affinity to Fc gamma receptors located on human natural killer (NK) cells, macrophages and monocytes. Consequently, imgatuzumab was observed to significantly enhance induction of effector cell-mediated ADCC and ADCP in cell-based assays. If successfully developed and approved, we believe imgatuzumab represents an opportunity to bring significant clinical and commercial value in an area of high unmet need.



**Figure 16: Antibody model with the two regions Fab (antigen binding site) and Fc (complement and effector cell binding).**



**Figure 17:** Zoom on the Fc region where imgatuzumab was glycoengineered to contain afucosylated Fc-region carbohydrates with approximately 70% afucosylated antibody chain. Glycoengineering with defucosylation induces a higher affinity for FcγR and superior ADCC.



**Figure 18:** ADCC and ADCP of imgatuzumab. Tumor cell killing via involving the innate immune system, either NK cells in the case of ADCC or macrophages in the case of ADCP.

Roche began development of imgatuzumab, a novel, recombinant, humanized, and glycoengineered IgG1 mAb that can be considered as a “next-generation mAb” due to its strongly enhanced property to involve the intrinsic immune system as a next mechanism of action. With this Glycart technology, obinutuzumab (GAZYVA®, formerly called GA101) was engineered and clinically developed by Roche. Obinutuzumab has been approved by the FDA for the treatment of chronic lymphocytic leukemia and follicular lymphoma. Other examples of these next generation mAbs are margetuximab (anti-Her2; FDA approved for Her2 + breast cancer) and tafasitamab (FDA approved for diffuse large B-cell lymphoma).

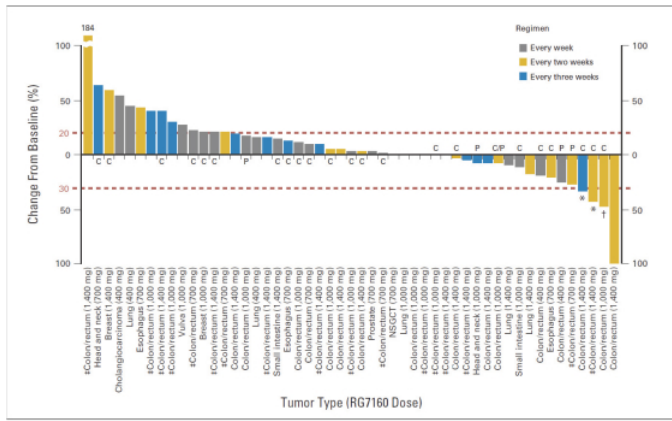
*Clinical Data*

Roche conducted several clinical trials in the development of imgatuzumab. To date, 296 patients have been administered imgatuzumab within clinical trials sponsored by Roche, as summarized in the table below.

<b>Roche Clinical Trial</b>	<b>Indication</b>	<b>Number of Patients treated with imgatuzumab</b>
Phase 1/2 (Phase 1 part) BO 21495	Solid tumors	75
Phase 1/2 Phase 2 part) BO 21495	mCRC	25
Phase 1b/2 BP22349	NSCLC (SCC)	16
Phase 1b/2 BP22349	NSCLC (non-SCC)	55
Phase 2 ("GAIN-C" trial) BP25438	mCRC	84
Phase 2 BP22350	Head & Neck Cancer (neo-adjuvant)	41
<b>Total</b>		<b>296</b>

**Figure 19: Summary of clinical trials of imgatuzumab conducted by Roche.**

BO21495 study was an open-label, dose-escalation Phase 1/2 study in the EU of imgatuzumab in patients with advanced malignant EGFR positive solid tumors. In the Phase 1 portion of the study, 75 patients received imgatuzumab at a range of doses. The chosen dose for further evaluation in Phase 2 was 1,400 mg on day 1, and day 8, followed by 1,400 mg twice per week for subsequent infusions. When administered as monotherapy, imgatuzumab was well-tolerated with manageable AEs and showed promising antitumor activity in heavily pre-treated patients. In the Phase 2 part of the study, 25 patients were treated and the best overall response was stable disease occurring in 40% of patients at eight weeks, 24% at 16 weeks and 8% (two patients) at 32 weeks. The most frequent adverse events were rash (80%, Part 1; 100%, Part 2), infusion-related reactions (77%, Part 1, 84%, Part 2), asthenia (53%, Part 1; 76%, Part 2) and hypomagnesemia (35%, Part 1; 80%, Part 2) as already well-characterized from treatment experience with other monoclonal antibodies targeting EGFR. In Part I of Study BO21495, there were 24 serious adverse events (SAEs) affecting 19 patients. Of the 6 SAEs judged by the investigator to be treatment-related, four were infusion-related reactions (IRRs), one was erythema nodosum and one was a confusional state. All treatment-related SAEs resolved without sequelae following treatment or withdrawal except for erythema nodosum in one patient, which was ongoing at final contact. There was no apparent relationship between the occurrence of imgatuzumab-related SAEs and the dose or the schedule of study drug administered. In Part II of Study BO21495, one patient had ureteric stenosis which was reported as a SAE, but was not considered by the investigator to be related to imgatuzumab treatment. Extensive PK analyses have been performed leading to a selected dose for subsequent development of 1,400 mg imgatuzumab on days 1 and 8 followed by 1,400 mg every two weeks.



**Figure 20: Waterfall Plot (Study BO21495): Imgatuzumab monotherapy using different doses during the Phase 1 dose escalation trial (Paz-Ares et al, JCO 2011) and change in tumor size from baseline. ‡: Patients with colon/rectum cancer with mutant KRAS; C: prior cetuximab; P: prior panitumumab; C/P: prior cetuximab and panitumumab.**

A marked reduction in circulating NK cells and increased infiltration of immune effector cells causing skin rash were observed in those trials. As NK cells are key effector cells of ADCC, the reduction in blood circulation demonstrates their involvement in anti-tumor activity when treated with imgatuzumab. In addition, increased infiltration in areas of the skin where the target is highly expressed show that NK and other immune cells are directed to the area where imgatuzumab binds to the target. We believe that these findings further support preclinical data of what we believe is the second mechanism of action of imgatuzumab.

BP22349 was a randomized, multicenter, open-label Phase 1b/2 study in the EU of imgatuzumab in combination with cisplatin and gemcitabine/pemetrexed versus cisplatin and gemcitabine/pemetrexed in patients with advanced or recurrent NSCLC who have not received prior chemotherapy. Sixteen patients with squamous NSCLC and 14 patients with non-squamous NSCLC were dosed with imgatuzumab in the Phase 1b portion of the study. Sixty-two patients with non-squamous NSCLC were enrolled in the Phase 2 portion of the study, including 41 receiving imgatuzumab. Median progression-free survival was similar in the two groups: 5.4 months in imgatuzumab plus chemotherapy group versus 6.0 months in chemotherapy group. The proportion of patients with AEs was comparable between randomized arms. Rash and hypomagnesemia were common in patients treated with imgatuzumab. Rash related to EGFR inhibition was observed in 62.5% of subjects with squamous NSCLC and in 100% of subjects with non-squamous NSCLC (Phase 1b), and in 85.4% of subjects with non-squamous NSCLC in Phase 2. New or worsening hypomagnesemia occurred in 56.3% of subjects with squamous NSCLC arm and 85.7% of subjects with non-squamous NSCLC (Phase 1b), and in 78.0% of subjects with non-squamous NSCLC in Phase 2. At the time of the data cut-off for the end of Phase 1b analysis and Phase 2 analysis of Study BP22349 for patients with NSCLC of non-squamous histology, 24 SAEs affecting a total of 16 patients had been reported, all of which had resolved. Apart from IRRs and pulmonary embolism (two patients each), all of the SAEs were single events affecting a range of SOCs.

For patients with NSCLC of squamous histology, there were 10 SAEs affecting 8 of the 16 patients who had been enrolled at that time. Of the SAEs considered treatment-related, there were two grade 3 IRRs, grade 4 thrombocytopenia (a dose-limiting toxicity) for which imgatuzumab was withdrawn, grade 4 hypokalemia, and grade 4 neutropenia and grade 4 cerebral infarction in a single patient.

BP22350 was an exploratory, open-label, multicenter Phase 2 study in the EU to investigate the pharmacodynamics of imgatuzumab and cetuximab in patients with operable head and neck squamous cell carcinoma. Forty-one patients received two doses of imgatuzumab at dose levels of 700 mg or 1,400 mg and 18 patients received cetuximab (standard dose). Decreases in median SUVmax (around 30%) were observed for all treatments with a trend towards a more pronounced decrease with imgatuzumab. One imgatuzumab patient in the 700 mg cohort achieved pathological complete response. An immediate and sustained decrease in peripheral NK cells was consistently observed with the first imgatuzumab infusion but not with cetuximab. A pronounced increase in circulating cytokines was seen following the first infusion of imgatuzumab but not cetuximab. Tumor-infiltrating CD3+ cell counts increased following treatment with both antibodies. Downregulation of EGFR was greatest with the 1,400 mg imgatuzumab group. Imgatuzumab was well-tolerated, with the most frequent adverse events in imgatuzumab arms being infusion-related reactions, folliculitis and rash observed in approximately 66%, 37% and 29% of subjects, respectively. There were 12 treatment-emergent SAEs in patients receiving imgatuzumab, 6 each in each dose group. Three SAEs, all occurring in the imgatuzumab 1400 mg arm, were reported as related to imgatuzumab (grade 3 IRR, grade 2 skin necrosis, and grade 3 skin flap necrosis) and all resolved with treatment.

BP25438 was a randomized, multicenter, open-label Phase 2 study, in the U.S. and EU, of imgatuzumab in combination with FOLFIRI, a combination of chemotherapeutic agents, versus FOLFIRI plus cetuximab or FOLFIRI alone as second line treatment in patients with KRAS wild-type or mutant metastatic CRC. A total of 169 patients were enrolled into the study: 82 patients in KRAS wild-type cohorts (41 with imgatuzumab plus FOLFIRI arm, and 41 with cetuximab plus FOLFIRI arm), and 87 patients in KRAS mutant cohorts (44 with imgatuzumab plus FOLFIRI arm, and 43 with FOLFIRI only cohort). The median progression-free survival was longer in patients treated with imgatuzumab plus FOLFIRI than in patients treated with cetuximab plus FOLFIRI in KRAS wild-type cohorts (7.3 months versus 6.1 months). The median progression-free survival was also longer in patients treated with imgatuzumab plus FOLFIRI than in patients treated with FOLFIRI alone in KRAS mutant cohorts (5.2 months versus 4.3 months). Imgatuzumab was well-tolerated, and rash and hypomagnesemia were common adverse events in patients treated with imgatuzumab observed in approximately 95.0% and 87.5% of subjects in KRAS wild-type cohort and in 90.9% and 70.5% of subjects in KRAS mutant cohort.

While Roche's clinical trial data of imgatuzumab demonstrated initial signals of anti-tumor activity, none were designed or powered to show superiority of imgatuzumab, as these trials enrolled relatively low numbers of patients. In addition, we believe that progression-free survival as the primary endpoint for an immunostimulatory compound may be not appropriate, as was observed in the later development of PD-1 and PD-L1 antibodies. Moreover, the combination with a strong cytotoxic doublet such as FOLFIRI, which potentially impacts the intrinsic immune system, may not yield the optimal results when used in combination with imgatuzumab, applying current knowledge of the immune system in cancer patients after extensive clinical research especially with IO compounds. As a result, in future clinical development of imgatuzumab, Pega-One intends to focus on either single agent where applicable or in a broader tumor spectrum on the combination with IO compounds or small molecules such as MEK inhibitors or novel next generation agents.

Preclinical Data

Roche conducted several preclinical studies in the development of imgatuzumab. By binding to EGFR, imgatuzumab inhibits signaling pathways that influence proliferation, survival and apoptosis in a similar manner to other anti-EGFR monoclonal antibodies. Importantly, imgatuzumab binds to a different domain of the EGF receptor compared to other currently available antibodies, such as cetuximab, as depicted in Figure 21.

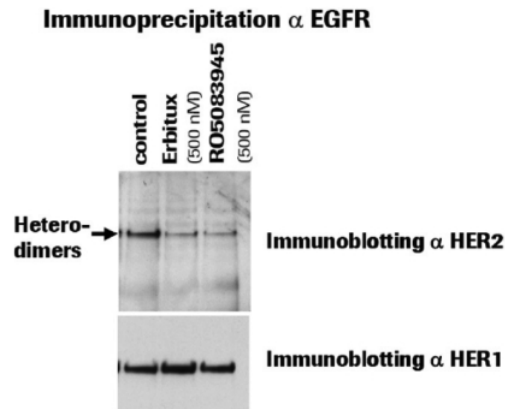


Figure 21: Inhibition of EGFR/HER2 Dimerization by Imgatuzumab (RO5083945).

In *in vitro* and *in vivo* models, the glycoengineering and the enhancement of ADCC and ADCP properties was observed to result in superior activity of imgatuzumab administration compared to cetuximab.

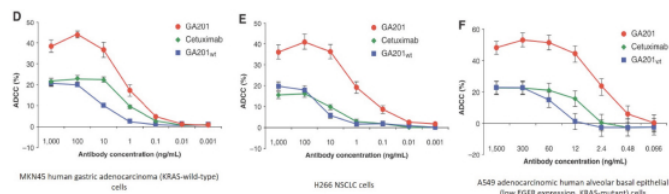


Figure 22: Activity of imgatuzumab (GA201) compared to cetuximab in *in vitro* and *in vivo* models.

Development Plan

Pega-One is currently developing imgatuzumab as a monotherapy for advanced CSCC patients not amenable or refractory/relapsing to an anti-PD-1 directed therapy. Pega-One has not administered imgatuzumab to humans or



conducted any clinical work to date. Pega-One expects to meet with the FDA in mid-2021 and to advance imgatuzumab into its own clinical trial by the end of 2021, pending such discussions. Pega-One's work on imgatuzumab has largely been in CMC and manufacturing to prepare materials for clinical trials, support bio-equivalence and prepare for the planned FDA meeting. Pega-One plans to initiate an open label, single arm, Phase 2 trial of imgatuzumab in advanced CSCC. In addition to developing imgatuzumab as a monotherapy, Pega-One is also exploring its potential in multiple combinations with either immunotherapy, such as PD-1 inhibitor compounds, or small molecule targeted therapies in multiple indications.

#### *Product Exclusivity*

Pega-One benefits from exclusivity through the Roche patent estate developed around imgatuzumab and Glycart technology. Pega-One plans to utilize new preclinical, clinical and combination proprietary data to expand its product-specific patent estate. Additionally, U.S. biologics manufacturers are eligible to receive 12 years of regulatory exclusivity after approval in the U.S. under the Biologics Price Competition and Innovation Act of 2009 while EU exclusivity allows for 10 years of data exclusivity, with an additional year for a new indication that has a significant added clinical benefit.

### **Z Factor Limited**

#### *Introduction*

Z Factor Limited (Z Factor) was spun out of the Huntington Lab at the University of Cambridge after decades of research into the function and dysfunction of Alpha-1-antitrypsin (A1AT) and other serpins. Professor Huntington serves as Professor of Molecular Haemostasis at the University of Cambridge and has devoted much of his professional career to unravelling the structural basis of function and dysfunction of the serpin family. In 2011 he and his academic group solved the crystal structure of a polymer of Z-A1AT that revealed a C-terminal domain swap intermolecular linkage, and a feature near the site of the Z mutation responsible for retarding the final folding step, named the 'Z-Pocket'. Z Factor was formed based on the hypothesis that molecules that could bind into a version of the Z-Pocket found in the last folding intermediate, the one stalled by the Z mutation, would accelerate the final folding step to the native state, thus rescuing folding and secretion. This crystal structure was licensed into Z Factor in 2015 and remains its exclusive know-how.

Based on the proprietary crystal structure of Z-A1AT, *in silico* screening was conducted to find compounds that bind to the Z-Pocket. 414 *in silico* hits were tested for improved secretion of human Z-A1AT from transfected cells. From that screen, 117 of the 414 *in silico* hits (28%) were positive in this *in vitro* assay at 300 nM, suggesting an enrichment over a random compound screen. The large number of active chemical entities allowed Z Factor to prioritize molecules believed to possess excellent drug properties, including safety. ZF874, the clinical lead that Z Factor is advancing in clinical development as a disease-modifying treatment for AATD caused by the common Z-mutation, is the result of medicinal chemistry conducted on a lead compound identified from the *in silico* screen, guided by structure-activity relationship principles (*in vitro* activity, absorption, distribution, metabolism and excretion (ADME), and oral PK properties, safety indicators and *in vivo* activity).

Z Factor's proprietary structural insight into the misfolding of Z-A1AT allows our team to continue exploring the potential of compounds across multiple chemical families. For example, in addition to the clinical lead of ZF874, Z Factor is advancing ZF887, a small molecule chemical chaperone folding corrector of Z-A1AT, that originates from a different chemical family than that of ZF874.

#### *Disease Overview*

A1AT, also known as alpha-1-proteinase inhibitor and SerpinA1, is a protease inhibitor belonging to the serpin family. It is produced in the liver and circulates in its native state in human blood at approximately 1.5 g/L. Its main role is to protect tissue from proteases released by neutrophils, such as human neutrophil elastase, cathepsin G and proteinase 3. A1AT inhibits proteases utilizing the well-characterized 'mousetrap' mechanism of protease inhibition.

AATD is an autosomal recessive disorder most frequently caused by missense mutations in the A1AT gene that lead to misfolding, and therefore reduced secretion of native A1AT into the circulation. Over 100 mutations have been described that lead to deficiency of A1AT, the most common of which is the 'Z' mutation, with 1 in 25 individuals of European descent carriers (PiMZ), and 1 in 1,800 homozygous. Individuals homozygous for the Z mutation (PiZZ) have A1AT levels 10–15% of normal and account for 95% of the known cases of AATD. The small fraction of Z-A1AT that is secreted is in the native conformation, has a half-life in blood indistinguishable from the wild-type protein (M-A1AT) and is functional as a protease inhibitor, with similar inhibitory activity against the target proteases. However, the low plasma concentration is insufficient to protect the lungs from proteolytic degradation. PiZZ individuals who smoke develop chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) as early adults, and non-smokers are also at high risk for developing COPD in their thirties and forties. The penetrance of COPD in the PiZZ population is estimated to be 80%, with 50–72% eventually dying of respiratory failure. Carriers of the Z variant are also at increased risk of COPD, with an odds ratio (OR) of 5 for never smokers and 11 for smokers.

AATD can also manifest as liver disease. 10% of PiZZ newborns develop cholestatic hepatitis, a quarter of whom will suffer acute liver failure and require an emergency transplant. The liver manifestation of AATD is bimodal, with about half of PiZZ individuals exhibiting some liver function abnormality in infancy that usually resolves, followed by increased risk of cirrhosis and hepatocellular carcinoma from mid-life. Approximately one-third of PiZZ carriers have cirrhosis at the time of death, and about 10% of the PiZZ population die of liver failure. The OR for developing liver cancer is 20 for the PiZZ population. The liver disease manifestations of AATD are only found associated with the presence of the Z mutation, and are considered to be a 'gain-of-function' disorder, in contrast to COPD which is simply caused by the lack of circulating anti-protease activity. This has been explained by the accumulation of 'polymers' of Z-A1AT in the ER of hepatocytes, although why this is toxic to the liver remains unclear.

A two-fold improvement in Z-A1AT secretion is likely to provide clinical benefit (from about 15% to 30% of normal levels), since 0.55 g/L (11 µM) is considered the threshold for protection from lung disease. Because 95% of clinical cases of AATD are caused by homozygosity for the Z mutation and only the Z mutation is associated with liver disease, understanding the molecular basis of misfolding caused by the Z mutation alone would provide scope for meaningful therapeutic intervention.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

There is currently no approved effective therapy to counter either the lung or liver disease manifestations of AATD. Augmentation therapy consisting of weekly IV infusions of plasma-derived A1AT is available in some countries for patients with established COPD, based on increased A1AT levels above the 11 µM threshold. The National Institute for Health and Care Excellence does not recommend its use in the United Kingdom due to unclear clinical benefit and a cost of £100,000 per patient year. It is not approved anywhere as a prophylactic to prevent development of COPD in PiZZ individuals. Lung and/or liver transplantation are the only other available treatment options, besides the normal management of the disease manifestations of AATD.

Although classified as a rare disease, AATD is one of the most common rare diseases, with incidence similar to cystic fibrosis. AATD remains highly underdiagnosed, but it is estimated that there are 200,000 PiZZ individuals worldwide. PiSZ individuals (S denotes a milder deficiency mutation) are also at increased risk of COPD, and there are estimated to be 1.2 million individuals worldwide. Market expansion into PiMZ, of which there are an estimated 42.4 million individuals, is possible in the large subset of the general COPD and NASH populations, where the PiMZ genotype is highly over-represented.

#### *Our Product Candidate*

Z Factor is developing ZF874 as a disease-modifying treatment candidate for AATD caused by the common Z mutation. ZF874, has a low molecular weight, high aqueous solubility, high oral availability, low plasma

protein binding, PK properties suitable for daily oral dosing, and is renally excreted. ZF874 acts catalytically, with no observable binding to native Z-A1AT. ZF874 can be synthesized efficiently at kilogram scale, and has excellent stability.

#### *Clinical Data*

Z Factor is currently conducting a double-blind, randomized, placebo controlled Phase 1 study (designated ZF-0101), comprised of a SAD in healthy volunteers (Part A) and a 28-day repeat dosing study in PiXZ subjects (Part B). ZF874 is formulated as powder in bottle, and all doses are administered as drinks. The most recent interim analysis was performed in September 2020.

- Six cohorts of healthy volunteers successfully dosed up to 50mg/kg fasted.
- All doses well-tolerated, except for a transient apparent C<sub>max</sub> effect at 50mg/kg in the fasted state, similar to what was observed in the dog at doses above 100mg/kg.
- 50mg/kg was well-tolerated when given as 25mg/kg *bid* (12 hour interval).
- PK is consistent with expectations, with excellent oral availability and a ~4 hour half-life.
- Possible food effects were observed and continue to be investigated.
- Potential food effect being investigated in Cohort 7.
- Exposure in humans is 7-times greater than in mice, so a dose ~7mg/kg/day in humans is expected to have a similar effect to the dose of 50mg/kg/day in the PiZ mouse on plasma levels of Z-A1AT and liver burden.
- Up to 14 subjects with at least one Z allele (PiXZ) are being recruited for Part B (2 placebos).

Safety, tolerability and PK are primary endpoints. Increase in serum Z-A1AT levels is an exploratory outcome. Levels will be assessed frequently during dosing, and every 7 days for the 28 days after the final dose. Levels are unlikely to have plateaued by day 29, as with the PiZ mice.

#### *Preclinical Data*

To date, we believe that our preclinical data suggests that:

- ZF874 is a potent and specific folding corrector for Z-A1AT, improving secretion from transfected cells;
- ZF874 does not bind to native Z-A1AT;
- ZF874 increases blood plasma levels of human Z-A1AT in the transgenic PiZ mouse model in an exposure and time-dependent manner;
- Z-A1AT purified from the blood of PiZ mice after ZF874 treatment is as active as a protease inhibitor;
- ZF874 dosing for 3 months results in sustained elevations in plasma serum Z-A1AT levels, reduction in liver accumulation and correction of liver pathology in the PiZ mouse;
- ZF874 is generally well-tolerated at high acute doses in several animal species; and
- ZF874 has a clean toxicology profile in 28-day GLP studies in rat and dog.

Secretion of Z-A1AT into the cell culture media from human embryonic kidney (HEK) cells expressing human Z-A1AT in the presence of ZF874 was measured using an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) for human A1AT. ZF874 increased the secretion of Z-A1AT in a dose-dependent manner, with an EC<sub>50</sub> value of ~50 nM. Suberoylanilide hydroxamic acid (SAHA, a histone deacetylase inhibitor) was used as a positive control, improving secretion through a general increase in transcription. By this mechanism SAHA also increased

secretion of M- and Siiyama (a polymerogenic mutation remote from the Z mutation) A1AT. However, the effect of ZF874 is specific for the Z variant, consistent with its proposed mechanism of action, with no effect on secretion of M- or Siiyama A1AT, even at 10  $\mu$ M. The Z-A1AT secreted by the HEK cells was demonstrated to be active by visualizing reaction products with trypsin by sodium dodecyl sulphate-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (SDS-PAGE).

Although ZF874 was developed from a hit found to bind to the Z-Pocket *in silico*, selection of leads was based on functional ability to stimulate secretion of Z-A1AT from transfected HEK cells. Ideally, a folding corrector of Z-A1AT would act catalytically, with high potency coupled with low affinity for the correctly folded product, native Z-A1AT. In order to assess the ability of ZF874 to bind to native human Z-A1AT, an equilibrium dialysis experiment was conducted in plasma from a normal subject, where one compartment was spiked with increasing concentrations of native Z-A1AT up to 40  $\mu$ M (2 mg/ml). 5 $\mu$ M ZF874 was added to one compartment, and at equilibrium there was no difference in total ZF874 distribution between the compartments, indicating that ZF874 does not bind to native Z-A1AT with appreciable affinity. A similar study was conducted in buffer with ZF874 compared to a Vertex compound we believe to be VX-814; while ZF874 was found equally distributed between the compartments, 70% of the Vertex compound remained in the compartment containing the 20  $\mu$ M native Z-A1AT, suggesting moderate affinity for native Z-A1AT.

There is only one available model to assess the effect of folding correctors on the secretion of Z-A1AT *in vivo*, the PiZ mouse. This strain was produced by knocking in several copies of the human Z-A1AT gene into their genomic DNA, including the upstream liver-specific promoter elements. The PiZ mouse was developed primarily to overexpress Z-A1AT as a model of liver disease associated with AATD, and has since been used to assess potential treatments to reduce Z-A1AT accumulation (*e.g.* autophagy upregulation and small interfering RNAs). PiZ mice have a range of plasma levels of Z-A1AT from 100 to 1000  $\mu$ g/ml, with the high expressing mice developing signs of liver pathology. Low and high Z-A1AT expressing mice are both appropriate for use in testing the effect of ZF874 on Z-A1AT secretion since it acts catalytically. Baseline measurement of Z-A1AT plasma levels provide a control pre-treatment value for each animal, allowing data from low and high expressing mice to be analyzed together.

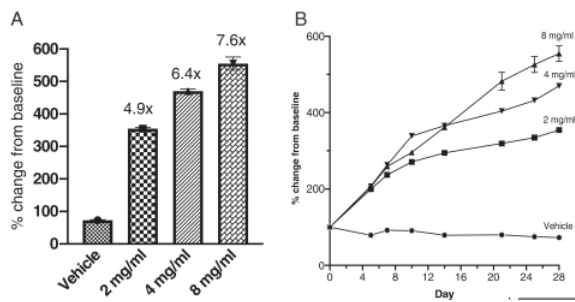
The effect of ZF874 on plasma levels of human Z-A1AT was tested in PiZ mice during 15 days of BID oral (PO) dosing (single dose on final study day) with 5, 15 or 50 mg/kg. It was observed that ZF874 increased the plasma concentration of human Z-A1AT in a dose-dependent manner, with even the lowest dose resulting in a significant effect.

In a similar study, PiZ mice were given ZF874 PO BID at doses of 25, 50, 100, 200, 300 and 500 mg/kg per occasion (doses ~8 hours apart) for 10 days, with three pre-dose blood samples taken over seven days and blood samples during dosing taken on days 5, 7 and 10. The effect of ZF874 on plasma levels of human Z-A1AT in PiZ mice increased linearly with dose, with a maximal effect of 380%. However, the amount of Z-A1AT in the plasma was still increasing linearly on day 10 for all doses, indicating that the maximum effect of each dose is likely to be higher. We believe this is due to the short half-life of ZF874 in the mouse (approximately 1 hour), and the long half-life of Z-A1AT once in the blood.

Z-A1AT was purified from the plasma of the 500 mg/kg treatment group after day 10 and was found to be active as a protease inhibitor. Since the inhibition mechanism of serpins relies on a native conformation, we conclude that ZF874 stimulates folding and secretion of native Z-A1AT *in vivo*.

In order to assess the potential of ZF874 to completely correct the plasma levels of Z-A1AT in the PiZ mice, ZF874 was dissolved in their drinking water at 2, 4 and 8 mg/ml for 28 days. Full rescue of folding and secretion should lead to a 7-10-fold increase in plasma levels of Z-A1AT, assuming a similar fraction of misfolding in PiZ mice and humans (85-90%). Z-A1AT levels in PiZ mice are known to decrease with time. The day 28 Z-A1AT levels relative to the pre-dose levels are shown in Figure 23(A), and the difference between vehicle and treated groups is 4.9-, 6.4- and 7.6-fold (Figure 23A). Again, however, steady-state Z-A1AT levels had not been

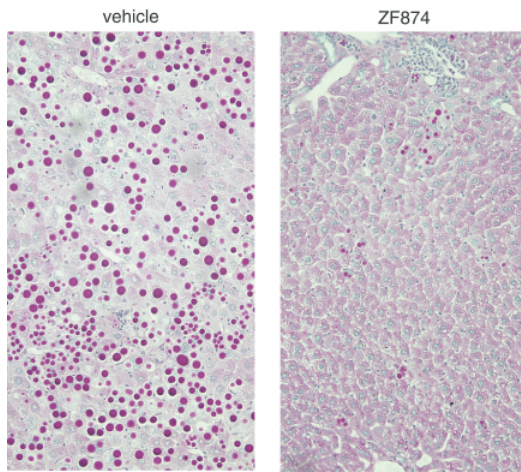
achieved by day 28, with levels continuing to climb for each dose group (Figure 23B). We concluded that ZF874 is likely capable of full rescue of the folding of Z-A1AT, albeit at exceedingly high doses in the PiZ mice.



**Figure 23: ZF874 increases the levels of human Z-A1AT in the plasma of PiZ mice when dissolved into their drinking water.** (A) Normalized day 28 Z-A1AT levels dosing of ZF874 in drinking water at the concentrations indicated. Fold change relative to vehicle control at day 28 is indicated. (B) Z-A1AT levels increased with time for all dose groups, indicating that steady-state had not yet been achieved at day 28.

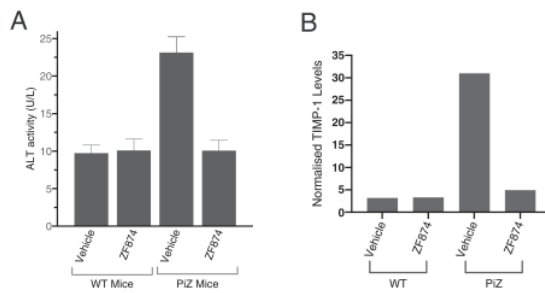
To assess the effect of ZF874 on the livers of high-expressing PiZ mice, ZF874 was fed to mice to provide a nominal dose of 50 mg/kg/day for 12-weeks. This was also a test of long-term tolerability of ZF874, so WT mice were included. Plasma levels of Z-A1AT increased by two-fold relative to baseline by day 14 and remained so for the duration of the study. Z-A1AT levels did not change significantly from baseline for PiZ mice fed chow without ZF874.

Accumulation of Z-A1AT polymers in the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) of hepatocytes leads to liver damage with increasing age in high-expressing PiZ mice. Liver sections from PiZ mice fed with ZF874 for 84 days were examined to investigate the effect of ZF874 on accumulation of Z-A1AT polymers and on fibrosis. Periodic acid-Schiff diastase (PAS-D) staining of Z-A1AT polymers in the ER of hepatocytes is a hallmark of AATD in humans and in the PiZ mouse model. Treatment of PiZ mice with ZF874 resulted in a dramatic reduction in PAS-D stained hepatocytes, as shown in Figure 24 below. Comparison of liver sections from PiZ mice also revealed a marked reduction in Sirius red and reticulin staining, markers of fibrosis, with ZF874 treatment.



**Figure 24: Representative image of PAS-D stained liver sections from high-expressing PiZ mice after 84 days of treatment with normal chow (vehicle) or chow admixed with ZF874.**

Blood samples were taken on day 84 to assess levels of alanine aminotransferase (ALT) and tissue inhibitor of metalloproteinase 1 (TIMP-1), a liver enzyme and inflammatory marker, respectively, both associated with liver damage in mice. Neither marker was affected by chronic dosing of ZF874 in WT mice. The high expressing PiZ mice given normal food had elevated ALT levels at day 84, well outside the normal range, indicative of liver damage caused by the accumulation of Z-A1AT polymers. However, high expressing PiZ mice fed with ZF874 had ALT levels similar to WT mice (Figure 25A). A similar pattern of results was found for TIMP-1 (Figure 25B). This study demonstrates that a modest but sustained two-fold elevation in plasma Z-A1AT levels upon treatment with ZF874 at 50 mg/kg/day is sufficient to substantially reduce liver pathology in high-expressing PiZ mice as measured by Z-A1AT polymer burden, fibrosis, ALT level and inflammation.

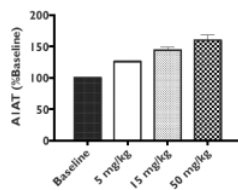


**Figure 25: ALT (Panel A) and TIMP-1 (Panel B) levels at day 84 in WT and high-expressing PiZ mice fed on normal chow (vehicle) or chow admixed with ZF874.**

The potential toxicity of ZF874 was evaluated in rat and dog preclinical models in 28-day GLP studies with recovery groups. No adverse effects were observed for oral doses of ZF874 up to 1000 mg/kg/day (500 mg/kg BID) in the rat and up to 150 mg/kg/day in the dog, the highest dose tested in each species. 150mg/kg was the limiting dose in the dog due to transient behavioral changes that occurred at Tmax.

#### Activities Conducted to Date for ZF887

Studies conducted to date for ZF887 include in vitro and in vivo pharmacology studies, safety pharmacology and PK and ADME studies. In vivo characterization in particular entailed assessing effect of ZF887 on plasma levels of Z-A1AT in a PiZ mouse model, where mice were treated for 14 consecutive days by oral gavage twice daily at 5, 15, or, 50 mg/kg. The data in the below figure shows that ZF887 stimulates secretion of Z-A1AT compared to baseline levels in PiZ mice in a dose-dependent manner.



**Figure 26: ZF887 increases plasma levels of human A1AT in the PiZ mouse.**

#### Development Plan

##### ZF874

Results from 28-day repeat dosing study in PiXZ subjects (Phase 1, Part B) are expected to be available in mid-to-late 2021. Z Factor expects to commence chronic toxicology studies in mid-to-late 2021, and to initiate a planned 28-day study in PiZZ subjects in mid-to-late 2021.

##### ZF887

Z Factor has completed lead optimization for ZF887 which is currently entering the IND-enabling phase.

*Product Exclusivity*

We intend to protect exclusivity of ZF874 and other compounds across multiple chemical families principally through patent protection and the exclusive license of rights under our agreement with the University of Cambridge. See “—Intellectual Property and License Agreements.”

**Morphogen-IX Limited**

*Introduction*

Morphogen-IX Limited (Morphogen-IX) was conceived to target the central causal pathway in pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) revealed by genetic studies in patients over the last 20 years. PAH, a severe form of pulmonary hypertension, is a progressive life-limiting disease caused by narrowing of small pulmonary arteries in the periphery of the lung. Morphogen-IX is developing MGX292, a disease-modifying, protein-engineered variant of human bone morphogenetic protein 9 (BMP9), for the treatment of PAH.

Professor Nick Morrell, co-founder and Chief Executive Officer of Morphogen-IX, has over 25 years of research experience in PAH from genetics to experimental medicine. Dr. Morrell’s laboratory at the University of Cambridge is internationally recognized for contributions to understanding mechanisms of PAH, publishing over 250 papers in this field. He was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award by the European Respiratory Society in 2019. Co-founders, Dr. Wei Li and Dr. Paul Upton, also at the University of Cambridge, are experts in the protein biochemistry and structural biology of BMP ligands and receptors, and the vascular biology of BMPs.

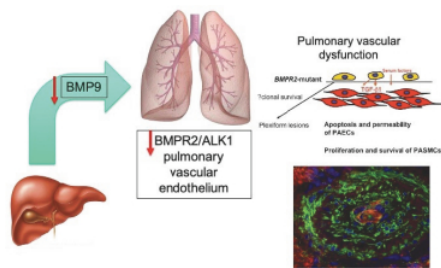
*Disease Overview*

PAH is a rare disease with a major unmet medical need. Patients initially present with progressive breathlessness on exertion caused by severely elevated blood pressure in the pulmonary circulation, leading to death from right-sided heart failure. Females are more commonly affected than males and the disease can manifest at any age, though we estimate to be typically in the 20-60 age group. PAH can occur spontaneously, which is termed idiopathic PAH, in approximately 50% of cases, or in association with other underlying conditions, such as congenital heart disease, connective tissue disease and liver disease. Together, these conditions comprise World Health Organization (WHO) Group 1 PAH, for which existing drugs are approved.

PAH has a prevalence of 11 to 26 per million individuals, affecting approximately 70,000 patients in North America, Europe and Japan. Although many factors, including altered growth factor signaling, inflammation and metabolism are features of PAH pathobiology, it remains uncertain to what extent these factors are causal as opposed to secondary manifestations, as most previous attempts to target these pathways with therapeutics have been unsuccessful in PAH patients. In contrast, genetic evidence for the causality of PAH provides a strong basis for drug discovery efforts. The genetic evidence in PAH emerges from patients with a family history of disease and from patients with idiopathic PAH. 75% percent of patients with a family history of PAH have heterozygous loss-of-function mutations in the bone morphogenetic protein type 2 receptor (BMPR2). Mutations in BMPR2 are found in 15% to 40% of patients with idiopathic PAH. Since the discovery of BMPR2 mutations in 2000, further causal mutations in components of the BMPR2 pathway have been discovered in PAH patients. Mutations in BMPR2 confer an increased risk of developing PAH of approximately 100,000-fold.

This genetic evidence indicates a central causal pathway in PAH defined by the circulating BMP ligand, BMP9, derived from the liver that engages a receptor complex comprising ALK1 and BMPR2 on pulmonary endothelial cells. The highest levels of expression of ALK1 and BMPR2 are found in lung endothelial cells. Thus, loss of BMP9 signaling selectively confers susceptibility to PAH without compromising other vascular beds or organ systems. Approximately a quarter of idiopathic PAH patients have loss-of-function mutations in the BMP9 signaling axis.





**Figure 27: Central causal pathway in PAH.** PAH is characterized by loss of function in the BMP9/ALK1/BMPR2 pathway. This may occur from a reduction in ligand or in receptor expression (red arrows). The normal pulmonary circulation is protected and maintained when this signaling pathway is intact. Loss of function leads to pulmonary vascular cell dysfunction, with increased permeability of the endothelium and increased apoptosis of endothelial cells, and the formation of plexiform lesions. The endothelial dysfunction promotes expansion of the underlying smooth muscle cells leading to constrictive vascular lesions. The image shows endothelial cells stained in red and the proliferation of surrounding smooth muscle cells stained with green from a patient with PAH.

Furthermore, patients with portopulmonary hypertension, which is PAH in the presence of cirrhosis, exhibit markedly reduced levels of plasma BMP9 that predicts the development of PAH. Taken together, these discoveries provide strong target validation for approaches that enhance BMP9/BMPR2/ALK1 signaling as a novel therapeutic approach for PAH.

An important observation is that dysfunction of the BMP9/BMPR2/ALK1 pathway is not confined to patients with genetic forms of PAH. Patients with various forms of Group 1 PAH have been shown to exhibit a deficiency of this pathway, whether it be reduced expression of the BMPR2 receptor, or reduced circulating levels of BMP9. In addition, the widely used animal models of PAH are characterized by reduced BMPR2 and BMP signaling in the lung. Thus, approaches to enhance activity of the BMP9 pathway are likely to be broadly applicable to Group 1 PAH, and potentially other WHO Groups, for which there are no approved treatments.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

While approved drugs for PAH exist, current treatments do not impact the underlying pathophysiology of the disease and are not disease-modifying. The currently approved drugs to treat Group 1 PAH were largely developed to treat other cardiovascular conditions and have been repurposed for PAH. These drugs target vasoconstriction by either enhancing prostacyclin signaling (prostanoid agonists), inhibiting the actions of endothelins (ERA antagonists), enhancing nitric oxide signaling (PDE5 inhibitors, guanylate cyclase activators) or a combination of these approaches. However, vasoconstriction is a small component of established human PAH and vasodilators fail to reverse the lung vascular pathology that characterizes PAH. Further, vasodilator therapies are often used in combination (two or three drug classes) but despite these options, the prognosis for PAH remains poor. According to U.S. and European registries the mortality rate at three years is approximately 40%. Alternative approaches that target the pulmonary vascular cell dysfunction leading to vascular remodeling have the potential to be truly disease modifying in PAH.

The total global market for PAH is estimated at \$6.0 billion per annum based on sales of approved drugs.

Although we are not aware of any competitors developing BMP-based agonists for PAH, Acceleron Pharma and Keros Therapeutics are developing ligand trap-based treatments for PAH, which work by inhibiting signaling via

the TGF-beta superfamily ligands, Activin, GDF8 and GDF11, but neither has been shown to enhance BMP9 signaling in animal models.

#### *Our Product Candidate*

Morphogen-IX is developing MGX292, a protein-engineered variant of BMP9, for the treatment of PAH. MGX292 is designed to overcome the functional deficiency in BMP9 signaling found in patients with PAH, restore vascular function and reverse established disease pathology in the pulmonary arterioles. MGX292 is being developed as a daily subcutaneous treatment aimed at disease reversal/modification in patients with PAH, thereby potentially enhancing life expectancy and reducing symptoms.

Despite the promise of BMP9 as a therapeutic in PAH, its potential for heterotopic ossification (HO), has traditionally been a major limitation. All BMPs are capable of driving a program of osteogenesis in mesenchymal tissues and native BMP9 also carries this risk. Native BMP9 signals at low concentrations via its high affinity type 1 receptor (ALK1), to preserve endothelial function. At higher concentrations, BMP9 can activate the low affinity type 1 receptor (ALK2), on mesenchymal cells. ALK2 is the archetypal receptor for driving bone formation and HO.

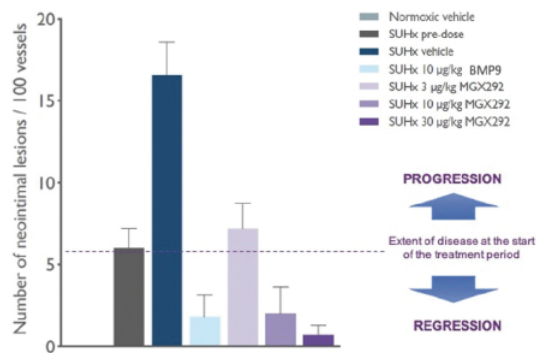
To unleash the full potential of BMP9 for PAH, Morphogen-IX set out to develop protein engineered variants of native BMP9 that retain endothelial signaling via ALK1, but lack signaling via ALK2, which would otherwise lead to undesired bone formation. The design of single amino acid substitutions was based on a deep understanding of the structural basis of BMP signaling via type 1 and type 2 receptors. Morphogen-IX screened a number of variants, and in 2019, ultimately selected MGX292 as its drug development candidate. Based on the design and supported by preclinical evidence, MGX292 is devoid of bone forming capacity while retaining the endothelial protection of the native protein. MGX292 has a molecular weight of approximately 90KDa and comprises a dimer of two growth factor domains and two prodomains, similar to the circulating form of native BMP9. In 2015, Morphogen-IX showed in an article published in *Nature Medicine* that exogenous administration of native BMP9 could reverse established PAH in several rodent models of disease.

While PAH is the primary indication for MGX292, additional target disease indications with major unmet needs include acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), hereditary hemorrhagic telangiectasia (HHT) and hepatopulmonary syndrome, for which there are no approved therapies. The underlying biology of the BMP9 plays a causal role in HHT (heterozygous mutations in ALK1 or the accessory receptor ENG), hepatopulmonary syndrome (dramatically reduced levels of circulating BMP9) and ARDS (BMP9 levels reduced in patients with sepsis and BMP9 protects mice from lipopolysaccharide-induced lung injury).

#### *Preclinical Data*

In preclinical rat models of severe PAH, daily administration of MGX292 demonstrated a dose-dependent reversal of established lung vascular pathology. The Sugen-hypoxia protocol has become the most widely used rodent model of severe PAH because it more closely resembles human PAH, being a chronic model of severe disease leading to death from right heart failure. In addition, the lung pathology is characterized by the appearance of neointimal vascular lesions, which are an important feature in human PAH pathology, but not seen in most other rodent models. In human pulmonary artery endothelial cells, MGX292 has been observed in *in vitro* studies to activate downstream signaling in an ALK1 and BMPR2 dependent manner, with an EC<sub>50</sub> similar to native BMP9.

In preclinical studies of the Sugen-hypoxia rat model, MGX292, given daily for four weeks, was observed to reverse established advanced pulmonary vascular remodeling at doses as low as 3-10µg/kg/day. Almost complete reversal of disease pathology is observed at 30µg/kg/day. MGX292 generally appears well-tolerated at the highest dose used to date, 270µg/kg/day for four weeks. The graph below shows that MGX292 reverses the number of neointimal lesions in the Sugen-hypoxia model, the lesion that characterizes human PAH pathology.



**Figure 28: MGX292 reverses the number of neointimal lesions in the Sugen-hypoxia model, the lesion that characterizes human PAH pathology.**

#### Development Plan

MGX292 is currently in preclinical development. Morphogen-IX is optimizing the manufacturing process for MGX292 and will be undertaking IND-enabling safety and toxicology studies in 2022. We anticipate submitting an IND and/or a CTA in mid-to-late 2022. In addition, while PAH is the primary indication for MGX292, Morphogen-IX plans to explore opportunities in additional disease indications in which its technology may yield therapeutic benefit.

#### Capella Bioscience Ltd.

##### Introduction

Capella Bioscience Ltd. (Capella Bioscience) was created with the mission to advance first-in-class monoclonal antibody (mAb) therapeutics in autoimmune diseases with high unmet need. Our lead programs are CBS001 and CBS004, currently undergoing IND-enabling studies for the treatment of rare inflammatory disorders. Capella Bioscience is initially developing CBS001, a neutralizing therapeutic mAb to the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT (known as TNFSF14) for the treatment of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF). We anticipate submitting an IND for CBS001 and commencing a Phase 1 program for this candidate in early-to-mid 2022. In addition, Capella Bioscience is developing CBS004, a therapeutic mAb to target BDCA-2 for the treatment of lupus erythematosus, both systemic and cutaneous (SLE and CLE, respectively), and systemic sclerosis (SSc). Both programs are currently undergoing IND-enabling activities. We anticipate submitting an IND for CBS004 and commencing a Phase 1 program for this candidate in early-to-mid 2022.

We believe that the Capella Bioscience team is strongly positioned to advance its programs through development. Our co-founders Dr. Steve Holmes and Donald L. Drakeman are biotech industry leaders with a strong track record of therapeutic mAb development as well as successful company creation. Dr. Holmes has over 25 years of experience in drug development and has held senior positions at Oxford Glycosciences (acquired by UCB-Celltech), Domantis (acquired by GlaxoSmithKline), Kymab (acquired by Sanofi) and GlaxoSmithKline. Mr. Drakeman has overseen the progress of 30 innovative medical products and co-founded Medarex (acquired by Bristol-Myers Squibb) and Genmab. We intend to further assemble world-class teams to prosecute the development of our programs to ultimately develop therapies for patients with serious unmet need.

## CBS001

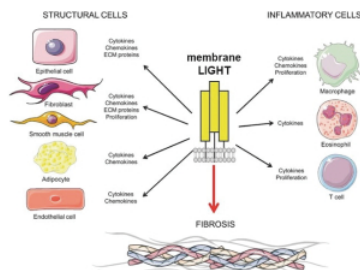
## Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis

## Disease Overview

IPF is a chronic, progressive and often fatal respiratory disease characterized by persistent inflammation and enhanced collagen deposition in lung parenchyma. Symptoms of IPF usually develop gradually and each person is affected differently and at varying rates as the disease progresses. Symptoms include shortness of breath (dyspnea) and chronic cough. IPF portends a poor prognosis with an estimated mean survival of two to five years from the time of diagnosis.

While the specific etiology for the development of IPF is elusive, research suggests that the onset of IPF is brought about by multiple mechanisms. Repetitive injury to the alveolar epithelium is understood to trigger a cascade of signaling by the immune system prompting fibrosis in the lungs. Further, an IPF patient's lung epithelium is believed to be broken, and genetically susceptible to atypical reaction to injuries which could further compound the fibrosis in the lungs.

It is believed that IPF is a disorder of chronic repair resulting from persistent inflammation. Recently, however, the relative role of inflammation in the fibrotic process epithelial cell disease has been challenged. This remains a matter of debate since pulmonary inflammation has been demonstrated in the early stage of the process in established IPF and strikingly, in clinically unaffected family members in the familial form of the disease.



**Figure 29: LIGHT can influence both structural and inflammatory cells to promote fibrosis.**

The protein LIGHT has been found elevated in the serum or sputum of patients suffering from a number of inflammatory diseases with a fibrotic component, including asthma, atopic dermatitis, rheumatoid arthritis, non-alcoholic fatty liver disease, atherosclerosis and colitis. LIGHT can regulate infiltrating T cells, macrophages, and eosinophils, controlling their trafficking or retention in the inflamed tissue, their proliferation and their ability to produce cytokines that amplify fibrotic processes. Activation of the LIGHT signaling cascade therefore can lead to hyperplasia of lung epithelial cells, fibroblasts and smooth muscle cells, deposition of extracellular matrix proteins, vascular damage and further immune alterations that in concert constitute fibrosis. By signaling in tandem on inflammatory and structural cells, through lymphotoxin beta receptor (LTBR) and herpesvirus entry mediator (HVEM), LIGHT is able to control the expression of major pro-fibrotic factors such as TGF- $\beta$ , IL-13 and TSLP and these factors combined can subsequently regulate hyperplasia of fibroblasts, epithelial cells and smooth muscle cells, and promote deposition of extracellular matrix proteins such as collagen. Additionally, LIGHT can regulate accumulation of Th2 cells, chemokines that attract these and other immune cells, adhesion molecules that will maintain the inflammatory environment and other factors such as metalloproteinases that can participate in the fibrotic response.

We have shown that LIGHT is present on CD4 and CD8 T cells as well as NK cells and macrophages from the lungs of IPF patients by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and immunohistochemistry testing (IHC). LIGHT expression is localized to the lymphoid follicles linked to IPF progression, which are also composed of activated B cells, CD40 ligand-expressing activated T cells, fully mature dendritic cells (DC), and a network of follicular DC. The presence of these lymphoid follicles is linked to the progression of IPF. Worldwide, IPF affects 13 to 20 out of every 100,000 people. IPF is considered a rare disease according to the National Institutes of Health, with U.S. prevalence of the disease estimated to be 135,000 cases (for IPF defined based on ICD-9 code) and incidence estimated to be between 21,000 to 52,000 new cases per year. Incident and mortality are on the rise, and prevalence is expected to increase with the aging population.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

The most common drug types approved or under exploration as potential therapeutic approaches are MAPK inhibitors, tyrosine kinase inhibitors and autotaxin inhibitors. FG-3019, a human monoclonal antibody against connective tissue growth factor (CTGF) by FibroGen, Inc. is in Phase 3 trials.

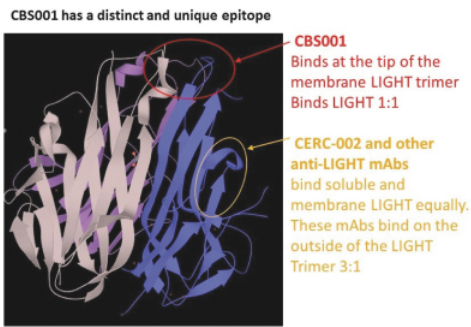
Pirfenidone (a MAPK inhibitor marketed as Esbriet by Roche) and nintedanib (a tyrosine kinase inhibitor marketed as OFEV® by Boehringer Ingelheim) are the only drugs approved by the FDA for the treatment of IPF. Among drug classes, MAPK inhibitors hold the largest share in the market. Esbriet was the first drug approved in 2011 in Europe for treating mild to moderate IPF, and was approved in the U.S. for IPF in 2014. After several disappointing years of clinical trials of therapies that did not demonstrate efficacy in IPF, the anti-fibrotic drugs pirfenidone and nintedanib have been associated with significant slowing of respiratory deterioration in IPF and perhaps prolonged survival. However, the response to antifibrotic treatment is heterogeneous and may be limited by side-effects, necessitating the constant need to establish novel therapeutic approaches, including combination therapies and the development of novel compounds.

In addition, Cerecor, Inc. is developing CERC002, an anti-LIGHT mAb that binds equally to both membrane and soluble forms of the LIGHT protein. CERC-002 is currently being developed as a treatment for acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS) in hospitalized COVID-19 patients as well as a treatment for both adult and pediatric Crohn's disease.

The increasing number of IPF cases diagnosed and rising awareness of the disease overall have stimulated the demand for treatment options. The global IPF market generated sales totaling \$1.8 billion in 2019 and is projected to reach \$2.9 billion by 2025 and to \$4.3 billion by 2030.

#### *Our Product Candidate*

CBS001 is designed to be a high-affinity mAb blocking the binding of the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT to its signaling receptors, HVEM and LTβR. This mAb is differentiated from other anti-LIGHT mAbs, which bind soluble and membrane forms equally. The below graphic illustrates the differentiated epitope targeted by CBS001.



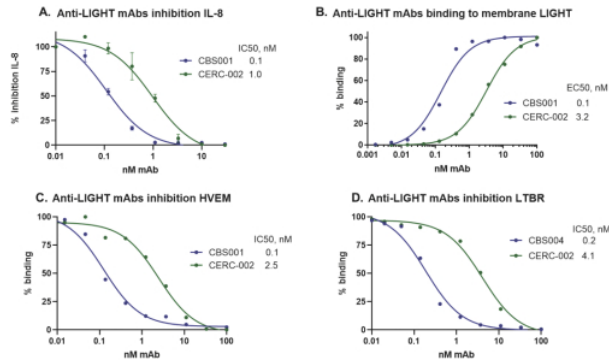
**Figure 30: Binding epitope of CBS001**

LIGHT is not present in normal lung tissue, which we believe provides the potential for CBS001 to be differentiated in its safety profile. Elevated levels of LIGHT have been found in the serum or sputum of patients suffering from a number of inflammatory diseases with a fibrotic component. An ongoing biomarker study in IPF is proceeding.

In preclinical testing, Capella has observed that CBS001 has a long half-life of approximately 25 days and robust potency. We believe these properties may support dosing once every one to two months.

*Preclinical Data*

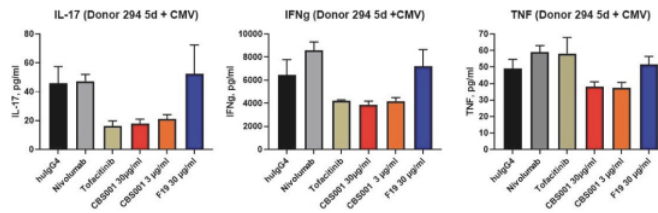
We have tested CBS001 against all available anti-LIGHT mAbs in *in vitro* studies and CBS001 was observed to have greater potency (as measured by IC<sub>50</sub>) than the competitor antibodies and is ten times more potent than CERC-002. CBS001 inhibits binding of membrane LIGHT to HVEM and LT $\beta$ R as well as showing high potency in inhibiting IL-8 release from a cell based assay expressing HVEM or LT $\beta$ R.



**Figure 31: CBS001 potency in several assays.**

The above figure demonstrates that CBS001 is <sup>3</sup> 10-fold more potent than CERC-002 in a cell based IL-8 inhibition assay (A); and *in vitro* assays of (B) cell binding assay; (C) inhibition LIGHT-HVEM binding and (D) inhibition LIGHT-LTBR binding.

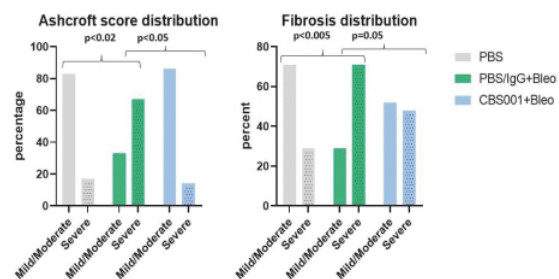
In addition, CBS001 does not compete with the natural LIGHT inhibitor DcR3 in binding excess LIGHT as do all other anti-LIGHT mAbs, which is due to the unique epitope of CBS001. CBS001 inhibits IFNg and the inflammatory cytokines TNF and IL-17 from activated T cells in primary cell assays. Importantly, LIGHT is also expressed on Th17 cells.



**Figure 32: Activity of CBS001 on inhibition of IL-17, IFNg and TNF from CMV lysate stimulated PBMC over a five-day incubation period, against controls of nivolumab, tofacitinib and human IgG4.**

Th17 cells have been demonstrated to play a role in the progression of autoimmune diseases, such as rheumatoid arthritis, psoriasis, multiple sclerosis and inflammatory bowel disease. The Th17 cytokines IL-17A and IL-17F trigger the production of pro-inflammatory cytokines in target tissues, which not only mediate inflammation through the recruitment of innate immune cells such as neutrophils, but also promote further Th17 activation in a positive feedback manner. This enhances the case that LIGHT through the downstream inhibition of IL-17 (among other mechanisms) offers pathway validation in the form of other approved agents neutralizing IL-17 as their mechanism of action.

In a preclinical model of lung fibrosis induced with bleomycin in humanized mice we have shown that CBS001 significantly reduces severe fibrosis as measured by Ashcroft score or fibrosis.



**Figure 33: Reduction of fibrosis by CBS001.**

In the above figure, humanized mice were treated with bleomycin at day 0 and the level of fibrosis was quantitated by immunohistochemistry on day 11 in the presence of CBS001 and compared to control IgG4 or PBS.

In human IPF lung tissue, we have shown high LIGHT expression co-expressed with CD4 and CD8 cells by immunohistochemistry in areas of inflammatory cell infiltration. LIGHT was also present on neutrophils and T effector memory cells in these sections. Importantly, no LIGHT expression was evident in normal lung. Studies in IPF have demonstrated the abundance of T and B lymphocytes and the presence of lymphocyte aggregates resembling lymphoid follicles in IPF and these structures correlate with disease progression.

Pharmacokinetic studies in non-human primates (NHP) have shown that CBS001 has an exceptionally long half-life of approximately 25 days, which we believe could support approximately bi-monthly dosing in man.

GLP safety studies have been completed in NHP and human LIGHT KI mice and no safety issues have been observed as well as a clean profile in the FDA human tissue panel.

CBS001 is a stable mAb that is expressed at very high yield from the CMC expression system. Formulation studies have been completed and CBS001 is stable up to 125mg/ml.

#### *Development Plan*

We intend to meet with the regulatory authorities in mid-to-late 2021 to discuss potential clinical trial designs for CBS001 in IPF. The primary aims of this study are to assess the safety, tolerability, PK and pharmacodynamics of CBS001 in subjects with IPF. A clinical advisory board is in the process of being appointed to finalize the protocol and regulatory submission for an IND in early-to-mid 2022.

#### **CBS004**

##### *Disease Overview*

##### *Systemic Sclerosis*

SSc is a connective tissue disorder characterized primarily by the thickening and hardening of the skin. There are two primary types of scleroderma: localized and systemic, also known as systemic sclerosis. In localized



scleroderma, the disease affects mainly the skin and may have an impact on the muscles and bones. In systemic scleroderma, there is an involvement of the internal organs, such as the digestive tract, heart, lungs and kidneys. The causes of SSc are not fully known. There is evidence that genetic and environmental factors may play a role in the genesis of scleroderma. The result is an activation of the immune system, causing blood vessel damage and injury to tissues that result in scar tissue formation and the accumulation of excess collagen. SSc is a rare disease and its prevalence varies with ethnicity, gender, and geographic area. Women are at higher risk than men. Systemic scleroderma can occur at any age; however, it is rare in children and the elderly. The disease is most prevalent in individuals aged 30-50 years.

In summary, SSc is a complex, multi-organ disease which has a high burden of patient morbidity. The mortality rate is increasing in the U.S. and Europe and generally, renal and lung changes are responsible for death in patients. Pulmonary hypertension leads to 12% of SSc-related deaths and lung fibrosis and heart changes are responsible for 9% of systemic sclerosis-related deaths.

#### *Lupus Erythematosus*

Lupus is associated with multisystemic inflammation resulting from abnormal immunological function. Patients experience periodic flares of varying severity or instances in which no observable signs or symptoms are present. SLE is a systemic autoimmune disease, with multisystemic involvement. The disease has several phenotypes, with varying clinical presentations in patients ranging from mild mucocutaneous manifestations to multi-organ and severe central nervous system involvement. SLE is a multifactorial disease with unknown exact etiology; however, several genetic, immunological, endocrine and environmental factors play a role in the etiopathogenesis of SLE. More than 50 genes or genomic loci have been identified to be associated with SLE, most encoding proteins implicated in the function of the immune system. The prevalence of the disease is approximately 70 per 100,000 persons and incidence rates of 5.6 per 100,000 person-years in primarily Caucasian and African-American populations, with African-Americans presenting the highest rates. SLE predominantly affects women of childbearing age.

Cutaneous manifestations are frequently the presenting sign of lupus erythematosus and in the case of certain CLE subtypes, they can occur in the absence of systemic disease. CLE is divided into several subtypes and is two to three times more frequent than SLE. Similar to proposed etiologies for SLE, current theories include genetic susceptibility, autoimmune induction and immune system damage.

It is critical for the immune system to avoid the recognition of self DNA and self RNA while retaining the ability to sense microbial nucleic acids. The innate immune system appears to have elaborated several distinct mechanisms to discriminate pathogen derived exogenous nucleic acids and host derived self-nucleic acids. However, there is considerable emerging evidence that recognition of self-nucleic acids by toll-like receptors (TLRs) located on plasma dendritic cells (pDCs) occurs under certain circumstances even though the innate immune system evolved distinct mechanisms to prevent self-recognition. The resulting chronically activated pDCs, and the IFN $\alpha$  that they produce in response to self-nucleic acids are thought to be a primary contributor in the pathogenesis of several autoimmune diseases, including SSc and SLE.

pDCs are bone marrow derived cells specialized in the secretion of type I IFN and are mainly found in peripheral blood and in primary and secondary lymphoid organs. pDCs promptly detect viral nucleic acids, which are endocytosed and delivered to endosomes containing TLR7 and TLR9. Engagement of these toll-like receptors results in the immediate release of type I IFN (IFN-I), providing a very early defense against viral infections. pDCs also secrete IFN-I in response to endogenous nucleic acids that are released during cell necrosis and/or apoptosis or are bound to antinuclear autoantibodies. pDCs secrete approximately 1,000 times more IFN $\alpha$  than any other cell type and are the primary source of this inflammatory mediator.

BDCA-2 is a C-type lectin exclusively expressed on the surface of human pDCs. BDCA-2 transmits intracellular signals through an associated transmembrane adaptor, the Fc $\epsilon$ R1g, and induces a B-cell receptor-like signaling

cascade which promotes the production of IFN-I and other chemicals, BDCA-2 receptor ligation by mAbs has been shown to inhibit TLR7- or TLR9-induced production of IFN-I and other pDC-derived pro-inflammatory mediators.

pDCs continued to be implicated in the development and progression of both SSc and SLE/CLE. pDCs infiltrate the skin of these patients and are chronically activated, leading to the secretion of IFN $\alpha$  and other inflammatory mediators that are hallmarks of the disease. Several studies on IFN inducible chemokines in SSc and the report on CXCL4 as a biomarker of SSc build on the role of IFN in the progression and early phases of SSc as well as SLE/CLE. In fact, the IFN signature is present before the onset of clinical fibrosis and provides a strong rationale for the use of an anti-BDCA-2 treatment approach in SSc.

Importantly, the therapeutic potential of an anti-BDCA-2 antibody (BIIB059) has been observed in Phase 2a studies in SLE and CLE.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

The global SSc market is mainly driven by the off-label use of drugs approved for its symptomatic indications, such as rheumatoid arthritis. Lack of curative therapies and high prevalence of off-label drug use are underlying factors spurring interest in this rare disease market. The global SSc therapeutics market size was valued at approximately \$1.6 billion in 2018 and is estimated to expand at a compound annual growth rate of 6.0% from 2019 to 2026.

With respect to drug class, the SSc market is segmented into immunosuppressors, phosphodiesterase 5 inhibitors, endothelin receptor antagonists, prostacyclin analogues, calcium channel blockers, analgesics and others. Without a curative therapy for this disease, an expansive range of drug classes are prescribed to provide symptomatic relief, with immunosuppressants holding prominence. Two newer therapies include Lenabasum and OFEV<sup>®</sup>.

The global SLE market size is expected to reach approximately \$3.1 billion by 2025, representing a CAGR of 7.0%. The main competitor in SLE is Biogen's anti-BDCA-2 mAb BIIB059, which has shown promise in Phase 2 clinical trials for both SLE and CLE. Another pDC targeting mAb VIB7734 is in development by Viela Bio as a pDC-depleting agent. Early Phase 1b data suggest that this antibody may be less efficacious in CLE compared to BIIB059. Additionally, AstraZeneca is developing anifrolumab, an anti-type I interferon receptor subunit 1 antibody that has completed a Phase III trial in moderate to severe SLE. Benlysta is a human monoclonal antibody developed by GSK that binds to B cell activating factor. Benlysta was approved to treat lupus in 2011 and is the first drug approved for this disease in the last 50 years. In 2020, Benlysta was approved for the treatment of lupus nephritis. New therapies are needed for those patients who only see marginal benefit with Benlysta treatment, and the SLE market remains open for future competition. Anifrolumab, an anti-IFNAR mAb marketed by AstraZeneca, leads the next generation of these potential SLE treatments.

#### *Our Product Candidate*

CBS004 is our preclinical humanized IgG1 monoclonal antibody targeting the pDC-specific cell surface protein BDCA-2. By targeting BDCA-2, CBS004 inhibits intracellular signaling through an associated transmembrane adaptor, the Fc $\epsilon$ R1g, and subsequently inhibits TLR7- or TLR9-induced production of IFN-I and other pDC-derived pro-inflammatory mediators.

CBS004 is a stable mAb with a higher potency than BIIB059 and can be formulated to 100mg/ml for subcutaneous administration. We believe that the long half-life of CBS004 in NHP of approximately 16 days supports a once a month dosing schedule at the minimum. Capella Bioscience seeks to develop CBS004 in SSc, with potential evaluation in SLE and CLE as well.

Preclinical Data

We have evaluated the effects of antibody-mediated BDCA2 internalization in preclinical models of pDC driven skin inflammation and fibrosis *in vitro* and *in vivo*. First, we developed a humanized monoclonal IgG1 antibody, CBS004, which specifically binds to BDCA2 with high affinity without hindering cell viability. CBS004 suppressed Toll-like Receptor (TLR)-9 induced IFN $\alpha$  secretion by peripheral blood mononuclear cell (PBMC) from both healthy volunteers and SSc patients. Additionally, CBS004 completely reversed TLR-signaling induced transcriptome of pDC, including activation of JAK/STAT, IL-6 and NF- $\kappa$ B pathways. Consistent with these findings, supernatants from TLR-stimulated human pDC treated with CBS004 failed to induce IFN stimulated gene expression in human keratinocytes and fibroblasts from organotypic 3D human skin cultures. We have generated data in two *in vivo* models in mice with CBS004. Firstly, a CLE like model, in which human pDC are injected into an immunocompromised mouse combined with topical Aldara (which acts as an immune response modifier) and secondly, a skin fibrosis model (human pDC plus bleomycin). In both of these models CBS004 decreased disease burden to control levels, indicating that CBS004 is a viable therapeutic approach for targeting both CLE and tissue fibrosis in SSc.

CBS004 appears to inhibit TLR9 induced IFN from pDC derived from healthy controls and SSc patients.

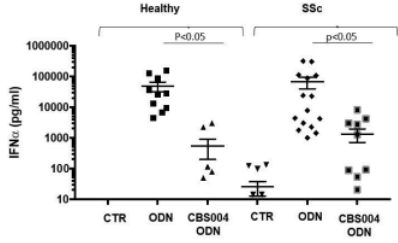
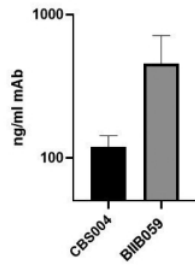


Figure 34: Activity of CBS004 on IFN $\alpha$  release.

The figure above illustrates PBMC from healthy or SSc patients are incubated overnight at 37C with 1uM ODN, a TLR9 agonist, in the absence or presence of CBS004 at the 10ug/ml concentration, and the IFN $\alpha$  released as measured by ELISA.

We have also observed in preclinical development that CBS004 inhibited TLR stimulated IFN release to a greater extent than the competitor mAb B1B059 from Biogen.

**IC90 IFN alpha inhibition in pDC (n=8)**



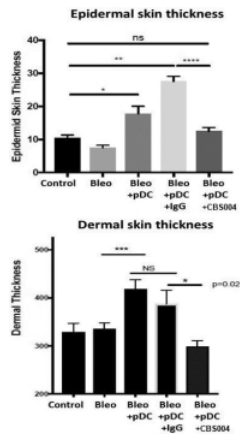
**Figure 35: Comparative activity of CBS004 against BIIB059 antibody.**

In figure 35, PBMC from healthy patients are incubated overnight at 37C with 1uM of a TLR9 agonist in the presence of CBS004 or BIIB059 and the IFN $\alpha$  released measured by ELISA.

We are the first to demonstrate that pDC enhanced skin fibrosis in a bleomycin induced mouse model and we have shown that CBS004 reduced dermal and epidermal skin thickness induced by pDC back to control levels. In addition, CBS004 inhibited collagen accumulation and TGF $\beta$  message. Transforming growth factor- $\beta$  (TGF $\beta$ ) is the primary factor that drives fibrosis and is often called the master regulator of fibrosis.

*Mouse model of pDC induced fibrosis*





**Figure 36: CBS004 significantly reduced skin thickness induced by pDC and bleomycin back to control levels.**

In the above figures severe combined immunodeficient mice were utilized between four to eight weeks of age. Bleomycin at 200 µg/ml in PBS was injected subcutaneously into a single location on the shaved back of mice once every other day for 3 weeks. Mice received  $2.5 \times 10^5$  human pDC i.v. on day 0, 7 and 14 following the first bleomycin injection. CBS004 or human IgG control (5mg/kg) were injected i.p. every 5 days starting 24 hours prior to the first bleomycin injection. Treated skin was collected using a 3 mm punch biopsy and processed for haematoxylin and eosin and masson trichrome staining. 20 areas of Epidermis and dermal thickness were measured in order to get a large representation of skin thickness changes with different treatment regimens in the skin fibrosis model. An additional punch biopsy was taken and used to extract protein. These readings were then averaged and determined that CBS004 reduced both dermal and epidermal changes back to control levels.

NHP studies have shown that CBS004 has a half-life of 16 days and caused internalization of BDCA-2 for up to 35 days.

#### *Development Plan*

We initiated the CMC process for CBS004 in the fourth quarter of 2020 and we expect to submit an IND in mid-to-late 2022. We plan to initiate pre-formulation studies from early pooled material with a final study utilizing material purified from the lead cell line with the final purification process. These efforts focus on identifying a formulation that can support subcutaneous administration, for which initial data already support a 100 mg/mL formulation. We have formed a clinical advisory board comprised of leading clinicians from around the world in order to assist us with the design of both the scleroderma and SLE clinical trials.

#### **LockBody Therapeutics Ltd**

##### *Introduction*

LockBody Therapeutics Ltd (LockBody) aims to develop novel therapeutics based on its platform technology that is designed to selectively drive CD47 or CD3 activity while avoiding systemic toxicity. As compared to the

mechanism of bispecific antibodies, LockBody technology is monospecific until activated, and thereby is intended to address the classical limitations of bispecific antibodies by locking the cell-killing mechanism of action, such as CD47 or CD3, beneath a well-tolerated tumor targeting arm such as Her2 or PD-L1. LockBody seeks to leverage its technology to generate lead compounds with novel mechanisms of action to address solid tumors, which previously have not been addressed by CD47 or CD3-targeting therapies and are resistant to current standard of care. LockBody is currently conducting preclinical evaluation and cell line development for its first asset, targeting CD47, designated LB1, and lead optimization for its second asset, which targets CD3, designated LB2. In parallel, LockBody has been pursuing Her2/CD47 and PD-L1/CD47 molecules, such that we plan to submit an IND in mid-to-late 2022 for the LB1 program.

We believe that the LockBody team is strongly positioned to advance its programs through development. The LockBody team, consisting of Jonny Finlay, Jamie Coleman and Kevin Johnson, collectively has decades of combined experience in disease biology, biologics discovery and molecular engineering of therapeutics in fields including oncology and immunology, having held research leadership positions in government, academia, biotech and pharma. As a senior biologics R&D leader in pharma, Jonny Finlay developed in-depth understanding of the limitations of current antibody-based platforms for solid tumor therapy. The desire to ameliorate these limitations and to greatly improve the performance of modalities employing tumor cell-killing mechanisms, led to the creation of the LockBody technology.

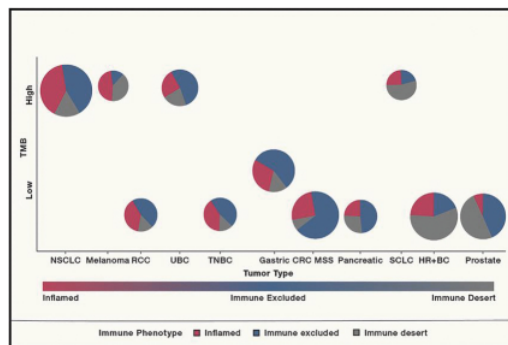
#### *Disease Overview*

Cancer is the abnormal growth of cells and can take on many forms and affect patients in many ways. Cancers present in bodily fluids, such as lymphomas and leukemias, are examples of liquid tumors. Solid tumors are masses of tissue that do not contain any liquid or cysts, and include sarcomas and carcinomas. Tumors are sometimes described as being “hot,” meaning that they have been infiltrated by the body’s T-cells, a part of the body’s immune system. For this reason, hot tumors typically respond to immunotherapy treatment using checkpoint inhibitors to mobilize the T-cells’ response to kill tumor cells. In contrast, “cold” tumors have not been infiltrated with T-cells and, as a result, immunotherapy drugs have limited effect on these tumors.

According to the International Agency for Research on Cancer and the WHO, the global solid tumor burden has increased to an estimated 19 million new cases and up to ten million deaths per year. According to the American Cancer Society, in the U.S. alone, there are an estimated 1.6 million new cases and over 500,000 solid tumor deaths annually.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

The current generation of approved therapies targeting solid tumors have been safe and well-tolerated. However, while the established standard of care for solid tumors is improving, it remains incapable of treating the majority of patients effectively. Modern immunotherapies, including the checkpoint inhibitors which target the PD1/PD-L1 pathway, are only effective in a minority of patients. The illustration below shows the proportions of patients in different key indications, that current immunotherapies are able to address.



**Figure 37: The majority of solid tumors tested are found to fit the ‘cold’ phenotype (Immune Excluded or Immune Desert) and not ‘hot’ (Inflamed), even when the Tumor Mutation Burden (TMB) is high. The ‘cold’ tumor class is found to be poorly responsive to current IO standard of care.**

Immunotherapy success is most often seen in the minority of “hot” tumors. The majority of solid tumors, however, are “cold”, where no clear underlying immune response to the tumor exists. Alternative approaches to immune oncology (IO) standard of care, with improved therapeutic index in treating solid tumors, remain an area of major unmet need. To address this need, we have developed the LockBody platform and lead molecules to engage CD47 or CD3 targeting selectively, in the tumor environment.

The LB1 and LB2 molecules, when administered as monotherapy, are designed to address multiple indications where current IO standard of care is ineffective. LockBody is also utilizing the modular and reproducible nature of its platform to develop a portfolio of innovative and differentiated clinical candidates.

We are aware of several programs under development by biopharmaceutical companies in our industry as potential treatments for solid tumors. These include Gilead, developing CD47 IgG combinations, AlxOncology, developing SIRP receptor-Fc fusion + IgG combinations, Light Chain Bioscience, developing CD47 bispecific antibodies, Innovent, developing a PD-L1/CD47 bispecific, Harpoon, developing activatable CD3 bispecifics, Maverick, developing activatable CD3 bispecifics, Amunix, developing activatable CD3 bispecifics and CytomX, developing activatable CD3 bispecifics.

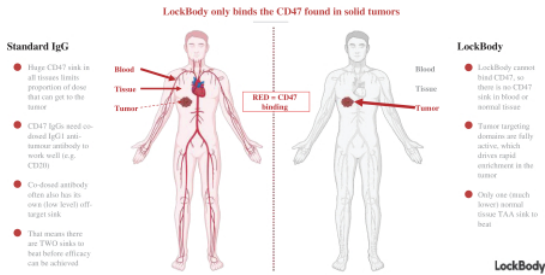
#### *Our Product Candidates*

Many potential drug targets have been described that are hypothetically addressable via antibodies, but very few are exclusively expressed in diseased tissue. In addition, many drug mechanisms of action employed in challenging areas of therapy such as cancer employ extremely potent cell-killing mechanisms of action. As a result, engagement of the target in non-diseased tissue often causes unwanted side effects. This off-tumor target expression often also leads to antigen ‘sink’ effects where large doses of the antibody must be given to ensure sufficient antibody penetrates the tumor to have a therapeutic effect. One such example is the class of antibodies that target the antigen CD47. The therapeutic potential of this target, coupled with the frustrating realities surrounding its pharmacology, inspired the development of the LockBody platform.

The LockBody platform was designed on the basis of the principal of ‘radical simplicity’. This holistic approach to molecular design led to the creation of a reproducible format that exhibits simple IgG-like expression and

purification, high stability and solubility. This overcomes the severe reproducibility issues that are frequently observed for more complex molecular formats.

Historically, the use of CD47 binding agents to target solid tumors has been limited by certain intrinsic challenges. Such challenges include a “sink” effect produced by high expression of CD47 in the bloodstream and solid tissues in the body that may necessitate the administration of frequent, large initial doses to achieve therapeutic efficacy. In addition, the binding of blood cells by anti-CD47 also presents a significant toxicity risk, which precludes the use of strongly pro-phagocytic antibody isotopes. As a result, CD47 agents commonly exhibit modest monotherapy activity and require the addition of further pro-phagocytic therapies. Finally, the tumor is typically a ‘hostile’ environment with high expression rates of proteolytic enzymes such as MMPs and Cathepsins which can directly accelerate IgG degradation. These factors collectively limit the potential safety and efficacy of anti-CD47 antibodies and many other types of anti-tumor target antibodies where target expression is not limited solely to the tumor environment. LockBody CD47 agents are designed to directly address these issues by bypassing the CD47 sink, minimizing peripheral toxicity and driving maximal CD47 blocking activity into the tumor.

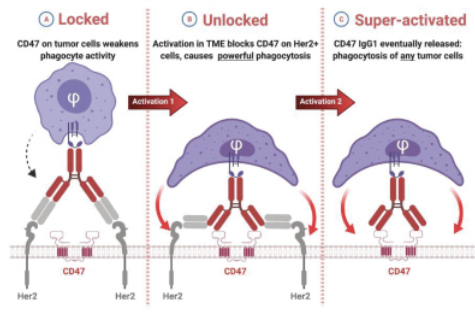


**Figure 38: The intrinsic challenges of using CD47 binding agents (antibodies and receptor-Fc fusions) and how they are intended to be addressed by LockBody**

*LockBody CD47 under development for optimal targeting of solid tumors by the innate immune system*

We believe agents that antagonize CD47 signaling by tumor cells hold great promise as potential therapies to treat both hot and cold tumors. CD47 is now an elucidated IO target in humans, but so far this promise has only been realized in blood cancers. Importantly, CD47 is broadly over-expressed and associated with poorer survival outcomes in many key solid tumor indications such as breast, NSCLC, colorectal, gastric, hepatic, renal and HNSCC cancers. These indications make up the majority of all solid tumor cases. CD47 upregulation in the tumor environment acts as a powerful checkpoint inhibitor which inhibits the potential tumor cell-killing functions of myeloid cells and NK cells. As such it is often known as the ‘Don’t eat me’ signal. Therapies which effectively block this signal while also adding a powerful ‘Eat me signal’ have the potential to stimulate potent and durable immune responses against solid tumors.

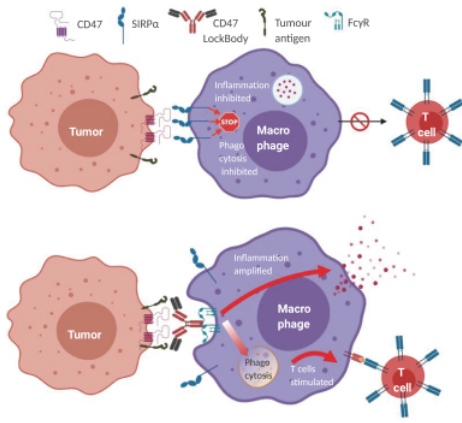




**Figure 39: LockBody design principles and progression and ‘Double-unlocking system’: Her2/CD47 example.**

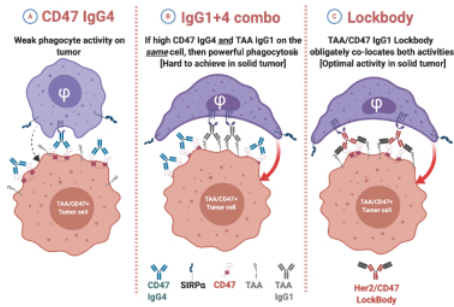
As illustrated in Figure 39 above, a poorly tolerated mechanism of action such as CD47 (or CD3) is locked behind a well-tolerated targeting domain such as Her2, C-MET, EpCAM, etc. In the example above, Her2 domains direct enrichment in Her2+ solid tumors. (A) When locked, CD47 binding is fully ablated and LockBody acts like a standard Her2 IgG1, driving weak attack on endogenous tissues, due to CD47 suppression of innate immune cell function. (B) In the tumor microenvironment, LockBody is first unlocked by MMP and/or Cathepsin proteolysis, thereby allowing potent CD47 blockade and potent innate immune cell induction. (C) Uniquely, LockBody then undergoes a second unlocking and progresses into a ‘super-activated’ state where the CD47 function is free to act locally on Her2 high, Her2 low and Her2 negative cells. The modular nature of LockBody construction delivers endless optionality, where both TAA specificity and/or locked mechanism of action can be changed at will.

As CD47 agents must be combined with well-tolerated IgG1 antibodies that bind well expressed TAA anyway, LockBody reasoned that an optimal single agent would combine TAA targeting, potent CD47 blockade and would have a fully functional IgG1 Fc region, as illustrated in the figure below. In cancers, CD47 signaling through SIRP $\alpha$  can inhibit the ADCC, ADCP, inflammatory and antigen presenting functions of innate immune cells such as macrophages, dendritic cells, neutrophils, monocytes and NK cells. As a result, high CD47 expression limits tumor visibility to the adaptive immune system and minimizes T-cell education. The LockBody CD47 design principle combines high affinity TAA binding, in order to drive tumor enrichment, with potent CD47 blocking potential, once unlocked, and powerful immune activation capacity of human IgG1 isotype. LockBody believes this combination of capacities has the potential to drive potent direct tumor cell killing by innate immune cells, maximal antigen presentation and education of the adaptive immune system, and strong pro-inflammatory signaling to recruit further immune cell infiltration and attack on the solid tumor mass.



**Figure 40: LockBody technology is designed to combine optimal factors for CD47 targeting into a single agent**

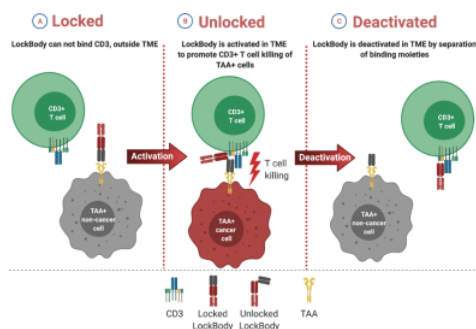
LockBody is also designed to ameliorate a further critical limitation on the function of classical low-effector CD47 antibodies. To be fully effective, the low effector function, such as IgG4, CD47 blocking agent and high effector function IgG1 must be co-located on the same tumor cell surface at sufficient density to both effectively block CD47 AND present enough human IgG1 Fc to drive potent activity. LockBody believes that sinks, biodistribution limitations in the solid tumor environment, the complex pharmacology of having two agents with radically differing pharmacokinetics, different dosing schedules and cumulative toxicities all make this very difficult to achieve in practice. The LockBody technology, in contrast, is designed to enrich all functions on the same cell surface.



**Figure 41: LockBody ameliorates 'the colocation conundrum'**

### LockBody CD3 under development for targeting of solid tumors by the innate immune system

Having created the CD47 LockBody, we recognized that this same principle could be productively applied to CD3 ligating tumor targeting agents. Bispecific antibodies that bind to a TAA and recruit killer t-cells via a constitutively active CD3 binding arm have also been used successfully in hematological cancers, leading to the approved product blinatumomab. Similar to CD47 agents however, they suffer from poor biodistribution (TAA sink, plus large secondary lymphoid CD3+ cell sink), toxicity driven by on target/off tumor activity and/or on tumor activity, coupled with excessive potency (cytokine storm). These factors have resulted in a paucity of positive outcomes in solid tumor clinical trials. To address all of these issues in a single agent, we have extended the LockBody design principle to create a 'monovalent' version, with CD3 as the locked mechanism of action. Lead molecules in this program are in the lead optimization phase.



**Figure 42: LockBody CD3 design principles and 'Unlocking-deactivating system'.**

As illustrated in the figure above, CD3 is locked behind a well-tolerated targeting domain, with an effector null Fc domain, in a monovalent format. (A) When locked, CD3 LockBody CD3 can bind TAA+ non-cancer cells but does not engage CD3. (B) In the tumor microenvironment, LockBody is gradually unlocked by MMP and/or Cathepsin proteolysis, thereby allowing potent CD3 recruitment and potent T cell mediated killing. (C) LockBody CD3 then progressively becomes de-activated, minimizing risk of activated CD3 escaping into the non-diseased tissue.

#### Preclinical Data

##### *In vitro data*

Having initially observed that LockBody CD47 molecules were well expressed, soluble, stable and had mAb-like development characteristics, LockBody demonstrated that the *in vitro* function of the purified proteins supported the hypotheses outlined above.

##### Target interaction measurements

Purified Her2/CD47 LockBody was tested in locked and unlocked (activated using MMP12) forms using high-sensitivity Biacore technology. In this analysis, the locked form exhibited no measurable binding to CD47 protein, while the unlocked form demonstrated clear, high-affinity, concentration-dependent binding.

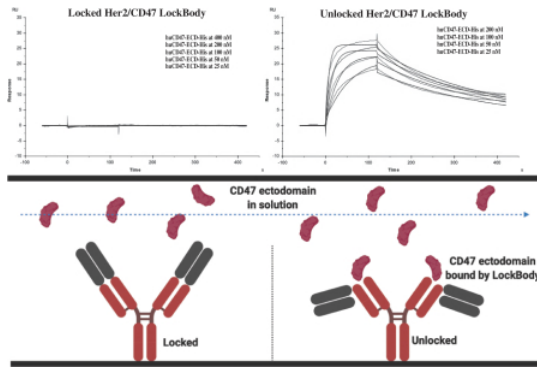


Figure 43: Her2/CD47 LockBody applied in Biacore in both locked and unlocked states were analyzed for the ability to bind human CD47 at concentrations ranging from 25 up to 400nM.

Her2/CD47 LockBody was also tested extensively in binding to CD47+, Her2- cells such as erythrocytes. These analyses demonstrated that neither the locked molecule nor Trastuzumab has ability to drive hemagglutination and neither agent shows measurable binding signal for erythrocytes in flow cytometry. Importantly, however, the IgG1 version of the CD47 antibody used in the LockBody exhibited strong erythrocyte binding.

*Potency in locked and unlocked states*

Her2/CD47 LockBody has been tested in phagocytosis of Her2<sup>hi</sup>/CD47<sup>hi</sup> (BT474) and Her2<sup>low</sup>/CD47<sup>hi</sup> (MCF-7) cells by primary human macrophages. These analyses demonstrated that the locked Her2/CD47 LockBody and Trastuzumab are functionally equivalent, driving only weak phagocytosis of BT474 and none for MCF-7. The unlocked Her2/CD47 LockBody drove potent, concentration-dependent phagocytosis that was equivalent to CD47 IgG4 on MCF-7 cells and significantly more potent on BT474.

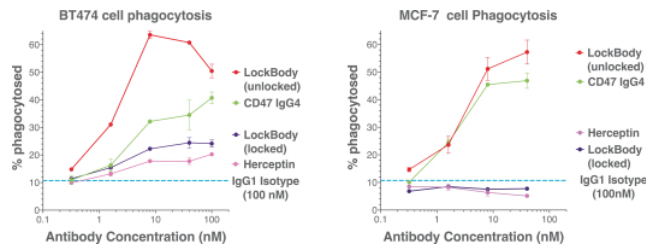
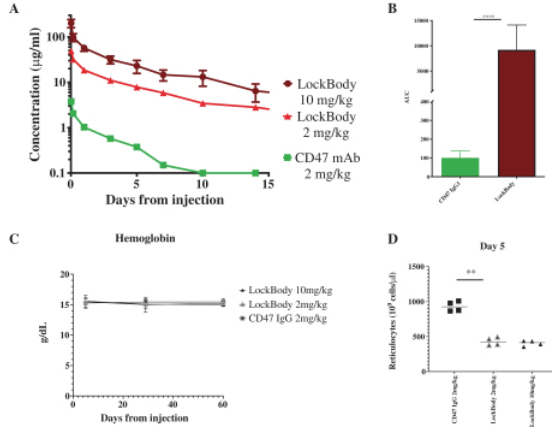


Figure 44: Primary human macrophage phagocytosis of BT474 and MCF-7 cells by Her2/CD47 locked and unlocked LockBodies, CD47 IgG4, Herceptin and IgG1 Isotype.

*In vivo data*

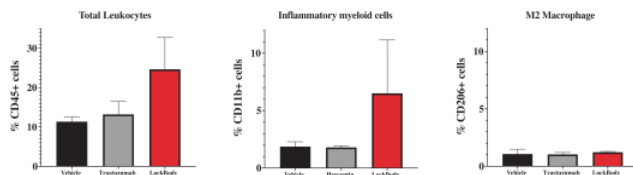
As *in vitro* analyses had suggested that the Her2/CD47 LockBody was stable, soluble and lacked binding to CD47+ cells in its locked form, we performed *in vivo* pharmacokinetic and tolerability studies in mice (note: the CD47 antibody in the LockBody is human/cyno/mouse cross-reactive and binds mouse erythrocytes strongly). To perform this study, we chose transgenic ‘TG32’ mice from Jackson laboratories (which express human FcRn) as these mice are associated with PK behavior for human antibodies that is more predictive of what happens in man than wild type mice. As the presence of human FcRn leads to lengthened exposure for human antibodies in the mouse, we reasoned that if the LockBody was unstable *in vivo* (in either plasma or tissue), it would A) cause hematological toxicity signals associated with CD47 antibodies such as anemia, and B) exhibit rapid clearance, which is also associated with CD47 antibodies. The Her2/CD47 LockBody and CD47 IgG1 (containing the same CD47 binding domain sequences as found in the LockBody) were dosed at 2 and 10 mg/kg. The 10 mg/kg dose of the CD47 IgG1 was not tolerated, while 2 mg/kg dose was tolerated but exhibited extremely rapid target-mediated clearance. The LockBody 10 mg/kg dose was generally well tolerated, as was the 2 mg/kg dose and both doses generated long, linear distribution with no evidence of target-mediated clearance. This led to a dramatic improvement in potential area under the curve (AUC) for LockBody over the CD47 IgG1. None of the tolerated doses led to significant drops in hemoglobin values, but the 2mg/kg dose of CD47 IgG1 did exhibit classical erythrocyte clearance indicators, such as elevated reticulocyte levels. These data demonstrated that the Her2/CD47 LockBody was generally well tolerated and stable *in vivo*, with antibody-like PK.



**Figure 45:** ‘TG32’ transgenic mouse (human FcRn) pharmacokinetics (A), exposure (B), hemoglobin levels (C) and day 5 reticulocyte levels (D) for Her2/CD47 LockBody at 2 and 10 mg/kg, and CD47 IgG1 at 2 mg/kg (10mg/kg dose not tolerated).

As PK and single-dose tolerability studies had been successful for Her2/CD47 LockBody, initial pharmacodynamic (PD) analyses were performed in NOD-SCID mice bearing established xenograft tumors generated from gastric cancer cell lines known to express both Her2 and CD47 targets. After 4 doses of vehicle, Trastuzumab or Her2/CD47 LockBody, again, no tolerability issues were observed, and mice did not develop anemia in any dosing group. Tumor samples were taken and used to perform immunohistochemistry analyses examining immune

infiltrates. The quantification of immune cell types demonstrated that the Her2/CD47 LockBody could induce increased total CD45+ leukocyte infiltration and increased CD11b+ inflammatory myeloid cell infiltration, when compared to both vehicle and Trastuzumab. Importantly, no increases were observed for CD206+ anti-inflammatory 'M2' type macrophage. This data demonstrated that the Her2/CD47 LockBody was generally well tolerated and stable *in vivo*, over multiple doses, but drove pro-inflammatory infiltration effects that were not observed for Trastuzumab when dosed head-to-head at equimolar concentrations. We believe this is evidence that the LockBody protein remains locked in the periphery but becomes unlocked in the tumor environment.



**Figure 46: Tumor-infiltrating immune cell numbers (% total cells) in gastric cancer models in NOD-SCID mice.**

#### Development Plan

LockBody is currently conducting IND-enabling activities for its programs, including preclinical evaluation and cell line development for LB1 and lead optimization and development for LB2. LockBody expects to submit an IND for LB1 in mid-to-late 2022. Subject to feedback from regulatory authorities, LockBody intends to commence its planned Phase 1 clinical trial for LB1 in mid-to-late 2022.

#### Orexia Therapeutics Limited

##### Introduction

Orexia Therapeutics Limited (Orexia) was created with a mission to develop innovative medicines that activate the orexin neurotransmitter system in the brain, a clinically elucidated target, with a focus on the treatment of narcolepsy and other neurological disorders. Orexia's co-founders include Medicxi and Sosei Heptares, a leading biopharmaceutical drug discovery and development company with proprietary structure-based drug design (SBDD) technology for G protein-coupled receptor (GPCR) targets including the orexin receptors. Orexia initially seeks to expand treatment options for patients with narcolepsy type 1 (NT1), which is a chronic rare disease with high unmet medical need. Orexia is advancing an oral orexin agonist program for NT1, which we believe may offer improved tolerability and activity as compared to current therapies for NT1, as well as a novel orexin agonist approach for intranasal administration.

We believe that introduction of orexin agonists as novel therapeutics will represent a disruptive approach in the treatment of NT1 because orexin agonists, unlike any current marketed treatments, have the potential to directly address the underlying pathology of the disorder, which is the profound loss of orexinergic neurons. Orexia's exclusive collaboration with Sosei Heptares in the orexin agonist area provides access to unique structural biology technology coupled with SBDD, currently applied to the identification and optimization of molecules towards clinical candidates. The therapeutic potential for orexin agonists extends beyond NT1 into other rare primary hypersomnia disorders such as narcolepsy type 2 and idiopathic hypersomnia, and into a broad range of other indications characterized by excessive daytime sleepiness.

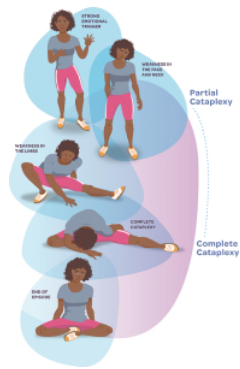
The Orexia team, which has been intensely focused on the discovery and development of orexin agonists and therapeutics targeting the Orexin Receptor-2 GPCR, provides differentiated leadership to advance Orexia's

programs through development. Orexia's Chief Executive Officer, Mario Alberto Accardi, Ph.D., who has a background in life sciences venture capital and has led the company since formation, co-founded Orexia based on the idea of leveraging novel structural biology approaches for the orexin receptors to help underserved NT1 patients benefit from potential best-in-class orexin agonists. Deborah Hartman, Ph.D., Orexia's Chief Scientific Officer, has advanced two orexin agonist molecules into the first clinical studies in NT1 and multiple other indications as the Global Program Lead at Takeda Pharmaceuticals, and she is now leading the orexin agonist drug development program at Orexia. Orexia's Head of Biology, Sarah (Sally) Wurts Black, Ph.D., led the *in vivo* effort for the orexin receptor modulator program at Reset Therapeutics based on her experience developing preclinical NT1 models and sleep/wake bioassays at Stanford University and SRI International. The Orexia team also has significant medicinal chemistry and computational chemistry experience on GPCR agonists which complements its unique orexin expertise. Dr. Emiliangelo Ratti, the former head of the Takeda Neuroscience Therapy Area which advanced the first orexin agonist clinical development program, is R&D Strategic Advisor to our programs.

#### *Disease Overview*

Narcolepsy is a lifelong, chronic neurologic disorder that affects the brain's ability to regulate the normal sleep-wake cycle. Narcolepsy is a chronic rare and debilitating disorder that is estimated to affect over 150,000 people in the United States and over three million people worldwide. It is estimated that less than 50% of affected patients are diagnosed. Narcolepsy symptoms usually start between 7-25 years of age, and diagnostic delays of 8-12 years are common.

NT1 affects approximately 50% of all narcolepsy patients, and is characterized by a diverse set of symptoms that include excessive daytime sleepiness (EDS), sleep paralysis, hallucinations upon waking up or falling asleep, disturbed nighttime sleep, and cataplexy, a sudden transient loss of muscle tone usually triggered by strong emotions. Cataplexy events are characterized as 'partial cataplexy' which produce muscle weakness in particular areas of the body such as the face, neck, or limbs, or 'complete cataplexy' which results in a full body collapse (see Figure 46). Even in the case of a full body collapse, the individual remains fully awake and aware of their surroundings but is unable to move. Cataplexy events usually resolve within several minutes, and the individual regains full control of their muscles. Impaired attention, vigilance, and ability to focus are also commonly reported as symptoms. For some individuals with NT1, related symptoms such as insomnia, weight gain, mood fluctuations and depression can have a significant debilitating impact on their lives. Narcolepsy can also occur without cataplexy which is referred to as narcolepsy type 2 (NT2). The NT2 population is more heterogeneous than NT1 and is associated with partial loss of orexin in approximately 30% of individuals. Some individuals with NT2 progress over time to a diagnosis of NT1, with the onset of cataplexy and greater loss of orexin.



**Figure 47: Illustration of cataplexy events associated with Narcolepsy Type 1.**

NT1 is caused by the profound loss of orexin-producing neurons. Orexin, also known as 'hypocretin', is a key regulator of wakefulness and rapid eye movement (REM) sleep, and has been implicated in metabolism, behavioral arousal, and mood. We believe orexin agonists have the potential to treat a wide range of neurological disorders characterized by excessive daytime sleepiness, which are inadequately treated today, most notably NT1.

Orexia's orexin agonist program provides a potential 'replacement therapy approach' that could constitute a new paradigm in the treatment of NT1 by restoring orexin neurotransmission in the brain, and ultimately, addressing a broader range of NT1 symptoms than current therapies. Data from the first clinical studies evaluating an orexin agonist have been reported recently by Takeda, which demonstrated a statistically significant reduction of daytime sleepiness in individuals with NT1 and NT2, as well as enhanced wakefulness in sleep-deprived healthy adults. We believe these results suggest that orexin agonists may also have therapeutic potential in indications where patients are symptomatic despite normal orexin levels, or where there is only partial loss of orexin. In these studies TAK-925 was administered as a nine-hour continuous infusion, however Takeda has now also progressed an oral OX2R agonist, TAK-994, into Phase 2 studies. Orexia plans to explore orexin agonists in a wide range of disorders and neurodegenerative diseases, which may provide opportunities to address indications beyond NT1.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

Sales for narcolepsy treatments in the U.S. totaled approximately \$1.8 billion in 2019, a figure which is expected to grow through investments in physician education and patient awareness that may lead to earlier and increased diagnosis rates, the introduction of innovative therapies with improved safety and efficacy profiles, and population growth.

While prevailing treatment approaches may address the symptoms of NT1, there are no currently approved therapies that address the loss of orexin, which is the underlying pathophysiology of the disorder. For NT1, the current treatment paradigm typically involves a polypharmacy approach to address EDS and cataplexy. There are currently eight medications approved for treatment of narcolepsy in the US which include traditional stimulants, wake-promoting agents, sodium oxybate and an antagonist/inverse agonist at histamine 3 (H3) receptors.



Three of these medications are approved for treatment of EDS and/or cataplexy in narcolepsy: WAKIX® (pitolisant), XYREM® (sodium oxybate), and XYWAV® (calcium oxybate; magnesium oxybate; potassium oxybate; sodium oxybate). Five additional medications are marketed for treatment of excessive sleepiness in narcolepsy: PROVIGIL® (modafinil); NUVIGIL® (armodafinil); RITALIN® (methylphenidate); ADDERALL® (amphetamine salts); and SUNOSI® (solriamfetol). All of these approved medications, except for WAKIX®, are scheduled as controlled substances. Other prescription drugs are used off-label for the treatment of either EDS or cataplexy in patients with narcolepsy, including stimulants for EDS and antidepressants for cataplexy. Some of the current therapies have significant side effects such as increased heart rate and blood pressure, or black box warnings due to the risk of respiratory depression, abuse and dependence, as well as the potential for rebound and withdrawal symptoms.

Despite the benefits of current treatments, these provide only moderate improvement in narcolepsy symptoms according to the American Academy of Sleep Medicine, and side effects may limit their use. Based on the overall benefit-risk assessment of current medications, the FDA Voice of the Patient report published in 2014 concluded that there is a continued need for additional effective and tolerable treatment options for patients with narcolepsy, and we believe that this unmet need persists today to a similar extent due to the lack of medications that treat the underlying orexin deficiency in NT1.

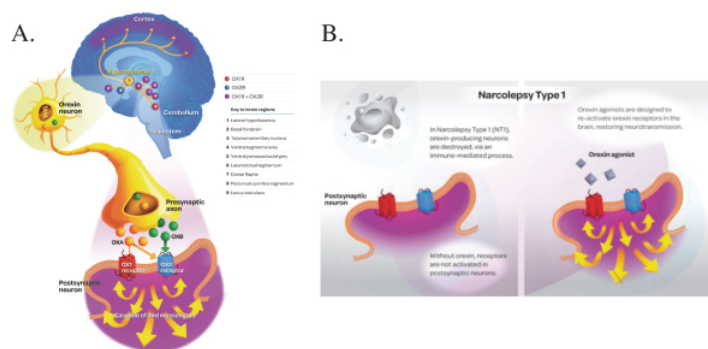
XYREM® (sodium oxybate, marketed by Jazz Pharmaceuticals plc) is a Schedule III controlled substance available only through a restricted access REMS program and which is currently marketed for the treatment of EDS or cataplexy symptoms in narcolepsy. Despite a black box warning, annual global sales for XYREM® reached \$1.6 billion in 2019. WAKIX® (pitolisant, marketed by Harmony Biosciences) was recently approved in the U.S. and certain European countries for treatment of narcolepsy (EDS and cataplexy), with total revenue for the third quarter of 2020 reported at \$45.6 million. The global narcolepsy drugs market size totaled approximately \$2.4 billion in 2018 and is expected to reach \$5.4 billion by 2026.

#### *Our Product Candidates*

Orexia is progressing two orexin agonist programs, one for orally administered treatments and the other for intranasally administered molecules, as novel treatments for NT1 with the potential to establish a new global standard of care. Intranasal administration may provide an additional option for patients, offering increased convenience and possibly faster onset of action. Orexia's lead molecules are designed to selectively target the Orexin Receptor-2 (OX2R). Both oral and intranasal programs are currently undergoing structure-based lead optimization to identify candidate molecules for clinical development.

Orexins, also known as 'hypocretins', are neuropeptides that regulate wakefulness and REM sleep. Orexin-A and Orexin-B, or hypocretin-1 and hypocretin-2, are two closely related orexin peptides that regulate the sleep-wake cycle and they project, or connect, to many regions of the brain including areas that control feeding, learning and memory, emotion and attention, metabolism and the endocrine system. Orexin peptides activate two orexin receptors, the Orexin Receptor-1 (OXR1) and OXR2. The orexin receptors have different and complementary distributions in the brain, suggesting they have distinct physiological roles acting through different neuronal pathways. Figure 2A below shows the orexin-producing neurons (yellow) located in the hypothalamus, which project to multiple regions throughout the brain. Orexin neurons release the neuropeptides Orexin-A and Orexin-B, which activate orexin receptors as indicated. The distribution of OXR1 and OXR2 is also illustrated. In NT1, the neurons that produce orexin (shown in yellow) are lost. Orexin agonists can potentially re-activate orexin receptors and restore orexin neurotransmission. Enhanced wakefulness has now been associated with OX2R agonist administration in individuals with NT1, in two clinical studies reported by Takeda Pharmaceuticals using TAK-925, providing clinical validation of the orexin hypothesis.

Orexin agonists have long been sought as the first therapeutic intervention that will directly address the underlying disease pathology of NT1, with the potential to re-activate orexin receptors which remain in the brain in postsynaptic neurons even after the loss of the natural orexin, as shown in Figure 48 below.



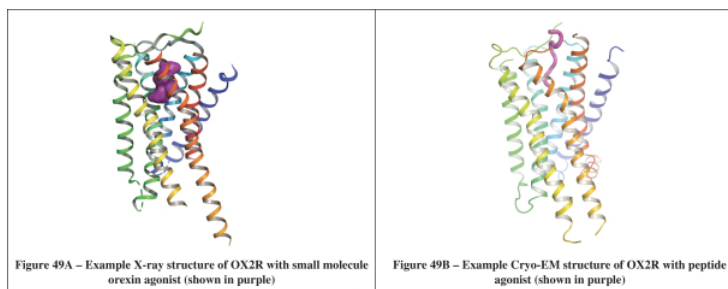
**Figure 48: Schematic representation of the orexin neurotransmitter system.**

In preclinical studies published or publicly disclosed by third parties, OX2R agonists enhanced wakefulness in both mice and non-human primates and reduced the frequency of cataplexy-like events in two different mouse models of NT1. The results from two Phase 1 clinical studies disclosed by a third party which evaluated a selective OX2R agonist, TAK-925, in individuals with NT1, showed substantial reductions in excessive daytime sleepiness as well as trends in reducing the frequency of cataplexy events. Additional TAK-925 results have been disclosed from a clinical study which demonstrated enhanced wakefulness in sleep deprived healthy volunteers, and from a study in individuals with NT2 which demonstrated reductions in excessive daytime sleepiness at somewhat higher doses than in NT1. The latter results provide clinical evidence that OX2R agonists can also enhance wakefulness in individuals with normal orexin levels, and therefore Orexia plans to evaluate OX2R agonists as potential therapeutic agents in disorders beyond NT1.

The orexin receptors are neuropeptide GPCRs in the central nervous system and therefore represent a particularly challenging target for drug discovery. Indeed, one of the key challenges for a small molecule orexin agonist program is the design of a brain penetrant, highly potent and selective structure that can mimic the precise binding and activating properties of the native peptide, which is approximately seven-fold larger in size than the average small molecule drug.

Orexia seeks to unlock the potential of the OX2R via an advanced understanding of the receptor's structure through stabilization of the OX2R GPCR protein. GPCRs are inherently unstable proteins when isolated from the cell membrane. Structural and biophysical characterization of protein-drug interactions, however, requires the expression and often purification of stable protein with an appropriate structural conformation. Through a collaboration with Sosei Heptares, Orexia has exclusive access to a stabilized OX2R GPCR protein, known as StaR, which has enabled the determination of three-dimensional structures via X-ray crystallography, Cryo-EM and Biophysical Mapping™. This is achieved by engineering a small number of single point mutations outside of the ligand-binding site that enable the protein to retain its organized structure even after it has been removed from the cell membrane. The resulting stabilized StaR protein is more robust than the corresponding "wild-type", or unmutated protein and can be readily purified for use in a variety of hit discovery and biophysical approaches.

By leveraging the StaR protein, Orexia has exclusive access to a number of high-resolution OX2R co-crystal structures with small molecules and peptides, as shown in the exemplar figures below, which have enabled the discovery and design of highly potent OX2R agonists through SBDD.



As part of its discovery efforts to support future innovation, Orexia has also collaborated with X-Chem, a pioneer of DNA-encoded chemical library (DEL), technology, to leverage its DEL platform to discover small molecule leads by screening hundreds of billions of novel lead-like small molecule compounds simultaneously. The collaboration resulted in the discovery of multiple novel hits, and it is the direct result of X-Chem screening its drug-like DNA-encoded libraries (DEX™) against the OX2R StaR® protein.

#### Preclinical Data

Orexia's OX2R agonists are being evaluated in preclinical mouse models of NT1 and are being designed with the aim to maximize benefit for reduced excessive daytime sleepiness and cataplexy, as well as potential reduction of additional symptoms, in individuals with NT1. Orexia is now in lead optimization phase with both oral and intranasal orexin agonist programs. Progress and selected preclinical results for each series are described below.

#### Oral Program

Orexia is in lead optimization phase with its first oral lead series, and has additional series under development. Our lead series is represented by an exemplar small molecule which showed agonist activity at the recombinant human OX2R overexpressed in CHO cells by calcium flux assay, as shown in the figure below.

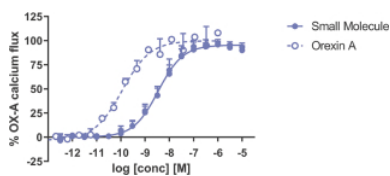
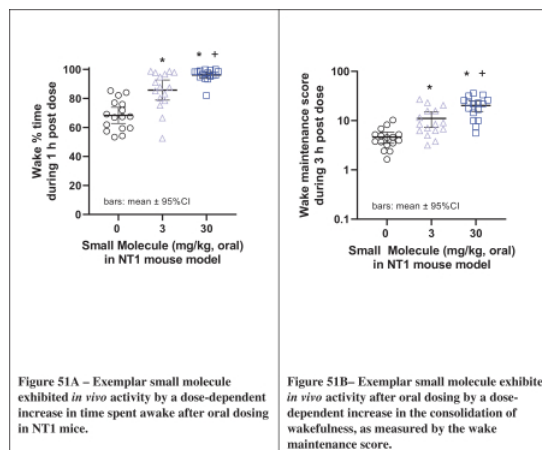


Figure 50: Exemplar Small Molecule *In vitro* OX2R functional profile. Agonist activity (Emax) was normalized to EC100 of natural peptide Orexin agonist Orexin-A (OX-A). Orexia's exemplar small molecule was observed to behave as a potent full agonist relative to OX-A.

Orexia's exemplar small molecule also showed dose dependent effects in increasing wakefulness in wild-type mice, and in the orexin/ataxin-3 narcolepsy model in which mice lose the ability to produce orexin, the latter of which is shown in Figures 51A and 51B below. Sleep/wake was measured using the PiezoSleep assay, a rapid, non-invasive method for classifying sleep and wakefulness by unsupervised machine learning on physiologically relevant readouts, such as body movement and breath rate. Piezoelectric detection is highly correlated with conventional time-intensive electroencephalogram/electromyography measures of sleep/wake states in both wild-type mice and in the narcolepsy mouse model with reference compounds. Orexia is currently optimizing metabolic stability, CNS penetration, and efflux parameters to identify potent, selective OX2R agonists for oral administration.



#### Intranasal Program

Orexia is also in lead optimization phase with proprietary peptide series and in addition, we are exploring an earlier stage intranasal small molecule series. In the intranasal peptide program, the key focus is on achieving high potency, good CNS penetration and good solubility to facilitate delivery of pharmacologically active doses to the nasal cavity in small dosing volumes. One of Orexia's peptide series is represented by an exemplar peptide which showed agonist activity in the calcium flux assay in CHO cells expressing recombinant human OX2R, as illustrated by Figure 52 below.

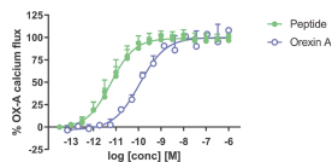
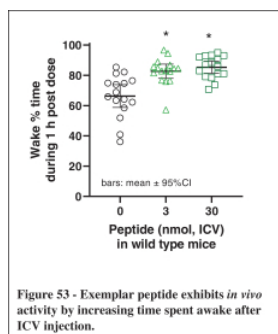


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Intracerebroventricular (ICV) drug administration consists of a direct injection of the drug into the brain. Several lead peptides were associated with increased wakefulness in wildtype mice when administered ICV, as shown in Figure 53 below for an exemplar peptide. Sleep/wake was measured using the PiezoSleep assay. These peptides and related molecules are currently being evaluated using an intranasal administration method in mice that promotes drug delivery to deep nasal cavities, to mimic the drug delivery mechanism in the Optinose device. Preliminary CMC work and a broad assessment of lead peptides is underway to evaluate brain penetration, formulation options, and *in vivo* activity following intranasal dosing.



To maximize the efficiency of intranasal delivery, Orexia has exclusively licensed Optinose's Bi-Directional Exhalation Delivery Systems, specifically for use with orexin agonists. The Optinose devices are designed to deliver drugs into the upper nasal passages with potential improvement as compared to traditional spray pumps and pressurized metered-dose aerosols.

#### Development Plan

Orexia's key objectives include aiming to select a number of promising molecules for broader profiling, to enable start of pre-IND work in mid-to-late 2022. Orexia plans to explore opportunities to apply its structural biology technology to provide further insights into the orexin receptor binding pocket, and to develop differentiated molecules designed to address potentially different target product profiles. Beyond NT1, Orexia intends to explore additional indications in which orexin agonism may yield therapeutical benefit.

#### Janpix Limited

##### Introduction

Janpix Limited (Janpix) is focused on discovering and developing a novel class of small molecule protein degrader therapeutics which are designed to covalently and selectively bind to target proteins and thereby degrading them. We believe that these monovalent small molecule protein degraders may have significant advantages over existing approaches, allowing therapies to target certain proteins that have been historically considered "un-druggable". Janpix is developing dual degraders of Signal Transducer and Activator of Transcription proteins 3 and 5, known as STAT3 and STAT5, for the treatment of hematological malignancies, including leukemias and lymphomas. While STAT5 has been historically more difficult to target partly due its inherent instability, to the best of our knowledge, Janpix is developing the most advanced molecules capable of targeting both STAT3 and STAT5.

In leukemias and lymphomas, STAT5 upregulation is believed to be a compensatory mechanism for STAT3 inhibition and vice versa. Thus, dual targeting of STAT3 and STAT5 may deprive the cancer cell of an escape mechanism, giving it less opportunity for generating resistance to Janpix's product candidates. This simultaneous knockout of both STAT3 and STAT5 differentiates the Janpix molecules from other approved or investigational therapies.

Janpix was founded by Patrick Gunning, Ph.D., a full professor of chemistry at the University of Toronto and Canada Research Chair in Medicinal Chemistry, and whose more than 15 years of research in the STAT field forms the scientific foundation of Janpix. Notably, Patrick's team was the first to resolve the structure of human STAT5 and its disease-driving mutant, STAT5N642H. Since its inception, Janpix has been led by Roman Fleck, Ph.D., whose 22 years of industry experience includes pharmaceutical drug development, venture capital investing, and leadership in biotech. Janpix has also recently assembled a clinical advisory board with world renowned heme-oncologists in order to help with selecting the best initial indications to advance its molecules into clinical development.

#### *Disease Overview*

Leukemia and lymphoma are two types of hematopoietic cancers, affecting an estimated 150,000 new patients in 2020 in the U.S. alone. Leukemia occurs when the bone marrow produces too many abnormal, non-functional white blood cells, eventually outcompeting normal white and red blood cells. Lymphoma disease affects the lymph nodes and lymphocytes, which are a type of white blood cell, ultimately causing immune dysregulation and immune cell infiltration which results in serious infections and respiratory failure, among others. Leukemia and lymphoma are classified depending on origin of the cancer cell and rate of growth.

Acute myeloid leukemia (AML) is one of the most common forms of leukemia, accounting for 33% of all new leukemia cases in 2020. Globally, the incidence rate of AML has increased gradually in the past 28 years from approximately 64,000 cases in 1990 to 120,000 cases in 2017, with an estimated 45,000 new cases of AML in the U.S. and E.U. combined in 2020. This incidence rate is expected to increase as secondary AML, which is AML resulting from cancer chemotherapy treatment, is significantly on the rise. AML is increasingly difficult to treat the older the patient is at diagnosis, with less than 10% of patients over 65 years surviving five years or longer. The overall survival rate for AML is poor, expected to be less than 28% overall. Other, rarer forms of leukemias such as T-cell Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia (T-ALL), T-cell Prolymphocytic Leukemia (T-PLL) and Large Granular Lymphocytic Leukemia (LGLL) may also benefit from STAT3/STAT5 inhibition. Janpix intends to develop a biomarker strategy to stratify patient populations considering this particular MOA. Janpix is also investigating the potential of its molecules on lymphomas where there is a strong scientific rationale for STAT degraders to work.

#### *Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

While AML has a relatively small market size compared to other leukemias such as chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), this is merely a reflection of the relative lack of viable treatment options currently available. As a result, we believe that newly approved drugs for AML are expected to significantly expand the market which is expected to grow from \$1.5 billion in 2019 to \$3.6 billion by 2027. In particular, in the elderly AML patient population, which is less likely to tolerate standard chemotherapy, a new effective treatment could capture a significant portion of that segment in the AML market.

Until recently, therapeutic options to treat AML have been limited primarily to cytotoxic chemotherapy drugs, many of which are now generic. Marginally better outcomes over the years were accomplished through improvements in supportive care and modifications to dosing and scheduling of existing drugs. However, since 2018, newly approved treatment options, including venetoclax (BCL-2), midostaurin (multikinase) and gilteritinib (FLT3-ITD) have become available, with the majority of new drugs targeting specific gene mutations and/or pivotal cell survival pathways. As a result, the market size for AML has been expanding significantly and is expected to further grow as more branded drugs become available.

Despite significant efforts to develop new drugs for the treatment of AML, each of the therapeutics currently approved in the U.S. conveys either significant side effects or may show a relatively short duration of response as treatment resistant cancer cell populations arise. As a result, while efficacy has been demonstrated for the currently approved drugs, overall survival rates for AML patients remain low, especially in the elderly, further underscoring a need to improve both long-term survival rates and the quality of life for patients undergoing treatment. Most patients undergoing treatment will relapse between 12-18 months. For younger patients, allogeneic cell transplant is a treatment option of last resort.

The market size for the rarer tumors, such as T-PLL and LGLL, is comparatively small given the lack of accepted standard of care in these indications. We believe the incidence rate for these rarer tumors is less than 1,000 new cases in U.S. each year. Nevertheless, such indications may offer more straightforward clinical development with smaller patient cohorts. If a treatment for such rare tumors becomes the standard of care we expect that such treatment may capture a large segment of this market.

In the protein degradation space, to our knowledge, there are no other disclosed STAT5 protein degrader programs. In the STAT3 degrader space, Oncopia Therapeutics (which is now a part of Roivant) and Kymera have recently developed a PROTAC class of compounds for degradation of STAT3 and such molecules are expected to enter clinical trials in the foreseeable future.

#### *Our Product Candidates*

In preclinical studies, Janpix's STAT3/5 degraders have been observed to demonstrate biological activity against a number of malignant diseases, including hematopoietic tumors. While STAT3-only inhibitors have been shown to be active in a variety of tumors, STAT5 as a target has been mainly well elucidated in hematopoietic malignancies and prostate cancer. For example, in BCR-ABL+ leukemias, a high pSTAT5 expression is a mechanism for Imatinib resistance in CML. Given the dual selectivity of our molecules, as well as the fact that STAT3 suppression has been observed to lead to STAT5 up-regulation and vice versa, we chose to first develop our compounds in leukemias and lymphomas. Specifically, blood cancers such as AML as well as T-ALL, T-PLL, and LGLL have emerged as indications where the Janpix compounds have demonstrated robust activity in preclinical and primary patient sample testing. Indications include FLT3-ITD signals through STAT5, STAT2, STAT3, and STAT4. STAT5 plays an essential role in T-PLL.

Janpix's initial program focuses on STAT cytosolic proteins, a family consisting of seven mammalian members, STAT1 through STAT4, STAT5A/B and STAT6. In particular, STAT3 and STAT5 play a key role in regulating cell cycle, apoptosis and proliferation, and their up-regulated activity is implicated in numerous malignant diseases. Aberrant STAT3 and STAT5 activity is widely recognized as a critical molecular abnormality and thus a master regulator of tumor processes, which we believe makes STAT proteins attractive targets. For example, several studies report the high incidence of hyperactivated STAT5 in AML and other hematopoietic cancers. Furthermore, it has been observed that inhibiting just one of the proteins, STAT3 or STAT5, may lead to up-regulation of the other protein providing an escape mechanism for the cell. These observations signal that targeting both proteins may be a more effective strategy compared to inhibiting or degrading either one.

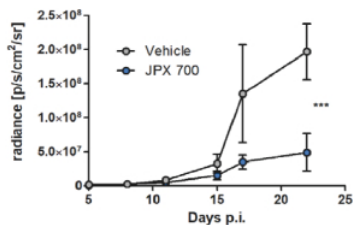
Janpix discovered that its molecules not only suppress STAT phosphorylation but may also conformationally destabilize and eventually degrade target protein, akin to proteolysis targeting chimera (PROTAC). Janpix's molecules are differentiated in their smaller size and more drug-like properties, and do not depend on an enzymatic cascade to achieve protein degradation. Removing the functional protein instead of simply disrupting protein phosphorylation, like an upstream JAK-kinase inhibitor would, is expected to lead to greater activity with a lower likelihood of resistance formation. In addition, given that cells require several days to resynthesize STAT proteins, we believe that our programs may drive an extended pharmacodynamic effect, with the potential for a more durable response and longer dosing intervals where Janpix's inhibitors could potentially be administered on a weekly or bi-weekly interval without lapse in coverage or efficacy.

Janpix discovered that its molecules not only suppress STAT phosphorylation but may also conformationally destabilize and eventually degrade target protein, akin to PROTAC. Diverse functions of STAT3/5 in tumor biology, evasion of immune surveillance by tumor cells, and inflammatory processes provide opportunities to address malignant diseases from a number of approaches. The JAK-STAT pathway has been partially addressed with several clinically successful JAK inhibitors, but there are currently no drugs that specifically target STAT3/5. As STAT proteins are also activated by a number of proteins different from the JAK's, degraders of STAT 3/5 may exhibit a differentiated pharmacological profile. Therefore, we believe that STAT3/5 degraders may provide a novel solution to develop targeted and specific drugs to address malignant pathologies. We believe that Persistent STAT activation is associated with anti-tumor immunity.

#### Preclinical Data

Janpix generated data with an initial hit compound in an AML solid tumor xenograft model, whereby compound was injected subcutaneously and was associated with significantly suppressed tumor volume (>70% tumor growth inhibition (TGI)) and elimination of STAT5, as assessed by Western Blot analysis, in the excised tumors. No toxicity was observed with treated group gaining weight.

Early lead compound JPX-700 (5 mg/kg, daily i.p. dosing) was assessed in an AML luciferase model (MV4;11) and was observed to significantly reduce leukemic burden and suppress tumor dissemination to both the lung and liver, as shown in the figure below.



**Figure 54:** JPX class inhibitor observed to suppress leukemic burden in MV4;11 luciferase model

Compared to standard AML cell lines, an advanced lead Janpix compound demonstrated similarly low nM potency in 15/15 primary AML blasts and TPLL patient samples including those with poor prognostic markers. The same lead compound was shown to have activity in primary patient samples resistant to Venetoclax. The same compound exhibited a large therapeutic window for AML/T-PLL cell lines versus pooled human fibroblasts, peripheral blood mononuclear cells and hematopoietic stem cells (ca 100 fold).

JPX-0700 was evaluated in a 14 day tolerability study in mice versus vehicle. The compounds were well tolerated with no body weight loss over the two-week period. At the end of the study, we did not observe any overt toxicity in the peritoneal cavity. Organ weights of liver, kidney, spleen and colon remained unchanged and a preliminary hematologic evaluation showed no significant effects.

#### Development Plan

Janpix is currently in the final stages of lead optimization for its STAT3/5 degrader program and expects to select a preclinical development candidate in mid 2021. Janpix's lead intravenous STAT3/5 program is currently in preclinical development, and we expect to submit an IND to the FDA in mid-to-late 2022. We expect that the first selected candidate will be intended for intravenous use, and may be followed by an oral candidate. In



addition to AML models, Janpix intends to explore the potential of its STAT3/5 degrader program in other hematopoietic cancers, myeloid as well as lymphoid disease. Janpix's first trial is expected to be in a leukemic cancer to be followed by a lymphoma indication approximately six months later.

## **PearlRiver Bio GmbH**

### *Introduction*

PearlRiver Bio GmbH (PearlRiver Bio) aims to improve treatments for cancer patients by developing novel, precision medicines that target the tumors of patients with unmet medical need. PearlRiver Bio is developing small molecule kinase inhibitors, designed to inhibit difficult-to-treat epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) mutations that are resistant to currently available therapies. Its proprietary scientific platform allows PearlRiver Bio to design potential best-in-class therapeutics that selectively target difficult-to-treat oncogenic kinases that are the mechanistic drivers of disease with the potential to bring safe and effective medicines to patients. PearlRiver Bio's lead program targeting exon 20 mutations aims for highly potent and selective, oral, exon 20 insertion mutation inhibitors that have a robust therapeutic window over wild type EGFR and optimal pharmacokinetics. PearlRiver Bio's second program targeting C797S mutations aims to develop a potentially first-in-class EGFR inhibitor with an innovative mechanism of action to overcome osimertinib resistance. In addition to the exon 20 frontrunner and C797S development programs, PearlRiver Bio has built a proprietary platform technology intended to support the design of next generation EGFR inhibitors.

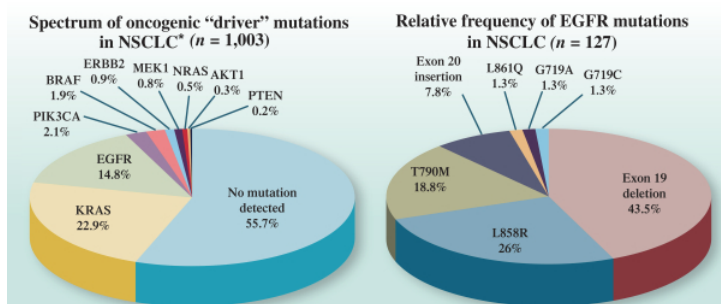
The PearlRiver Bio leadership team and extended team have a combined experience of more than 65 years in the study of cancers, including EGFR related cancer. Dr. Joseph Birkett joined in June 2020 as Chief Executive Officer of PearlRiver Bio and brings with him a wealth of experience in oncology research and development spanning 20 years, taking assets from preclinical development through to regulatory approval, including the anti-CD20 obintuzumab and the BTK inhibitor CALQUENCE® (acalabrutinib) across several indications. Dr. Birkett is joined by Dr. Johannes Heuckmann, Chief Scientific Officer, who is a serial entrepreneur with a focus on targeting resistance mutations and diagnostics, Dr. Carsten Schultz-Fademrecht, Vice President of Chemistry, who has more than 15 years of extensive industry experience in medicinal chemistry and Dr. Jonas Lategahn, Head of Chemical and Structural Biology. The PearlRiver Bio team is supported by several internationally recognized advisors and co-founders of PearlRiver Bio, including Professor Roman Thomas of the University of Cologne, who has worked on the genetics and biology of lung cancer for more than 15 years and was part of the team discovering the oncogenic nature of exon 20 mutations of ERBB2/Her2, Professor Daniel Rauh of TU Dortmund University, who has more than 20 years of experience in the field of structural biology, chemical biology and medicinal chemistry, and Professor Martin Sos of the University of Cologne, who has more than a decade of research defining EGFR disease biology. The depth of experience of the PearlRiver Bio team is further complemented by a world class scientific advisory board whose current members are thought leaders in their respective fields in lung cancer and in Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors (TKI) development.

### *Disease Overview*

With approximately 1.8 million deaths reported per year, lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths worldwide. Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) accounts for approximately 85% of all lung tumors with over two million new cases diagnosed globally in 2018. The advent of next generation sequencing has enabled the discovery of specific genomic alterations, mostly affecting kinase genes, and which lead to the dependency of the tumor cells bearing those alterations on the mutant kinase. The availability of small molecule kinase inhibitors targeting these activated kinases has caused an unprecedented shift in paradigm for the treatment of lung cancer. While patients whose tumors carry non-mutated, or "wild-type" kinases are treated with conventional therapy, patients with mutated kinases are treated with targeted kinase inhibitors, an approach often known as precision medicine.

One of the most frequently mutated kinases in lung cancer is EGFR and patients with mutant EGFR can be treated with EGFR inhibitors with high therapeutic efficacy and limited side effects. Nevertheless, subsets of

EGFR mutations confer resistance to the currently available EGFR inhibitors, requiring later-line options when tumors become refractory to treatment. Furthermore, certain subtypes of NSCLC, including those harboring EGFR exon 20 insertion mutations that induce upfront resistance to currently approved EGFR kinase inhibitors, lack clinically meaningful treatment options. The illustrations below provide an overview of EGFR mutations in NSCLC.



**Figure 55: Overview of EGFR mutations in NSCLC.**

EGFR exon 20 insertion mutations are estimated to account for between 4-12% of all *EGFR* mutations in NSCLC patients. These mutations are clustered around amino acids 762 and 775 and cause constitutive activation of the mutant kinase. Exon 20 mutations of *EGFR* are oncogenic in cellular and mouse models. These mutations cause experimental dependency on the activated kinase and are associated with resistance to all currently approved *EGFR* inhibitors, including first-generation *EGFR* inhibitors such as gefitinib and erlotinib, second-generation *EGFR* inhibitors such as afatinib, neratinib and dacomitinib as well as third-generation *EGFR*-TKIs such as osimertinib. Thus, given the lack of effective therapies for patients with exon 20 -mutant lung cancer, development of effective therapies for patients with *EGFR* exon 20 mutant lung cancer represents a great unmet need. To date, there are no molecularly targeted drugs approved to treat tumors harboring exon 20 insertions in *EGFR*, although there are several drugs currently being tested in the clinic.

The approval of osimertinib (marketed as TAGRISSO® by AstraZeneca) in 2018 transformed the frontline treatment of lung adenocarcinoma patients, whose tumors harbor the most common activating *EGFR* mutations. However, resistance to osimertinib is becoming an increasing challenge in first-line and second-line treatment.

Mechanisms of resistance to osimertinib are heterogeneous and include on-target EGFR in the form of additional EGFR mutations such as C797X, and off-target, in the form of activation of alternative pathways such as MET, alterations. The distribution of resistance mutations and activated bypass pathways differs depending on first-line or second-line treatment with osimertinib. The illustration below provides an overview of osimertinib resistance mutations in NSCLC.

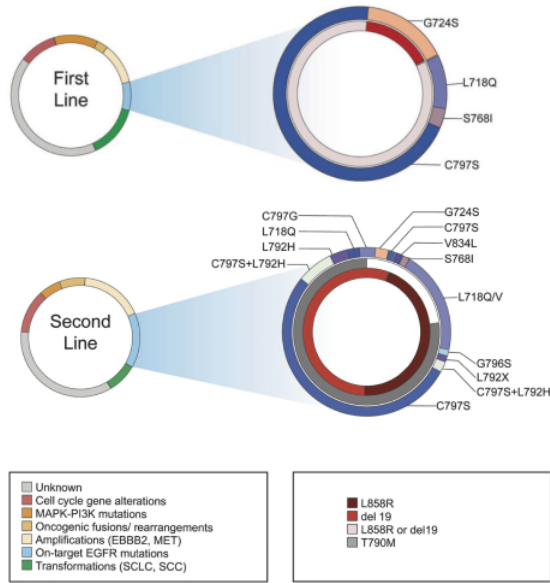


Figure 56: Overview of osimertinib resistance mutations in NSCLC.

A high unmet need exists to design and develop new drugs to treat patients with osimertinib resistance and we believe that PearlRiver Bio's C797S program is well-positioned to develop a potential first-in-class/best-in-class EGFR inhibitor with an innovative mechanism of action to overcome osimertinib resistance.

*Current Treatments and Market Opportunity*

*Exon 20 Mutation Landscape*

There are currently no approved therapies for the treatment of patients with EGFR exon 20 insertion mutations in NSCLC, which we believe represents an opportunity for the development of potentially best-in-class drugs. At the same time, mutant EGFR is a well elucidated drug target, which we believe may reduce the risks associated with erroneous target hypotheses.

Drugs currently being tested in the clinic and considered to be most advanced in development include Takeda's mobocertinib (designated as TAK-788), an oral EGFR/HER2 inhibitor, and Johnson & Johnson's amivantamab, a fully human EGFR and mesenchymal epithelial transition factor (MET) bispecific antibody. In addition, there are several other companies with earlier stage programs exploring EGFR exon 20 insertions, including Cullinan Oncology, Black Diamond Therapeutics, ORIC Pharmaceuticals and Capella Therapeutics, that have either recently entered the clinic or will soon enter the clinic.

#### *C797S Mutation Landscape*

The third-generation EGFR-TKI, osimertinib, has revolutionized the first line treatment setting for NSCLC patients harboring EGFR L858R mutations or exon 19 deletions. This class of EGFR TKIs effectively prevents a steric clash with the gatekeeper mutation EGFR-T790M that frequently evolves during treatment with first- or second-generation EGFR inhibitors leading to resistance to therapy. In comparison to first- and second-generation EGFR-TKIs, patients receiving osimertinib show higher response rates and a longer PFS. However, most patients will develop resistance to osimertinib, with the C797S mutation of EGFR being the most-frequent on-target resistance mechanism that prevents the irreversible binding of osimertinib in the ATP binding pocket of EGFR kinases. This effect strongly limits the activity of osimertinib (and other third-generation EGFR inhibitors such as, nazartinib, lazertinib) and therefore presents another high unmet need to overcome resistance to therapy.

Currently, there are no approved therapies for patients that acquire EGFR-C797S mutations during osimertinib therapy and several companies are developing drugs in this space, including Boehringer Ingelheim, Blueprint Medicines and Chugai Pharmaceutical.

#### *Our Product Candidates*

PearlRiver Bio's proprietary discovery platform allows for the design of molecules that selectively target kinase drivers of disease resistance with the goal of bringing safe and effective medicines to patients. While the main target of EGFR inhibitors is the mutant version of the kinase, off-target effects mainly affect the non-mutated form of EGFR. These off-target effects contribute to most of the toxicity associated with EGFR inhibitors observed in the clinic. Furthermore, lack of potency on the mutant kinase may also be considered a potential liability, as insufficient target inhibition permits the emergence of resistance.

PearlRiver Bio seeks to develop potentially best-in-class molecules that are highly selective and potent against their respective mutated targets while sparing wild-type EGFR, in order to avoid the known side effects associated with EGFR inhibitors, such as diarrhea, nausea/vomiting and rash.

#### *Exon 20 Program*

Exon 20 insertions are estimated to account for between 4-12% of all EGFR mutations and represent a diverse group of insertions with more than 100 different EGFR exon 20 insertions that have been described in the literature to date. Through enhancing and optimizing chemical structure, PearlRiver Bio's exon 20 program aims for highly potent, oral, exon 20 insertion mutation inhibitors to target all relevant exon 20 insertion mutations with a robust therapeutic window over wild type EGFR and optimal pharmacokinetic properties. In addition to inhibiting EGFR, most of the PearlRiver Bio exon 20 frontrunner molecules also show robust inhibition of exon 20 insertions in ERBB2/Her2, highlighting the potential to further expand the target patient population to NSCLC patients harboring exon 20 insertions in ERBB2/Her2. Lung cancers that have mutations in exon 20 of ERBB2/Her2 occur at a frequency similar to that of those with EGFR exon 20 insertion mutations. Thus, inhibitors with dual activity against both types of exon 20 mutations may offer the advantage of expanding the number of patients that can benefit from PearlRiver Bio medicines. The exon 20 program is currently in lead optimization stage.

Approximately >45% of EGFR mutant NSCLC patients develop central nervous system (CNS) metastases at a three-year timepoint after diagnosis/treatment, highlighting that CNS disease is a high unmet need in NSCLC.

The current exon 20 frontrunner program has not yet, to date, demonstrated blood-brain barrier penetration. Therefore, PearlRiver Bio plans to initiate a back-up program to develop molecules targeting exon 20 insertion mutations with blood-brain barrier penetration and this program is currently in discovery phase.

*C797S Program*

PearlRiver Bio is evaluating approaches with novel mechanisms of action for targeting not only C797S but also the most common activating EGFR mutations, L858R and exon 19 deletion, individually. The EGFR-C797S mutation is the most frequently observed recurrent mutation affecting the drug target itself, following treatment with and causing resistance to osimertinib. PearlRiver Bio's C797S inhibitors are designed to potently inhibit C797S mutant EGFR, as well as L858R and exon 19 deletions only. The C797S program is currently in lead optimization stage.

*ERBBinator Platform to Identify Next Generation EGFR TKIs*

In addition to the exon 20 frontrunner and C797S development programs, PearlRiver Bio has built a proprietary discovery platform technology, referred to as ERBBinator, which is intended to support the design of next generation EGFR inhibitors. This platform is being developed for the prediction of possible resistance mutations and ultimately for the design of next generation EGFR TKIs with new binding modes that exhibit a reduced likelihood of triggering the emergence of resistance mutations to begin with. The platform can also be utilized to explore resistance mutations across currently available EGFR inhibitors, such as competitor molecules, and therefore permits optimized development towards best-in-class molecules and ultimately more durable responses in the clinic. Currently, ongoing activities for the ERBBinator are at screen and hit selection stage, including medicinal chemistry and compound synthesis, in an effort to validate the platform.

*Preclinical Data*

*Exon 20 Program*

Results from *in vitro* experiments show that PearlRiver Bio exon 20 inhibitors potently inhibited the proliferation of BaF3 cells transformed by EGFR exon 20 insertion mutations. This high potency was observed across the most relevant exon 20 insertion mutations, which in total represent more than 75% of all insertions in this heterogeneous group of mutations. Furthermore, PearlRiver Bio's inhibitors prevented the proliferation of patient-derived lung cancer cells bearing EGFR exon 20 insertions. In addition, the PearlRiver Bio molecules have limited activity on wild-type EGFR, as illustrated by the below graphic comparing the therapeutic index of one PearlRiver Bio molecule against certain other EGFR-targeting molecules. The therapeutic index compares the amount of a therapeutic agent that causes the therapeutic effect to the amount that causes toxicity.

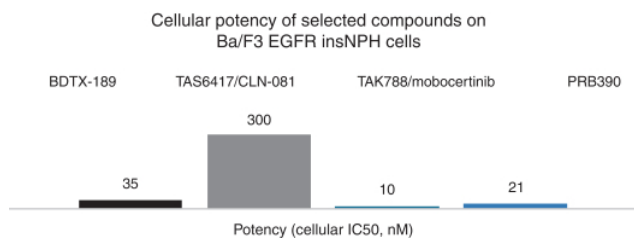


Figure 57: Cellular potency of selected compounds on BA/F3 EGFR.

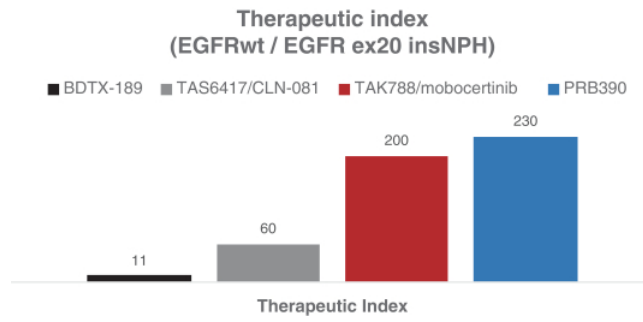


Figure 58: PRB390 Demonstrated a Favorable Therapeutic Index When Compared to Competitor Molecules.

C797 Program

In preclinical experiments, PearlRiver Bio's lead molecules showed favorable PK properties and supported a new mechanism of action to target mutant EGFR. As in its exon 20 program, PearlRiver Bio's inhibitors in the C797S program were observed to be highly potent on the desired mutant kinase while exhibiting only marginal potency on wild-type EGFR, thus demonstrating a robust therapeutic index in respect to wild-type EGFR. We believe that these observations may translate into the identification of a molecule that would be well-tolerated in lung cancer patients.

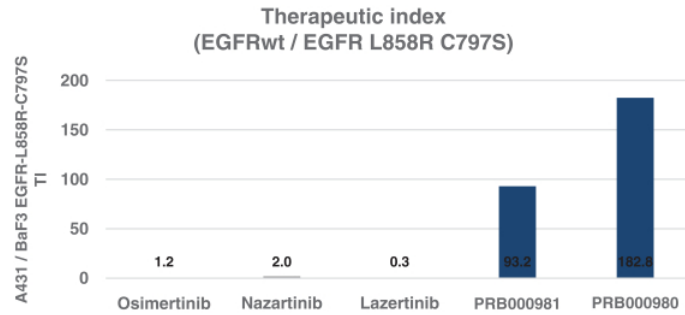
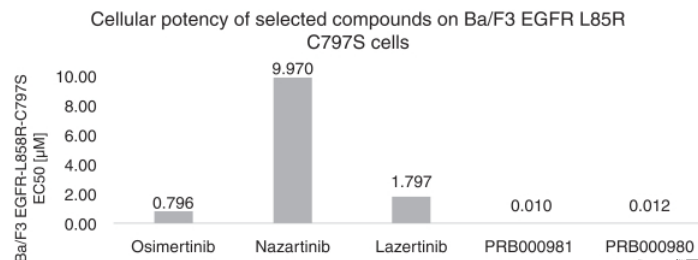


Figure 59: PRB980 and PRB981 Demonstrated a Favorable Therapeutic Index When Compared with Competitor Molecules.



**Figure 60: Cellular potency of selected compounds on Ba/F3 EGFR L858R C797S cells.**

#### Development Plan

PearlRiver Bio's exon 20 insertion mutation inhibitor program is currently in lead optimization. We expect candidate selection to occur in mid-to-late 2021.

PearlRiver Bio's C797S program is currently in lead optimization. We expect candidate selection to occur in mid-to-late 2022. The EGFR-Next Generation program is currently in the discovery phase with lead selection anticipated in mid-to-late 2022.

#### Competition

The biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries are characterized by the rapid evolution of technologies and understanding of disease etiology, intense competition and a strong emphasis on intellectual property. We believe that our differentiated business model, approach, scientific capabilities, know-how and experience provide us with competitive advantages. However, we face, and will continue to face, competition from companies focused on more traditional therapeutic modalities. We expect substantial competition from multiple sources, including major pharmaceutical, specialty pharmaceutical, and existing or emerging biotechnology companies, academic research institutions, governmental agencies and public and private research institutions worldwide. Many of our competitors, either alone or through collaborations, have significantly greater financial resources and expertise in research and development, manufacturing, preclinical testing, conducting clinical trials, obtaining regulatory approvals and marketing approved products than we do. Smaller or early-stage companies may also prove to be significant competitors, particularly through collaborative arrangements with large and established companies. These companies also compete with us in recruiting and retaining qualified scientific and management personnel, establishing clinical trial sites and recruiting patients in clinical trials, as well as in acquiring technologies complementary to, or necessary for, our programs. As a result, our competitors may discover, develop, license or commercialize products before or more successfully than we do. The key competitors with whom each of our subsidiaries are competing or may in the future compete are described in the respective sections for such subsidiaries.

We also face competition more broadly with companies that have adopted business models similar to ours. Such companies' strategies typically involve efforts to form or seek strategic alliances, create joint ventures or collaborations, or enter into licensing arrangements with third parties for programs, product candidates, technologies or intellectual property that can be further advanced through development. We face significant competition in seeking appropriate strategic partners and licensing and acquisition opportunities, and the negotiation process is time-consuming and complex. Such companies include Cullinan Oncology, Inc. and BridgeBio Pharma, Inc. and Roivant Sciences Ltd. As a result, we may not be successful in our efforts in

building a pipeline of product candidates through acquisitions, licensing or through internal development or in progressing these product candidates through clinical development. Although our subsidiaries' research and development efforts to date have resulted in the identification, discovery and preclinical and clinical development of certain product candidates, these product candidates may not be safe or effective as therapies, and we may not be able to develop, in-license or otherwise acquire any other product candidates.

#### **Manufacturing**

We do not own or operate, and currently have no plans to establish, any manufacturing facilities. We currently depend on third-party CMOs, for all of our requirements of raw materials, drug substance and drug product for our preclinical research and our ongoing clinical trials of our product candidates. Other than as discussed below, most of our subsidiaries have not entered into long-term agreements with our current CMOs. We generally intend to continue to rely on CMOs for later-stage development and commercialization of our product candidates, including any additional product candidates that we may identify. Although we rely on CMOs, we have personnel and third-party consultants with extensive manufacturing experience to oversee the relationships with our contract manufacturers.

#### **Sales and Marketing**

We intend to begin building a commercial infrastructure in the United States and selected other territories to support the commercialization of each of our product candidates when we believe a regulatory approval in a particular territory is likely. We intend to conduct market research in connection with designing our commercialization strategy for each of our product candidates, which strategy may depend on the size and geographic dispersion of the target patient population and the characteristics of the prescribing audience for our products, if approved. For example, certain of our product candidates that target diseases with a limited patient population, a concentrated prescribing audience and a small number of key opinion leaders who influence the treatments prescribed for the relevant patient population, we may address each such market using our own targeted, specialty sales and marketing organization supported by internal sales personnel, an internal marketing group and distribution support. For other product candidates, we may establish a larger and more dispersed salesforce, or seek strategic collaborations to support our commercialization efforts.

We intend to evaluate our commercialization strategy as we advance each product candidate through clinical development. In any core markets outside of the United States that we may identify, where appropriate, we may utilize strategic partners, distributors or contract sales forces to expand the commercial availability of our product candidates.

#### **Intellectual Property and License Agreements**

We strive to protect the proprietary technology that we believe is important to our business, including seeking and maintaining patents and patent applications intended to cover our product candidates and compositions, their methods of use and processes for their manufacture, and any other aspects of inventions that are commercially important to the development of our business. We have entered into various license agreements to obtain the rights to use certain patents for the development and commercialization of our product candidates. As described below, we also rely on trade secrets to protect aspects of our business that are not amenable to, or that we do not consider appropriate for, patent protection.

Our success will depend on our ability to obtain and maintain patent and other proprietary rights protecting our commercially important technology, inventions and know-how related to our business, defend and enforce our current and future issued patents, if any, preserve the confidentiality of our trade secrets and operate without infringing the valid and enforceable patents and proprietary rights of third parties. We also rely on know-how, continuing technological innovation and potential in-licensing opportunities to develop and maintain our intellectual property portfolio. We seek to obtain domestic and international patent protection, and endeavor to promptly file patent applications for new commercially valuable inventions.



The patent positions of biopharmaceutical companies like us are generally uncertain and involve complex legal, scientific and factual questions. In addition, the coverage claimed in a patent application can be significantly reduced before the patent is issued, and patent scope can be reinterpreted by the courts after issuance. Moreover, many jurisdictions permit third parties to challenge issued patents in administrative proceedings, which may result in further narrowing or even cancellation of patent claims. We cannot predict whether the patent applications we are currently pursuing will issue as patents in any particular jurisdiction or whether the claims of any patents, if issued, will provide sufficient protection from competitors.

Because patent applications in the United States and certain other jurisdictions are maintained in secrecy for 18 months or potentially even longer, and since publication of discoveries in the scientific or patent literature often lags behind actual discoveries, we cannot be certain of the priority of inventions covered by pending patent applications. Moreover, we may have to participate in interference proceedings or derivation proceedings declared by the United States Patent and Trademark Office, or USPTO, to determine priority of invention.

#### *Palladio*

As of December 15, 2020, Palladio owns one pending U.S. patent application and five pending foreign applications in Japan, Europe, Australia, Canada and Korea. Palladio's patent portfolio includes claims directed to methods of treatment with lixivaptan. The pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

In July 2016, Palladio acquired Cardiokine, Inc. from Chiesi USA, Inc. (Chiesi). In connection with the acquisition, Palladio acquired a license from Wyeth (now Pfizer) for lixivaptan and inherited certain historical contingent payment obligations (see below "*Payments due to certain former Cardiokine stakeholders*") and agreed to make certain contingent consideration payments to Chiesi (see below "*Payments due to Chiesi*"). Palladio subsequently acquired the rights due to certain (but not all) former Cardiokine stakeholders, reducing the contingent future obligations (the "*Repurchased Rights*"). See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities — Licensing Arrangements — Palladio License Agreement" for more information.

#### *Payments due to Chiesi*

The terms of the Cardiokine acquisition from Chiesi included certain contingent consideration payments which would be due to Chiesi in the event a Licensed Product is commercialized. Such payments are structured as a tiered percentage of net sales with aggregate annual payment to Chiesi capped at \$32.5 million.

#### *Payments due to certain former Cardiokine stakeholders*

There are certain consideration payments previously agreed with Cardiokine stakeholders that were inherited by Palladio when it acquired Cardiokine and such payment obligations remain and would be due in the event the payment criteria are met. These comprise sales based milestones and royalty payments, including sales based milestones to former stakeholders of up to \$16.3 million and low single digit royalty payments (the first \$19 million of which would be due to Pfizer). In all cases these amounts take into account the effect of the Repurchased Rights.

In the event Palladio sublicenses the ex-US rights to the Licensed Product to third parties, Palladio is further obligated to share any up-front payments and royalties it earns from such ex-US sublicenses, subject to certain caps, with the former Cardiokine stakeholders. Certain other obligations arise if Palladio develops the Licensed Product for indications other than ADPKD.

*ApcinteX*

As of December 15, 2020, ApcinteX has a license to two issued U.S. patents, 48 issued foreign patents, e.g., France, Germany, UK and China issued foreign patents, and five pending foreign patent applications. ApcinteX's licensed patent portfolio includes issued U.S. patents and issued foreign patents, including patents in Europe, China, Japan, and Australia, which have claims directed to SerpinPC composition of matter, compositions of matter of other serpin variants, and method of use of SerpinPC. The issued patents expire in 2034, and the pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2034, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities — Licensing Arrangements — ApcinteX License Agreement" for more information.

*Pega-One*

As of December 15, 2020, Pega-One has a license to six issued U.S. patents, 12 issued foreign patents, one pending U.S. application, and two pending foreign patent applications. The issued U.S. and issued foreign patents, including patents in China and Japan, include claims directed to imgatuzumab (GA201) composition of matter and methods of use of imgatuzumab. The issued patents expire between 2026 and 2028, which do not include any possible patent term extension.

On January 2, 2020, Pega-One entered into a license agreement with F. Hoffman-La Roche Ltd. and Hoffman-La Roche Inc. (together, Roche), regarding the glycoengineered, anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody known as imgatuzumab. Under the license agreement, Roche granted Pega-One an exclusive (even as to Roche), worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (subject to certain requirements) license under certain patent rights and know-how (including Roche's interest in any joint patent rights or know-how) owned and controlled by Roche related to imgatuzumab and glycoengineering technology, to research, develop, make, and sell products containing imgatuzumab (Licensed Products), in all indications and uses in humans excluding diagnostic uses, or Field. Roche retains the right to use imgatuzumab for internal research purposes, subject to certain notice requirements prior to Roche starting any in vivo experiments. Any new patent rights or know-how resulting from Roche's research will be automatically included in Roche's license to Pega-One. Roche granted Pega-One an option to license any additional Roche inventions.

Roche also granted to Pega-One an exclusive (even as to Roche) sublicense of the worldwide rights licensed to Roche under its umbrella research and license agreement with Lonza Sales AG, solely to develop, make, and commercialize imgatuzumab and Licensed Products in the Field. To the extent needed, Roche agrees to negotiate a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free license to additional patent rights related to immunotherapy or small molecules in multiple oncolytic indications. Roche also sublicensed to Pega-One certain intellectual property rights related to a proprietary cell line to perform assays using imgatuzumab.

If Pega-One intends to enter into certain strategic transactions, either involving an acquisition or other change of control of Pega-One or the grant of rights by Pega-One to a third party, to develop and commercialize imgatuzumab or a Licensed Product in certain specified territories, Roche has an exclusive right of first negotiation to enter into the applicable strategic transaction with Pega-One. In connection with the Reorganization, Pega-One and Roche entered into a waiver, pursuant to which the parties acknowledged that the Reorganization would constitute a change of control transaction and Roche agreed not to exercise its right of first negotiation. Notwithstanding such waiver, Roche's right of first negotiation would continue to apply for the period commencing on the completion of Centessa's acquisition of Pega-One until the earlier of the third anniversary of such acquisition, or until the first change of control of Pega-One following such acquisition. In consideration for the waiver, Centessa agreed to issue an aggregate of 723,088 ordinary shares to Roche, which, together with shares granted to Roche in consideration of its contribution of shares held in Pega-One, results in Roche holding in aggregate 1,424,282 ordinary shares in Centessa.

In the future, if Pega-One files for an initial public offering, while maintaining control over the licensed imgatuzumab intellectual property, Roche is entitled to receive, immediately prior to the completion of the initial

public offering, ownership of Pega-One common stock equivalent to a specified percentage of Pega-One on a fully diluted basis, depending on how much capital Pega-One has raised prior to such public offering. The completion of this Offering will not trigger the issuance of additional equity to Roche under this agreement.

Pega-One must use commercially reasonable efforts to develop and commercialize the imgatuzumab Licensed Product in the Field worldwide. Pega-One is solely responsible for the conduct of such activities relating to the Licensed Product worldwide in the Field at its own expense.

Roche granted to Pega-One a sublicensable right of reference to Roche's regulatory filings relating to imgatuzumab or a Licensed Product, including the right to rely upon and a right to copy, access, and otherwise use, all information and data relating to Licensed Product filed with any regulatory agency responsible for granting authorization to market such products (including all underlying raw data, CMC information, and other regulatory documentation).

Pega-One and Roche will each own any inventions conceived or reduced to practice by its employees, except that Roche will own any improvements to Roche's glycoengineering technology. Any inventions jointly conceived or reduced to practice by employees of both parties will be owned jointly by the parties. Roche controls the prosecution and maintenance of those licensed patent rights relating to imgatuzumab at Pega-One's expense and those relating to Roche's glycoengineering technology at Roche's expense. Pega-One controls the prosecution and maintenance of patent rights relating to its own inventions and the jointly-owned patent rights. Each party will inform each other on a regular basis on the status of the patent rights for which it controls prosecution and maintenance, including the formation from time to time of a patent coordination team. Each party must advise the other party prior to abandoning any applicable patent rights and assign such patent rights to the other party if the other party wishes to continue prosecution and maintenance at its own expense. If Roche decides not to prosecute or maintain a licensed patent, at Pega-One's request, Roche will assign to Pega-One (at no cost to Roche) such patent in such country or countries in the territory. Such patent rights so assigned from Roche to Pega-One will no longer be subject to royalty payments. Pega-One has the first right to enforce any of the its or Roche's licensed patent rights with the exclusive right and responsibility to resolve any claim of infringement brought by a third party, except that Pega-One must obtain Roche's prior written consent if any settlement would adversely affect Roche.

In exchange for the rights under the license agreement, Pega-One granted to Roche a number of ordinary shares of Pega-One and paid to Roche a nonrefundable upfront license fee in the low single-digits millions of dollars.

Pega-One is also obligated to pay to Roche, for each Licensed Product, aggregate development milestone payments up to mid double-digit million dollars upon meeting certain regulatory, clinical, manufacturing, and commercial sale events. In addition, Pega-One is obligated to pay Roche sales milestone payments up to low single-digit hundred million dollars based on total worldwide aggregate annual net sales for each Licensed Product.

Upon commercialization of any Licensed Products, Pega-One is obligated to pay to Roche a tiered high-single digit royalty based on annual net sales on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product and country-by-country basis until the expiry of the royalty term. The royal term will expire the later of (i) ten years after the date of first commercial sale of a Licensed Product, (ii) when there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country, or (iii) the date of expiration of the last to expire regulatory exclusivity for such Licensed Product in such country. The royalty payments are subject to certain reductions if there is a competing generic product, Pega-One considers it necessary to obtain a license to third party patents to avoid infringement, or if a court or governmental agency requires Pega-One to grant a compulsory license to a third party.

Unless terminated earlier, the license agreement expires on the date when no royalty or other payment obligations under this Agreement are or will become due. Pega-One may terminate the license agreement at any time in its entirety or on a product-by-product basis upon sufficient written notice. Either party may terminate the license agreement if the other party materially breaches the agreement without timely cure or becomes insolvent. Upon termination of the agreement, the rights granted by one party to the other will terminate in their entirety, or on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product basis.

If Pega-One terminates without cause, breaches the agreement, or becomes insolvent, Roche may elect to continue development of the imgatuzumab product, and Pega-One must transfer to Roche (free of charge) all regulatory filings and approvals, clinical and non-clinical agreements, CMC agreements, and other related development contracts. Pega-One must also grant Roche a worldwide, exclusive, sublicensable, transferable license under its patent, know-how, and joint patent rights to research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, use, offer to sell, sell, promote, export and import imgatuzumab and related products. If termination occurs after completion of a Phase 2 study of the first product, Roche will pay to Pega-One a royalty percentage rate in the low single digits based on net sales of the imgatuzumab product for ten years after the first commercial sale of the product on a country-by-country basis. If termination occurs after the first regulatory approval of the first product, Roche will pay to Pega-One a royalty percentage rate in the mid-single digits of net sales for ten years after the first commercial sale of the product on a country-by-country basis.

Pega-One may not assign its rights or obligations under this Agreement without prior written consent from Roche, except to an affiliate or in the context of a merger, acquisition, sale or other transaction involving all or substantially all of the assets of Pega-One.

#### *Z Factor*

As of December 15, 2020, Z Factor, owned six pending foreign applications and six pending PCT applications. Z Factor's patent portfolio includes composition of matter claims directed to ZF874, polymorphs thereof and variants thereof, method of treatment claims with ZF874, and method of manufacturing claims related to ZF874. The pending patent applications, once nationalized and if issued, are expected to expire between 2039 and 2041, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of The Centessa Predecessor Group and Certain Other Acquired Entities — Licensing Arrangements — Z Factor License Agreement" for more information.

#### *Morphogen-IX*

As of December 15, 2020, Morphogen-IX has a license to one issued U.S. patent, 41 issued foreign patents, e.g., France, Germany, UK, and China issued foreign patents, one U.S. pending patent application and nine pending foreign patent applications. Morphogen-IX's licensed patent portfolio includes issued U.S. patents and issued foreign patents, which have composition of matter claims directed to MGX292 and BMP9 variants, and method of treatment claims with MGX292. The issued patents expire in 2035, and the pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2035, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

#### *Morphogen-IX Licence Agreement*

On October 30, 2015, our subsidiary, Morphogen-IX Limited, or Morphogen-IX, entered into a Patent and Know-How Licence Agreement, or License, with Cambridge Enterprise Limited (a company wholly owned by the University of Cambridge), or CE, relating to BMP 9 and 10. Pursuant to the agreement, Morphogen-IX obtained from CE an exclusive, worldwide, royalty bearing, sublicensable (through multiple tiers) license, or the Exclusive CE License, under certain patent rights, or BMP Patents, and certain technical information and materials relating to BMP 9 and 10, or BMP Know-How, for the treatment of all diseases, including prophylaxis, for human and animal health or any related research or development, or the Field. Morphogen-IX also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-bearing, sublicensable (through multiple tiers) license, or the CE Non-Exclusive License, to under certain, data, technical information and other know-how that is not specific to BMP 9 and 10, or the Non-Exclusive Know-How. Under the CE Exclusive License and the CE Non-Exclusive License, Morphogen-IX has the right to develop and commercialize any product, process, service or use that uses or incorporates any BMP Patents, the BMP Know-How or the Non-Exclusive Know-How, or any materials that are sold in conjunction with any such products or services, in each such case, a Licensed Product. CE has reserved a customary limited right to use the BMP Patents, BMP Know-How and Non-Exclusive Know-How for academic publication, teaching, and academic research.

In addition to the rights described above, Morphogen-IX also obtained the right to exclusively license, upon request, any and all improvements, modifications, and other developments to the BMP Patents or the BMP Know-how arising during the term of the agreement, or BMP Improvements, provided that such BMP Improvements have been created by any or all of the inventors named in the BMP Patent and assigned to CE within 3 years from the effective date of the agreement.

Morphogen-IX must use commercially reasonable efforts to develop and commercialize the Licensed Products in accordance with the development plan, to introduce Licensed Products into the commercial market and to market Licensed Products after such introduction in the market, and to commit the necessary and available funding and personnel to maximize sales and corresponding return to CE under the Licence Agreement. Morphogen-IX, at its own cost, has the right to control the prosecution, maintenance and enforcement of the BMP Patents. CE has certain step-in rights if Morphogen-IX does not conduct certain BMP patent-related activities as set forth in the Licence Agreement.

In consideration for the rights granted by CE under the Licence Agreement, Morphogen-IX is obligated to reimburse CE for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by CE prior to the effective date of the Licence Agreement and pay an annual license fee of \$14,000 (£10,000 at an exchange rate of 0.73).

Additionally, Morphogen-IX is obligated to pay CE certain milestone payments in the aggregate amount of up to \$1.0 million (£0.8 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) upon the achievement of certain development and regulatory milestones. Upon commercialization of any Licensed Products, Morphogen-IX is obligated to pay CE a low single-digit royalty based on Morphogen-IX's or its sublicensee's annual net sales for each Licensed Product in the relevant country until the expiry of the royalty term, subject customary royalty deductions for necessary third party licenses. In countries where valid claims exist under the licensed patents, royalties are payable on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product and country-by-country basis until there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country.

Unless terminated earlier, the agreement will be in effect until the licensed patents have expired or been revoked without a right of further appeal; Morphogen-IX retains the right to use the licensed know-how in such circumstances. Morphogen-IX may terminate the Licence Agreement at any time for convenience with adequate written notice to CE. Either party may terminate the Licence Agreement based on customary termination rights. CE retains the right to terminate the agreement if Morphogen-IX challenges the validity or ownership of the BMP patents.

#### *Capella Bioscience*

As of December 15, 2020, Capella Bioscience, owned two pending U.S. patent applications, one issued foreign patent in the UK and five pending foreign patent applications, which include claims directed to compositions and methods of use of the lead anti-LIGHT antibody. The issued patent, which includes composition of matter claims and pharmaceutical composition claims to Capella's lead anti-LIGHT antibody and method of use claims with Capella's lead anti-LIGHT antibody, expires in 2038, and the pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees. Capella Bioscience also owns one pending PCT application with claims directed to compositions and methods of use of the lead anti-BDCA2 antibody. The pending patent application, once nationalized and if issued, is expected to expire in 2040, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

#### *LockBody*

As of December 15, 2020, LockBody owned one pending U.S. application, five pending foreign patent applications and one pending PCT application. LockBody's patent portfolio includes composition of matter claims directed to LockBody's CD47 agents and method of treatment claims with LockBody's agents. The

pending patent applications, once nationalized, where applicable, and if issued, are expected to expire between 2039 and 2040, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

As of December 15, 2020, LockBody's subsidiary, Ultrahuman Two Limited, owned one pending U.S. application and eight pending foreign patent applications, includes composition of matter claims directed to anti-CD47 antibodies and method of treatment claims with anti-CD47 antibodies. The pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2039, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

As of December 15, 2020, LockBody's subsidiary, Ultrahuman Four Limited, owned one issued U.S. patent, one pending U.S. application and 13 pending foreign patent applications. The U.S. patent, which has composition of matter claims directed to anti-CD47 antibodies, expires in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees. The pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2038, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

#### *LockBody IP Assignment*

Our subsidiary, LockBody (formerly known as UltraHuman Six Limited, or UH6) has obtained from UltraHuman Limited, or UH, an assignment of all intellectual property rights, title, and interest related to the LockBody platform. In September 2019, UH and UH6 entered into an Amended and Restated Intellectual Property Assignment Agreement, or IP Assignment, expanding the prior April 2017 IP Assignment related to the UH6 antibodies, to further include intellectual property related to the LockBody platform technology which enables the activity of pharmaceutically-active molecules such as an antibody or receptor proteins to be locked inside a carrier molecule in an inactive prodrug state, until the prodrug so encapsulated is activated within a desired tissue, whereon the prodrug is released, including the use of platform technology with an antibody.

LockBody also owns certain patent rights related to the LB1 bispecific antibody targeting CD47 for the treatment of solid tumors.

#### *Orexia Therapeutics*

As of December 15, 2020, Orexia Therapeutics owned two pending U.S. provisional patent applications. Orexia's patent portfolio includes claims directed to OX2R agonists and uses thereof. The pending patent applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2041, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

#### *Orexia License Agreement*

In January 2019, Heptares Therapeutics Limited entered into a license, assignment, and research services agreement with Orexia Limited, which was amended and restated in 2020 (together the agreement), relating to certain specific molecules with, among other criteria, the primary mode of action of an orexin agonist or orexin positive modulator (Molecules). Under the agreement, Heptares assigned to Orexia all of Heptares' right, title, and interest in and to intellectual property that is already in existence and that is developed as a result of the agreement that relates solely to Molecules or products that contain Molecules (Products), including all rights to obtain patent or similar protection throughout the world for such intellectual property and to take any and all actions regarding past infringements of existing intellectual property. Additionally, Heptares granted to Orexia an exclusive, sublicensable (subject to certain terms) license to make, import, export, use, sell, or offer for sale, including to development, commercialization, registration, modification, enhancement, improvement, manufacturing, holding, keeping or disposing of Molecules and Products. Heptares must not by itself or through

a third party (other than a single company) exploit, use or dispose of (*inter alia*) any product in the field of orexin agonism and orexin positive modulation for the duration of the agreement and for three years thereafter.

In consideration for the assignment and license, Orexia is to pay Heptares a royalty in the low single-digits on net sales of Products (subject to limitations in certain scenarios). Royalties are on a Product-by-Product and country-by country basis. Payments shall commence with the first commercial sale of such product in a country and shall continue until the later of: (a) the duration of regulatory exclusivity in the country; or (b) ten years after the first commercial sale. Further, Orexia is responsible for all development costs incurred by itself or Heptares in the performance of the research program (within the confines of the research budget). Additionally, Orexia must pay Heptares, on a Molecule-by-Molecule basis, development milestone payments in the aggregate of a low double-digit number in the millions of pounds sterling. Milestone payments are payable once per Molecule.

Orexia may terminate the agreement at any time following the expiration or termination of the research program. In addition, customary termination rights exist for both parties for breach and insolvency. In the event of termination, all licenses automatically terminate.

The term of the agreement is until the later of: (i) the expiration of the last to expire patent within the licensed intellectual property; (ii) the expiration of the royalty term; and (iii) the fifteenth anniversary of the effective date. Upon expiration, with respect to any given Molecule, the license granted to Orexia shall become perpetual, irrevocable, and fully-paid up.

#### *PearlRiver Bio*

As of December 15, 2020, PearlRiver Bio, owned two pending foreign patent applications with claims directed to EGFR inhibitors and methods of use. The pending applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2041, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees. PearlRiver licenses one pending PCT with claims directed to EGFR inhibitors and methods of use. The pending application, once nationalized and if issued, is expected to expire in 2039, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

#### *PearlRiver C797 License Agreement*

In June 2020, PearlRiver Bio entered to an assignment agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH and TU Dortmund, together the Assignors, involving small molecule inhibitors of C797 mutated EGFR and related inventions (C797, or Product). Under the assignment agreement, the Assignors each and jointly sold, assigned and transferred to PearlRiver Bio their entire right, title and interest to certain know-how, patent application, invention disclosures, chemical and biological materials, and data analyses related to C797, or Assigned Technology. PearlRiver Bio has the sole right but not the obligation to control patent prosecution at its own cost. To the extent requested by PearlRiver Bio, and not included under the Assigned Technology, Assignors also agreed to grant a worldwide, non-exclusive, irrevocable, perpetual, transferable, right and license under C797 related intellectual property rights and/or know-how, for the purpose of developing, manufacturing, marketing, selling and/or otherwise commercializing any products or medical technology based on or comprising C797. PearlRiver Bio is obligated to use commercially reasonable efforts commercialize one or more Products at its own expense.

In consideration for the rights under the assignment agreement, PearlRiver Bio paid Assignors an upfront fee in the mid-to-high five-digit range in euros. In addition, PearlRiver Bio is obligated to pay Assignors up to a high single-digit millions in euros in total aggregate milestone payments upon meeting certain clinical and approval milestones and up to low double digit millions in euros in total aggregate sales milestone payments.

Upon commercialization of any Products, PearlRiver Bio is obligated to pay to Assignors a tiered low single-digit royalty based on annual net sales on a Product-by-Product and country-by-country basis until the expiry of

the royalty term. The royalty term will expire upon the later of (i) the date on which the manufacture, distribution, use, marketing or sale of such Product in such country no longer infringes a valid claim of a patent in such country or (ii) ten years from the date of the first commercial sale of such Product in such country. The royalty payments are subject to certain reductions if for third party licenses.

If PearlRiver Bio materially breaches the assignment agreement (including a breach of payment obligations), the Assignors may withdraw from the agreement. In such event, PearlRiver Bio is obligated to retransfer its rights to the Assigned Technology to the Assignors. However, in case of withdrawal, PearlRiver Bio will automatically receive a non-exclusive, transferable license, which includes the right to sublicense in multiple tiers, to use the Assigned Technology for the development, manufacture, testing, authorization and/or commercialization of any technology and/or compounds, drug substance and/or drug products based on C797 and/or the Assigned Technology. PearlRiver Bio will still be responsible for any milestone and royalty payments described above.

*PearlRiver Lead Discovery Center License Agreement*

In March 2019, Lead Discovery Center GmbH (Lead Discovery) entered into a license agreement with PearlRiver Bio related to small molecule inhibitors of Her2 and EGFR carrying Exon 20 mutations. Under the license agreement, PearlRiver Bio obtained an exclusive, worldwide, transferable and sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, under certain patents, patent applications, technical information and licensed know-how, to research, develop, make, use, manufacture, have manufactured, offer, promote, sell, import or export products that use or incorporate the licensed know-how and technology. PearlRiver Bio also obtained a non-exclusive, worldwide, transferable and sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, under the Lead Discovery's background intellectual property, to research, develop, make, use, manufacture, have manufactured, offer, promote, sell, import or export products and/or otherwise exploit the licensed technology. Lead Discovery retains the non-exclusive, non-transferable, cost-free right to make, have made and use specific materials for internal non-commercial scientific research purposes, and to provide materials for non-commercial collaborations not interfering with the development of the products under the license agreement, and for other scientific purposes solely to non-profit research organisations.

In consideration for the rights under the license agreement, PearlRiver Bio is to pay Lead Discovery low single-digit royalties on the net sales of each licensed product that is sold or supplied by PearlRiver Bio or any of its sublicensees (subject to certain scenarios). Royalties are on a product-by-product and country-by country basis. Payments will commence with the first commercial sale of such product in a country and continue for the later of: (i) the date on which the manufacture, distribution, marketing or sale of a Product no longer infringes a valid claim (being a claim from an unexpired patent right or a patent application using the licensed technology) in such country; or (ii) ten years after the first commercial sale in such country. Additionally, PearlRiver Bio is required to pay certain one-time tiered milestone payments, on a molecule-by-molecule basis, in the low double digits million pounds sterling, and a one-time low double digits million pounds sterling sales milestone once cumulative net sales equal or exceed £0.5BN.

The license agreement lasts until terminated or until the last royalty term expires. PearlRiver Bio may terminate the agreement for convenience at its sole discretion with adequate written notice to Lead Discovery. Each party has customary termination rights in the event of breach. Lead Discovery is able to terminate in the event PearlRiver Bio notifies Lead Discovery of an intent to cease activities related to the licensed technology or the termination of the development of all Exon 20 development activities. In the event of termination, all licenses would cease and all research, development, manufacturing, marketing, sales and distribution of products that use or incorporate the licensed know-how and any other use of the patents would end. Additionally, if PearlRiver Bio terminates the license agreement for convenience, it must transfer certain inventions, intellectual property, records and title and interest in and to regulatory filings rights back to Lead Discovery. In the event PearlRiver Bio terminates the license agreement due to a breach by Lead Discovery, PearlRiver Bio would retain a non-exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, sublicensable license to licensed technology to the extent necessary to enable the use of research results for the purpose of researching, developing, making, using, selling and importing products in the field.



*Janpix Limited*

As of December 15, 2020, Janpix Limited owned four pending U.S. provisional patent applications with claims directed to STAT degraders and methods of use. The pending applications, if issued, are expected to expire in 2041, without taking into account any possible patent term adjustments or extensions and assuming payment of all appropriate maintenance, renewal, annuity, or other governmental fees.

*Janpix Limited License Agreement*

In July 2017, Janpix entered into a license agreement with the Governing Council of the University of Toronto (UT) related to direct small molecule modulators of signal transducer and activator of transcription 3 (STAT 3) and signal transducer and activator of transcription 5 (STAT 5). Under the license agreement, Janpix obtained an exclusive, worldwide, sublicensable (subject to certain conditions) license, or the UT License, under certain patents and know-how, or Licensed Technology, to research, develop, manufacture, market, sell, distribute and commercially exploit any licensed products for all uses in humans and animals, or the Field. UT has retained for itself and certain other institutions, a customary right of use to the Licensed Technology for academic research and educational purposes. Additionally, Janpix has the right to exclusively license, with the right to sublicense, certain improvements to the Licensed Technology under the license agreement. Janpix also has an option right to negotiate a new license grant to any other intellectual property related to STAT 3 and/or STAT 5 inhibitors that is not considered an improvement under the license agreement.

Upon satisfaction of certain development and regulatory milestones, Janpix may be obligated to pay to UT total aggregate milestone payments in the tens of millions of dollars upon the achievement of certain development and regulatory milestones. Janpix is also obligated to pay to UT aggregate sales milestone payments up to in the tens of millions of dollars based on total worldwide aggregate annual net sales for all licensed products containing a Licensed Compound. Each milestone payment is payable only once for a licensed product during term of the license agreement. Upon commercialization of any licensed products, Janpix is obligated to pay to UT a flat low to mid-single digit royalty based on Janpix's and its sublicensees' net sales, subject to certain royalty reductions when there are no more valid claims under the licensed patents in the relevant country or if Janpix deems it necessary to obtain a license to third party patents to avoid infringement.

Unless terminated earlier, the license agreement expires on the date that the underlying patents expire and there is no possibility of any applications in the patents proceeding to grant. Janpix may terminate the agreement upon reasonable grounds with adequate written notice. Either party may terminate the license agreement based on customary termination rights, or if UT challenges the validity of patents or the substantial or secret nature of the licensed know-how. In the event of termination, all licenses shall cease and revert to the relevant institution, and Janpix must cease all exploitation of the Licensed Technology.

**Government Regulation**

**United States Food and Drug Administration Regulation**

The FDA, and other regulatory authorities at federal, state and local levels, as well as in foreign countries, extensively regulate, among other things, the research, development, testing, manufacture, quality control, import, export, safety, effectiveness, labeling, packaging, storage, distribution, record keeping, approval, advertising, promotion, marketing, post-approval monitoring and post-approval reporting of drugs and biologics such as those we are developing. We, along with our vendors, collaboration partners, clinical research organizations (CROs), and contract manufacturing organizations (CMOs), will be required to navigate the various preclinical, clinical, manufacturing and commercial approval requirements of the governing regulatory agencies of the countries in which we wish to conduct studies or seek approval of our product candidates. The process of obtaining regulatory approvals of drugs and ensuring subsequent compliance with appropriate United States federal, state, local and foreign statutes and regulations requires the expenditure of substantial time and financial resources. Failure to comply with the applicable regulatory requirements at any time during the product development process or post-approval may subject an applicant to delays in development or approval, as well as administrative and judicial sanctions.

In the United States, the FDA regulates drugs under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA), and biologics under the FDCA and the Public Health Service Act (PHSA), and their implementing regulations. Both drugs and biologics are also subject to other federal, state and local statutes and regulations. Our product candidates are early-stage and have not been approved by the FDA for marketing in the United States.

Our product candidates must be approved for therapeutic indications by the FDA before they may be marketed in the United States. For our drug product candidates regulated under the FDCA, FDA must approve a New Drug Application, or NDA. For our biologic product candidates regulated under the FDCA and PHSA, FDA must approve a Biologics License Application (BLA). The process is similar and generally involves the following:

- completion of extensive preclinical studies in accordance with applicable regulations, including studies conducted in accordance with GLP requirements;
- submission to the FDA of an IND, application which must become effective before clinical trials may begin and must be updated annually and when certain changes are made;
- approval of the protocol and related documentation by an Institutional Review Board (IRB), or independent ethics committee at each clinical trial site before each trial may be initiated;
- performance of adequate and well-controlled clinical trials in accordance with the FDA's Good Clinical Practice (GCP), requirements and any additional requirements for the protection of human research subjects and their health information, to establish the safety and efficacy of the investigational product for each proposed indication;
- preparation and submission to the FDA of an NDA or BLA after completion of all pivotal trials;
- payment of user fees for FDA review of the NDA or BLA (unless a fee waiver applies);
- a determination by the FDA within 60 days of its receipt of an NDA or BLA to file the application for review;
- satisfactory completion of one or more FDA pre-approval inspections of the manufacturing facility or facilities where the product will be produced to assess compliance with current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements (cGMPs), to assure that the facilities, methods and controls are adequate to ensure and preserve the drug or biological product's identity, strength, quality and purity;
- satisfactory completion of any FDA audits of the clinical trial sites that generated the data in support of the NDA or BLA; and
- FDA review and approval of the NDA or BLA, including, where applicable, consideration of the views of any FDA advisory committee, prior to any commercial marketing or sale of the drug or biologic in the United States.

***Preclinical Studies and Clinical Trials***

Before testing any drug or biologic in humans, the product candidate must undergo rigorous preclinical testing. Preclinical studies include laboratory evaluations of chemistry, formulation and stability, as well as *in vitro* and animal studies to assess safety and in some cases to establish the rationale for therapeutic use. The conduct of preclinical studies is subject to federal and state regulations and requirements, including GLP requirements for safety and toxicology studies. In the United States, the results of the preclinical studies, together with manufacturing information and analytical data must be submitted to the FDA as part of an IND.

An IND is a request for authorization from the FDA to administer an investigational product to humans, and must become effective before clinical trials may begin. The central focus of an IND submission is on the general investigational plan and the protocol(s) for clinical studies. The IND also includes results of animal and *in vitro* studies assessing the toxicology, pharmacokinetics, pharmacology, and pharmacodynamic characteristics of the product; chemistry, manufacturing, and controls information; and any available human data or literature to support the use of the investigational product. In the United States, the IND automatically becomes effective 30 days after receipt by the FDA, unless the FDA, within the 30-day time period, raises concerns or questions about the conduct

of the clinical trial, including concerns that human research subjects will be exposed to unreasonable health risks, and imposes a clinical hold. In such a case, the IND sponsor and the FDA must resolve any outstanding concerns before the clinical trial can begin. Some long-term preclinical testing may continue after the IND is submitted. Accordingly, submission of an IND may or may not result in FDA authorization to begin a trial.

The clinical stage of development involves the administration of the product candidate to healthy volunteers or patients under the supervision of qualified investigators, generally physicians not employed by or under the trial sponsor's control, in accordance with GCP requirements, which include the requirements that all research subjects provide their informed consent for their participation in any clinical trial. Clinical trials are conducted under protocols detailing, among other things, the objectives of the clinical trial, dosing procedures, subject selection and exclusion criteria and the parameters and criteria to be used in monitoring safety and evaluating effectiveness. Each protocol, and any subsequent amendments to the protocol, must be submitted to the FDA as part of the IND. Furthermore, each clinical trial must be reviewed and approved by an IRB for each institution at which the clinical trial will be conducted to ensure that the risks to individuals participating in the clinical trials are minimized and are reasonable related to the anticipated benefits. The IRB also approves the informed consent form that must be provided to each clinical trial subject or his or her legal representative, and must monitor the clinical trial until completed.

The FDA may, at any time during the initial 30-day IND review period or while clinical trials are ongoing under the IND, impose a partial or complete clinical hold based on concerns for patient safety and/or noncompliance with regulatory requirements. This order issued by the FDA would delay a proposed clinical study or cause suspension of an ongoing study until all outstanding concerns have been adequately addressed, and the FDA has notified the company that investigations may proceed. Imposition of a clinical hold could cause significant delays or difficulties in completing planned clinical studies in a timely manner. In addition, the IRB, or the sponsor may suspend or discontinue a clinical trial at any time on various grounds, including a finding that the subjects are being exposed to an unacceptable health risk. Some studies also include oversight by an independent group of qualified experts organized by the clinical study sponsor, known as a data safety monitoring board, which provides authorization for whether or not a study may move forward at designated check points based on access to certain data from the study and may recommend that the clinical trial be stopped if it determines that there is an unacceptable safety risk for subjects or other grounds, such as no demonstration of efficacy. There also are requirements governing the reporting of ongoing clinical trials and completed clinical trials to public registries. In the United States, information about applicable clinical trials, including clinical trial results, must be submitted within specific timeframes for publication on the [www.clinicaltrials.gov](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov) website.

A sponsor who wishes to conduct a clinical trial outside of the United States may, but need not, obtain FDA authorization to conduct the clinical trial under an IND. The FDA will accept a well-designed and well-conducted foreign clinical study not conducted under an IND if the study was conducted in accordance with GCP requirements, and the FDA is able to validate the data through an onsite inspection if deemed necessary.

Clinical trials to evaluate therapeutic indications to support NDAs and BLAs for marketing approval are typically conducted in three sequential phases, which may overlap.

- Phase 1—Phase 1 clinical trials involve initial introduction of the investigational product in a limited population of healthy human volunteers or patients with the target disease or condition. These studies are typically designed to test the safety, dosage tolerance, absorption, metabolism and distribution of the investigational product in humans, evaluate the side effects associated with increasing doses, and, if possible, to gain early evidence of effectiveness.
- Phase 2—Phase 2 clinical trials typically involve administration of the investigational product to a limited patient population with a specified disease or condition to evaluate the preliminary efficacy, optimal dosages and dosing schedule and to identify possible adverse side effects and safety risks. Multiple Phase 2 clinical trials may be conducted to obtain information prior to beginning larger and more expensive Phase 3 clinical trials.
- Phase 3—Phase 3 clinical trials typically involve administration of the investigational product to an expanded patient population to further evaluate dosage, to provide substantial evidence of clinical

efficacy and to further test for safety, generally at multiple geographically dispersed clinical trial sites. These clinical trials are intended to establish the overall risk/benefit ratio of the investigational product and to provide an adequate basis for physician labeling. Generally, two adequate and well-controlled Phase 3 clinical trials are required by the FDA for approval of an NDA or BLA.

Post-approval trials, sometimes referred to as Phase 4 clinical trials, may be conducted after initial marketing approval. These trials are used to gain additional experience from the treatment of patients in the intended therapeutic indication and are commonly intended to generate additional safety data regarding use of the product in a clinical setting. In certain instances, the FDA may mandate the performance of Phase 4 clinical trials as a condition of approval of an NDA or BLA. Failure to exhibit due diligence with regard to conducting required Phase 4 clinical trials could result in withdrawal of approval for products.

Progress reports detailing the results of the clinical trials, among other information, must be submitted at least annually to the FDA and written IND safety reports must be submitted to the FDA and the investigators fifteen days after the trial sponsor determines the information qualifies for reporting for serious and unexpected suspected adverse events, findings from other studies or animal or *in vitro* testing that suggest a significant risk for human participants exposed to the drug or biologic and any clinically important increase in the rate of a serious suspected adverse reaction over that listed in the protocol or investigator brochure. The sponsor must also notify the FDA of any unexpected fatal or life-threatening suspected adverse reaction as soon as possible but in no case later than seven calendar days after the sponsor's initial receipt of the information.

Concurrent with clinical trials, companies usually complete additional animal studies and must also develop additional information about the drug or biological characteristics of the product candidate and finalize a process for manufacturing the drug product in commercial quantities in accordance with cGMP requirements. The manufacturing process must be capable of consistently producing quality batches of the product candidate and manufacturers must develop, among other things, methods for testing the identity, strength, quality and purity of the final drug product. Additionally, appropriate packaging must be selected and tested, and stability studies must be conducted to demonstrate that the product candidate does not undergo unacceptable deterioration over its shelf life and to identify appropriate storage conditions for the product candidate.

#### ***FDA Marketing Application Review Process***

Assuming successful completion of the required clinical testing, the results of the preclinical studies and clinical trials, together with detailed information relating to the product's chemistry, manufacture, controls and proposed labeling, among other things, are submitted to the FDA as part of an NDA (for a drug) or BLA (for a biologic) requesting approval to market the product for one or more indications. The NDA or BLA must include all relevant data available from pertinent preclinical studies and clinical trials, including negative or ambiguous results as well as positive findings. Data may come from company-sponsored clinical trials intended to test the safety and efficacy of a product's use or from a number of alternative sources, including studies initiated by investigators. To support marketing approval, the data submitted must be sufficient in quality and quantity to establish the safety and efficacy of the investigational drug, or the safety, purity and potency of the investigational biologic, to the satisfaction of the FDA. FDA approval of an NDA or BLA must be obtained before a drug or biologic may be marketed in the United States.

In addition, under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA), certain NDAs and BLAs and certain supplements to an NDA or BLA must contain data to assess the safety and effectiveness of the drug or biological product candidate for the claimed indications in all relevant pediatric subpopulations and to support dosing and administration for each pediatric subpopulation for which the product is safe and effective. The FDCA requires that a sponsor who is planning to submit a marketing application for a drug or biological product that includes a new active ingredient or clinically active component, new indication, new dosage form, new dosing regimen or new route of administration submit an initial Pediatric Study Plan within 60 days after an end-of-Phase 2 meeting or as may be agreed between the sponsor and FDA. Unless otherwise required by regulation, PREA generally does not apply to a drug or biological product for an indication for which orphan designation has been granted.

In the United States, the FDA reviews all submitted NDAs and BLAs to ensure they are sufficiently complete to permit substantive review before it accepts them for filing, and may request additional information rather than accepting the NDA or BLA for filing. The FDA makes a decision on accepting an NDA or BLA for filing within 60 days of receipt, and such decision could include a refusal to file by the FDA. Once the submission is accepted for filing, the FDA begins an in-depth substantive review of the application. The FDA reviews an NDA or BLA to determine, among other things, whether the product is safe and effective and whether the facility in which it is manufactured, processed, packaged or held meets standards, including cGMP requirements, designed to assure and preserve the product's identity, strength, quality and purity. Under the goals and policies agreed to by the FDA under the Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA), the FDA targets ten months, from the filing date, in which to complete its initial review of an original NDA for a new molecular entity or BLA and respond to the applicant, and six months from the filing date of an original NDA for a new molecular entity or BLA filed for priority review. The FDA does not always meet its PDUFA goal dates for standard or priority NDAs or BLAs, and the review process is often extended by FDA requests for additional information or clarification.

Further, under PDUFA, as amended, each NDA or BLA must be accompanied by a user fee, and the sponsor of an approved NDA or BLA is also subject to an annual program fee. FDA adjusts the PDUFA user fees on an annual basis. Fee waivers or reductions may be available in certain circumstances, including a waiver of the application fee for the first application filed by a small business. Additionally, no user fees are assessed on NDAs or BLAs for products designated as orphan drugs, unless the product also includes a non-orphan indication.

The FDA may refer an application for a drug or biologic to an advisory committee. An advisory committee is a panel of independent experts, including clinicians and other scientific experts, which reviews, evaluates and provides a recommendation as to whether the application should be approved and under what conditions. The FDA is not bound by the recommendations of an advisory committee, but it considers such recommendations carefully when making decisions.

Before approving an NDA or BLA, the FDA typically will inspect the facility or facilities where the product is manufactured. The FDA will not approve an application unless it determines that the manufacturing processes and facilities are in compliance with cGMP requirements and adequate to assure consistent production of the product within required specifications. Additionally, before approving an NDA or BLA, the FDA may inspect one or more clinical trial sites to assure compliance with GCP and other requirements and the integrity of the clinical data submitted to the FDA.

After evaluating the application and all related information, including the advisory committee recommendation, if any, and inspection reports regarding the manufacturing facilities and clinical trial sites, the FDA may issue an approval letter, or, in some cases, a Complete Response Letter. A Complete Response Letter indicates that the review cycle of the application is complete and the application is not ready for approval. A Complete Response Letter will usually describe all of the deficiencies that the FDA has identified in the NDA or BLA, except that where the FDA determines that the data supporting the application are inadequate to support approval, the FDA may issue the Complete Response Letter without first conducting required inspections, testing submitted product lots, and/or reviewing proposed labeling. In issuing the Complete Response Letter, the FDA may recommend actions that the applicant might take to place the NDA or BLA in condition for approval, including requests for additional information or clarification. Even with submission of this additional information, the FDA ultimately may decide that the application does not satisfy the regulatory criteria for approval. If and when those conditions have been met to the FDA's satisfaction, the FDA will typically issue an approval letter. An approval letter authorizes commercial marketing of the product with specific prescribing information for specific indications.

Even if the FDA approves a product, depending on the specific risk(s) to be addressed, the FDA may limit the approved indications for use of the product, require that contraindications, warnings or precautions be included in the product labeling, require that post-approval studies, including Phase 4 clinical trials, be conducted to further assess a product's safety or efficacy after approval, require testing and surveillance programs to monitor the product after commercialization, or impose other conditions, including distribution and use restrictions or other risk management mechanisms under REMS, which can materially affect the potential market and profitability of

the product. REMS can include medication guides, communication plans for healthcare professionals, and elements to assure safe use (ETASU). ETASU can include, but are not limited to, special training or certification for prescribing or dispensing, dispensing only under certain circumstances, special monitoring, and the use of patent registries. If the FDA concludes a REMS is needed, the sponsor of the NDA or BLA must submit a proposed REMS; the FDA will not approve the NDA or BLA without a REMS, if required. The FDA may prevent or limit further marketing of a product based on the results of post-marketing studies or surveillance programs. After approval, some types of changes to the approved product, such as adding new indications, manufacturing changes, and additional labeling claims, are subject to further testing requirements and FDA review and approval.

***Orphan Drug Designation and Exclusivity***

Under the Orphan Drug Act, the FDA may grant orphan drug designation (ODD), to a drug or biologic intended to treat a rare disease or condition, defined as a disease or condition with either a patient population of fewer than 200,000 individuals in the United States, or a patient population greater of than 200,000 individuals in the United States when there is no reasonable expectation that the cost of developing and making available the drug or biologic in the United States will be recovered from sales in the United States of that drug or biologic. ODD must be requested before submitting an NDA or BLA. After the FDA grants ODD, the generic identity of the therapeutic agent and its potential orphan use are disclosed publicly by the FDA.

If a product that has received ODD and subsequently receives the first FDA approval for that drug or biologic for the disease for which it has such designation, the product is entitled to orphan product exclusivity, which means that the FDA may not approve any other applications, including a full NDA or BLA, to market the same drug or biologic for the same indication for seven years from the approval of the NDA or BLA, except in limited circumstances, such as a showing of clinical superiority to the product with orphan drug exclusivity or if the FDA finds that the holder of the orphan drug exclusivity has not shown that it can assure the availability of sufficient quantities of the orphan drug to meet the needs of patients with the disease or condition for which the drug was designated. Orphan drug exclusivity does not prevent the FDA from approving a different drug or biologic for the same disease or condition, or the same drug or biologic for a different disease or condition. Among the other benefits of ODD are tax credits for certain research and a waiver of the NDA or BLA application user fee.

A designated orphan drug may not receive orphan drug exclusivity if it is approved for a use that is broader than the indication for which it received ODD. In addition, orphan drug exclusive marketing rights in the United States may be lost if the FDA later determines that the request for designation was materially defective or if the manufacturer is unable to assure sufficient quantities of the product to meet the needs of patients with the rare disease or condition.

***Expedited Development and Review Programs***

The FDA maintains several programs intended to facilitate and expedite development and review of new drugs and biologics to address unmet medical needs in the treatment of serious or life-threatening diseases or conditions. These programs include Fast Track designation, Breakthrough Therapy designation, priority review and accelerated approval.

A new drug or biologic is eligible for Fast Track designation if it is intended to treat a serious or life-threatening disease or condition and demonstrates the potential to address unmet medical needs for such disease or condition. Fast Track designation applies to the combination of the product and the specific indication for which it is being studied. Fast Track designation provides increased opportunities for sponsor interactions with the FDA during preclinical and clinical development, in addition to the potential for rolling review once a marketing application is filed, meaning that the FDA may initiate review of sections of a Fast Track product's application before the application is complete upon satisfaction of certain conditions.

In addition, a new drug or biological product may be eligible for Breakthrough Therapy designation if it is intended to treat a serious or life-threatening disease or condition and preliminary clinical evidence indicates that

the drug or biologic, alone or in combination with or more other drugs or biologics, may demonstrate substantial improvement over existing therapies on one or more clinically significant endpoints, such as substantial treatment effects observed early in clinical development. Breakthrough Therapy designation provides all the features of Fast Track designation in addition to intensive guidance on an efficient development program beginning as early as Phase 1, and FDA organizational commitment to expedited development, including involvement of senior managers and experienced review staff in a cross-disciplinary review, where appropriate.

Any product submitted to the FDA for approval, including a product with Fast Track, or Breakthrough Therapy designation, may also be eligible priority review. A product is eligible for priority review if it is intended to treat a serious or life-threatening disease or condition, and if approved, would provide a significant improvement in safety or effectiveness. For an original NDA for a new molecular entity and a BLA, priority review designation means the FDA's goal is to take action on the marketing application within six months of the 60-day filing date (compared with ten months under standard review).

The FDA may grant accelerated approval to a product intended to treat a serious or life-threatening disease or condition that generally provides a meaningful therapeutic advantage to patients over available treatments, and demonstrates an effect on a surrogate endpoint that is reasonably likely to predict clinical benefit or on a clinical endpoint that can be measured earlier than irreversible morbidity or mortality (IMM), that is reasonably likely to predict an effect on IMM or other clinical benefit, taking into account the severity, rarity, or prevalence of the condition and the availability or lack of alternative treatments.

For drugs and biologics granted accelerated approval, the FDA generally requires sponsors to conduct, in a diligent manner, adequate and well-controlled post-approval confirmatory studies to verify and describe the product's clinical benefit. Failure to conduct required post-approval studies with due diligence, failure to confirm a clinical benefit during the post-approval studies, or dissemination of false or misleading promotional materials would allow the FDA to withdraw the product approval on an expedited basis. All promotional materials for product candidates approved under accelerated approval are subject to prior review by the FDA unless FDA informs the applicant otherwise.

Fast Track designation, Breakthrough Therapy designation, and priority review do not change the scientific or medical standards for approval or the quality of evidence necessary to support approval but may expedite the development or review process.

***Post-Approval Requirements for Drugs and Biologics in the United States***

In the United States, drugs and biologics manufactured or distributed pursuant to FDA approvals are subject to pervasive and continuing regulation by the FDA, including, among other things, requirements relating to recordkeeping, periodic reporting, product sampling and distribution, reporting of adverse experiences with the product, complying with promotion and advertising requirements, which include restrictions on promoting products for unapproved uses or patient populations (known as "off-label use") and limitations on industry-sponsored scientific and educational activities. Although physicians may prescribe approved products for off-label uses, manufacturers may not market or promote such uses. The FDA and other agencies actively enforce the laws and regulations prohibiting the promotion of off-label uses, including not only by Company employees but also by agents of the Company or those speaking on the Company's behalf, and a company that is found to have improperly promoted off-label uses may be subject to significant liability. Failure to comply with these requirements can result in, among other things, adverse publicity, warning letters, corrective advertising and potential civil and criminal penalties, including liabilities under the False Claims Act where products carry reimbursement under federal health care programs. Promotional materials for approved drugs and biologics must be submitted to the FDA in conjunction with their first use or first publication. Further, if there are any modifications to the product, including changes in indications, labeling or manufacturing processes or facilities, the applicant may be required to submit and obtain FDA approval of a new NDA or BLA or NDA or BLA supplement, which may require the development of additional data or preclinical studies and clinical trials.

The FDA may impose a number of post-approval requirements as a condition of approval of an NDA or BLA. For example, the FDA may require post-market testing, including Phase 4 clinical trials, and surveillance to further assess and monitor the product's safety and effectiveness after commercialization.

In addition, drug and biologics manufacturers and their subcontractors involved in the manufacture and distribution of approved products are required to register their establishments with the FDA and certain state agencies and are subject to periodic unannounced inspections by the FDA and certain state agencies for compliance with ongoing regulatory requirements, including cGMP, which impose certain procedural and documentation requirements upon us and our CMOs. Changes to the manufacturing process are strictly regulated, and, depending on the significance of the change, may require prior FDA approval before being implemented. FDA regulations also require investigation and correction of any deviations from cGMP and impose reporting requirements upon us and any third-party manufacturers that we may decide to use. Accordingly, manufacturers must continue to expend time, money and effort in the area of production and quality control to maintain compliance with cGMP and other aspects of regulatory compliance. Failure to comply with statutory and regulatory requirements can subject a manufacturer to possible legal or regulatory action, such as warning letters, suspension of manufacturing, product seizures, injunctions, civil penalties or criminal prosecution.

The FDA may withdraw approval if compliance with regulatory requirements and standards is not maintained or if problems occur after the product reaches the market. Later discovery of previously unknown problems with a product, including adverse events of unanticipated severity or frequency, or with manufacturing processes, or failure to comply with regulatory requirements, may result in revisions to the approved labeling to add new safety information, requirements for post-market studies or clinical trials to assess new safety risks, or imposition of distribution or other restrictions under a REMS. Other potential consequences include, among other things:

- restrictions on the marketing or manufacturing of the product, complete withdrawal of the product from the market or product recalls;
- safety alerts, Dear Healthcare Provider letters, press releases or other communications containing warnings or other safety information about the product;
- mandated modification of promotional materials and labeling and issuance of corrective information;
- fines, warning letters, or untitled letters;
- holds on clinical trials;
- refusal of the FDA to approve applications or supplements to approved applications, or suspension or revocation of product approvals;
- product seizure or detention, or refusal to permit the import or export of products;
- injunctions or the imposition of civil or criminal penalties; and
- consent decrees, corporate integrity agreements, debarment or exclusion from federal healthcare programs.

***Regulation of Combination Products in the United States***

Certain products may be comprised of components that are regulated under separate regulatory authorities and by different centers at the FDA. These products are known as combination products. A combination product is comprised of a combination of a drug and a device; a biological product and a device; a drug and a biological product; or a drug, a device, and a biological product. Under regulations issued by the FDA, a combination product includes:

- a product comprised of two or more regulated components that are physically, chemically, or otherwise combined or mixed and produced as a single entity;
- two or more separate products packaged together in a single package or as a unit and comprised of drug and device products, device and biological products, or biological and drug products;
- a drug, device, or biological product packaged separately that according to its investigational plan or proposed labeling is intended for use only with an approved individually specified drug, device or



biological product where both are required to achieve the intended use, indication, or effect and where upon approval of the proposed product the labeling of the approved product would need to be changed, e.g., to reflect a change in intended use, dosage form, strength, route of administration, or significant change in dose; or

- any investigational drug, device, or biological product packaged separately that according to its proposed labeling is for use only with another individually specified investigational drug, device, or biological product where both are required to achieve the intended use, indication, or effect.

Under the FDCA, the FDA is charged with assigning a center with primary jurisdiction, or a lead center, for review of a combination product. That determination is based on the "primary mode of action" of the combination product, which means the single mode of action that provides the most important therapeutic action of the combination product, i.e., the mode of action expected to make the greatest contribution to the overall intended therapeutic effects of the combination product.

#### ***United States Patent Term Restoration and Marketing Exclusivity***

Depending upon the timing, duration and specifics of FDA approval of our future product candidates, some of our United States patents may be eligible for limited patent term extension under the Drug Price Competition and Patent Term Restoration Act of 1984, commonly referred to as the Hatch-Waxman Amendments. The Hatch-Waxman Amendments permit restoration of the patent term of up to five years as compensation for patent term lost during the FDA regulatory review process. Patent-term restoration, however, cannot extend the remaining term of a patent beyond a total of 14 years from the product's approval date and only those claims covering such approved drug product, a method for using it or a method for manufacturing it may be extended. The patent-term restoration period is generally one-half the time between the effective date of an IND and the submission date of an NDA or BLA plus the time between the submission date of an NDA or BLA and the approval of that application, except that the review period is reduced by any time during which the applicant failed to exercise due diligence. Only one patent applicable to an approved drug is eligible for the extension and the application for the extension must be submitted prior to the expiration of the patent. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, in consultation with the FDA, reviews and approves the application for any patent term extension or restoration. In the future, we may apply for restoration of patent term for our currently owned or licensed patents to add patent life beyond its current expiration date, depending on the expected length of the clinical trials and other factors involved in the filing of the relevant NDA or BLA.

Regulatory exclusivity provisions under the FDCA also can delay the submission or the approval of certain applications. The FDCA provides a five-year period of non-patent marketing exclusivity within the United States to the first applicant to gain approval of an NDA for a new chemical entity. A drug is a new chemical entity if the FDA has not previously approved any other new drug containing the same active moiety, which is the molecule or ion responsible for the action of the drug substance. During the exclusivity period, the FDA may not accept for review an ANDA, or a 505(b)(2) NDA submitted by another company for another version of such drug where the applicant does not own or have a legal right of reference to all the data required for approval. However, an application may be submitted after four years if it contains a certification of patent invalidity or non-infringement.

The FDCA also provides three years of exclusivity for an NDA, 505(b)(2) NDA or supplement to an existing NDA if new clinical investigations, other than bioavailability studies, that were conducted or sponsored by the applicant are deemed by the FDA to be essential to the approval of the application, for example, new indications, dosages or strengths of an existing drug. This three-year exclusivity covers only the conditions of use associated with the new clinical investigations and does not prohibit the FDA from approving ANDAs for drugs containing the original active agent for other conditions of use. Five-year and three-year exclusivity will not delay the submission or approval of a full NDA. However, an applicant submitting a full NDA would be required to conduct or obtain a right of reference to all of the preclinical studies and adequate and well-controlled clinical trials necessary to demonstrate safety and effectiveness.

In addition, both drugs and biologics can also obtain pediatric exclusivity in the United States. Pediatric exclusivity, if granted, adds six months to existing exclusivity periods and patent terms. This six-month exclusivity, which runs from the end of other exclusivity protection or patent term, may be granted based on the voluntary completion of a pediatric study in accordance with an FDA-issued "Written Request" for such a study.

***United States Biosimilars and Exclusivity***

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010, or collectively (ACA), signed into law in 2010, includes a subtitle called the Biologics Price Competition and Innovation Act (BPCIA), which created an abbreviated approval pathway for biological products that are biosimilar to or interchangeable with an FDA-licensed reference biological product. The FDA has issued several guidance documents outlining an approach to review and approval of biosimilars in the United States. Biosimilarity, which requires that there be no clinically meaningful differences between the biological product and the reference product in terms of safety, purity, and potency, can be shown through analytical studies, animal studies, and a clinical study or studies. Interchangeability requires that a product is biosimilar to the reference product and the product must demonstrate that it can be expected to produce the same clinical results as the reference product in any given patient and, for products that are administered multiple times to an individual, the biologic and the reference biologic may be alternated or switched after one has been previously administered without increasing safety risks or risks of diminished efficacy relative to exclusive use of the reference biologic.

Under the BPCIA, a reference biological product is granted 12 years of data exclusivity from the time of first licensure of the product, and an application for a biosimilar product may not be submitted to the FDA until four years following the date that the reference product was first licensed by the FDA. In addition, the approval of a biosimilar product may not be made effective by the FDA until 12 years from the date on which the reference product was first licensed. During this 12-year period of exclusivity, another company may still market a competing version of the reference product if the FDA approves a full BLA for the competing product containing that applicant's own preclinical data and data from adequate and well-controlled clinical trials to demonstrate the safety, purity and potency of its product. The BPCIA also created certain exclusivity periods for biosimilars approved as interchangeable products. At this juncture, it is unclear whether products deemed "interchangeable" by the FDA will, in fact, be readily substituted by pharmacies, which are governed by state pharmacy law.

***Other United States Regulatory Matters***

Manufacturing, sales, promotion and other activities of product candidates following product approval, where applicable, or commercialization are also subject to regulation by numerous regulatory authorities in the United States in addition to the FDA, which may include the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), other divisions of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), the Department of Justice, the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Consumer Product Safety Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, the Occupational Safety & Health Administration, the Environmental Protection Agency and state and local governments and governmental agencies.

***Other United States Healthcare Laws***

Healthcare providers and third-party payors in the United States and elsewhere play a primary role in the recommendation and prescription of pharmaceutical products. Arrangements with third-party payors and customers can expose pharmaceutical manufactures to broadly applicable fraud and abuse and other healthcare laws and regulations, including, without limitation, the federal Anti-Kickback Statute and the federal False Claims Act (FCA), which may constrain the business or financial arrangements and relationships through which companies research, sell, market and distribute pharmaceutical products. In addition, transparency laws and patient privacy laws can apply to the activities of pharmaceutical manufactures. The applicable federal, state and foreign healthcare laws and regulations that can affect a pharmaceutical company's operations include without limitation:

- The federal Anti-Kickback Statute, which prohibits, among other things, knowingly and willfully soliciting, receiving, offering or paying any remuneration (including any kickback, bribe, or rebate), directly or indirectly, overtly or covertly, in cash or in kind, to induce, or in return for, either the

referral of an individual, or the purchase, lease, order or recommendation of any good, facility, item or service for which payment may be made, in whole or in part, under the Medicare and Medicaid programs, or other federal healthcare programs. A person or entity can be found guilty of violating the statute without actual knowledge of the statute or specific intent to violate it. In addition, the government may assert that a claim including items or services resulting from a violation of the federal Anti-Kickback Statute constitutes a false or fraudulent claim for purposes of the FCA. The Anti-Kickback Statute has been interpreted to apply to arrangements between pharmaceutical manufacturers on the one hand and prescribers, purchasers, and formulary managers on the other. There are a number of statutory exceptions and regulatory safe harbors protecting some common activities from prosecution, but such exceptions and safe harbors are drawn narrowly and require strict compliance in order to offer protection;

- The federal civil and criminal false claims laws, including the FCA, and civil monetary penalty laws, which prohibit any person or entity from, among other things, knowingly presenting, or causing to be presented, a false, fictitious or fraudulent claim for payment to, or approval by, the federal government or knowingly making, using or causing to be made or used a false record or statement, including providing inaccurate billing or coding information to customers or promoting a product off-label, material to a false or fraudulent claim to the federal government. As a result of a modification made by the Fraud Enforcement and Recovery Act of 2009, a claim includes “any request or demand” for money or property presented to the federal government. In addition, manufacturers can be held liable under the FCA even when they do not submit claims directly to government payors if they are deemed to “cause” the submission of false or fraudulent claims. The FCA also permits a private individual acting as a “whistleblower” to bring actions on behalf of the federal government alleging violations of the FCA and to share in any monetary recovery;
- The federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), which created federal criminal statutes that prohibit, among other things, knowingly and willfully executing, or attempting to execute, a scheme to defraud any healthcare benefit program or obtain, by means of false or fraudulent pretenses, representations, or promises, any of the money or property owned by, or under the custody or control of, any healthcare benefit program, regardless of the payor (e.g., public or private) and knowingly and willfully falsifying, concealing or covering up by any trick or device a material fact or making any materially false statements in connection with the delivery of, or payment for, healthcare benefits, items or services relating to healthcare matters. Similar to the federal Anti-Kickback Statute, a person or entity can be found guilty of violating HIPAA without actual knowledge of the statute or specific intent to violate it;
- HIPAA, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act of 2009 (HITECH), and their respective implementing regulations, which impose, among other things, specified requirements relating to the privacy, security and transmission of individually identifiable health information held by covered entities and their business associates as well as their covered subcontractors. HITECH also created new tiers of civil monetary penalties, amended HIPAA to make civil and criminal penalties directly applicable to business associates, and gave state attorneys general new authority to file civil actions for damages or injunctions in federal courts to enforce the federal HIPAA laws and seek attorneys’ fees and costs associated with pursuing federal civil actions;
- The federal legislation commonly referred to as the Physician Payments Sunshine Act, created under the ACA, and its implementing regulations, which requires certain manufacturers of drugs, devices, biologics and medical supplies for which payment is available under Medicare, Medicaid or the Children’s Health Insurance Program (with certain exceptions) to report annually to CMS, information related to payments or other transfers of value made to physicians (defined to include doctors, dentists, optometrists, podiatrists and chiropractors) and teaching hospitals, as well as ownership and investment interests held by physicians and their immediate family members. Effective January 1, 2022, covered manufacturers also will be required to report information regarding their payments and other transfers of value to physician assistants, and nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, anesthesiologist assistants, certified registered nurse anesthetists and certified nurse midwives during the previous year;

- Federal consumer protection and unfair competition laws, which broadly regulate marketplace activities and activities that potentially harm consumers; and
- Analogous state laws and regulations, including: state anti-kickback and false claims laws, which may apply to our business practices, including, but not limited to, research, distribution, sales and marketing arrangements and claims involving healthcare items or services reimbursed by any third-party payor, including private insurers; state laws that require pharmaceutical companies to comply with the pharmaceutical industry's voluntary compliance guidelines and the relevant compliance guidance promulgated by the U.S. federal government, or otherwise restrict payments that may be made to healthcare providers and other potential referral sources; state and local laws that require drug manufacturers to report information related to payments and other transfers of value to physicians and other healthcare providers or marketing expenditures; state laws that require the reporting of information related to drug pricing; state and local laws requiring the registration of pharmaceutical sales representatives; and state laws governing the privacy and security of health information in some circumstances, many of which differ from each other in significant ways and often are not preempted by HIPAA, thus complicating compliance efforts.

In addition to the above, on November 20, 2020, the Office of Inspector General (OIG), finalized further modifications to the federal Anti-Kickback Statute. Under the final rules, the OIG added safe harbor protections under the Anti-Kickback Statute for certain coordinated care and value-based arrangements among clinicians, providers, and others. The final rule (with some exceptions) were expected to become effective January 19, 2021, but the effective date has been postponed pending further review of these and other pending regulations by the Biden administration. We continue to evaluate what effect, if any, these rules will have on our business.

Pricing and rebate programs must comply with the Medicaid rebate requirements of the U.S. Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 and more recent requirements in the ACA. If products are made available to authorized users of the Federal Supply Schedule of the General Services Administration, additional laws and requirements apply. Products must meet applicable child-resistant packaging requirements under the U.S. Poison Prevention Packaging Act. Manufacturing, sales, promotion and other activities also are potentially subject to federal and state consumer protection and unfair competition laws.

The distribution of pharmaceutical products is subject to additional requirements and regulations, including extensive record-keeping, licensing, storage and security requirements intended to prevent the unauthorized sale of pharmaceutical products.

The scope and enforcement of each of these laws is uncertain and subject to rapid change in the current environment of healthcare reform, especially in light of the lack of applicable precedent and regulations with respect to certain laws. Federal and state enforcement bodies have recently increased their scrutiny of interactions between healthcare companies and healthcare providers, which has led to a number of investigations, prosecutions, convictions and settlements in the healthcare industry. Prohibitions or restrictions on sales or withdrawal of future marketed products could materially affect our business in an adverse way. Changes in regulations, statutes or the interpretation of existing regulations could impact our business in the future by requiring, for example: (i) changes to our manufacturing arrangements; (ii) additions or modifications to product labeling; (iii) the recall or discontinuation of our products; or (iv) additional record-keeping requirements. If any such changes were to be imposed, they could adversely affect the operation of our business.

Ensuring our business arrangements comply with applicable healthcare laws, as well as responding to possible investigations by government authorities, can be time- and resource-consuming and can divert a company's attention from the business.

The failure to comply with any of these laws or regulatory requirements subjects companies to possible legal or regulatory action. Depending on the circumstances, failure to meet applicable regulatory requirements can result in significant penalties, including civil, criminal and administrative penalties, damages, fines, disgorgement, imprisonment, possible exclusion from participation in federal and state funded healthcare programs, contractual

damages and the curtailment or restricting of our operations, as well as additional reporting obligations and oversight if we become subject to a corporate integrity agreement or other agreement to resolve allegations of non-compliance with these laws. Any action for violation of these laws, even if successfully defended, could cause a pharmaceutical company to incur significant legal expenses and divert management's attention from the operation of the business.

#### **Health Reform**

In the United States, there have been and continue to be a number of legislative initiatives to contain healthcare costs. For example, in March 2010, the ACA was passed, which substantially changed the way healthcare is financed by both governmental and private insurers, and continues to significantly impact the U.S. pharmaceutical industry. The ACA, among other things, subjects biological products to potential competition by lower-cost biosimilars, addresses a new methodology by which rebates owed by manufacturers under the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program are calculated for drugs that are inhaled, infused, instilled, implanted or injected, increases the minimum Medicaid rebates owed by manufacturers under the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program extends the rebate program to individuals enrolled in Medicaid managed care organizations, establishes annual fees and taxes on manufacturers of certain branded prescription drugs, and creates a new Medicare Part D coverage gap discount program, in which manufacturers must agree to offer 70% point-of-sale discounts off negotiated prices of applicable brand drugs to eligible beneficiaries during their coverage gap period, as a condition to coverage under Medicare Part D for the manufacturer's outpatient drugs.

Since its enactment, there have been numerous judicial, administrative, executive, and legislative challenges to certain aspects of the ACA. For example, the previous administration issued various Executive Orders that eliminated cost sharing subsidies and various provisions that would impose a fiscal burden on states or a cost, fee, tax, penalty or regulatory burden on individuals, healthcare providers, health insurers, or manufacturers of pharmaceuticals or medical devices and Congress has introduced several pieces of legislation aimed at significantly revising or repealing the ACA. Additionally, various portions of the ACA are currently undergoing legal and constitutional challenges in the United States Supreme Court.

Although the Supreme Court has not yet ruled on the constitutionality of the ACA, on January 28, 2021, President Biden issued an executive order to initiate a special enrollment period from February 15, 2021 through May 15, 2021 for purposes of obtaining health insurance coverage through the ACA marketplace. The executive order also instructs certain governmental agencies to review and reconsider their existing policies and rules that limit access to healthcare, including among others, reexamining Medicaid demonstration projects and waiver programs that include work requirements, and policies that create unnecessary barriers to obtaining access to health insurance coverage through Medicaid or the ACA. It is unclear how the Supreme Court ruling, other such litigation, and the healthcare reform measures of the Biden administration will impact the ACA and our business.

Other legislative changes have been proposed and adopted in the United States since the ACA was enacted. On August 2, 2011, the Budget Control Act of 2011, among other things, created measures for spending reductions by Congress. A Joint Select Committee on Deficit Reduction, tasked with recommending a targeted deficit reduction of at least \$1.2 trillion for the years 2013 through 2021, was unable to reach required goals, thereby triggering the legislation's automatic reduction to several government programs. This includes aggregate reductions of Medicare payments to providers of 2% per fiscal year. These reductions went into effect on April 1, 2013. Pursuant to the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, also known as the CARES Act, as well as subsequent legislation, these cuts have been suspended from May 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021, will be reinstated in April 2021, and will remain in effect through 2030 unless additional Congressional action is taken. Proposed legislation, if passed, would extend this suspension until the end of the pandemic. On January 2, 2013, the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012 was signed into law, which, among other things, further reduced Medicare payments to several types of providers.

Moreover, payment methodologies may be subject to changes in healthcare legislation and regulatory initiatives which could limit the amounts that federal and state governments will pay for healthcare products and services and result in reduced demand for certain pharmaceutical products or additional pricing pressures.

Additionally, there has been increasing legislative and enforcement interest in the United States with respect to specialty drug pricing practices. Specifically, there have been several recent U.S. presidential executive orders, congressional inquiries and proposed and enacted federal and state legislation designed to, among other things, bring more transparency to drug pricing, reduce the cost of prescription drugs under Medicare, review the relationship between pricing and manufacturer patient programs, and reform government program reimbursement methodologies for drugs.

At the federal level, the former Trump administration used several means to propose or implement drug pricing reform, including through federal budget proposals, executive orders and policy initiatives. For example, on July 24, 2020 and September 13, 2020, the Trump administration announced several executive orders related to prescription drug pricing that attempt to implement several of the administration's proposals. The FDA also released a final rule, effective November 30, 2020, implementing a portion of the importation executive order providing guidance for states to build and submit importation plans for drugs from Canada. Further, on November 20, 2020, HHS finalized a regulation removing safe harbor protection for price reductions from pharmaceutical manufacturers to plan sponsors under Part D, either directly or through pharmacy benefit managers, unless the price reduction is required by law. The implementation of the rule has been delayed by the Biden administration from January 1, 2022 to January 1, 2023 in response to ongoing litigation. The rule also creates a new safe harbor for price reductions reflected at the point-of-sale, as well as a new safe harbor for certain fixed fee arrangements between pharmacy benefit managers and manufacturers, the implementation of which have also been delayed pending review by the Biden administration until March 22, 2021. On November 20, 2020, CMS issued an interim final rule implementing then-President Trump's Most Favored Nation executive order, which would tie Medicare Part B payments for certain physician-administered drugs to the lowest price paid in other economically advanced countries, effective January 1, 2021. On December 28, 2020, the United States District Court in Northern California issued a nationwide preliminary injunction against implementation of the interim final rule. It is unclear whether the Biden administration will work to reverse these measures or pursue similar policy initiatives.

At the state level, legislatures have increasingly passed legislation and implemented regulations designed to control pharmaceutical product pricing, including price or patient reimbursement constraints, discounts, restrictions on certain product access and marketing cost disclosure and transparency measures, and, in some cases, designed to encourage importation from other countries and bulk purchasing.

Further, it is possible that additional governmental action is taken in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

***Reimbursement***

Sales of our products, when and if approved, will depend, in part, on the extent to which our products will be covered by third-party payors, such as government health programs, commercial insurance and managed healthcare organizations. In the United States, no uniform policy of coverage and reimbursement for drug or biological products exists. Accordingly, decisions regarding the extent of coverage and amount of reimbursement to be provided for any of our products will be made on a payor-by-payor basis. Factors payors consider in determining reimbursement are based on whether the product is:

- a covered benefit under its health plan;
- safe, effective and medically necessary;
- appropriate for the specific patient;
- cost-effective; and
- neither experimental nor investigational.

In the United States, for example, principal decisions about reimbursement for new products are typically made by CMS, which decides whether and to what extent a new product will be covered and reimbursed under Medicare. Private third-party payors often follow CMS's decisions regarding coverage and reimbursement to a substantial degree. However, one third-party payor's determination to provide coverage for a product candidate does not assure that other payors will also provide coverage for the product candidate. Further, no uniform policy

for coverage and reimbursement exists in the United States, and coverage and reimbursement can differ significantly from payor to payor. As a result, coverage determination is often a time-consuming and costly process that will require us to provide scientific and clinical support for the use of our products to each payor separately, with no assurance that coverage and adequate reimbursement will be obtained. Further, coverage policies and third-party payor reimbursement rates may change at any time. Even if favorable coverage and reimbursement status is attained, less favorable coverage policies and reimbursement rates may be implemented in the future.

The U.S. government, state legislatures and foreign governments have shown significant interest in implementing cost containment programs to limit the growth of government-paid health care costs, including price-controls, restrictions on reimbursement and requirements for substitution of biosimilars for branded prescription drugs. For example, the ACA contains provisions that may reduce the profitability of drug products through increased rebates for drugs reimbursed by Medicaid programs, extension of Medicaid rebates to Medicaid managed care plans, mandatory discounts for certain Medicare Part D beneficiaries and annual fees based on pharmaceutical companies' share of sales to federal healthcare programs. Adoption of general controls and measures, coupled with the tightening of restrictive policies in jurisdictions with existing controls and measures, could limit payments for pharmaceutical drugs.

The Medicaid Drug Rebate Program requires pharmaceutical manufacturers to enter into and have in effect a national rebate agreement with the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services as a condition for states to receive federal matching funds for the manufacturer's outpatient drugs furnished to Medicaid patients. The ACA made several changes to the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program, including increasing pharmaceutical manufacturers' rebate liability by raising the minimum basic Medicaid rebate on most branded prescription drugs from 15.1% of average manufacturer price (AMP), to 23.1% of AMP and adding a new rebate calculation for "line extensions" (i.e., new formulations, such as extended release formulations) of solid oral dosage forms of branded products, as well as potentially impacting their rebate liability by modifying the statutory definition of AMP. The ACA also expanded the universe of Medicaid utilization subject to drug rebates by requiring pharmaceutical manufacturers to pay rebates on Medicaid managed care utilization and by enlarging the population potentially eligible for Medicaid drug benefits.

The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (MMA), established the Medicare Part D program to provide a voluntary prescription drug benefit to Medicare beneficiaries. Under Part D, Medicare beneficiaries may enroll in prescription drug plans offered by private entities that provide coverage of outpatient prescription drugs. Unlike Medicare Part A and B, Part D coverage is not standardized. While all Medicare drug plans must give at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare, Part D prescription drug plan sponsors are not required to pay for all covered Part D drugs, and each drug plan can develop its own drug formulary that identifies which drugs it will cover and at what tier or level. However, Part D prescription drug formularies must include drugs within each therapeutic category and class of covered Part D drugs, though not necessarily all the drugs in each category or class. Any formulary used by a Part D prescription drug plan must be developed and reviewed by a pharmacy and therapeutic committee. Government payment for some of the costs of prescription drugs may increase demand for products for which we receive marketing approval. However, any negotiated prices for our products covered by a Part D prescription drug plan likely will be lower than the prices we might otherwise obtain. Moreover, while the MMA applies only to drug benefits for Medicare beneficiaries, private payors often follow Medicare coverage policy and payment limitations in setting their own payment rates. Any reduction in payment that results from the MMA may result in a similar reduction in payments from non-governmental payors.

For a drug product to receive federal reimbursement under the Medicaid or Medicare Part B programs or to be sold directly to U.S. government agencies, the manufacturer must extend discounts to entities eligible to participate in the 340B drug pricing program. The required 340B discount on a given product is calculated based on the AMP and Medicaid rebate amounts reported by the manufacturer. As of 2010, the ACA expanded the types of entities eligible to receive discounted 340B pricing, although, under the current state of the law, with the exception of children's hospitals, these newly eligible entities will not be eligible to receive discounted 340B pricing on orphan drugs. In addition, as 340B drug pricing is determined based on AMP and Medicaid rebate

data, the revisions to the Medicaid rebate formula and AMP definition described above could cause the required 340B discount to increase.

As noted above, the marketability of any products for which we receive regulatory approval for commercial sale may suffer if the government and third-party payors fail to provide coverage and reimbursement. Obtaining coverage and reimbursement for newly approved drugs and biologics is a time-consuming and costly process, and coverage may be more limited than the purposes for which a drug is approved by the FDA or comparable foreign regulatory authorities. Assuming coverage is obtained for a given product by a third-party payor, the resulting reimbursement payment rates may not be adequate or may require co-payments that patients find unacceptably high. Additionally, coverage policies and third-party reimbursement rates may change at any time. Patients who are prescribed medications for the treatment of their conditions, and their prescribing physicians, generally rely on third-party payors to reimburse all or part of the costs associated with their prescription drugs. Patients are unlikely to use products unless coverage is provided and reimbursement is adequate to cover all or a significant portion of the cost of prescribed products.

In addition, in most foreign countries, the proposed pricing for a drug must be approved before it may be lawfully marketed. The requirements governing drug pricing and reimbursement vary widely from country to country. For example, the EU provides options for its member states to restrict the range of medicinal products for which their national health insurance systems provide reimbursement and to control the prices of medicinal products for human use. A member state may approve a specific price for the medicinal product or it may instead adopt a system of direct or indirect controls on the profitability of the company placing the medicinal product on the market. There can be no assurance that any country that has price controls or reimbursement limitations for pharmaceutical products will allow favorable reimbursement and pricing arrangements for any of our products. Historically, products launched in the European Union do not follow price structures of the United States and generally prices tend to be significantly lower.

#### ***European Drug Development***

In the European Union, our future products also may be subject to extensive regulatory requirements. As in the United States, medicinal products can be marketed only if a marketing authorization from the competent regulatory agencies has been obtained.

Similar to the United States, the various phases of preclinical and clinical research in the European Union are subject to significant regulatory controls. Although the EU Clinical Trials Directive 2001/20/EC has sought to harmonize the EU clinical trials regulatory framework, setting out common rules for the control and authorization of clinical trials in the European Union, the EU Member States have transposed and applied the provisions of the Directive differently. This has led to significant variations in the Member State regimes. Under the current regime, before a clinical trial can be initiated it must be approved in each of the EU countries where the trial is to be conducted by two distinct bodies: the National Competent Authority (NCA), and one or more Ethics Committees (ECs). Under the current regime all suspected unexpected serious adverse reactions to the investigated drug that occur during the clinical trial have to be reported to the NCA and ECs of the Member State where they occurred.

The EU clinical trials legislation currently is undergoing a transition process mainly aimed at harmonizing and streamlining clinical-trial authorization, simplifying adverse-event reporting procedures, improving the supervision of clinical trials and increasing their transparency. In April 2014, the EU adopted a new Clinical Trials Regulation (EU) No 536/2014, which is set to replace the current Clinical Trials Directive 2001/20/EC. It is expected that the new Clinical Trials Regulation (EU) No 536/2014 will apply following confirmation of full functionality of the Clinical Trials Information System (CTIS), the centralized EU portal and database for clinical trials foreseen by the Regulation, through an independent audit, currently expected to occur in December 2021. The new Regulation will be directly applicable in all Member States (and so does not require national implementing legislation in each Member State), and aims at simplifying and streamlining the approval of clinical studies in the EU, for instance by providing for a streamlined application procedure via a single point and strictly defined deadlines for the assessment of clinical study applications.



We are in the process of applying to renew our status with EMA as a small and medium-sized enterprise (SME). If we obtain SME status with the EMA, it will provide access to administrative, regulatory and financial support, including fee reductions for scientific advice and regulatory procedures.

#### ***European Drug Marketing***

Much like the Anti-Kickback Statute prohibition in the United States, the provision of benefits or advantages to physicians or other health care professionals to induce or encourage the prescription, recommendation, endorsement, purchase, supply, order or use of medicinal products is also prohibited in the European Union. The provision of benefits or advantages to induce or reward improper performance generally is usually governed by the national anti-bribery laws of European Union Member States, and the Bribery Act 2010 in the UK. Infringement of these laws could result in substantial fines and imprisonment. EU Directive 2001/83/EC, which is the EU Directive governing medicinal products for human use, further provides that, where medicinal products are being promoted to persons qualified to prescribe or supply them, no gifts, pecuniary advantages or benefits in kind may be supplied, offered or promised to such persons unless they are inexpensive and relevant to the practice of medicine or pharmacy. This provision has been transposed into the Human Medicines Regulations 2012 and so remains applicable in the UK despite its departure from the EU.

Payments made to physicians or other healthcare professionals in certain European Union Member States must be publicly disclosed. Moreover, agreements with physicians often must be the subject of prior notification and approval by the physician's employer, his or her competent professional organization and/or the regulatory authorities of the individual EU Member States. These requirements are provided in the national laws, industry codes or professional codes of conduct, applicable in the EU Member States. Failure to comply with these requirements could result in reputational risk, public reprimands, administrative penalties, fines or imprisonment.

#### ***European Drug Review and Approval***

In the European Economic Area (EEA), which is comprised of the Member States of the European Union together with Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein, medicinal products can only be commercialized after obtaining a marketing authorization (MA). There are two main types of MAs:

- The centralized MA is issued by the European Commission through the centralized procedure, based on the opinion of the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP), of the EMA, and is valid throughout the entire territory of the EEA. The centralized procedure is mandatory for certain types of products, such as biotechnology medicinal products, orphan medicinal products, advanced-therapy medicinal products (i.e. gene-therapy, somatic cell-therapy or tissue-engineered medicines) and medicinal products containing a new active substance indicated for the treatment of HIV, AIDS, cancer, neurodegenerative disorders, diabetes, auto-immune and other immune dysfunctions and viral diseases. The centralized procedure is optional for products containing a new active substance not yet authorized in the EEA, or for products that constitute a significant therapeutic, scientific or technical innovation or which are in the interest of public health in the European Union. Under the centralized procedure the maximum timeframe for the evaluation of a MA application by the EMA is 210 days, excluding clock stops, when additional written or oral information is to be provided by the applicant in response to questions asked by the CHMP. Clock stops may extend the timeframe of evaluation of a MA application considerably beyond 210 days. Where the CHMP gives a positive opinion, the EMA provides the opinion together with supporting documentation to the European Commission, who make the final decision to grant a marketing authorization, which is issued within 67 days of receipt of the EMA's recommendation. Accelerated assessment might be granted by the CHMP in exceptional cases, when a medicinal product is expected to be of a major public health interest, particularly from the point of view of therapeutic innovation. The timeframe for the evaluation of a MA application under the accelerated assessment procedure is of 150 days, excluding stop-clocks, but it is possible that the CHMP may revert to the standard time limit for the centralized procedure if it determines that the application is no longer appropriate to conduct an accelerated assessment.

- National MAs, which are issued by the competent authorities of the Member States of the EEA and only cover their respective territory, are available for products not falling within the mandatory scope of the centralized procedure. Where a product has already been authorized for marketing in a Member State of the EEA, this national MA can be recognized in other Member States through the mutual recognition procedure. If the product has not received a national MA in any Member State at the time of application, it can be approved simultaneously in various Member States through the decentralized procedure. Under the decentralized procedure an identical dossier is submitted to the competent authorities of each of the Member States in which the MA is sought, one of which is selected by the applicant as the Reference Member State (RMS). The competent authority of the RMS prepares a draft assessment report, a draft summary of the product characteristics, or SmPC, and a draft of the labeling and package leaflet, which are sent to the other Member States (referred to as the Concerned Member States) for their approval. If the Concerned Member States raise no objections, based on a potential serious risk to public health, to the assessment, SmPC, labeling, or packaging proposed by the RMS, the product is subsequently granted a national MA in all the Member States (i.e., in the RMS and the Concerned Member States).

Under the above described procedures, before granting the MA, the EMA or the competent authorities of the Member States of the EEA make an assessment of the risk-benefit balance of the product on the basis of scientific criteria concerning its quality, safety and efficacy.

#### ***European New Chemical Entity Exclusivity***

In the EEA, innovative medicinal products (including both small molecules and biological medicinal products), sometimes referred to as new active substances, qualify for eight years of data exclusivity upon marketing authorization and an additional two years of market exclusivity. The data exclusivity, if granted, prevents generic or biosimilar applicants from referencing the innovator's preclinical and clinical trial data contained in the dossier of the reference product when applying for a generic or biosimilar marketing authorization, for a period of eight years from the date on which the reference product was first authorized in the EEA. During the additional two-year period of market exclusivity, a generic or biosimilar marketing authorization can be submitted, and the innovator's data may be referenced, but no generic or biosimilar product can be marketed until the expiration of the market exclusivity period. The overall ten-year period will be extended to a maximum of 11 years if, during the first eight years of those ten years, the marketing authorization holder obtains an authorization for one or more new therapeutic indications which, during the scientific evaluation prior to their authorization, are determined to bring a significant clinical benefit in comparison with currently approved therapies. Even if an innovative medicinal product gains the prescribed period of data exclusivity, another company may market another version of the product if such company obtained a marketing authorization based on an application with a complete and independent data package of pharmaceutical tests, preclinical tests and clinical trials.

#### ***European orphan designation and exclusivity***

In the EEA, the EMA's Committee for Orphan Medicinal Products grants orphan drug designation to promote the development of products that are intended for the diagnosis, prevention or treatment of life-threatening or chronically debilitating conditions which either affect no more than 5 in 10,000 persons in the European Union, or where it is unlikely that the marketing of the medicine would generate sufficient return to justify the necessary investment in its development. In each case, no satisfactory method of diagnosis, prevention or treatment has been authorized (or, if such a method exists, the product in question would be of significant benefit to those affected by the condition).

In the EEA, orphan drug designation entitles a party to financial incentives such as reduction of fees or fee waivers, and ten years of market exclusivity is granted following marketing approval for the orphan product. This period may be reduced to six years if, at the end of the fifth year, it is established that the orphan drug designation criteria are no longer met, including where it is shown that the product is sufficiently profitable not to

justify maintenance of market exclusivity. During the period of market exclusivity, marketing authorization may only be granted to a “similar medicinal product” for the same therapeutic indication if: (i) a second applicant can establish that its product, although similar to the authorized product, is safer, more effective or otherwise clinically superior; (ii) the marketing authorization holder for the authorized product consents to a second orphan medicinal product application; or (iii) the marketing authorization holder for the authorized product cannot supply enough orphan medicinal product. A “similar medicinal product” is defined as a medicinal product containing a similar active substance or substances as contained in an authorized orphan medicinal product, and which is intended for the same therapeutic indication. Orphan drug designation must be requested before submitting an application for marketing approval. Orphan drug designation does not convey any advantage in, or shorten the duration of, the regulatory review and approval process.

#### ***European pediatric investigation plan***

In the EEA, companies developing a new medicinal product must agree upon a pediatric investigation plan (PIP), with the EMA’s Pediatric Committee (PDCO), and must conduct pediatric clinical trials in accordance with that PIP, unless a waiver applies. The PIP sets out the timing and measures proposed to generate data to support a pediatric indication of the drug for which marketing authorization is being sought. The PDCO can grant a deferral of the obligation to implement some or all of the measures of the PIP until there are sufficient data to demonstrate the efficacy and safety of the product in adults. Further, the obligation to provide pediatric clinical trial data can be waived by the PDCO when this data is not needed or appropriate because the product is likely to be ineffective or unsafe in children, the disease or condition for which the product is intended occurs only in adult populations, or when the product does not represent a significant therapeutic benefit over existing treatments for pediatric patients. Products that are granted a marketing authorization with the results of the pediatric clinical trials conducted in accordance with the PIP (even where such results are negative) are eligible for six months’ supplementary protection certificate extension (if any is in effect at the time of approval). In the case of orphan medicinal products, a two year extension of the orphan market exclusivity may be available. This pediatric reward is subject to specific conditions and is not automatically available when data in compliance with the PIP are developed and submitted.

#### ***PRIME Designation***

In March 2016, the EMA launched an initiative to facilitate development of product candidates in indications, often rare, for which few or no therapies currently exist. The PRiority Medicines (PRIME), scheme is intended to encourage drug development in areas of unmet medical need and provides accelerated assessment of products representing substantial innovation, where the marketing authorization application will be made through the centralized procedure. Eligible products must target conditions for which there is an unmet medical need (there is no satisfactory method of diagnosis, prevention or treatment in the EEA or, if there is, the new medicine will bring a major therapeutic advantage) and they must demonstrate the potential to address the unmet medical need by introducing new methods of therapy or improving existing ones. Products from small- and medium-sized enterprises may qualify for earlier entry into the PRIME scheme than larger companies. Many benefits accrue to sponsors of product candidates with PRIME designation, including but not limited to, early and proactive regulatory dialogue with the EMA, frequent discussions on clinical trial designs and other development program elements, and accelerated marketing authorization application assessment once a dossier has been submitted. Importantly, a dedicated contact and rapporteur from the EMA’s CHMP or Committee for Advanced Therapies are appointed early in PRIME scheme facilitating increased understanding of the product at EMA’s Committee level. A kick-off meeting initiates these relationships and includes a team of multidisciplinary experts at the EMA to provide guidance on the overall development and regulatory strategies. Where, during the course of development, a medicine no longer meets the eligibility criteria, support under the PRIME scheme may be withdrawn.

#### ***Brexit and the Regulatory Framework in the United Kingdom***

On June 23, 2016, the electorate in the UK voted in favor of leaving the EU, commonly referred to as Brexit, and the UK officially withdrew from the EU on January 31, 2020.

Pursuant to the formal withdrawal arrangements agreed between the UK and the EU, the UK was subject to a transition period until December 31, 2020 (Transition Period), during which EU rules continued to apply. The EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement, which outlines the future trading relationship between the UK and the EU was agreed in December 2020.

Great Britain is no longer covered by the EU's procedures for the grant of marketing authorizations (Northern Ireland will be covered by the centralized authorization procedure and can be covered as a CMS under the decentralized or mutual recognition procedures). A separate marketing authorization will be required to market drugs in Great Britain. All medicinal products with a valid centralized MA on January 1, 2021 were automatically converted into Great Britain MAs (unless the MA holder opted out of such a conversion). For two years from 1 January 2021, the UK's regulator, the MHRA, may adopt decisions taken by the European Commission on the approval of new marketing authorizations through the centralized procedure, and the MHRA will have regard to marketing authorizations approved in a country in the European Economic Area (although in both cases a marketing authorization will only be granted if any Great Britain-specific requirements are met). Various national procedures are now available to place a drug on the market in the UK, Great Britain, or Northern Ireland, with the main national procedure having a maximum timeframe of 150 days (excluding time taken to provide any further information or data required). The data exclusivity periods in the UK are currently in line with those in the EU, but the EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement provides that the periods for both data and market exclusivity are to be determined by domestic law, and so there could be divergence in the future. It is currently unclear whether the MHRA in the UK is sufficiently prepared to handle the increased volume of marketing authorization applications that it is likely to receive.

Orphan designation in Great Britain following Brexit is essentially identical to the position in the EU, but is based on the prevalence of the condition in Great Britain. It is therefore possible that conditions that are currently designated as orphan conditions in Great Britain will no longer be and that conditions that are not currently designated as orphan conditions in the EU will be designated as such in Great Britain.

The EU's regulatory environment for clinical trials is being harmonized as part of the Clinical Trial Regulations, which are due to enter into full effect at the end of 2021, but it is currently unclear as to what extent the UK will seek to align its regulations with the EU.

#### ***Personal Data Processing***

The collection, use, transfer, disclosure, retention, security and other processing of personal data (including, without limitation, clinical trial data and other personal health data) (collectively, "Process" or "Processing") may be subject to independent and overlapping data security and privacy regulatory frameworks in the various jurisdictions in which we operate. These frameworks are evolving and may impose potentially conflicting obligations. For example, in the EEA, the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (EU) 2016/679, which became effective May 25, 2018, governs the Processing of personal data. The GDPR applies to any company established in the EEA and to companies established outside the EEA that Process personal data in connection with the offering of goods or services to data subjects in the EEA or the monitoring of the behavior of data subjects in the EEA. The GDPR enhances data protection obligations for data controllers (such as clinical trial sponsors) of personal data, including stringent requirements relating to the consent of data subjects, expanded disclosures about how personal data is used, requirements to conduct privacy impact assessments for "high risk" Processing, limitations on retention of personal data, special provisions for "sensitive information" including health and genetic information of data subjects, mandatory data breach notification and "privacy by design" requirements, and direct obligations on service providers acting as data processors. The GDPR also imposes strict rules on the transfer of personal data outside of the EEA to countries that do not ensure an adequate level of protection for personal data, like the U.S. Such transfers of personal data outside of the EEA require the use of a valid "transfer mechanism" and, in many cases, the implementation of supplementary technical, organizational and/or contractual measures. Failure to comply with the requirements of the GDPR and the related national data protection laws of the EEA Member States may result in fines up to 20 million euros or

4% of a company's global annual revenues for the preceding financial year, whichever is higher. Moreover, the GDPR grants data subjects the right to request deletion of personal data in certain circumstances, and claim material and non-material damages resulting from infringement of the GDPR. Notwithstanding the UK's withdrawal from the European Union, by operation of the so-called "UK GDPR", the GDPR continues to apply in substantially equivalent form in the context of the UK, UK establishments and UK-focused personal data Processing operations. Under the post-Brexit Trade and Cooperation Agreement between the EU and the UK, the UK and EU have agreed that personal data transfers to the UK from EEA Member States will not be treated as 'restricted transfers' to a non-EEA country for a period of up to four months from January 1, 2021, plus a potential further two months extension. If the European Commission does not adopt an "adequacy decision" in respect of the UK during this period, from that point onwards the UK will be an "inadequate third country" under the GDPR and transfers of personal data from the EEA to the UK will require a valid "transfer mechanism."

In the United States, there are a broad variety of data protection laws and regulations that may apply to our activities such as state data breach notification laws, state personal data privacy laws (for example, the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (CCPA), state health information privacy laws, and federal and state consumer protection laws.

Given the breadth and depth of changes in data protection obligations, achieving and maintaining compliance with applicable data protection laws and regulations such as the GDPR, UK GDPR and CCPA will require significant time, resources and expense, and we may be required to put in place new or additional mechanisms to ensure compliance with current, evolving and new data protection requirements. This may be an onerous undertaking and adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

#### ***Rest of the World Regulation***

For other countries outside of the EEA, the UK and the United States, such as countries in Eastern Europe, Latin America or Asia, the requirements governing the conduct of clinical trials, privacy, information security, product licensing, pricing and reimbursement vary from country to country. Additionally, the clinical trials must be conducted in accordance with GCP requirements and the applicable regulatory requirements and the ethical principles that have their origin in the Declaration of Helsinki.

#### **Facilities**

Our corporate registered office is The Dorothy Hodgkin Building Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom CB22 3FH. Due to the continuing impact of the COVID-19 global pandemic since our inception, we and many members of the Centessa Subsidiaries have been successfully working virtually and have not been able to identify premises to serve as our headquarters. We plan to locate our headquarters in Cambridge, Massachusetts once we are able to find space that we believe is suitable for our business and that is available on commercially reasonable terms.

#### **Employees and Human Capital**

As of April 15, 2021, we and our subsidiaries had an aggregate of 34 full-time employees and 46 contractors. A contractor is defined as anyone directly contracted for a certain number of hours or days or in respect of a particular project. This does not include anyone that is engaged on an ad-hoc basis or contracted through a CRO or other firm without a direct contract. 21 of our employees have M.D. or Ph.D. degrees. Within our workforce, 22 employees are engaged in research and development and 12 are engaged in business development, finance, legal, and general management and administration. None of our employees are represented by labor unions or covered by collective bargaining agreements. We consider our relationship with our employees to be good.

Our human capital resources objectives include, as applicable, identifying, recruiting, retaining, incentivizing and integrating our existing and new employees, advisors and consultants. The principal purposes of our equity and cash incentive plans are to attract, retain and reward personnel through the granting of stock-based and cash-based compensation awards, in order to increase shareholder value and the success of our company by motivating

such individuals to perform to the best of their abilities and achieve our objectives. We also seek to align the incentives of the operational teams at our subsidiaries with our business objectives by employing incentivization agreements with such individuals.

As a global company, much of our success is rooted in the diversity of our teams and our commitment to inclusion. We value diversity at all levels and continue to focus on extending our diversity and inclusion initiatives across our entire workforce, from working with managers to develop strategies for building diverse teams to promoting the advancement of leaders from different backgrounds.

**Legal Proceedings**

From time to time, we may become involved in litigation or other legal proceedings. We are not currently a party to any litigation or legal proceedings that, in the opinion of our management, are probable to have a material adverse effect on our business. Regardless of outcome, litigation can have an adverse impact on our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects because of defense and settlement costs, diversion of management resources and other factors.

MANAGEMENT

**Executive Officers and Directors**

Our executive officers, directors and other key personnel and their respective ages and positions as of March 1, 2021:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Position(s)</u>
<i>Executive Officers</i>		
Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.	44	Chief Executive Officer and Director
Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.	50	Chief Financial Officer
Marella Thorell	54	Chief Accounting Officer
Iqbal Hussain	40	General Counsel
David Chao, Ph.D.	53	Chief Administrative Officer
<i>Non-Employee Directors</i>		
Francesco De Rubertis, Ph.D.	51	Director and Chairman of the Board
Arjun Goyal, M.D., M.Phil, M.B.A.	38	Director
Aaron Kantoff	35	Director
Brett Zbar, M.D.	48	Director
Mary Lynne Hedley, Ph.D.	58	Director
Samarth Kulkarni, Ph.D.	42	Director
Robert Califf, M.D.	69	Director

The following is a biographical summary of the experience of our executive officers and directors. There are no family relationships among any of our executive officers or directors.

**Executive Officers**

**Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.**, has served as our Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors since January 2021. Prior to that, from 2017 to 2021, Dr. Saha served as a Senior Vice President of R&D at Bristol Myers Squibb, where he led translational medicine across all therapeutic areas spanning discovery, development and commercialization. Prior to that, from 2015 to 2017, Dr. Saha was a venture partner at Atlas Venture where he held leadership positions with a number of its portfolio biotech companies, including as Chief Medical Officer of Synlogic and as Chief Executive Officer of Delinia until its sale. Earlier in his career, Dr. Saha was a management consultant in the pharmaceutical practice at McKinsey & Company and subsequently appointed director and head of the New Indications Discovery Unit at Novartis. Dr. Saha holds an M.D. and Ph.D. in cancer genetics from The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. He is an alumnus of Harvard Business School and Oxford University, studying general management and biochemistry, respectively. Dr. Saha received a B.Sc. in biology from the California Institute of Technology (Caltech). We believe Dr. Saha is qualified to serve on our board of directors based on his biotech, pharmaceutical, and venture capital leadership experiences.

**Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.**, has served as our Chief Financial Officer since February 2021. Previously, Dr. Weinhoff served as Chief Financial Officer and Chief Business Officer of Arvelle Therapeutics, B.V. from February 2019 to February 2021. Dr. Weinhoff also served as Chief Financial Officer of Axovant Sciences, Inc. from August 2015 to June 2019. Dr. Weinhoff was employed by Collinson Howe Venture Partners, an investment advisory firm, from 2001 until August 2015 and during that time served as a Member of the General Partners of various CHL Medical Partners affiliated venture capital funds. From 2000 to 2001, he was a senior associate at J. H. Whitney & Co., a private equity firm, where he concentrated on private equity investments in healthcare technology and services companies. Prior to his graduate training, Dr. Weinhoff was a financial analyst in the Healthcare Corporate Finance Group at Morgan Stanley & Co., an investment bank. Dr. Weinhoff received his A.B. in economics from Harvard College, his M.D. from Harvard Medical School and his M.B.A. from Harvard Business School.

**Marella Thorell**, has served as our Chief Accounting Officer since April 2021 and previously served as Head of Finance since February 2021. Prior to that, Ms. Thorell served as Chief Financial Officer of Palladio Biosciences from October 2019 to January 2021, leading Palladio's finance operations and capital strategy and execution. Ms. Thorell served in various roles at Realm Therapeutics from October 2008 until August 2019, ultimately serving as Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operating Officer and Executive Director of Realm Therapeutics (Nasdaq: RLM). In this role, she led accounting and financial reporting operations and helped transition Realm's focus to drug development following a strategic overhaul and was responsible for divesting domestic and international operating businesses and in-licensing and out-licensing assets. Earlier in her career Ms. Thorell worked for Campbell Soup Company (NYSE: CPB) in finance and operational roles of increasing responsibility and at Ernst & Young, LLP where she earned a CPA. Ms. Thorell serves on the Boards of Essa Pharm (Nasdaq: EPIX) and Vallon Pharmaceuticals (Nasdaq: VLON), serving as Chair of the Audit Committee at Vallon. Ms. Thorell is also on the Board of Directors of Living Beyond Breast Cancer (lbbc.org). Ms. Thorell earned a B.S. in Business from Lehigh University, magna cum laude.

**Iqbal Hussain**, has served as our General Counsel since February 2021. Prior to that, Mr. Hussain served as a Partner in the Global Corporate Group at Reed Smith LLP from September 2019 to January 2021, where he led Reed Smith's Life Sciences corporate practice across EMEA. Before joining Reed Smith, Mr. Hussain held roles at Johnson & Johnson, from February 2014 to August 2019, where he served initially as Senior Counsel and subsequently as Legal Director of M&A. Mr. Hussain began his career at Slaughter and May where he advised clients on public and private M&A, from August 2005 until January 2012. Between January 2012 and February 2014, Mr. Hussain was a Senior Associate in the Corporate M&A team at Ropes & Gray LLP. Mr. Hussain received an LLB from the University of Sheffield in 2004 and completed his post graduate legal education at the Oxford Institute of Legal Practice in 2005.

**David Chao, Ph.D.**, has served as our Chief Administrative Officer since April 2021. Previously, Dr. Chao served as the Chief Executive Officer of the Stowers Institute for Medical Research from 2010 to 2020 and the Chief Executive Officer of BioMed Valley Discoveries, Inc. from 2007 to 2009 and 2014 to 2021. From 2004 to 2007, he worked at the Novartis Institutes of BioMedical Research, with the last position of Head, Strategic Alliances Global Operations. From 2012 to 2020, Dr. Chao was a member of the Board of Directors of the American Century Companies. Dr. Chao was previously a consultant with McKinsey & Company and a founder of Akceli Inc., ANDE Corporation and Nectagen Inc. He received his A.B./A.M. in Biology from Harvard University and his Ph.D. in Biology from MIT.

#### ***Non-Employee Directors***

**Francesco De Rubertis, Ph.D.**, joined our board of directors in November 2020. Dr. De Rubertis is a co-founder and Partner at Medicxi since 2016. Prior to Medicxi, Francesco was a Partner at Index Ventures for 19 years, having joined the firm in 1997 to launch its life sciences practice. Dr. De Rubertis serves on the boards of a number of private biotechnology companies, including Rivus Pharmaceuticals, Synox Therapeutics and Levicept. Dr. De Rubertis's prior investments include CellZome, GenMab (Copenhagen: GEN.CO), GenSight Biologics (Euronext: SIGHT), Micromet, Minerva Neurosciences (NASDAQ:NERV), Molecular Partners (Swiss:MOLN.SW), PanGenetics, Parallele Biosciences, Profibrix and Versartis (NASDAQ:VSAR). Dr. De Rubertis received a B.A. in Genetics and Microbiology from the University of Pavia (Italy) and a PhD in Molecular Biology from the University of Geneva (Switzerland) after which he became a postdoctoral scientist at the Whitehead Institute at M.I.T. He is a Chartered Financial Analyst and serves on the main board of the University of Geneva (Switzerland). We believe Dr. De Rubertis is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of his experience as a seasoned investor in the industry in which we operate.

**Arjun Goyal, M.D., M.Phil, M.B.A.**, joined our board of directors in January 2021. Dr. Goyal is a Co-Founder and Managing Director of Vida Ventures, a life sciences investment firm that he co-founded in 2017. Dr. Goyal serves as a director on the boards of Scorpion Therapeutics, Quanta Therapeutics, Affini-T and has played key roles in Vida Venture's investments in Homology Medicines (NASDAQ:FIXX), Pionyr Immunotherapeutics (acquired),



Peloton Therapeutics (acquired) and Asklepios Bio (acquired). Before Vida Ventures, Arjun was a life sciences investor at 5AM Ventures from 2014 to 2017. Dr. Goyal received his B.S. in Medical Science, Diploma in French and his M.D. degree from the Universities of Melbourne and Oxford. He completed his postgraduate clinical training in Internal Medicine in Sydney. He received his M.Phil. in Bioscience Enterprise from University of Cambridge and his M.B.A. from Harvard Business School. We believe Dr. Goyal is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of his experience as a seasoned investor in the industry in which we operate.

**Aaron Kantoff** joined our board of directors in January 2021. Mr. Kantoff is currently a Venture Partner at Medicxi, a position he has held since May 2020. Prior to joining Medicxi, Aaron was most recently a partner with Apple Tree Partners, or ATP, where he was a key member of the life science investment team since 2011. While at ATP, Mr. Kantoff served on the boards of several portfolio companies, including Akero Therapeutics (NASDAQ: AKRO), Corvidia Therapeutics (acquired by Novo Nordisk), Elstar Therapeutics, Limelight Bio and Syntimmune (acquired by Alexion). Prior to joining ATP, Mr. Kantoff held roles in private equity and investment banking. In addition to his role on our board of directors, he currently serves on the boards of two private biotech companies for which he was a founding board member, RayzeBio and Silagene. Mr. Kantoff received a B.S. in Finance and International Business from New York University's Stern's School of Business. We believe Mr. Kantoff is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of his experience as a seasoned investor and operator in the industry in which we operate.

**Brett Zbar, M.D.**, joined our board of directors in January 2021. Dr. Zbar currently serves as Managing Director and Global Head of Life Sciences at General Atlantic, a global growth equity firm. Before joining General Atlantic in 2020, from 2015 to 2020, Dr. Zbar was a Managing Director at Foresite Capital, where he focused on backing healthcare entrepreneurs and companies at all stages. While at Foresite, Dr. Zbar served as a board member or observer at multiple companies including ConnectiveRx, Kinnate Biopharma, ORIC Pharmaceuticals, Peloton Therapeutics, Pharvaris, Replimune, Signant Health, Turning Point Therapeutics and VenatoRx Pharmaceuticals. Prior to that, Dr. Zbar was a Partner at Aisling Capital, where from 2004 to 2014 he invested in life sciences companies developing and commercializing innovative products, services and technologies. Dr. Zbar began his career in McKinsey & Company's Pharmaceuticals and Medical Products practice and completed his internship in internal medicine on the Osler Medical Service at Johns Hopkins Hospital. Dr. Zbar received his M.D. from Harvard Medical School and holds a B.A. in English and Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry from Yale University. We believe Dr. Zbar is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of his experience as a seasoned investor in the industry in which we operate.

**Mary Lynne Hedley, Ph.D.**, joined our board of directors in February 2021. Dr. Hedley served as Director, President and Chief Executive Officer of TESARO, a biotechnology company she also co-founded, from 2010 until 2020. Dr. Hedley received a B.S. in Microbiology from Purdue University in 1983 and a Ph.D. in Immunology from UT Southwestern, Dallas in 1988. We believe Dr. Hedley is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of her executive and industry experience.

**Samarth Kulkarni, Ph.D.**, joined our board of directors in February 2021. Dr. Kulkarni has served as Chief Executive Officer of CRISPR Therapeutics AG (NASDAQ: CRSP) since December 1, 2017 and as a member of its Board of Directors since June 2018. Previous to that, Dr. Kulkarni served as President and Chief Business Officer of CRISPR Therapeutics AG from May 2017 to November 30, 2017 and, before that, as its Chief Business Officer from August 2015. Prior to joining CRISPR Therapeutics AG, Dr. Kulkarni was at McKinsey & Company from 2006 to July 2015, with various titles, his most recent being Partner within the Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology practice. Dr. Kulkarni has also served as a member of the board of directors of Black Diamond Therapeutics, Inc., an oncology company, since December 2019. Dr. Kulkarni received a Ph.D. in Bioengineering and Nanotechnology from the University of Washington and a B. Tech. from the Indian Institute of Technology. Dr. Kulkarni has authored several publications in leading scientific and business journals. We believe Dr. Kulkarni's experience in the pharmaceutical industry qualifies him to serve on our Board of Directors.

**Robert Califf, M.D.**, joined our board of directors in February 2021. Dr. Califf is the head of clinical strategy and policy for Verily Life Sciences and Google Health. Previously, he was Vice Chancellor for Health Data Science at Duke Health and Director of the Duke University Center for Health Data Science. He is now an

adjunct professor at Duke University and Stanford University. Dr. Califf has also served on the board of directors of Cytokinetics, Incorporated (Nasdaq:CYTK) since February 2018. Dr. Califf served as Commissioner of the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) between February 2016 and January 2017, and as Deputy Commissioner of the FDA's Office of Medical Products and Tobacco from January 2015 until January 2017. Prior to joining the FDA, Dr. Califf was Professor of Medicine and Vice Chancellor for Clinical and Translational Research at Duke University. He also served as Director of the Duke Translational Medicine Institute and founding Director of the Duke Clinical Research Institute. Dr. Califf has led dozens of landmark clinical trials and he has been recognized as one of the top ten most-cited medical authors with more than 1,300 peer-reviewed publications. Dr. Califf received both a B.S. and an M.D. from Duke University. We believe Dr. Califf is qualified to serve on our board of directors because of his extensive drug development experience, regulatory expertise and clinical research knowledge.

#### **Composition of Our Board of Directors**

Our board of directors currently consists of eight members, all of whom were elected pursuant to the board composition provisions in our articles of association, which is described under "Certain Relationships and Related Party Transactions—Agreements with Our Shareholders" in this prospectus. These board composition provisions will terminate upon the closing of this offering as the articles of association adopted by us immediately prior to closing of this offering will not include such provisions and the investment agreement relating to the group will terminate immediately prior to closing. Upon the termination of these provisions, there will be no further contractual obligations regarding the election of our directors. Our nominating and governance committee and board of directors may therefore consider a broad range of factors relating to the qualifications and background of nominees, which may include diversity and is not limited to race, gender or national origin. Whilst we take diversity very seriously, currently we have no formal policy regarding board diversity. Our nominating and governance committee's and board of directors' priority in selecting board members is identification of persons who will further the interests of our shareholders through his or her established record of professional accomplishment, the ability to contribute positively to the collaborative culture among board members, knowledge of our business, understanding of the competitive landscape and professional and personal experiences and expertise relevant to our growth strategy. Our directors hold office until their successors have been elected and qualified or until the earlier of their resignation or removal.

At every subsequent annual general meeting any director who either (i) has been appointed by the board of directors since the last annual general meeting or (ii) was not appointed or reappointed at one of the preceding two annual general meetings, must retire from office and may offer themselves for reappointment by the shareholders by ordinary resolution. See "Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association—Post-IPO Articles of Association—Board of Directors."

Our board of directors has determined that all members of the board of directors, except \_\_\_\_\_ are independent, as determined in accordance with the rules of Nasdaq. In making such independence determination, our board of directors considered the relationships that each such non-employee director has with us and all other facts and circumstances that the board of directors deemed relevant in determining their independence. Upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, we expect that the composition and functioning of our board of directors and each of our committees will comply with all applicable requirements of Nasdaq and the rules and regulations of the SEC.

#### **Staggered Board**

Our articles of association to be effective upon completion of this offering provide that our board of directors will be divided into three classes, Class I, Class II and Class III, each of which will consist, as nearly as possible, of one-third of the total number of directors constituting our entire board and which will serve staggered three-year terms. At each annual general meeting, the successors of directors whose terms then expire will be elected to serve from the time of election and qualification until the third annual meeting following election.

- Our Class I directors will be \_\_\_\_\_ ;
- Our Class II directors will be \_\_\_\_\_ ; and
- Our Class III directors will be \_\_\_\_\_ .

Our articles of association to be effective upon completion of this offering provide that the authorized number of directors may be changed only by ordinary resolution of the shareholders. Any additional directorships resulting from an increase in the number of directors will be distributed among the three classes so that, as nearly as possible, each class shall consist of one third of the board of directors.

The division of our board of directors into three classes with staggered three-year terms may delay or prevent shareholder efforts to effect a change of our management or a change in control.

#### **Board's Role in Risk Oversight**

Our board of directors oversees the management of risks inherent in the operation of our business and the implementation of our business strategies. Our board of directors performs this oversight role by using several different levels of review. In connection with its reviews of our operations and corporate functions, our board of directors addresses the primary risks associated with those operations and corporate functions. In addition, our board of directors reviews the risks associated with our business strategies periodically throughout the year as part of its consideration of undertaking any such business strategies.

Each of our board committees also oversees the management of our risk that falls within the committee's areas of responsibility.

In performing this function, each committee has full access to management, as well as the ability to engage advisors. Our Principal Financial Officer reports to the audit committee and is responsible for identifying, evaluating and implementing risk management controls and methodologies to address any identified risks. In connection with its risk management role, our audit committee meets privately with representatives from our independent registered public accounting firm and our Principal Financial Officer. The audit committee oversees the operation of our risk management program, including the identification of the primary risks associated with our business and periodic updates to such risks, and reports to our board of directors regarding these activities.

#### **Board Committees**

Our board of directors has established an audit committee, a compensation committee and a nominating committee, each of which operates pursuant to a separate charter adopted by our board of directors. The composition and functioning of all of our committees will comply with all applicable requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, Nasdaq and SEC rules and regulations.

#### ***Audit Committee***

Upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, \_\_\_\_\_ will serve on the audit committee, which will be chaired by \_\_\_\_\_. Our board of directors has determined that each member of the audit committee is "independent" for audit committee purposes as that term is defined in the rules of the SEC and the applicable rules of Nasdaq. Our board of directors has designated \_\_\_\_\_ as an "audit committee financial expert," as defined under the applicable rules of the SEC. The audit committee's responsibilities include:

- appointing, approving the compensation of, and assessing the independence of our independent registered public accounting firm;
- approving auditing and permissible non-audit services, and the terms of such services, to be provided by our independent registered public accounting firm;
- reviewing the internal audit plan with the independent registered public accounting firm and members of management responsible for preparing our financial statements;
- reviewing and discussing with management and the independent registered public accounting firm our annual and quarterly financial statements and related disclosures as well as critical accounting policies and practices used by us;

- reviewing the adequacy of our internal control over financial reporting;
- establishing policies and procedures for the receipt and retention of accounting-related complaints and concerns;
- recommending, based upon the audit committee's review and discussions with management and the independent registered public accounting firm, whether our audited financial statements shall be included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K;
- monitoring the integrity of our financial statements and our compliance with legal and regulatory requirements as they relate to our financial statements and accounting matters;
- preparing the audit committee report required by the SEC rules to be included in our annual proxy statement;
- reviewing all related party transactions for potential conflict of interest situations and approving all such transactions; and
- reviewing earnings releases.

**Compensation Committee**

Upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, \_\_\_\_\_ will serve on the compensation committee, which will be chaired by \_\_\_\_\_. Our board of directors has determined that each member of the compensation committee is "independent" as that term is defined in the applicable rules of Nasdaq. The compensation committee's responsibilities include:

- annually reviewing and approving corporate goals and objectives relevant to the compensation of our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer;
- evaluating the performance of our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer in light of such corporate goals and objectives and recommending or determining the compensation of our Chief Executive Officer;
- reviewing and recommending or determining the compensation of our other executive officers;
- reviewing and establishing our overall management compensation, philosophy and policy;
- overseeing and administering our compensation and similar plans;
- evaluating and assessing potential current compensation advisors in accordance with the independence standards identified in the applicable rules of the Nasdaq Stock Market;
- retaining and approving the compensation of any compensation advisors;
- reviewing and approving our policies and procedures for the grant of equity-based awards;
- reviewing and making recommendations to the board of directors with respect to director compensation;
- preparing the compensation committee report required by the SEC rules to be included in our annual proxy statement;
- reviewing and discussing with management the compensation discussion and analysis to be included in our annual proxy statement or Annual Report on Form 10-K; and
- reviewing and discussing with the board of directors corporate succession plans for the Chief Executive Officer and other key officers.

**Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee**

Upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, \_\_\_\_\_ will serve on the nominating and corporate governance committee, which will be chaired by \_\_\_\_\_. Our board of

directors has determined that each member of the nominating and corporate governance committee is “independent” as that term is defined in the applicable rules of Nasdaq. The nominating and corporate governance committee’s responsibilities include:

- developing and recommending to the board of directors criteria for board and committee membership;
- establishing procedures for identifying and evaluating board of director candidates, including nominees recommended by shareholders;
- identifying individuals qualified to become members of the board of directors;
- recommending to the board of directors the persons to be nominated for election as directors and to each of the board’s committees;
- developing and recommending to the board of directors a set of corporate governance guidelines; and
- overseeing the evaluation of the board of directors and management.

Our board of directors may establish other committees from time to time.

**Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation**

None of the members of our compensation committee has at any time during the prior three years been one of our officers or employees. None of our executive officers currently serves, or in the past fiscal year has served, as a member of the board of directors or compensation committee of any entity that has one or more executive officers serving on our board of directors or compensation committee.

**Corporate Governance**

We intend to adopt, effective upon the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, a written code of business conduct and ethics that applies to our directors, officers and employees, including our Principal Executive Officer, Principal Financial Officer, Principal Accounting Officer or Controller, or persons performing similar functions. Following the completion of this offering, a current copy of the code will be posted on the Corporate Governance section of our website, which is located at [www.centessa.com](http://www.centessa.com). If we make any substantive amendments to, or grant any waivers from, the code of business conduct and ethics for any officer, we will disclose the nature of such amendment or waiver on our website or in a current report on Form 8-K.

## EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

## Summary Compensation Table

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, our parent entity and the issuer in this offering was newly-formed as a holding company and did not have any operations in 2020, and was incorporated in order to effect the Reorganization pursuant to which it acquired all of our current subsidiaries. As a result, we have set forth in the table below, disclosure of the total compensation that was paid or accrued for the executive officers of the same predecessor entities for which financial statements are included elsewhere in this prospectus for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020. Specifically, we have provided executive compensation disclosure for the principal executive officers of such predecessor entities as well as two additional individuals who were the most highly compensated executive officers serving such predecessor entities as of December 31, 2020. For fiscal year 2020 only, the executive officers of the aforementioned predecessor subsidiaries listed below will be deemed our “Named Executive Officers” as of December 31, 2020:

- James Huntington, Z Factor’s Founder and Chief Executive Officer;
- Nicholas Morrell, Morphogen-IX’s Chief Executive Officer;
- Jonathan Finlay, LockBody’s Chief Executive Officer;
- Jamie Coleman, LockBody’s Chief Operating Officer; and
- Trevor Baglin, Z Factor’s Chief Medical Officer.

In addition, neither Dr. Saha nor Dr. Weinhoff were executive officers during fiscal year ended December 31, 2020, so their information is not included in the table below. However, we have included certain additional information below regarding their compensation arrangements.

<u>Name and principal position</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Salary(1) (S)</u>	<u>Option Awards(2) (S)</u>	<u>Nonequity Incentive Plan Awards (S)</u>	<u>All Other Compensation (S)</u>	<u>Total (S)</u>
James Huntington <i>Z Factor’s Founder and Chief Executive Officer</i>	2020	204,855	204,803	—	—	409,658
Nicholas Morrell <i>Morphogen-IX’s Chief Executive Officer</i>	2020	320,940	—	—	—	320,940
Jonathan Finlay <i>LockBody’s Chief Executive Officer</i>	2020	163,884	—	—	—	168,884
Jamie Coleman <i>LockBody’s Chief Operating Officer</i>	2020	163,884	—	—	—	168,884
Trevor Baglin <i>Z Factor’s Chief Medical Officer</i>	2020	65,554	102,404	—	—	167,958

(1) All values stated herein have been converted from UK pounds to U.S. dollar as of December 31, 2020, at a rate of \$1.3657 to 1.

(2) Represents the aggregate grant date fair value computed in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 718, rather than an amount paid to or realized by the Named Executive Officer. The value of the grants is equal to the estimated fair value of the underlying share, less the nominal value exercise price.

**Narrative Disclosure to Summary Compensation Table**

***Employment Agreements***

**Saurabh Saha.** On November 19, 2020 (as amended on December 2, 2020), we entered into an offer letter with Dr. Saha, or the Saha Offer Letter, our Chief Executive Officer, pursuant to which Dr. Saha is entitled to a base salary of \$600,000 and eligible to earn a target annual bonus of forty-five percent (45%) of his base salary (prorated for 2021 only). The Saha Offer Letter also provided Dr. Saha with a one-time sign-on bonus of \$100,000, or the Sign-On Bonus. The Sign-On Bonus is subject to one hundred percent (100%) repayment within the ten (10)-day period following a termination of his employment by the Company for cause or his resignation for any reason other than good reason (as such terms are defined in the Saha Offer Letter) prior to the one year anniversary of his start date. He is also eligible to participate in the employee benefit plans available to our full-time U.S. employees, subject to the terms of those plans. In the event of a change in control (as such term is defined in the Saha Offer Letter) and provided Dr. Saha has remained in continued service through the date of such change in control, one hundred percent (100%) of the unvested portion of all of his time-based vesting equity grants will immediately vest.

Additionally, pursuant to the Saha Offer Letter, Dr. Saha has been granted an award of 8,338,971 options of the Company, or the Saha Equity Award. The Saha Equity Award vests at 25% per year, with annual cliff vesting in the first year and monthly vesting thereafter, subject to accelerated vesting in connection with a change in control.

Pursuant to the Saha Offer Letter, in the event Dr. Saha's employment is terminated by us without cause or Dr. Saha resigns for good reason, each a Qualifying Termination, subject to the execution and effectiveness of a general release of claims, he will be entitled to receive (i) 12 months of base salary, (ii) payment of the employer portion of COBRA premiums until the earliest of (A) the first anniversary of his date of termination, (B) the expiration of his eligibility for the continuation coverage under COBRA or (C) the date when he becomes eligible for substantially equivalent health insurance coverage in connection with new employment, and (iii) if such Qualifying Termination occurs within the fifteen-month period following his start date, or the Initial Service Period, the unvested portion of the Saha Equity as of the date of such Qualifying Termination Award that would have vested had he been in continuous service through the last day of the Initial Service Period will immediately vest.

**Gregory Weinhoff.** On February 27, 2021, we entered into an offer letter with Dr. Weinhoff, or the Weinhoff Offer Letter, our Chief Financial Officer, pursuant to which Dr. Weinhoff is entitled to a base salary of \$450,000 and eligible to earn a target annual bonus of forty percent (40%) of his base salary (prorated for 2021 only). He is also eligible to participate in the employee benefit plans available to our full-time U.S. employees, subject to the terms of those plans. In the event of a change in control (as such term is defined in the Weinhoff Offer Letter) and provided Dr. Weinhoff has remained in continued service through the date of such change in control, one hundred percent (100%) of the unvested portion of all of his equity grants will immediately vest.

Additionally, pursuant to the Weinhoff Offer Letter, Dr. Weinhoff has been granted an equity award of 1,917,963 stock options of the Company, or the Weinhoff Equity Award. The Weinhoff Equity Award vests at 25% per year, with annual cliff vesting in the first year and monthly vesting thereafter, subject to accelerated vesting in connection with a change in control.

Pursuant to the Weinhoff Offer Letter, in the event Dr. Weinhoff's employment is terminated by us without cause or Mr. Weinhoff resigns for good reason, each a Qualifying Termination, subject to the execution and effectiveness of a general release of claims, he will be entitled to receive (i) 12 months of base salary, and (ii) payment of the employer portion of COBRA premiums until the earliest of (A) the first anniversary of his date of termination, (B) the expiration of his eligibility for the continuation coverage under COBRA or (C) the date when he becomes eligible for substantially equivalent health insurance coverage in connection with new employment.

**James Huntington and Trevor Baglin Outsourcing Agreements.** On January 1, 2020, Z Factor Limited entered into outsourcing agreements with Mr. Huntington, Z Factor's Chief Executive Officer and Trevor Baglin, Z Factor's Chief Medical Officer, pursuant to which Messrs. Huntington and Baglin are entitled to reimbursement for certain development costs and travel expenses. These agreements were not amended or terminated as a result of the January 2021 business combinations among the Centessa Subsidiaries.

**Nicholas Morrell.** On March 25, 2019, Morphogen-IX Limited entered into a service agreement with Mr. Morrell, Morphogen-IX's Chief Executive Officer, the Morrell Service Agreement, pursuant to which Mr. Morrell is entitled to receive a base salary of £230,000, which is subject to annual review, and eligible to earn an annual discretionary bonus. Mr. Morrell is also eligible to participate in any insurance or assurance schemes provided by Morphogen-IX, and Morphogen-IX provides pension benefits in conformance with its statutory obligations. The Morrell Service Agreement may be terminated by Morphogen-IX or Mr. Morrell, by providing the other party three months' notice in writing. In lieu of notice, the Company may terminate Mr. Morrell's employment immediately, and at any time and pay him a lump sum payment equal to the base salary that he would have earned during the notice period. The Morrell Service Agreement also contains standard intellectual property and confidentiality provisions, which survive termination, and 12 month post-termination non-competition and non-solicitation restrictive covenants. This agreement was not amended or terminated as a result of the January 2021 business combinations among the Centessa Subsidiaries.

**Dr. William James Jonathan Finlay and Dr. James Edward Coleman Service Agreements.** On January 18, 2021, LockBody Therapeutics entered into service agreements with Mr. Finlay, LockBody's Chief Executive Officer, and Dr. Coleman, LockBody's Chief Operating Officer, together the LockBody Service Agreements, pursuant to which Messrs. Finlay and Coleman are each entitled to receive a base salary of £120,000, which is subject to annual review, and are eligible to earn an annual discretionary bonus. Messrs. Finlay and Coleman are also eligible to participate in any insurance or assurance schemes provided by LockBody, and LockBody provides pension benefits in conformance with its statutory obligations. The LockBody Service Agreements may be terminated by LockBody or Messrs. Finlay or Coleman, as applicable, by providing the other party three months' notice in writing. In lieu of notice, the Company may terminate Messrs. Finlay or Coleman's employment immediately, and at any time and pay him a lump sum payment equal to the base salary that he would have earned during the notice period. The LockBody Service Agreements also contain standard intellectual property and confidentiality provisions, which survive termination, and 12 month post-termination non-competition and non-solicitation restrictive covenants. These agreements were not amended or terminated as a result of the January 2021 business combinations among the Centessa Subsidiaries.



**Outstanding Equity Awards at Fiscal Year-End**

The following table sets forth certain information with respect to outstanding equity awards of our Named Executive Officers as of December 31, 2020. The market value of the shares in the following table is the fair value of such shares at December 31, 2020.

Name	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Exercisable <sup>(1)</sup>	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Unexercisable	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date
James Huntington	62,857(2)	—	0.01366	2/5/2025
	26,307(4)	—	0.00014	2/28/2027
	63,989(2)	4,262	0.01366	3/02/2027
	111,804(4)	37,268	0.00014	12/14/2027
	24,113(4)	—	0.00014	1/1/2028
	—	32,778(2)	0.01366	3/30/2030
	—	86,229(4)	0.00014	10/7/2030
Nicholas Morrell	78,359(3)	—	0.01366	10/30/2025
	—	33,581(3)	0.01366	08/08/2028
	—	68,699(3)	0.01366	12/14/2028
	—	54,045(3)	0.01366	3/25/2029
Jonathan Finley	—	—	—	—
Jamie Coleman	—	—	—	—
Trevor Baglin	24,661(4)	1,646	0.00014	2/28/2027
	111,804	37,268(4)	0.00014	12/14/2027
	—	16,389(2)	0.01366	3/6/2030
	—	78,449(4)	0.00014	10/7/2030

- (1) The options vest 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and in equal quarterly installments thereafter. In 2021, all of the options were fully accelerated in connection with the acquisition of the applicable portfolio company and converted into unrestricted shares of the Company.
- (2) This reflects a number of shares underlying an option to purchase shares of Z Factor.
- (3) This reflects a number of shares underlying an option to purchase shares of Morphogen-IX Limited.
- (4) This reflects a number of shares underlying an option to purchase shares of ApcinteX Limited.
- (5) All values stated herein have been converted from UK pounds to U.S. dollar as of December 31, 2020, at a rate of 1.3657 to 1.

**Equity Compensation Plans**

**2021 Stock Option and Incentive Plan**

Our 2021 Stock Option and Incentive Plan was adopted by us on January 29, 2021 after being approved by our shareholders on January 28, 2021, or the 2021 Plan. The 2021 Plan will allow the compensation, nomination and corporate governance committee to make equity-based incentive awards to our officers, employees, directors and other key persons, including consultants.

**Authorized Shares.** We have initially reserved 24,721,596 shares of our ordinary shares for the issuance of awards under the 2021 Plan. This number will be subject to adjustment in the event of a stock split, stock dividend or other change in our capitalization. The shares we issue under the 2021 Plan will be authorized but

unissued shares or shares that we reacquire. The ordinary shares underlying any awards that are forfeited, cancelled, held back upon exercise or settlement of an award to satisfy the exercise price or tax withholding, reacquired by us prior to vesting, satisfied without the issuance of shares, expire or are otherwise terminated, other than by exercise, will be added back to the ordinary shares available for issuance under the 2021 Plan. The maximum number of ordinary shares that may be issued as incentive stock options may not exceed 24,721,596.

*Non-Employee Director Limit.* Our 2021 Plan contains a limitation whereby the value of all awards under our 2021 Plan and all other cash compensation paid by us to any non-employee director may not exceed \$1,000,000.

*Administration.* The 2021 Plan will be administered by our Board or compensation committee, or the Administrator. Our Administrator will have full power to select the individuals to whom awards will be granted from among the individuals eligible for awards, to make any combination of awards to participants and to determine the specific terms and conditions of each award, subject to the provisions of the 2021 Plan.

*Eligibility.* Persons eligible to participate in the 2021 Plan will be those employees, non-employee directors and consultants, as selected from time to time by our Administrator in its discretion.

*Options.* The 2021 Plan permits the granting of both options to purchase ordinary shares intended to qualify as incentive stock options under Section 422 of the Code and options that do not so qualify. The exercise price of each option will be determined by our Administrator, but may not be less than 100% of the fair market value of our ordinary shares on the date of grant unless the option is granted (i) pursuant to a transaction described in, and in a manner consistent with, Section 424(a) of the Code or (ii) to individuals who are not subject to U.S. income tax. The term of each option will be fixed by our Administrator and may not exceed 10 years from the date of grant. Our Administrator will determine at what time or times each option may be exercised.

*Stock Appreciation Rights.* Our Administrator may award stock appreciation rights subject to such conditions and restrictions as it may determine. Stock appreciation rights entitle the recipient to ordinary shares, or cash, equal to the value of the appreciation in our stock price over the exercise price. The exercise price may not be less than 100% of the fair market value of our ordinary shares on the date of grant. The term of each stock appreciation right will be fixed by our Administrator and may not exceed 10 years from the date of grant. Our Administrator will determine at what time or times each stock appreciation right may be exercised.

*Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units.* Our Administrator may award restricted ordinary shares and restricted share units to participants subject to such conditions and restrictions as it may determine. These conditions and restrictions may include the achievement of certain performance goals and/or continued employment with us through a specified vesting period.

*Unrestricted Stock Awards.* Our Administrator may grant ordinary shares that are free from any restrictions under the 2021 Plan. Unrestricted stock may be granted to participants in recognition of past services or for other valid consideration and may be issued in lieu of cash compensation due to such participant.

*Dividend Equivalent Rights.* Our Administrator may grant dividend equivalent rights to participants that entitle the recipient to receive credits for dividends that would be paid if the recipient had held a specified number of ordinary shares.

*Cash-Based Awards.* Our Administrator may grant cash bonuses under the 2021 Plan to participants, subject to the achievement of certain performance goals.

*Sale Event.* The 2021 Plan provides that upon the effectiveness of a "sale event," as defined in the 2021 Plan, an acquirer or successor entity may assume, continue or substitute for the outstanding awards under the 2021 Plan. To the extent that awards granted under the 2021 Plan are not assumed or continued or substituted by

the successor entity, all unvested awards granted under the 2021 Plan shall be terminated. In such case, except as may be otherwise provided in the relevant award agreement, all options and stock appreciation rights with time-based vesting, conditions or restrictions that are not exercisable immediately prior to the sale event will become fully exercisable as of the sale event, all other awards with time-based vesting, conditions or restrictions will become fully vested and nonforfeitable as of the sale event, and all awards with conditions and restrictions relating to the attainment of performance goals may become vested and nonforfeitable in connection with the sale event in the plan administrator's discretion or to the extent specified in the relevant award agreement. In the event of such termination, individuals holding options and stock appreciation rights will be permitted to exercise such options and stock appreciation rights (to the extent exercisable) prior to the sale event. In addition, in connection with the termination of the 2021 Plan upon a sale event, we may make or provide for a cash payment to participants holding vested and exercisable options and stock appreciation rights equal to the difference between the per share cash consideration payable to shareholders in the sale event and the exercise price of the options or share appreciation rights.

*Amendment.* Our board of directors may amend or discontinue the 2021 Plan and our Administrator can amend or cancel outstanding awards for purposes of satisfying changes in law or any other lawful purpose, but no such action may adversely affect rights under an award without the holder's consent. Certain amendments to the 2021 Plan will require the approval of our shareholders.

No awards may be granted under the 2021 Plan after the date that is 10 years from the date of Board approval of the 2021 Plan.

***Change in Control and other Severance Arrangement***

In January 2021 we established incentivization arrangements pursuant to which certain members of the senior management teams of each predecessor entity are eligible to earn certain payments based on the attainment of corresponding milestone performance by and/or an exit event of such predecessor entity, as applicable to each executive. With respect to each predecessor entity, the arrangement is as follows:

For Z Factor, the milestone occurs upon the attainment of all approvals, licenses, permits, certifications registrations or authorizations necessary for the sale of ZF874 and related molecules in the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain or the United Kingdom. The milestone payment amount is \$20,000,000 and Messrs. Huntington and Baglin are eligible to earn 58.065% and 6.452%, respectively, of such amount. Any milestone payment earned will be payable in a lump sum within twenty (20) days after attainment of the milestone. In addition, if a sale of a controlling interest in Z Factor or sale (or grant of an exclusive license) of ZF874 occurs prior to attainment of the milestone or within the three (3) year period following attainment of the milestone, an exit payment equal to 15.5% of the sale proceeds less any amounts previously paid as a milestone payment (if any) and any fees, costs and expenses of the sale (excluding any earn out, milestone, royalty payment or other contingent payments but including any escrow, holdback or similar amount) will become due and payable to certain employees. Messrs. Huntington and Baglin would be entitled to 58.065% and 6.452%, respectively, of the exit payment. To the extent an exit event occurs following the occurrence of an adverse event (which includes the failure to achieve milestones within the specified time period), no exit payment will become due unless sale proceeds are in excess of an amount in the eight-figure Euro range.

For Morphogen-IX, the milestone occurs upon the attainment of all approvals, licenses, permits, certifications registrations or authorizations necessary for the sale of MGX292, and other variants of BMP9 or BMP10 as well as, any prodrug, fragment, subunit, variant, mutant, oligomer, multimer, isoform, derivative, conjugate or fusion molecule thereof that is covered by one or more of the patents or patent applications held by the Company, or MGX292 Variants, in the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain or the United Kingdom. The milestone payment amount is \$20,000,000 and Mr. Morrell is eligible to earn 55.231% of such amount. Any milestone payment earned will be payable in lump sum within twenty (20) days after attainment of the milestone. In addition, if a sale of a controlling interest in Morphogen-IX or sale (or grant of an exclusive license) of MGX292

occurs prior to attainment of the milestone or within the three (3) year period following attainment of the milestone, an exit payment equal to 13% of the sale proceeds less any amounts previously paid as a milestone payment (if any) and any fees, costs and expenses of the sale (excluding any earn out, milestone and/or royalty payment but including any escrow, holdback or similar amount) will become due and payable to certain employees. Mr. Morrell would be entitled to 55.231% of the exit payment. To the extent an exit event occurs following the occurrence of an adverse event (which includes the failure to achieve milestones within the specified time period), no exit payment will become due unless sale proceeds are in excess of an amount in the eight-figure Euro range.

For LockBody, the milestone occurs upon a designated asset (being either a LockBody Platform Technology (a molecular design technology which relates to the generation of a protein-based therapeutic) or a LockBody Product (a protein-based therapeutic product under development or developed by LockBody), in each case, comprising a first binding moiety (which is an antibody or T cell receptor or fragment thereof) and a second moiety (which is an antibody or T cell receptor or fragment thereof) and a peptide linker between the first moiety and the second moiety), that attains all approvals, licenses, permits, certifications registrations or authorizations necessary for the sale of a protein-based therapeutic in the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain or the United Kingdom, or Marketing Approval. The milestone may be achieved only once by a single designated asset that is a LockBody Product but can be achieved up to a maximum of two times in the event that two designated assets that are LockBody Products receive Marketing Approval. The payment amount in respect of each milestone achieved is \$20,000,000 and Messrs. Finlay and Coleman are eligible to earn 55% and 45%, respectively, of such amount. Any milestone payment earned will be payable in a lump sum within twenty (20) days after attainment of the milestone. In addition, if a sale of a controlling interest in LockBody or sale (or grant of an exclusive license) of a LockBody Product occurs within prior to attainment of the milestone or within the three (3) year period following attainment of the milestone occurs, an exit payment equal to 15% of the sale proceeds less any amounts previously paid as a milestone payment (excluding any earn out, milestone and/or royalty payment but including any escrow, holdback or similar amount) will become due and payable to certain employees. Messrs. Finlay and Coleman would be entitled to 55% and 45%, respectively, of the exit payment. To the extent an exit event occurs following the occurrence of an adverse event (which includes the failure to achieve milestones within the specified time period), no exit payment will become due unless sale proceeds are in excess of an amount in the eight-figure Euro range.

#### **Compensation of Directors**

None of the individuals serving on the board of directors were, in respect of such service, paid any compensation for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

#### **Narrative Disclosure to Director Compensation Table**

In connection with this offering, we intend to adopt a formal non-employee director compensation policy.

**CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Within this section, we have calculated the dollar amounts using the historical exchange rate as of the closing date of each transaction. Other than compensation arrangements, we describe below transactions and series of similar transactions, since January 1, 2018, to which we were a party or will be a party, in which:

- the amounts involved exceeded or will exceed \$120,000 or 1% of our total assets at year-end for the last two completed fiscal years; and
- any of our directors, executive officers or holders of more than 5% of our share capital, or any member of the immediate family of the foregoing persons, had or will have a direct or indirect material interest.

Compensation arrangements for our directors and named executive officers are described elsewhere in this prospectus.

**Preferred Share Financings**

***Series A Preferred Share Financing***

In January 2021, we consummated an offering of 44,545,456 shares of our Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of \$5.50 per share for an aggregate amount of \$245.0 million. In addition to the allotment of shares for cash, a further 1,136,363 Series A preferred shares were issued in satisfaction of the amount outstanding (being \$5,000,000) under the convertible loan agreement entered into on 29 December 2020 at an effective subscription price of \$4.40 per share. The following table summarizes subscriptions of our Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	3,863,636	\$ 20,000,001
Entities affiliated with General Atlantic	16,363,637	\$ 90,000,000
Entities affiliated with Vida Ventures	6,363,636	\$ 35,000,000

**Transactions by Our Subsidiaries**

***Reorganization Transactions***

We have entered into agreements with our subsidiaries in order to give effect our corporate reorganization prior to the completion of this offering. See “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration” for more information.

***Contingent Value Rights***

In connection with our acquisition of the Centessa Subsidiaries in January 2021, we issued contingent value rights (CVRs), to former shareholders and option holders of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (Palladio), payable in the form of our ordinary shares, upon the achievement of a specific clinical development milestone by Palladio. See “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited—Contractual Obligations and Other Commitments” for more information. As former shareholders of Palladio, entities affiliated with Medicxi are eligible to receive up to an aggregate of approximately \$17.6 million (in ordinary shares) under this CVR arrangement.

***Palladio Biosciences Convertible Loan Note Financings and Series B Financing***

In August 2018, our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences, committed to issue convertible loan notes of \$1.00 each up to \$5,000,000 in aggregate in three tranches, the first tranche of \$3,000,000 was issued in August 2018,

the second tranche of \$1,000,000 was issued in May 2019 and the third tranche of \$1,000,000 was issued in July 2019. The following table summarizes the subscription of convertible loan notes by related persons:

SHAREHOLDER	CONVERTIBLE LOAN NOTES	TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	5,000,000	\$ 5,000,000

In August 2019, our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences, committed to issue convertible loan notes of \$1.00 each up to \$10,000,000 in aggregate in two equal tranches, the first tranche was issued in August 2019 and the second tranche was issued in December 2019. The following table summarizes the subscription of convertible loan notes by related persons:

SHAREHOLDER	CONVERTIBLE LOAN NOTES	TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	5,000,000	\$ 5,000,000

In July 2020, our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences, issued convertible loan notes of up to an aggregate amount of \$1,500,000 a single tranche. No related persons subscribed for any of these convertible loan notes.

The principal amount of all of the convertible loan notes plus the accrued interest thereon converted into Series B preferred shares in September 2020 at a subscription price of \$1.76 per share, save for those convertible loan notes issued in July 2020 which converted into Series B preferred shares at a subscription price of \$1.65 per share. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

SHAREHOLDER	SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES	TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	6,298,068	\$ 11,084,602

In September 2020, our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences, closed the initial tranche of its Series B financing with an offering of 4,545,454 shares of its Series B preferred shares at a subscription price of \$2.20 per share for an aggregate amount of \$9,999,999. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

SHAREHOLDER	SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES	TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	1,829,545	\$ 4,024,999

In December 2020, our subsidiary, Palladio Biosciences closed the second tranche of its Series B financing with an offering of 3,863,634 shares of its Series B preferred shares at a purchase price of \$2.20 per share for an aggregate amount of \$8,499,995. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

SHAREHOLDER	SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES	TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	1,352,272	\$ 2,974,998

***ApcinteX Series A Financing and Series B Financing***

In May 2018, our subsidiary, ApcinteX, consummated an offering of 680,218 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £6.248 per share for an aggregate subscription price of

£4,250,002. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	295,479	£ 1,846,153

In April 2019, our subsidiary, ApcinteX, consummated an offering of 680,218 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £6.248 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £4,250,002. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	295,480	£ 1,846,159

In October 2019, our subsidiary, ApcinteX, consummated an offering of 508,147 shares of its Series B preferred shares at a subscription price of £17.82 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £9,055,180. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	452,031	£ 8,055,192

***Pega-One Series A Financing***

In March 2020, our subsidiary, Pega-One, committed to issue shares of its Series A ordinary shares at a subscription price of EUR 65.05 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 30,000,000 in four tranches. The first tranche of 84,549 with an aggregate subscription price of EUR 5,499,912 were issued in April 2020. The other three tranches of funding did not close. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	54,957	EUR 3,574,953

In March 2020, our subsidiary, Pega-One, issued a further 9,041 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 55.30 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 500,000 pursuant to the exercise of warrants issued by the Company in December 2019. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>STOCKHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	5,877	EUR 324,998

***Morphogen-IX Series B Financing***

In December 2018, our subsidiary, Morphogen-IX, consummated an offering of 874,999 shares of its Series B preferred shares at a purchase price of £8 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £6,999,992

and in addition £600,000 convertible loan notes converted into Series B Shares at a subscription price of £6.40 per share and a further £1,000,000 convertible loan notes converted into Series B Shares at a subscription price of £7.20 per share. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Index Ventures	741,273	£ 5,752,594

**Capella Bioscience Series B Financing and Series A Financing**

In August 2019, our subsidiary, Capella Bioscience, consummated an offering of 252,525 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £1.98 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £500,000. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	84,175	£ 166,667

In May 2020, our subsidiary, Capella Bioscience, consummated an offering of 151,515 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £2.29 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £300,000. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	50,505	£ 100,000

In September 2020, our subsidiary, Capella Bioscience, consummated an offering of 3,144,104 shares of its Series B preferred shares, or the Series B Preferred Shares, at a subscription price of £2.29 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £7,199,998. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>STOCKHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	1,572,052	£ 3,599,999

**Inexia Series A Financing**

In January 2019, our former subsidiary, Inexia, consummated an offering of 4,000,000 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 5 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 20,000,000 (EUR 4,000,320 of which was paid up at first completion (with 800,000 Series A Preferred Shares being paid up in full and 3,200,000 Series A Preferred Shares being paid up to the nominal value of only EUR 0.0001)). The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	4,000,000	EUR 20,000,000

In December 2019, the related persons paid a further amount of EUR 4,399,912 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 5 on an aggregate of 880,000 of the total of 4,000,000 Series A Preferred Shares issued by our subsidiary Inexia in January 2019 and previously paid up only as to nominal value.



A further amount of EUR 11,599,768 of share premium remains unpaid on an aggregate of 2,320,000 of the total of 4,000,000 Series A Preferred Shares issued by our former subsidiary Inexia in January 2019, with such Series A Preferred Shares having been paid up only as to nominal value. Entities affiliated to Medicxi are no longer obliged to pay up the unpaid share premium on these shares following the contribution of the entire issued share capital of Inexia to Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, as described in the section titled “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration”.

***Orexia Series A Financing***

In January 2019, our subsidiary, Orexia, consummated an offering of 4,200,000 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 4.76 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 20,000,000 (EUR 4,200,332 of which was paid up at first completion with 882,000 Series A Preferred Shares being paid up in full and 3,318,000 Series A Preferred Shares being up to the nominal value only being EUR 0.0001). The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	4,200,000	EUR 20,000,000

In December 2019, as the first tranche of second completion, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 2,699,943 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 4.76 on an aggregate of 567,000 of the total of 4,200,000 Series A Preferred Shares issued by our subsidiary Orexia in January 2019 and previously paid up only as to nominal value.

In February 2020, as the second tranche of second completion the related persons paid up an amount of EUR 2,699,943 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 4.76 on an aggregate of 567,000 of the total of 4,200,000 Series A Preferred Shares issued by our subsidiary Orexia in January 2019 and previously paid up only as to nominal value.

A further amount of EUR 10,399,781.60 of share premium remains unpaid on an aggregate of 2,184,000 of the total of 4,200,000 Series A Preferred Shares issued by our subsidiary Orexia in January 2019, with such Series A Preferred Shares having been paid up only as to nominal value. Entities affiliated to Medicxi are no longer obliged to pay up the unpaid share premium on these shares following the contribution of the entire issued share capital of Orexia to Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, as described in the section titled “Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration”.

***Janpix Series B Financing and Series A Financing***

In July 2017, our subsidiary, Janpix, consummated an offering of 72,499 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 23.45 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 1,699,961. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	42,499	EUR 1,699,961

In March 2019, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 1,600,000 by way of payment of additional share premium on Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary Janpix in July 2017.

In January 2020, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 1,000,000 by way of payment of additional share premium on Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary Janpix in July 2017.

In June 2020, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 300,000 by way of payment of additional share premium on Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary Janpix in July 2017.

In August 2020, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 300,000 by way of payment of additional share premium on Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary Janpix in July 2017.

In October 2020, our subsidiary, Janpix, consummated an offering of 95,078 shares of its Series B preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 84.14 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 7,999,863. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medicxi	95,078	EUR 7,999,863

***LockBody Reorganization***

In June 2018, our subsidiary, LockBody, issued an aggregate of 1,088,276 shares (consisting of an aggregate of 870,622 Series A preferred shares and an aggregate of 217,654 ordinary shares) as consideration for the transfer to the Company of: (i) an aggregate of 200,000 ordinary shares and 800,000 series A shares in the capital of Ultrahuman Two Limited; and (ii) an aggregate of 200,000 ordinary shares and 800,000 series A shares each in the capital of Ultrahuman Four Limited, in each case pursuant to a share exchange agreement. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series B Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES B PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Index Ventures	870,622	800,000 series A shares in Ultrahuman Two 800,000 series A shares in Ultrahuman Four

***Z Factor Series A Financing***

In December 2018, our subsidiary, Z Factor, consummated an offering of 249,999 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £6 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £1,499,994. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Index Ventures	234,090	£ 1,404,540

In April 2019, our subsidiary, Z Factor, consummated an offering of 666,662 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of £6 per share for an aggregate subscription price of £3,999,972. The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A Preferred Shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Index Ventures	560,398	£ 3,362,388

***PearlRiver Bio Series A Preferred Financing***

In March 2019, our subsidiary, PearlRiver Bio, consummated an offering of 33,333 shares of its Series A preferred shares at a subscription price of EUR 600 per share for an aggregate subscription price of EUR 20,000,000 (EUR 1,530,234 of which was paid up at completion (with 2,499 Series A preferred shares

being paid up in full and 30,834 Series A preferred shares being up to the nominal value of only EUR 1.00). The following table summarizes the subscriptions of the Series A preferred shares by related persons:

<u>SHAREHOLDER</u>	<u>SERIES A PREFERRED SHARES</u>	<u>TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE</u>
Entities affiliated with Medixi	33,333	EUR 20,000,000

In October 2019, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 1,996,667 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 599.00 on an aggregate of 3,333 of the total of 33,333 Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary PearlRiver Bio in March 2019 and paid up only as to nominal value.

In June 2020, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 2,794,734 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 599.00 on an aggregate of 4,666 of the total of 33,333 Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary PearlRiver Bio in March 2019 and paid up only as to nominal value.

In December 2020, the related persons paid up a further amount of EUR 3,694,033 by way of payment of additional share premium at a price per share of EUR 599.00 on an aggregate of 6,167 of the total of 33,333 Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary PearlRiver Bio in March 2019 and paid up only as to nominal value.

A further amount of EUR 9,983,533 of share premium remains unpaid on an aggregate of 16,667 of the total of 33,333 Series A preferred shares issued by our subsidiary PearlRiver Bio in March 2019, with such Series A preferred shares having been paid up only as to nominal value. Entities affiliated to Medixi are no longer obliged to pay up the unpaid share premium on these shares following the contribution of the entire issued share capital of PearlRiver Bio to Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, as described in the section titled "Share Capital Reorganization and Re-Registration".

#### **Indemnification Agreements**

We intend to enter into a deed of indemnity with those executive officers who are not directors prior to the completion of this offering. These agreements and our articles of association to be effective upon the completion of this offering require us to indemnify our executive officers against certain liabilities and expenses incurred by such persons in connection with claims made by reason of their being such a director or executive officer to the fullest extent permitted by law.

In addition, pursuant to the acquisition by certain individuals associated with Medixi of ordinary shares in Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited in November 2020, Medixi Ventures (UK) LLP will enter into a deed of indemnity with Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, under the terms of which Medixi Ventures (UK) LLP will indemnify Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited against certain potential liabilities to employment-related tax that may arise as a result of or in connection with the above acquisitions by any of the above individuals.

In addition, we have previously entered into deeds of indemnify with our directors and executive officers. These agreements will, among other things, indemnify our directors and executive officers against certain liabilities and expenses incurred by such persons in connection with claims made by reason of their being such a director or executive officer to the fullest extent permitted by law.

#### **Agreements With Our Shareholders**

In connection with the Company's Series A preferred financing, we entered into a shareholders' agreements and a registration rights agreement which grant registration rights and information rights, among other things, with certain holders of our convertible preferred shares. The shareholders' agreement will terminate upon the closing of this offering but the registration rights agreement will not terminate, as more fully described in "Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association—Registration Rights."

**Related Person Transaction Policy**

In connection with this offering, we have adopted a written related party transactions policy that such transactions must be approved by our audit committee. This policy will become effective on the date on which the registration statement of which this prospectus is part is declared effective by the SEC. Pursuant to this policy, the audit committee has the primary responsibility for reviewing and approving or disapproving "related person transactions," which are transactions between us and related persons in which the related person has a direct or indirect material interest. For purposes of this policy, a related person will be defined as a director, executive officer, nominee for director, or greater than 5% beneficial owner of any class of our voting securities, and their immediate family members.

## PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDERS

The following table sets forth certain information known to us regarding beneficial ownership of our share capital as of \_\_\_\_\_ by:

- each person, or group of affiliated persons, known by us to be the beneficial owner of more than 5% of our voting securities;
- each of our named executive officers and other executive officers;
- each of our directors; and
- all of our executive officers and directors as a group.

Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules of the SEC and generally includes voting or investment power with respect to securities. Except as noted by footnote, and subject to community property laws where applicable, we believe based on the information provided to us that the persons and entities named in the table below have sole voting and investment power with respect to all securities shown as beneficially owned by them. The information is not necessarily indicative of beneficial ownership for any other purpose.

Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules of the SEC. These rules generally attribute beneficial ownership of securities to persons who possess sole or shared voting power or investment power with respect to those securities and include ordinary shares that can be acquired within 60 days of \_\_\_\_\_. Ordinary shares underlying convertible securities that can be acquired within 60 days of \_\_\_\_\_ are deemed to be beneficially owned by the persons holding these securities for the purpose of computing percentage ownership of that person, but are not treated as outstanding for the purpose of computing any other person's ownership percentage.

Percentage ownership calculations are based on 15,000,000 ordinary shares outstanding as of December 31, 2020 and gives further effect to (i) the consummation of the acquisition of the Contributed Companies and issuance of 90,276,005 ordinary shares as discussed in our unaudited condensed combined financial statements found elsewhere in this prospectus, (ii) sale and issuance of an aggregate of 45,681,819 Series A preferred shares in January 2021, (iii) the buyback of 8,900,000 ordinary shares in January 2021 and (iv) the automatic conversion of all outstanding convertible preferred shares, into an aggregate of 45,681,819 ordinary shares upon the completion of this offering.

Except as otherwise indicated in the table below, addresses of the directors, executive officers and named beneficial owners are care of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, The Dorothy Hodgkin Building Babraham, Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom CB22 3FH, United Kingdom.

Name and Address of Beneficial Owner	Number of Ordinary Shares Beneficially Owned Prior to this Offering	Percentage of Ordinary Shares Beneficially Owned	
		Prior to this Offering	After this Offering
<b>5% or Greater Shareholders</b>			
Entities affiliated with Medicxi(1)		%	%
Entities affiliated with General Atlantic(2)		%	%
Entities affiliated with Index Ventures(3)		%	%
<b>Named Executive Officers*</b>			
James Huntington		%	%
Nicholas Morrell		%	%
Jonathan Finlay		%	%
Jamie Coleman		%	%
Trevor Baglin		%	%
<b>Directors and Other Executive Officers</b>			
Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.		%	%
Francesco De Rubertis, Ph.D.		%	%
Arjun Goyal, M.D., M.Phil, M.B.A.		%	%
Aaron Kantoff		%	%
Brett Zbar, M.D.		%	%
Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.		%	%
Iqbal Hussain		%	%
David Chao, Ph.D.		%	%
Mary Lynne Hedley, Ph.D.		%	%
Samarth Kulkarni, Ph.D.		%	%
Robert Califf, M.D.		%	%
Marella Thorell		%	%
<b>All Directors and Other Executive Officers as a Group (11 people)</b>		%	%

\* Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, our parent entity and the issuer in this offering was newly-formed as a holding company and did not have any operations in 2020, and was incorporated in order to effect the Reorganization pursuant to which it acquired all of our current subsidiaries. As a result, we have set forth in this table, disclosure of the shareholdings of the executive officers of the same predecessor entities for which financial statements are included elsewhere in this prospectus for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020. For fiscal year 2020 only, the executive officers of the aforementioned predecessor subsidiaries will be deemed our "Named Executive Officers" as of December 31, 2020.

- (1) Consists of (a) [8,797,038] shares held by Medicxi Ventures I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Ventures I"), (b) [111,354] shares held by Medicxi Co-Invest I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Co-Invest I"), (c) [6,311,064] shares held by Medicxi Growth I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Growth I"), (d) [149,928] shares held by Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I"), (e) [18,806,184] shares held by Medicxi Secondary I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Secondary I"), and (f) [472,217] shares held by Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I LP, a Jersey limited partnership ("Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I" and, together with Medicxi Ventures I, Medicxi Co-Invest I, Medicxi Growth I, Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I, Medicxi Secondary I and Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I, the "Medicxi Funds"). Medicxi Ventures I GP Limited, a Jersey limited liability company ("MVI GP"), is the sole managing general partner of Medicxi Ventures I and Medicxi Co-Invest I, and Medicxi Ventures Management (Jersey) Limited, a Jersey limited liability company ("Medicxi Manager"), is the sole manager of Medicxi Ventures I and Medicxi Co-Invest I. MVI GP and Medicxi Manager may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Medicxi Ventures I and Medicxi Co-Invest I.

Medicxi Growth I GP Limited, a Jersey limited liability company (“MGI GP”), is the sole managing general partner of Medicxi Growth I and Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I, and Medicxi Manager is the sole manager of Medicxi Growth I and Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I. MGI GP and Medicxi Manager may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Medicxi Growth I and Medicxi Growth Co-Invest I. Medicxi Secondary I GP Limited, a Jersey limited liability company (“MSI GP”), is the sole managing general partner of Medicxi Secondary I and Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I, and Medicxi Manager is the sole manager of Medicxi Secondary I and Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I. MSI GP and Medicxi Manager may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Medicxi Secondary I and Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I. Francois Chesnay, Andrew Wignall, Richard Lee, Giles Johnstone-Scott, Francesco De Rubertis and Andrew Jeanne are members of the board of directors of the Medicxi Manager, and investment and voting decisions with respect to the shares held by the Medicxi Funds are made by such directors collectively. Medicxi Ventures (UK) LLP and Medicxi Ventures (Jersey) Limited act as sub-advisers to Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) Limited, which acts as the adviser to Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) LP, and as such the Medicxi Funds, Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) LP and Yucca (Jersey) SLP may be deemed to be members of a “group” as defined in Rule 13d-5 of the Exchange Act (see note ( ) below). The share ownership reported by the Medicxi Funds does not include any shares beneficially owned by Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) LP and Yucca (Jersey) SLP, and each of the Medicxi Funds and their affiliates disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) LP, Yucca (Jersey) SLP and their affiliates. The address of the principal business office of each of the Medicxi Funds is c/o Intertrust Fund Services (Jersey) Limited, 44 Esplanade, St. Helier, Jersey JE4 9WG.

- (2) Represents 16,363,637 ordinary shares issuable upon the conversion of convertible preferred shares held by General Atlantic UM B.V. (“GA UM”). GA UM is a wholly owned subsidiary of General Atlantic Coöperatief U.A. (“GA Coop UA”). The members that share beneficial ownership of the shares held by GA UM through GA Coop UA are the following General Atlantic investment funds (the “GA Funds”): General Atlantic Partners (Bermuda) IV, L.P. (“GAP Bermuda IV”), General Atlantic Partners (Bermuda) EU, L.P. (“GAP Bermuda EU”), General Atlantic Partners (Lux) SCSp (“GAP Lux”) and General Atlantic Cooperatief, L.P. (“GA Coop LP”). The general partner of GAP Lux is General Atlantic GenPar (Lux) SCSp (“GA GenPar Lux”) and the general partner of GA GenPar Lux is General Atlantic (Lux) S.à r.l. (“GA Sarl”). The general partner of GAP Bermuda IV and GAP Bermuda EU and the sole shareholder of GA Sarl is General Atlantic GenPar (Bermuda), L.P. (“GenPar Bermuda”). GAP (Bermuda) Limited (“GAP (Bermuda)”) is the general partner of GenPar Bermuda and GA Coop LP. There are nine members of the Management Committee of GAP (Bermuda) (the “GA Management Committee”). The GA Management Committee includes William E. Ford, Gabriel Caillaux, Andrew Crawford, Martin Escobari, Anton Levy, Sandeep Naik, E. Graves Tompkins, N. Robbert Vorhoff and Chi, Eric Zhang. GAP (Bermuda), GenPar Bermuda, GA Sarl, GA GenPar Lux, the GA Funds, GA Coop UA and GA UM (collectively, the “GA Group”) are a “group” within the meaning of Rule 13d-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The mailing address of GA Coop LP, GAP Bermuda IV, GAP Bermuda EU, GenPar Bermuda, and GAP (Bermuda) is Clarendon House, 2 Church Street, Hamilton HM 11, Bermuda. The mailing address of GA Coop UA and GA UM is Raamplein 1, 1016 XK, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. The mailing address of GAP Lux, GA GenPar Lux and GA Sarl is Luxembourg is 412F, Route d’Esch, L-2086 Luxembourg. Each of the members of the GA Management Committee disclaims ownership of the shares except to the extent that he has a pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Consists of (i) [19,624,736] shares held by Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) LP, a Jersey limited partnership (“Index Ventures Life VI”), and (ii) [298,843] shares held by Yucca (Jersey) SLP, a Jersey separate limited partnership (“Yucca”). Index Venture Life Associates VI Limited, a Jersey limited liability company (“Index Venture Life VI GP”), is the managing general partner of Index Ventures Life VI. Yucca administers the Index Ventures Life VI co-investment vehicle that is contractually required to mirror the investment in the shares by Index Ventures Life VI. Index Venture Life VI GP may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Index Ventures Life VI and Yucca. David Hall, Phil Balderson, Brendan Boyle and David Middleton are members of the board of directors of Index Venture Life VI GP, and investment and voting decisions with respect to the shares held by Index Ventures Life VI are made by such directors collectively and investment and voting decisions with respect to the shares held by Yucca are deemed to be made by such directors collectively. Medicxi Ventures (UK) LLP and Medicxi Ventures (Jersey) Limited act as sub-advisers to Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) Limited, which acts as the adviser to Index Ventures Life VI, and as such the Medicxi Funds, Index Venture Life VI and Yucca may be deemed to be members of a “group” as defined in

Rule 13d-5 of the Exchange Act (see note ( ) above). The share ownership reported by Index Ventures Life VI and Yucca does not include any shares beneficially owned by the Medicxi Funds, and each of Index Ventures Life VI and Yucca and their affiliates disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by the Medicxi Funds and their affiliates. The address of the principal business office of Index Venture Life VI is c/o Intertrust Fund Services (Jersey) Limited, 44 Esplanade, St. Helier, Jersey JE4 9WG. The address of the principal business office of Yucca is c/o EFG Fund Administration Limited, 5th Floor, 44 Esplanade, St Helier, Jersey, JE1 3FG.



## DESCRIPTION OF SHARE CAPITAL AND ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

*The following describes our issued share capital, summarizes the material provisions of our articles of association and highlights certain differences in corporate law in the United Kingdom and the United States. Please note that this summary is not intended to be exhaustive. For further information, please refer to the full version of our articles of association, which are included as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part.*

Centessa was incorporated pursuant to the laws of England and Wales as United Medicines Biopharma Limited on October 26, 2020 and then renamed as Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited on February 17, 2021. We are registered with the Registrar of Companies in England and Wales under number 12973576, and our registered office is at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building Babraham, Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH.

Certain resolutions have been passed by our shareholders in anticipation of the completion of this offering:

- reorganization of our share capital in preparation for the completion of this offering, including certain steps to undertake our reverse share split. See “Corporate reorganization” for more information;
- the adoption of our new Articles. See “Key provisions of our post-IPO articles of association” below;
- general authorization of our directors for purposes of section 551 of the Companies Act to issue our shares and grant rights to subscribe for or convert any securities into our shares up to a maximum aggregate nominal amount of £            for a period of five years; and
- empowering of our directors pursuant to section 570 of the Companies Act to issue equity securities for cash pursuant to the section 551 authority referred to above as if the statutory preemption rights under section 561(1) of the Companies Act did not apply to such allotments.

Certain further resolutions will be required to be passed by our shareholders prior to completion of this offering. These will include resolutions for the Company to be re-registered as a public limited liability company with the name Centessa Pharmaceuticals plc, in accordance with section 90 of the Companies Act.

### Issued Share Capital

#### Ordinary Shares

In accordance with our articles of association to be in effect upon the completion of this offering, the following summarizes the rights of holders of our ordinary shares:

- each holder of our ordinary shares is entitled to one vote per ordinary share on all matters to be voted on by shareholders generally;
- the holders of the ordinary shares shall be entitled to receive notice of, attend, speak and vote at our general meetings; and
- holders of our ordinary shares are entitled to receive such dividends as are recommended by our directors and declared by our shareholders.

#### Deferred Shares

In accordance with our articles of association to be in effect upon the completion of this offering, the following summarizes the rights of holders of our deferred shares created as part of the reverse share split:

- holders of our deferred shares are not entitled to vote on any shareholder matters, or receive notice of, attend, speak or vote at our general meetings or receives copies of our reports, accounts, circulars or other documents sent to our shareholders;

- holders of our deferred shares shall not be entitled to receive any dividends or participation in our profits;
- in the event of a winding up or our liquidation, the deferred shares shall only participate in our surplus assets to the extent that each ordinary share has first received the amount paid up on that ordinary shares plus the sum of £1,000,000 in respect of each ordinary shares; and
- the deferred shares shall not be transferable, save as in accordance with the limited circumstances set out in our articles of association to be in effect upon the completion of this offering.

#### **Registered Shares**

We are required by the Companies Act to keep a register of our shareholders. Under English law, the ordinary shares and deferred shares are deemed to be issued when the name of the shareholder is entered in our share register. The share register therefore is prima facie evidence of the identity of our shareholders, and the shares that they hold. The share register generally provides limited, or no, information regarding the ultimate beneficial owners of our ordinary shares. Our share register is maintained by our registrar.

Holders of our ADSs will not be treated as one of our shareholders and their names will therefore not be entered in our share register. The depositary, the custodian or their nominees will be the holder of the ordinary shares underlying our ADSs. Holders of our ADSs have a right to receive the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs. For discussion on our ADSs and ADS holder rights, see “Description of American Depositary Shares” in this prospectus.

Under the Companies Act, we must enter an allotment of shares in our share register as soon as practicable and in any event within two months of the allotment. We will perform all procedures necessary to update the share register to reflect the ordinary shares being sold in this offering, including updating the share register with the number of ordinary shares to be issued to the depositary upon the closing of this offering. We also are required by the Companies Act to register a transfer of shares (or give the transferee notice of and reasons for refusal as the transferee may reasonably request) as soon as practicable and in any event within two months of receiving notice of the transfer.

We, any of our shareholders or any other affected person may apply to the court for rectification of the share register if:

- the name of any person, without sufficient cause, is wrongly entered in or omitted from our register of members; or
- there is a default or unnecessary delay in entering on the register the fact of any person having ceased to be a member or on which we have a lien, provided that such delay does not prevent dealings in the shares taking place on an open and proper basis.

#### **Preemptive Rights**

English law generally provides shareholders with preemptive rights when new shares are issued for cash; however, it is possible for the articles of association, or shareholders in general meeting representing at least 75% of our ordinary shares present (in person or by proxy) and voting at that general meeting, to exclude preemptive rights. Such an exclusion of preemptive rights may be for a maximum period of up to five years from the date of adoption of the articles of association, if the exclusion is contained in the articles of association, or from the date of the shareholder resolution, if the exclusion is by shareholder resolution. In either case, this exclusion would need to be renewed by our shareholders upon its expiration (i.e., at least every five years). On \_\_\_\_\_, our shareholders approved the exclusion of preemptive rights for a period of five years from the date of approval, which exclusion will need to be renewed upon expiration (i.e., at least every five years) to remain effective, but may be sought more frequently for additional five-year terms (or any shorter period). On \_\_\_\_\_, our shareholders approved the exclusion of preemptive rights for the allotment of ordinary shares in connection with this offering.

### **Distributions and Dividends**

Under the Companies Act, before a company can lawfully make a distribution or dividend, it must ensure that it has sufficient distributable reserves, as determined on a non-consolidated basis. The basic rule is that a company's profits available for the purpose of making a distribution are its accumulated, realized profits, so far as not previously utilized by distribution or capitalization, less its accumulated, realized losses, so far as not previously written off in a reduction or reorganization of capital duly made. The requirement to have sufficient distributable reserves before a distribution or dividend can be paid applies to us and to each of our subsidiaries that has been incorporated under English law.

Once we are a public company, it will not be sufficient that we have made a distributable profit for the purpose of making a distribution. An additional capital maintenance requirement will be imposed on us to ensure that the net worth of the company is at least equal to the amount of its capital. A public company can only make a distribution:

- if, at the time that the distribution is made, the amount of its net assets (that is, the total excess of assets over liabilities) is not less than the total of its called up share capital and undistributable reserves; and
- if, and to the extent that, the distribution itself, at the time that it is made, does not reduce the amount of its net assets to less than that total.

### **Disclosure of Interest in Shares**

Pursuant to Part 22 of the Companies Act, a company is empowered by notice in writing to require any person whom the company knows to be, or has reasonable cause to believe to be, interested in the company's shares or at any time during the three years immediately preceding the date on which the notice is issued to have been so interested, within a reasonable time to disclose to the company details of that person's interest and (so far as is within such person's knowledge) details of any other interest that subsists or subsisted in those shares.

If a shareholder defaults in supplying the company with the required details in relation to the shares in question, or the Default Shares, the shareholder shall not be entitled to vote or exercise any other right conferred by membership in relation to general meetings. Where the Default Shares represent 0.25% or more of the issued shares of the class in question, the directors may direct that:

- any dividend or other money payable in respect of the Default Shares shall be retained by the company without any liability to pay interest on it when such dividend or other money is finally paid to the shareholder; and/or
- no transfer by the relevant shareholder of shares (other than a transfer approved in accordance with the provisions of the company's articles of association) may be registered (unless such shareholder is not in default and the transfer does not relate to default shares).

### **Purchase of Own Shares**

English law permits a public limited company to purchase its own shares out of the distributable profits of the company or the proceeds of a fresh issue of shares made for the purpose of financing the purchase, subject to complying with procedural requirements under the Companies Act and provided that its articles of association do not prohibit it from doing so. Our articles of association, a summary of which is provided above, do not prohibit us from purchasing our own shares. A public limited company must not purchase its own shares if, as a result of the purchase, there would no longer be any issued shares of the company other than redeemable shares or shares held as treasury shares.

Any such purchase will be either a "market purchase" or "off market purchase," each as defined in the Companies Act. A "market purchase" is a purchase made on a "recognized investment exchange (other than an

overseas exchange) as defined in the UK Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, or FSMA. An “off market purchase” is a purchase that is not made on a “recognized investment exchange.” Both “market purchases” and “off market purchases” require prior shareholder approval by way of an ordinary resolution. In the case of an “off market purchase,” a company’s shareholders, other than the shareholders from whom the company is purchasing shares, must approve the terms of the contract to purchase shares and in the case of a “market purchase,” the shareholders must approve the maximum number of shares that can be purchased and the maximum and minimum prices to be paid by the company. Both resolutions authorizing “market purchases” and “off-market purchases” must specify a date, not later than five years after the passing of the resolution, on which the authority to purchase is to expire.

Nasdaq is an “overseas exchange” for the purposes of the Companies Act and does not fall within the definition of a “recognized investment exchange” for the purposes of FSMA and any purchase made by us would need to comply with the procedural requirements under the Companies Act that regulate “off market purchases.”

A share buy back by a company of its shares will give rise to U.K. stamp duty reserve tax and stamp duty at the rate of 0.5% of the amount or value of the consideration payable by the company (rounded up to the next £5.00), and such stamp duty reserve tax or duty will be paid by the company. The charge to stamp duty reserve tax will be canceled or, if already paid, repaid (generally with interest), where a transfer instrument for stamp duty purposes has been duly stamped within six years of the charge arising (either by paying the stamp duty or by claiming an appropriate relief) or if the instrument is otherwise exempt from stamp duty.

Our articles of association do not have conditions governing changes to our capital which are more stringent than those required by law.

#### **Shareholder Rights**

Certain rights granted under the Companies Act, including the right to requisition a general meeting or require a resolution to be put to shareholders at the annual general meeting, are only available to our members. For English law purposes, our members are the persons who are registered as the owners of the legal title to the shares and whose names are recorded in our register of members. In the case of shares held in a settlement system operated by the Depository Trust Company, or DTC, the registered member will be DTC’s nominee, Cede & Co. If a person who holds their ADSs in DTC wishes to exercise certain of the rights granted under the Companies Act, they may be required to first take steps to withdraw their ADSs from the settlement system operated by DTC and become the registered holder of the shares in our register of members. A withdrawal of shares from DTC may have tax implications, for additional information on the potential tax implications of withdrawing your shares from the settlement system operated by DTC, see “Material Tax Considerations—United Kingdom Taxation.”

#### **Registration Rights**

Upon the completion of this offering, the holders of \_\_\_\_\_ of our ordinary shares issuable upon the conversion of our convertible preferred shares and all ordinary shares held by the entities affiliated with Medicxi and the entities affiliated with Index Ventures (the “**Registrable Securities**”) will be entitled to rights with respect to the registration of these securities under the Securities Act. These rights are provided under the terms of a registration rights agreement between us and holders of the holders of the convertible preferred shares. The registration rights agreement includes demand registration rights, short-form registration rights and piggyback registration rights.

#### **Demand Registration Rights**

Beginning 180 days after the effective date of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, the holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities then outstanding are entitled to demand registration

rights. Under the terms of the registration rights agreement, we will be required, upon the written request of holders of a majority of these securities to file a registration statement, with respect to at least 40% of the Registrable Securities then outstanding (or a lesser percentage, if the anticipated aggregate offering price would exceed \$10.0 million) and use best efforts to effect the registration of all or a portion of these shares for public resale. We are required to effect only two registrations pursuant to this provision of the registration rights agreement.

***Short-Form Registration Rights***

Pursuant to the registration rights agreement, if we are eligible to file a registration statement on Form F-3 or Form S-3, upon the written request of holders of at least 10% of the Registrable Securities then outstanding having an anticipated aggregate offering price of at least \$4.0 million, we will be required to effect a registration of such Registrable Securities. We are required to effect only two registrations in any twelve month period pursuant to this provision of the registration rights agreement. The right to have such shares registered on Form F-3 or Form S-3 is further subject to other specified conditions and limitations.

***Piggyback Registration Rights***

Pursuant to the registration rights agreement, if we register any of our securities either for our own account or for the account of other security holders, other than in connection with our initial public offering or a registration for any employee benefit plan, corporate reorganization, or the offer or sale of debt securities, the holders of the Registrable Securities (for so long as they are a party to the registration rights agreement) are entitled to include their shares in the registration. Subject to certain exceptions contained in the registration rights agreement, we and the underwriters may limit the number of Registrable Securities included in the underwritten offering to the number of shares which we and the underwriters determine in our sole discretion will not jeopardize the success of the offering.

***Indemnification***

Our registration rights agreement contains customary cross-indemnification provisions, under which we are obligated to indemnify holders of registrable securities in the event of material misstatements or omissions in the registration statement attributable to us, and they are obligated to indemnify us for material misstatements or omissions attributable to them and (iii) the closing of a share sale.

***Expiration of Registration Rights***

The registration rights granted under the registration rights agreement will terminate on the earlier of (i) the fourth anniversary of the completion of this offering (ii) such time as we have completed this offering and all relevant ordinary shares may be sold pursuant to Rule 144 without limitation during a 90 day period without registration.

***Post-IPO Articles of Association***

Our Articles of Association, or the Articles, were approved by our shareholders in \_\_\_\_\_ and were adopted with effect from the completion of the offering. A summary of the terms of the Articles is set out below. The summary below is not a complete copy of the terms of the Articles.

The Articles contain no specific restrictions on our purpose and therefore, by virtue of section 31(1) of the Companies Act, our purpose is unrestricted.

The Articles contain, among other things, provisions to the following effect:

***Share Capital***

Our share capital will consist of ordinary shares and deferred shares. We may, in accordance with section 551 of the Companies Act, be authorized by our shareholders to generally and unconditionally allot our shares or grant rights to subscribe for or convert any security into our shares by way of an ordinary resolution or if no ordinary resolution is passed or so far as the resolution does not make specific provision, as the board of directors may determine, including shares which are to be redeemed, or are liable to be redeemed at our option or the option of the holder of such shares. However, an amendment to our Articles, which requires the passing of a special resolution, will be required to issue any shares other than ordinary shares or deferred shares.

***Voting***

The holders of ordinary shares have the right to receive notice of, and to vote at, our general meetings. Subject to any other provisions of the Articles and without prejudice to any special rights, privileges or restrictions as to voting attached to any shares forming part of our share capital, each holder of our ordinary shares who is present in person (or, in the case of a corporation, by representative) or by proxy at a general meeting on a show of hands has one vote and, on a poll, every such holder who is present in person (or, being a corporation, by representative) or by proxy has one vote in respect of every ordinary share held by him.

***Variation of Rights***

Whenever our share capital is divided into different classes of shares, the special rights attached to any class may be varied or abrogated either with the consent in writing of the holders of three-fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of that class or with the sanction of a special resolution passed at a general meeting of the holders of the shares of that class, and may be so varied and abrogated whilst the company is a going concern.

***Dividends***

We may, subject to the provisions of the Companies Act and the Articles, by ordinary resolution from time to time declare dividends to be paid to shareholders not exceeding the amount recommended by our board of directors. Subject to the provisions of the Companies Act, in so far as, in the board of directors' opinions, our profits justify such payments, the board of directors may declare interim dividends (including any dividend at a fixed rate) as appears to our board of directors to be justified by our profits available for distribution. Except as provided otherwise by the rights attached to shares, all dividends may be declared or paid in any currency. Our board of directors may decide the rate of exchange for any currency conversions that may be required and how any costs involved in such conversions are to be met.

Any dividend unclaimed after a period of 12 years from the date such dividend was declared or became payable shall, if the board of directors resolve, be forfeited and shall cease to remain owing by us. Unless otherwise provided by the rights attached to the share, no dividend or other monies payable on or in respect of a share shall bear interest as against us.

***Liquidation Preference***

On a distribution of assets on a liquidation, the surplus assets remaining after payment of liabilities shall be distributed among the holders of ordinary shares pro rata to the number of ordinary shares held by them, irrespective of the amount paid or credited as paid on any ordinary share.

***Transfer of Ordinary Shares***

Subject to the restrictions in the Articles, each member may transfer all or any of his shares which are in certificated form by means of an instrument of transfer in any usual form or in any other form which the board of

directors may approve. Each member may transfer all or any of his shares which are in uncertificated form by means of a "relevant system" (i.e., the CREST System) in such manner provided for, and subject as provided in, the CREST Regulations.

The board of directors may, in its absolute discretion, refuse to register a transfer of certificated shares unless:

- (i) it is for a share which is fully paid up;
- (ii) it is for a share upon which the company has no lien;
- (iii) it is only for one class of share;
- (iv) it is in favor of a single transferee or no more than four joint transferees;
- (v) it is duly stamped or is duly certificated or otherwise shown to the satisfaction of the board of directors to be exempt from stamp duty; and
- (vi) it is delivered for registration to the registered office of the company (or such other place as the board of directors may determine), accompanied (except in the case of a transfer by a person to whom the company is not required by law to issue a certificate and to whom a certificate has not been issued or in the case of a renunciation) by the certificate for the shares to which it relates and such other evidence as the board of directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor (or person renouncing) and the due execution of the transfer or renunciation by him or, if the transfer or renunciation is executed by some other person on his behalf, the authority of that person to do so.

The board of directors shall not refuse to register any transfer of partly paid shares in respect of which ADSs are admitted to Nasdaq on the grounds that they are partly paid shares in circumstances where such refusal would prevent dealings in such shares from taking place on an open and proper basis.

The board of directors may refuse to register a transfer of uncertificated shares in any circumstances that are allowed or required by the CREST Regulations and the CREST System.

#### ***Allotment of Shares and Preemption Rights***

Subject to the Companies Act and to any rights attached to existing shares, any share may be issued with or have attached to it such rights and restrictions as the company may by ordinary resolution determine, or if no ordinary resolution has been passed or so far as the resolution does not make specific provision, as the board of directors may determine (including shares which are to be redeemed, or are liable to be redeemed at the option of the company or the holder of such shares). However, an amendment to the Articles, which requires the passing of a special resolution, will be required to issue any shares other than ordinary shares.

In accordance with section 551 of the Companies Act, the board of directors may be generally and unconditionally authorized to exercise all the powers of the company to allot shares or grant rights to subscribe for or to convert any security into shares up to an aggregate nominal amount equal to the amount stated in the relevant ordinary resolution authorizing such allotment. The authorities passed on \_\_\_\_\_ by way of ordinary resolution and remain in force at the date of this prospectus.

Pursuant to of section 561 of the Companies Act, shareholders are granted preemptive rights when new shares are issued for cash. However, it is possible for the Articles, or shareholders at a general meeting representing at least 75% of our ordinary shares present (in person or by proxy) and eligible to vote at that general meeting, to disapply these preemptive rights. Such a disapplication of preemption rights may be a maximum period of up to five years from the date of the shareholder resolution. In either case, this disapplication would need to be renewed by our shareholders upon its expiration (i.e. at least every five years).

On 2021, our shareholders approved the disapplication of preemptive rights for a period of five years from the date of approval by way of a special resolution of our shareholders. This included the disapplication of preemption rights in relation to the allotment of our ordinary shares in connection with this offering. This disapplication will need to be renewed upon expiration (i.e., at least every five years) to remain effective, but may be sought more frequently for additional five-year terms (or any shorter period).

***Alteration of Share Capital***

The company may, in accordance with the Companies Act, by ordinary resolution consolidate all of its share capital into shares of larger nominal value than its existing shares, or cancel any shares which, at the date of the ordinary resolution, have not been taken or agreed to be taken by any person and diminish the amount of its share capital by the nominal amount of shares so cancelled, or sub-divide its shares, or any of them, into shares of smaller nominal value.

The company may, in accordance with the Companies Act, reduce or cancel its share capital or any capital redemption reserve or share premium account in any manner and with and subject to any conditions, authorities and consents required by law.

***Board of Directors***

***Appointment of directors***

Unless otherwise determined by the company by ordinary resolution, the number of directors (other than any alternate directors) shall not be less than two but there shall be no maximum number of directors.

Subject to the Articles and the Companies Act, the company may by ordinary resolution appoint a person who is willing to act as a director and the board of directors shall have power at any time to appoint any person who is willing to act as a director, in both cases either to fill a vacancy or as an addition to the existing board of directors.

The Articles provide that upon completion of this offering, our board of directors will be divided into three classes, each of which will consist, as nearly as possible, of one-third of the total number of directors constituting our entire board and which will serve staggered three-year terms. At each annual general meeting, the successors of directors whose terms then expire will be elected to serve from the time of election and qualification until the third annual meeting following election.

At every subsequent annual general meeting any director who either (i) has been appointed by the board of directors since the last annual general meeting or (ii) was not appointed or reappointed at one of the preceding two annual general meetings, must retire from office and may offer themselves for reappointment by the shareholders by ordinary resolution.

***Proceedings of directors***

Subject to the provisions of the Articles, the board of directors may regulate their proceedings as they deem appropriate. A director may, and the secretary at the request of a director shall, call a meeting of the directors.

The quorum for a meeting of the board of directors shall be fixed from time to time by a decision of the board of directors, but it must never be less than two directors (or duly appointed alternative directors) and unless otherwise fixed, it is two directors (or duly appointed alternative directors).

Questions and matters requiring resolution arising at a meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes of the participating directors, with each director having one vote. In the case of an equality of votes, the chairman will only have a casting vote or second vote (unless the chairperson is not entitled to vote on the resolution in question).



*Directors' compensation*

Directors shall be entitled to receive such remuneration as the board of directors shall determine for their services to the company as directors, and for any other service which they undertake for the company provided that the aggregate fees payable to the directors must not exceed £            per annum or such higher amount as may from time to time be decided by ordinary resolutions. The directors shall be entitled to reasonable additional remuneration (whether by way of salary, commission, participation in profits or otherwise) for any special duties or services performed or rendered to us, as determined by our board of directors, and in respect of any employment or executive office. The directors shall also be entitled to be paid all reasonable expenses properly incurred by them in connection with their attendance at meetings of shareholders or class meetings, board of director or committee meetings or otherwise in connection with the exercise of their powers and the discharge of their responsibilities in relation to the company.

*Conflicts of interest*

The board of directors may, in accordance with the requirements in the Articles, authorize any matter proposed to them by any director which would, if not authorized, involve a director breaching his duty under the Companies Act, to avoid conflicts of interests.

A director seeking authorization in respect of such conflict shall declare to the board of directors the nature and extent of his interest in a conflict as soon as is reasonably practicable. The director shall provide the board of directors with such details of the matter as are necessary for the board of directors to decide how to address the conflict together with such additional information as may be requested by the board of directors.

Any authorization by the board of directors will be effective only if:

- (i) to the extent permitted by the Companies Act, the matter in question shall have been proposed by any director for consideration in the same way that any other matter may be proposed to the directors under the provisions of the Articles;
- (ii) any requirement as to the quorum for consideration of the relevant matter is met without counting the conflicted director and any other conflicted director; and
- (iii) the matter is agreed to without the conflicted director voting or would be agreed to if the conflicted director's and any other interested director's vote is not counted.

*Permitted interests*

Under the Articles, certain transactions which would otherwise give rise to a conflict are considered to be permitted interests of our directors. In the event that these permitted interests arise, the director in question will still count towards the quorum requirements of the relevant meeting and be entitled to vote on resolutions relating to such permitted interests, including but not limited to the following matters:

- (i) the giving by such director of any security, guarantee or indemnity for any money or any liability which such director, or any other person, has lent or obligations such director or any other person has undertaken at the request, or for the benefit, of us or any of our subsidiary undertakings;
- (ii) the giving of any security, guarantee or indemnity to any other person for a debt or obligation which is owed by us or any of our subsidiary undertakings, to that other person if such director has taken responsibility for some or all of that debt or obligation. Such director can take this responsibility by giving a guarantee, indemnity or security;
- (iii) a proposal or contract relating to an offer of any shares or debentures or other securities for subscription or purchase by us or any of our subsidiary undertakings, if such director takes part because such director is a holder of shares, debentures or other securities, or if such director takes part in the underwriting or sub-underwriting of the offer;

- (iv) any arrangement for the benefit of our employees or the employees of any of our subsidiary undertakings which only gives such director benefits which are also generally given to employees to whom the arrangement relates;
- (v) any arrangement involving any other company if such director (together with any person connected with such director) has an interest of any kind in that company (including an interest by holding any position in that company or by being a shareholder of that company). This does not apply if such director knows that that such director has a relevant interest in a company. A company shall be deemed to be one in which such director has a relevant interest if and so long as (but only if and so long as) such director is to their knowledge (either directly or indirectly) the holder of or beneficially interested in one percent or more of any class of the equity share capital of that company (calculated exclusive of any shares of that class in that company held as treasury shares) or of the voting rights available to shareholders of that company;
- (vi) a contract relating to insurance which we can buy or renew for the benefit of our directors or a group of people which includes our directors; and
- (vii) a contract relating to a pension, superannuation or similar scheme or a retirement, death, disability benefits scheme or employees' share scheme which gives such director benefits which are also generally given to the employees to whom the scheme relates.

A director is not permitted to vote (or count towards the quorum) on a resolution relating to their own appointment or the settlement or variation of the terms of their appointment to an office or place of profit with us, or any other company in which we have an interest.

***Directors' Indemnity***

Subject to the provisions of the Companies Act, every director, secretary or other officer of the company (other than an auditor) shall be indemnified against all costs, charges, losses, damages and liabilities incurred by him in the actual purported exercise or discharge of his duties or exercise of his powers or otherwise in relation to them. This indemnity includes any liability incurred by a director in defending any civil or criminal proceedings in which judgment is given in that director's favor or the director is acquitted or the proceedings are otherwise disposed of without any finding or admission of any material breach of duty on his part and we may provide the director with funds to meet expenditure incurred in connection with the proceedings set out above.

***General Meetings***

The company must convene and hold general meetings within the six-month period beginning with the day following our accounting reference date in accordance with the Companies Act. Under the Companies Act, an annual general meeting must be called by notice of at least 21 clear days and a general meeting must be called by notice of at least 14 clear days.

No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present when the meeting proceeds to business, but the absence of a quorum shall not preclude the choice or appointment of a chairman of the meeting which shall not be treated as part of the business of the meeting. Save as otherwise provided by the Articles, two shareholders present in person or by proxy and entitled to vote shall be a quorum for all purposes.

***Choice of forum/governing law***

The Articles provide that the courts of England and Wales will be the exclusive forum for resolving all shareholder complaints other than shareholder complaints asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act, for which, unless we consent by ordinary resolution to the selection of an alternative forum, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York will be the exclusive forum. As a

company incorporated in England and Wales, the choice of the courts of England and Wales as our exclusive forum for resolving all shareholder complaints, other than complaints arising under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act, allows us to more efficiently and affordably respond to such actions, and provides consistency in the application of the laws of England and Wales to such actions.

Similarly, we have selected the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York as our exclusive forum for resolving shareholder complaints arising under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act in order to more efficiently and affordably respond to such claims.

This choice of forum also provides both us and our shareholders with a forum that is familiar with and regularly reviews cases involving U.S. securities law. Although we believe this choice of forum benefits us by providing increased consistency in the application of U.S. securities law for the specified types of action, it may have the effect of discouraging lawsuits against our directors and officers. Any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in our ordinary shares will be deemed to have notice of and consented to the provisions of the Articles, including the exclusive forum provision. However, it is possible that a court could find our forum selection provision to be inapplicable or unenforceable. The enforceability of similar exclusive forum provisions (including exclusive federal forum provisions for actions, suits or proceedings asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act) in other companies' organizational documents has been challenged in legal proceedings, and there is uncertainty as to whether courts would enforce the exclusive forum provisions in the Articles. Additionally, our shareholders cannot waive compliance with the federal securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder. See "Risk factors—Risks related to this offering and ownership of the ADSs"—Our new articles of association, to be adopted with effect from the completion of this offering, or Articles, will provide that the courts of England and Wales will be the exclusive forum for the resolution of all shareholder complaints other than complaints asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, and that the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York will be the exclusive forum for the resolution of any shareholder complaint asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act."

***Borrowing Powers***

Subject to the Articles and the Companies Act, the board of directors may exercise all of the powers of the company to:

- (a) borrow money;
- (b) indemnify and guarantee;
- (c) mortgage or charge;
- (d) create and issue debentures and other securities; and
- (e) give security either outright or as collateral security for any debt, liability or obligation of the company or of any third party.

***Capitalization of Profits***

The directors may, if they are so authorized by an ordinary resolution of the shareholders, decide to capitalize any undivided profits of the company (whether or not they are available for distribution), or any sum standing to the credit of the company's share premium account or capital redemption reserve. The directors may also, subject to the aforementioned ordinary resolution, appropriate any sum which they so decide to capitalize to the persons who would have been entitled to it if it were distributed by way of dividend and in the same proportions.

***Limitation on Owning Securities***

The Articles do not restrict in any way the ownership or voting of our shares by non-residents.

**Uncertificated Shares**

Subject to the Companies Act, the board of directors may permit title to shares of any class to be issued or held otherwise than by a certificate and to be transferred by means of a "relevant system" (i.e., the CREST System) without a certificate.

The board of directors may take such steps as it sees fit in relation to the evidencing of and transfer of title to uncertificated shares, any records relating to the holding of uncertificated shares and the conversion of uncertificated shares to certificated shares, or vice-versa.

The company may by notice to the holder of an uncertificated share, require that share to be converted into certificated form.

The board of directors may take such other action that the board considers appropriate to achieve the sale, transfer, disposal, forfeiture, re-allocation or surrender of an uncertificated share or otherwise to enforce a lien in respect of it.

**Other Relevant Laws and Regulations**

**Takeover code**

We believe that, as of the date of this prospectus, our place of central management and control is not in the United Kingdom (or the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man) for the purposes of the jurisdictional criteria of the Takeover Code. Accordingly, we believe that we are not currently subject to the Takeover Code and, as a result, our shareholders are not currently entitled to the benefit of certain takeover offer protections provided under the Takeover Code, including the rules regarding mandatory takeover bids.

In the event that this changes, or if the interpretation and application of the Takeover Code by the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (Takeover Panel), changes (including changes to the way in which the Takeover Panel assesses the application of the Takeover Code to English companies whose shares are listed outside of the United Kingdom), the Takeover Code may apply to us in the future.

**Mandatory bid**

The Takeover Code provides a framework within which takeovers of companies subject to it are conducted. In particular, the Takeover Code contains certain rules in respect of mandatory offers. Under the Takeover Code, where:

- (a) any person, together with persons acting in concert with him, acquires, whether by a series of transactions over a period of time or not, an interest in shares which (taken together with shares in which he is already interested, and in which persons acting in concert with him are interested) carry 30% or more of the voting rights of a company; or
- (b) any person who, together with persons acting in concert with him, is interested in shares which in the aggregate carry not less than 30% of the voting rights of a company but does not hold shares carrying more than 50% of such voting rights and such person, or any person acting in concert with him, acquires an interest in any other shares which increases the percentage of shares carrying voting rights in which he is interested

such person shall, except in limited circumstances, be obliged to extend offers, on the basis set out in Rules 9.3, 9.4 and 9.5 of the Takeover Code, to the holders of any class of equity share capital, whether voting or non-voting, and also to the holders of any other class of transferable securities carrying voting rights. Offers for different classes of equity share capital must be comparable; the Takeover Panel should be consulted in advance in such cases.

An offer under Rule 9 of the Takeover Code must be in cash and at the highest price paid for any interest in the shares by the person required to make an offer or any person acting in concert with him during the 12 months prior to the announcement of the offer.

Under the Takeover Code, “persons acting in concert” comprises persons who pursuant to an agreement or understanding (whether formal or informal and whether or not in writing) actively cooperate, through the acquisition by them of an interest in shares in a company, to obtain or consolidate control of the company. “Control” means holding, or aggregate holdings, of an interest in shares carrying 30% or more of the voting rights of the company, irrespective of whether the holding or holdings give *de facto* control.

***Squeeze-Out***

Under sections 979 to 982 of the Companies Act, if an offeror were to acquire, or unconditionally contract to acquire, not less than 90% of the ordinary shares of the company, it could then compulsorily acquire the remaining 10%. It would do so by sending a notice to outstanding shareholders telling them that it will compulsorily acquire their shares, provided that no such notice may be served after the end of: (a) the period of three months beginning with the day after the last day on which the offer can be accepted; or (b) if earlier, and the offer is not one to which section 943(1) of the Companies Act applies, the period of six months beginning with the date of the offer.

Six weeks following service of the notice, the offeror must send a copy of it to the company together with the consideration for the ordinary shares to which the notice relates, and an instrument of transfer executed on behalf of the outstanding shareholder(s) by a person appointed by the offeror.

The company will hold the consideration on trust for the outstanding shareholders.

***Sell-out***

Sections 983 to 985 of the Companies Act also give minority shareholders in the company a right to be bought out in certain circumstances by an offeror who has made a takeover offer. If a takeover offer relating to all the ordinary shares of the company is made at any time before the end of the period within which the offer could be accepted and the offeror held or had agreed to acquire not less than 90% of the ordinary shares, any holder of shares to which the offer related who had not accepted the offer could by a written communication to the offeror require it to acquire those shares. The offeror is required to give any shareholder notice of his right to be bought out within one month of that right arising. The offeror may impose a time limit on the rights of minority shareholders to be bought out, but that period cannot end less than three months after the end of the acceptance period, or, if longer a period of three months from the date of the notice.

If a shareholder exercises his rights, the offeror is bound to acquire those shares on the terms of the offer or on such other terms as may be agreed.

**Differences in Corporate Law**

The applicable provisions of the Companies Act differ from laws applicable to U.S. corporations and their shareholders. Set forth below is a summary of certain differences between the provisions of the Companies Act applicable to us and the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware relating to shareholders' rights and protections. This summary is not intended to be a complete discussion of the respective rights and it is qualified in its entirety by reference to Delaware law and the laws of England and Wales.

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Number of Directors	Under the Companies Act, a public limited company must have at least two directors and the number of directors may be fixed by or in the manner provided in a company's
Removal of Directors	Under the Companies Act, shareholders may remove a director without cause by an ordinary resolution (which is passed by a simple majority of those voting in person or by
Vacancies on the Board of Directors	Under the laws of England and Wales, the procedure by which directors, other than a company's initial directors, are appointed is generally set out in a company's articles of

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directors may be tabled at that meeting.

Annual General Meeting Under the Companies Act, a public limited company must hold an annual general meeting in each six-month period following the company's annual accounting reference date.

General Meeting Under the Companies Act, a general meeting of the shareholders of a public limited company may be called by the directors.

Shareholders holding at least 5% of the paid-up capital of the company carrying voting rights at general meetings (excluding any paid up capital held as treasury shares) can require the c

Notice of General Meetings Subject to a company's articles of association providing for a longer period, under the Companies Act, at least 21 clear days' notice must be given for an annual general meeting and any

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	the shares giving a right to attend and vote at the meeting.
Quorum	Subject to the provisions of a company's articles of association, the Companies Act provides that two shareholders present at a meeting (in person, by proxy or by authorized represent
Proxy	Under the Companies Act, at any meeting of shareholders, a shareholder may designate another person to attend, speak and vote at the meeting on their behalf by proxy.
Issue of New Shares	Under the Companies Act, the directors of a company must not exercise any power to allot shares or grant rights to subscribe for, or to convert any security into, shares unless they are
Preemptive Rights	Under the Companies Act, "equity securities," being (i) shares in the company other than shares that, with respect to dividends and capital, carry a right to participate only up to a spec



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Authority to Allot	referred to as “ordinary shares,” or (ii) rights to subscribe for, or to convert securities into, ordinary shares, proposed to be allotted for cash must be offered first to the existing equity shares of the company.
Liability of Directors and Officers	Under the Companies Act, the directors of a company must not allot shares or grant rights to subscribe for or convert any security into shares unless an exception applies or an ordinary resolution of the company has been passed. Under the Companies Act, any provision, whether contained in a company’s articles of association or any contract or otherwise, that purports to exempt a director of a company, to any extent, from any liability for negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust in relation to the affairs of the company, is void.

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Companies Act, which provides exceptions for the company to company against any liability attaching to him in connection with any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust i

Voting For a company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales, it is usual for the articles of association to provide that, unless a poll is demanded by the shareholders of a company or i  
Rights

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extensive rights for shareholders to call a poll.

Under the laws of England and Wales, an ordinary resolution is passed on a show of hands if it is approved by a simple majority (more than 50%) of the votes cast by shareholders pr

Shareholder  
Vote on  
Certain  
Transactions

The Companies Act provides for schemes of arrangement, which are arrangements or compromises between a company and any class of shareholders or creditors and used in certain

- the approval at a shareholders' or creditors' meeting convened by order of the court, of a majority in number of shareholders or creditors representing 75% in value of the capital he
- the approval of the court.

Standard of  
Conduct for  
Directors

Under the laws of England and Wales, a director owes various statutory and fiduciary duties to the company, including:

**England and Wales**

- to act in the way he considers, in good faith, would be most likely to promote the success of the company for the benefit of its members as a whole, and in doing so have regard (amongst other matters) to: (i) the likely consequences of any decision in the long-term, (ii) the interests of the company's employees, (iii) the need to foster the company's business relationships with suppliers, customers and others, (iv) the impact of the company's operations on the community and the environment, (v) the desirability to maintain a reputation for high standards of business conduct, and (vi) the need to act fairly as between members of the company;
- to avoid a situation in which he has, or can have, a direct or indirect interest that conflicts, or possibly conflicts, with the interests of the company;
- to act in accordance with the company's constitution and only exercise his powers for the purposes for which they are conferred;
- to exercise independent judgment;
- to exercise reasonable care, skill and diligence;
- to accept benefits from a third party conferred by reason of his being a director or doing, or not doing, anything as a director; and
- to declare any interest that he has, whether directly or indirectly, in a proposed or existing transaction or arrangement with the company.

**Delaware**

directors is generally determined by the courts of the State of Delaware. In general, directors have a duty to act without self-interest, on a well-informed basis and in a manner they reasonably believe to be in the best interest of the stockholders.

Directors of a Delaware corporation owe fiduciary duties of care and loyalty to the corporation and to its shareholders. The duty of care generally requires that a director act in good faith, with the care that an ordinarily prudent person would exercise under similar circumstances. Under this duty, a director must inform himself of all material information reasonably available regarding a significant transaction. The duty of loyalty requires that a director act in a manner he reasonably believes to be in the best interests of the corporation. He must not use his corporate position for personal gain or advantage. In general, but subject to certain exceptions, actions of a director are presumed to have been made on an informed basis, in good faith and in the honest belief that the action taken was in the best interests of the corporation. However, this presumption may be rebutted by evidence of a breach of one of the fiduciary duties. Delaware courts have also imposed a heightened standard of conduct upon directors of a Delaware corporation who take any action designed to defeat a threatened change in control of the corporation.

In addition, under Delaware law, when the board of directors of a Delaware corporation approves the sale or break-up of a corporation, the board of directors may, in certain circumstances, have a duty to obtain the highest value reasonably available to the shareholders.

	<u>England and Wales</u>	<u>Delaware</u>
Stockholder Litigation	<p>Under the laws of England and Wales, generally, the company, rather than its shareholders, is the proper claimant in an action in respect of a wrong done to the company or where there is an irregularity in the company's internal management. Notwithstanding this general position, the Companies Act provides that (i) a court may allow a shareholder to bring a derivative claim (that is, an action in respect of and on behalf of the company) in respect of a cause of action arising from a director's negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust and (ii) a shareholder may bring a claim for a court order where the company's affairs have been or are being conducted in a manner that is unfairly prejudicial to some of its shareholders.</p>	<p>Under Delaware law, a stockholder may initiate a derivative action to enforce a right of a corporation if the corporation fails to enforce the right itself. The complaint must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• state that the plaintiff was a stockholder at the time of the transaction of which the plaintiff complains or that the plaintiff's shares thereafter devolved on the plaintiff by operation of law; and</li><li>• allege with particularity the efforts made by the plaintiff to obtain the action the plaintiff desires from the directors and the reasons for the plaintiff's failure to obtain the action; or</li><li>• state the reasons for not making the effort.</li></ul> <p>Additionally, the plaintiff must remain a stockholder through the duration of the derivative suit. The action will not be dismissed or compromised without the approval of the Delaware Court of Chancery.</p>

**Stock Exchange Listing**

We intend to apply to list our ADSs on the Nasdaq Global Market under the trading symbol "CNTA."

**Transfer Agent and Registrar of Shares**

Our share register will be maintained by \_\_\_\_\_ upon the closing of this offering. The share register reflects only record owners of our ordinary shares and deferred shares. Holders of our ADSs will not be treated as our shareholders and their names will therefore not be entered in our share register. The depository, the custodian or their nominees will be the holder of the ordinary shares underlying our ADSs. Holders of our ADSs have a right to receive the ordinary shares underlying their ADSs. For discussion on our ADSs and ADS holder rights, see "Description of American Depositary Shares" in this prospectus.

## DESCRIPTION OF AMERICAN DEPOSITARY SHARES

Citibank, N.A. has agreed to act as the depositary bank for the American Depositary Shares. Citibank's depositary offices are located at 388 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10013. American Depositary Shares are frequently referred to as "ADSs" and represent ownership interests in securities that are on deposit with the depositary bank. ADSs may be represented by certificates that are commonly known as "American Depositary Receipts" or "ADRs." The depositary bank typically appoints a custodian to safekeep the securities on deposit. In this case, the custodian is Citibank, N.A., London Branch, located at 25 Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London, E14 5LB, United Kingdom.

We will appoint Citibank as depositary bank pursuant to a deposit agreement. A copy of the deposit agreement will be on file with the SEC as an exhibit to a Registration Statement on Form F-6. You may obtain a copy of the deposit agreement from the SEC's website ([www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov)). Please refer to Registration Number 333- when retrieving such copy.

We are providing you with a summary description of the material terms of the ADSs and of your material rights as an owner of ADSs. Please remember that summaries by their nature lack the precision of the information summarized and that the rights and obligations of an owner of ADSs will be determined by reference to the terms of the deposit agreement and not by this summary. We urge you to review the deposit agreement in its entirety. The portions of this summary description that are italicized describe matters that may be relevant to the ownership of ADSs but that may not be contained in the deposit agreement.

Each ADS represents the right to receive, and to exercise the beneficial ownership interests in, ordinary share(s) that is on deposit with the depositary bank and/or custodian. An ADS also represents the right to receive, and to exercise the beneficial interests in, any other property received by the depositary bank or the custodian on behalf of the owner of the ADS but that has not been distributed to the owners of ADSs because of legal restrictions or practical considerations. We and the depositary bank may agree to change the ADS-to-Share ratio by amending the deposit agreement. This amendment may give rise to, or change, the depositary fees payable by ADS owners. The custodian, the depositary bank and their respective nominees will hold all deposited property for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of ADSs. The deposited property does not constitute the proprietary assets of the depositary bank, the custodian or their nominees. Beneficial ownership in the deposited property will under the terms of the deposit agreement be vested in the beneficial owners of the ADSs. The depositary bank, the custodian and their respective nominees will be the record holders of the deposited property represented by the ADSs for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the corresponding ADSs. A beneficial owner of ADSs may or may not be the holder of ADSs. Beneficial owners of ADSs will be able to receive, and to exercise beneficial ownership interests in, the deposited property only through the registered holders of the ADSs, the registered holders of the ADSs (on behalf of the applicable ADS owners) only through the depositary bank, and the depositary bank (on behalf of the owners of the corresponding ADSs) directly, or indirectly, through the custodian or their respective nominees, in each case upon the terms of the deposit agreement.

If you become an owner of ADSs, you will become a party to the deposit agreement and therefore will be bound to its terms and to the terms of any ADR that represents your ADSs. The deposit agreement and the ADR specify our rights and obligations as well as your rights and obligations as owner of ADSs and those of the depositary bank. As an ADS holder you appoint the depositary bank to act on your behalf in certain circumstances. The deposit agreement and the ADRs are governed by New York law. However, our obligations to the holders of ordinary shares will continue to be governed by the laws of England and Wales, which may be different from the laws in the United States.

In addition, applicable laws and regulations may require you to satisfy reporting requirements and obtain regulatory approvals in certain circumstances. You are solely responsible for complying with such reporting requirements and obtaining such approvals. Neither the depositary bank, the custodian, us or any of their or our

respective agents or affiliates shall be required to take any actions whatsoever on your behalf to satisfy such reporting requirements or obtain such regulatory approvals under applicable laws and regulations.

*As an owner of ADSs, we will not treat you as one of our shareholders and you will not have direct shareholder rights. The depositary bank will hold on your behalf the shareholder rights attached to the ordinary shares underlying your ADSs. As an owner of ADSs you will be able to exercise the shareholders rights for the ordinary shares represented by your ADSs through the depositary bank only to the extent contemplated in the deposit agreement. To exercise any shareholder rights not contemplated in the deposit agreement you will, as an ADS owner, need to arrange for the cancellation of your ADSs and become a direct shareholder.*

The manner in which you own the ADSs (e.g., in a brokerage account vs. as registered holder, or as holder of certificated vs. uncertificated ADSs) may affect your rights and obligations, and the manner in which, and extent to which, the depositary bank's services are made available to you. As an owner of ADSs, you may hold your ADSs either by means of an ADR registered in your name, through a brokerage or safekeeping account, or through an account established by the depositary bank in your name reflecting the registration of uncertificated ADSs directly on the books of the depositary bank (commonly referred to as the "direct registration system" or "DRS"). The direct registration system reflects the uncertificated (book-entry) registration of ownership of ADSs by the depositary bank. Under the direct registration system, ownership of ADSs is evidenced by periodic statements issued by the depositary bank to the holders of the ADSs. The direct registration system includes automated transfers between the depositary bank and The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), the central book-entry clearing and settlement system for equity securities in the United States. If you decide to hold your ADSs through your brokerage or safekeeping account, you must rely on the procedures of your broker or bank to assert your rights as ADS owner. Banks and brokers typically hold securities such as the ADSs through clearing and settlement systems such as DTC. The procedures of such clearing and settlement systems may limit your ability to exercise your rights as an owner of ADSs. Please consult with your broker or bank if you have any questions concerning these limitations and procedures. All ADSs held through DTC will be registered in the name of a nominee of DTC. This summary description assumes you have opted to own the ADSs directly by means of an ADS registered in your name and, as such, we will refer to you as the "holder." When we refer to "you," we assume the reader owns ADSs and will own ADSs at the relevant time.

The registration of the ordinary shares in the name of the depositary bank or the custodian shall, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, vest in the depositary bank or the custodian the record ownership in the applicable ordinary shares with the beneficial ownership rights and interests in such ordinary shares being at all times vested with the beneficial owners of the ADSs representing the ordinary shares. The depositary bank or the custodian shall at all times be entitled to exercise the beneficial ownership rights in all deposited property, in each case only on behalf of the holders and beneficial owners of the ADSs representing the deposited property.

#### **Dividends and Distributions**

As a holder of ADSs, you generally have the right to receive the distributions we make on the securities deposited with the custodian. Your receipt of these distributions may be limited, however, by practical considerations and legal limitations. Holders of ADSs will receive such distributions under the terms of the deposit agreement in proportion to the number of ADSs held as of the specified record date, after deduction of the applicable fees, taxes and expenses.

#### **Distributions of Cash**

Whenever we make a cash distribution for the securities on deposit with the custodian, we will deposit the funds with the custodian. Upon receipt of confirmation of the deposit of the requisite funds, the depositary bank will arrange for the funds received in a currency other than U.S. dollars to be converted into U.S. dollars and for the distribution of the U.S. dollars to the holders, subject to English laws and regulations.

The conversion into U.S. dollars will take place only if practicable and if the U.S. dollars are transferable to the United States. The depositary bank will apply the same method for distributing the proceeds of the sale of any property (such as undistributed rights) held by the custodian in respect of securities on deposit.

The distribution of cash will be made net of the fees, expenses, taxes and governmental charges payable by holders under the terms of the deposit agreement. The depositary bank will hold any cash amounts it is unable to distribute in a non-interest bearing account for the benefit of the applicable holders and beneficial owners of ADSs until the distribution can be effected or the funds that the depositary bank holds must be escheated as unclaimed property in accordance with the laws of the relevant states of the United States.

#### **Distributions of Shares**

Whenever we make a free distribution of ordinary shares for the securities on deposit with the custodian, we will deposit the applicable number of ordinary shares with the custodian. Upon receipt of confirmation of such deposit, the depositary bank will *either* distribute to holders new ADSs representing the ordinary shares deposited *or* modify the ADS-to-ordinary-share ratio, in which case each ADS you hold will represent rights and interests in the additional ordinary shares so deposited. Only whole new ADSs will be distributed. Fractional entitlements will be sold and the proceeds of such sale will be distributed as in the case of a cash distribution.

The distribution of new ADSs or the modification of the ADS-to-ordinary-share ratio upon a distribution of ordinary shares will be made net of the fees, expenses, taxes and governmental charges payable by holders under the terms of the deposit agreement. In order to pay such taxes or governmental charges, the depositary bank may sell all or a portion of the new ordinary shares so distributed.

No such distribution of new ADSs will be made if it would violate a law (*e.g.*, the U.S. securities laws) or if it is not operationally practicable. If the depositary bank does not distribute new ADSs as described above, it may sell the ordinary shares received upon the terms described in the deposit agreement and will distribute the proceeds of the sale as in the case of a distribution of cash.

#### **Distributions of Rights**

Whenever we intend to distribute rights to purchase additional ordinary shares, we will give prior notice to the depositary bank and we will assist the depositary bank in determining whether it is lawful and reasonably practicable to distribute rights to purchase additional ADSs to holders.

The depositary bank will establish procedures to distribute rights to purchase additional ADSs to holders and to enable such holders to exercise such rights if it is lawful and reasonably practicable to make the rights available to holders of ADSs, and if we provide all of the documentation contemplated in the deposit agreement (such as opinions to address the lawfulness of the transaction). You may have to pay fees, expenses, taxes and other governmental charges to subscribe for the new ADSs upon the exercise of your rights. The depositary bank is not obligated to establish procedures to facilitate the distribution and exercise by holders of rights to subscribe for new ordinary shares other than in the form of ADSs.

The depositary bank will *not* distribute the rights to you if:

- We do not timely request that the rights be distributed to you or we request that the rights not be distributed to you; or
- We fail to deliver satisfactory documents to the depositary bank; or
- It is not reasonably practicable to distribute the rights.

The depositary bank will sell the rights that are not exercised or not distributed if such sale is lawful and reasonably practicable. The proceeds of such sale will be distributed to holders as in the case of a cash distribution. If the depositary bank is unable to sell the rights, it will allow the rights to lapse.



***Elective Distributions***

Whenever we intend to distribute a dividend payable at the election of shareholders either in cash or in additional shares, we will give prior notice thereof to the depositary bank and will indicate whether we wish the elective distribution to be made available to you. In such case, we will assist the depositary bank in determining whether such distribution is lawful and reasonably practicable.

The depositary bank will make the election available to you only if it is reasonably practicable and if we have provided all of the documentation contemplated in the deposit agreement. In such case, the depositary bank will establish procedures to enable you to elect to receive either cash or additional ADSs, in each case as described in the deposit agreement.

If the election is not made available to you, you will receive either cash or additional ADSs, depending on what a shareholder in England and Wales would receive upon failing to make an election, as more fully described in the deposit agreement.

***Other Distributions***

Whenever we intend to distribute property other than cash, ordinary shares or rights to subscribe for additional ordinary shares, we will notify the depositary bank in advance and will indicate whether we wish such distribution to be made to you. If so, we will assist the depositary bank in determining whether such distribution to holders is lawful and reasonably practicable.

If it is reasonably practicable to distribute such property to you and if we provide to the depositary bank all of the documentation contemplated in the deposit agreement, the depositary bank will distribute the property to the holders in a manner it deems practicable.

The distribution will be made net of fees, expenses, taxes and governmental charges payable by holders under the terms of the deposit agreement. In order to pay such taxes and governmental charges, the depositary bank may sell all or a portion of the property received.

The depositary bank will *not* distribute the property to you and will sell the property if:

- We do not request that the property be distributed to you or if we request that the property not be distributed to you; or
- We do not deliver satisfactory documents to the depositary bank; or
- The depositary bank determines that all or a portion of the distribution to you is not reasonably practicable.

The proceeds of such a sale will be distributed to holders as in the case of a cash distribution.

***Redemption***

Whenever we decide to redeem any of the securities on deposit with the custodian, we will notify the depositary bank in advance. If it is practicable and if we provide all of the documentation contemplated in the deposit agreement, the depositary bank will provide notice of the redemption to the holders.

The custodian will be instructed to surrender the shares being redeemed against payment of the applicable redemption price. The depositary bank will convert into U.S. dollars upon the terms of the deposit agreement the redemption funds received in a currency other than U.S. dollars and will establish procedures to enable holders to receive the net proceeds from the redemption upon surrender of their ADSs to the depositary bank. You may have to pay fees, expenses, taxes and other governmental charges upon the redemption of your ADSs. If less than all ADSs are being redeemed, the ADSs to be retired will be selected by lot or on a *pro rata* basis, as the depositary bank may determine.

#### **Changes Affecting Ordinary Shares**

The ordinary shares held on deposit for your ADSs may change from time to time. For example, there may be a change in nominal or par value, split-up, cancellation, consolidation or any other reclassification of such ordinary shares or a recapitalization, reorganization, merger, consolidation or sale of assets of the Company.

If any such change were to occur, your ADSs would, to the extent permitted by law and the deposit agreement, represent the right to receive the property received or exchanged in respect of the ordinary shares held on deposit. The depositary bank may in such circumstances deliver new ADSs to you, amend the deposit agreement, the ADRs and the applicable Registration Statement(s) on Form F-6, call for the exchange of your existing ADSs for new ADSs and take any other actions that are appropriate to reflect as to the ADSs the change affecting the ordinary shares. If the depositary bank may not lawfully distribute such property to you, the depositary bank may sell such property and distribute the net proceeds to you as in the case of a cash distribution.

#### **Issuance of ADSs upon Deposit of Ordinary Shares**

Upon completion of the offering, the ordinary shares being offered pursuant to the prospectus will be deposited by us with the custodian. Upon receipt of confirmation of such deposit, the depositary bank will issue ADSs to the underwriters named in the prospectus. After the completion of the offering, the ordinary shares that are being offered for sale pursuant to the prospectus will be deposited by us with the custodian. Upon receipt of confirmation of such deposit, the depositary bank will issue ADSs to the underwriters named in the prospectus.

After the closing of the offer, the depositary bank may create ADSs on your behalf if you or your broker deposit ordinary shares with the custodian. The depositary bank will deliver these ADSs to the person you indicate only after you pay any applicable issuance fees and any charges and taxes payable for the transfer of the ordinary shares to the custodian. Your ability to deposit ordinary shares and receive ADSs may be limited by U.S. and English legal considerations applicable at the time of deposit.

The issuance of ADSs may be delayed until the depositary bank or the custodian receives confirmation that all required approvals have been given and that the ordinary shares have been duly transferred to the custodian. The depositary bank will only issue ADSs in whole numbers.

When you make a deposit of ordinary shares, you will be responsible for transferring good and valid title to the depositary bank. As such, you will be deemed to represent and warrant that:

- The ordinary shares are duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid, non-assessable and legally obtained.
- All preemptive (and similar) rights, if any, with respect to such ordinary shares have been validly waived or exercised.
- You are duly authorized to deposit the ordinary shares.
- The ordinary shares presented for deposit are free and clear of any lien, encumbrance, security interest, charge, mortgage or adverse claim, and are not, and the ADSs issuable upon such deposit will not be, "restricted securities" (as defined in the deposit agreement).
- The ordinary shares presented for deposit have not been stripped of any rights or entitlements.

If any of the representations or warranties are incorrect in any way, we and the depositary bank may, at your cost and expense, take any and all actions necessary to correct the consequences of the misrepresentations.

#### **Transfer, Combination and Split Up of ADRs**

As an ADR holder, you will be entitled to transfer, combine or split up your ADRs and the ADSs evidenced thereby. For transfers of ADRs, you will have to surrender the ADRs to be transferred to the depositary bank and also must:

- ensure that the surrendered ADR is properly endorsed or otherwise in proper form for transfer;

- provide such proof of identity and genuineness of signatures as the depositary bank deems appropriate;
- provide any transfer stamps required by the State of New York or the United States; and
- pay all applicable fees, charges, expenses, taxes and other government charges payable by ADR holders pursuant to the terms of the deposit agreement, upon the transfer of ADRs.

To have your ADRs either combined or split up, you must surrender the ADRs in question to the depositary bank with your request to have them combined or split up, and you must pay all applicable fees, charges and expenses payable by ADR holders, pursuant to the terms of the deposit agreement, upon a combination or split up of ADRs.

#### **Withdrawal of Ordinary Shares Upon Cancellation of ADSs**

As a holder, you will be entitled to present your ADSs to the depositary bank for cancellation and then receive the corresponding number of underlying ordinary shares at the custodian's offices. Your ability to withdraw the ordinary shares held in respect of the ADSs may be limited by U.S. and English law considerations applicable at the time of withdrawal. In order to withdraw the ordinary shares represented by your ADSs, you will be required to pay to the depositary bank the fees for cancellation of ADSs and any charges and taxes payable upon the transfer of the ordinary shares. You assume the risk for delivery of all funds and securities upon withdrawal. Once canceled, the ADSs will not have any rights under the deposit agreement.

If you hold ADSs registered in your name, the depositary bank may ask you to provide proof of identity and genuineness of any signature and such other documents as the depositary bank may deem appropriate before it will cancel your ADSs. The withdrawal of the ordinary shares represented by your ADSs may be delayed until the depositary bank receives satisfactory evidence of compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. Please keep in mind that the depositary bank will only accept ADSs for cancellation that represent a whole number of securities on deposit.

You will have the right to withdraw the securities represented by your ADSs at any time except for:

- Temporary delays that may arise because (i) the transfer books for the ordinary shares or ADSs are closed, or (ii) ordinary shares are immobilized on account of a shareholders' meeting or a payment of dividends.
- Obligations to pay fees, taxes and similar charges.
- Restrictions imposed because of laws or regulations applicable to ADSs or the withdrawal of securities on deposit.

The deposit agreement may not be modified to impair your right to withdraw the securities represented by your ADSs except to comply with mandatory provisions of law.

#### **Voting Rights**

As a holder, you generally have the right under the deposit agreement to instruct the depositary bank to exercise the voting rights for the ordinary shares represented by your ADSs. The voting rights of holders of ordinary shares are described in "Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association."

At our request, the depositary bank will distribute to you any notice of shareholders' meeting received from us together with information explaining how to instruct the depositary bank to exercise the voting rights of the securities represented by ADSs. In lieu of distributing such materials, the depositary bank may distribute to holders of ADSs instructions on how to retrieve such materials upon request.

If the depositary bank timely receives voting instructions from a holder of ADSs, it will endeavor to vote the securities (in person or by proxy) represented by the holder's ADSs as follows:

- *In the event of voting by show of hands*, the depositary bank will vote (or cause the custodian to vote) all ordinary shares held on deposit at that time in accordance with the voting instructions received from a majority of holders of ADSs who provide timely voting instructions.
- *In the event of voting by poll*, the depositary bank will vote (or cause the Custodian to vote) the ordinary shares held on deposit in accordance with the voting instructions received from the holders of ADSs.

Securities for which no voting instructions have been received will not be voted (except as otherwise contemplated in the deposit agreement). Please note that the ability of the depositary to carry out voting instructions may be limited by practical and legal limitations and the terms of the securities on deposit. We cannot assure you that you will receive voting materials in time to enable you to return voting instructions to the depositary in a timely manner.

**Fees and Charges**

As an ADS holder, you will be required to pay the following fees under the terms of the deposit agreement:

<u>Service</u>	<u>Fees</u>	
• Issuance of ADSs (e.g., an issuance of ADS upon a deposit of ordinary shares, upon a change in the ADS(s)-to-ordinary-share(s) ratio, or for any other reason), excluding ADS issuances as a result of distributions of shares)	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS issued
• Cancellation of ADSs (e.g., a cancellation of ADSs for delivery of deposited property, upon a change in the ADS(s)-to-ordinary-share(s) ratio, or for any other reason)	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS cancelled
• Distribution of cash dividends or other cash distributions (e.g., upon a sale of rights and other entitlements)	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS held
• Distribution of ADSs pursuant to (i) stock dividends or other free stock distributions, or (ii) exercise of rights to purchase additional ADSs	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS held
• Distribution of securities other than ADSs or rights to purchase additional ADSs (e.g., upon a spin-off)	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS held
• ADS Services	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS held on the applicable record date(s) established by the depositary bank
• Registration of ADS transfers (e.g., upon a registration of the transfer of registered ownership of ADSs, upon a transfer of ADSs into DTC and vice versa, or for any other reason)	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS (or fraction thereof) transferred
• Conversion of ADSs of one series for ADSs of another series (e.g., upon conversion of Partial Entitlement ADSs for Full Entitlement ADSs, or upon conversion of Restricted ADSs (each as defined in the Deposit Agreement) into freely transferable ADSs, and vice versa).	Up to U.S.	€ per ADS (or fraction thereof) converted

As an ADS holder you will also be responsible to pay certain charges such as:

- taxes (including applicable interest and penalties) and other governmental charges;
- the registration fees as may from time to time be in effect for the registration of ordinary shares on the share register and applicable to transfers of ordinary shares to or from the name of the custodian, the depositary bank or any nominees upon the making of deposits and withdrawals, respectively;
- certain cable, telex and facsimile transmission and delivery expenses;
- the fees, expenses, spreads, taxes and other charges of the depositary bank and/or service providers (which may be a division, branch or affiliate of the depositary bank) in the conversion of foreign currency;
- the reasonable and customary out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the depositary bank in connection with compliance with exchange control regulations and other regulatory requirements applicable to ordinary shares, ADSs and ADRs; and
- the fees, charges, costs and expenses incurred by the depositary bank, the custodian, or any nominee in connection with the ADR program.

ADS fees and charges for (i) the issuance of ADSs, and (ii) the cancellation of ADSs are charged to the person for whom the ADSs are issued (in the case of ADS issuances) and to the person for whom ADSs are cancelled (in the case of ADS cancellations). In the case of ADSs issued by the depositary bank into DTC, the ADS issuance and cancellation fees and charges may be deducted from distributions made through DTC, and may be charged to the DTC participant(s) receiving the ADSs being issued or the DTC participant(s) holding the ADSs being cancelled, as the case may be, on behalf of the beneficial owner(s) and will be charged by the DTC participant(s) to the account of the applicable beneficial owner(s) in accordance with the procedures and practices of the DTC participants as in effect at the time. ADS fees and charges in respect of distributions and the ADS service fee are charged to the holders as of the applicable ADS record date. In the case of distributions of cash, the amount of the applicable ADS fees and charges is deducted from the funds being distributed. In the case of (i) distributions other than cash and (ii) the ADS service fee, holders as of the ADS record date will be invoiced for the amount of the ADS fees and charges and such ADS fees and charges may be deducted from distributions made to holders of ADSs. For ADSs held through DTC, the ADS fees and charges for distributions other than cash and the ADS service fee may be deducted from distributions made through DTC, and may be charged to the DTC participants in accordance with the procedures and practices prescribed by DTC and the DTC participants in turn charge the amount of such ADS fees and charges to the beneficial owners for whom they hold ADSs. In the case of (i) registration of ADS transfers, the ADS transfer fee will be payable by the ADS holder whose ADSs are being transferred or by the person to whom the ADSs are transferred, and (ii) conversion of ADSs of one series for ADSs of another series, the ADS conversion fee will be payable by the holder whose ADSs are converted or by the person to whom the converted ADSs are delivered.

In the event of refusal to pay the depositary bank fees, the depositary bank may, under the terms of the deposit agreement, refuse the requested service until payment is received or may set off the amount of the depositary bank fees from any distribution to be made to the ADS holder. Certain depositary fees and charges (such as the ADS services fee) may become payable shortly after the closing of the ADS offering. Note that the fees and charges you may be required to pay may vary over time and may be changed by us and by the depositary bank. You will receive prior notice of such changes. The depositary bank may reimburse us for certain expenses incurred by us in respect of the ADR program, by making available a portion of the ADS fees charged in respect of the ADR program or otherwise, upon such terms and conditions as we and the depositary bank agree from time to time.

#### **Amendments and Termination**

We may agree with the depositary bank to modify the deposit agreement at any time without your consent. We undertake to give holders 30 days' prior notice of any modifications that would materially prejudice any of

their substantial rights under the deposit agreement. We will not consider to be materially prejudicial to your substantial rights any modifications or supplements that are reasonably necessary for the ADSs to be registered under the Securities Act or to be eligible for book-entry settlement, in each case without imposing or increasing the fees and charges you are required to pay. In addition, we may not be able to provide you with prior notice of any modifications or supplements that are required to accommodate compliance with applicable provisions of law.

You will be bound by the modifications to the deposit agreement if you continue to hold your ADSs after the modifications to the deposit agreement become effective. The deposit agreement cannot be amended to prevent you from withdrawing the ordinary shares represented by your ADSs (except as permitted by law).

We have the right to direct the depository bank to terminate the deposit agreement. Similarly, the depository bank may in certain circumstances on its own initiative terminate the deposit agreement. In either case, the depository bank must give notice to the holders at least 30 days before termination. Until termination, your rights under the deposit agreement will be unaffected.

After termination, the depository bank will continue to collect distributions received (but will not distribute any such property until you request the cancellation of your ADSs) and may sell the securities held on deposit. After the sale, the depository bank will hold the proceeds from such sale and any other funds then held for the holders of ADSs in a non-interest bearing account. At that point, the depository bank will have no further obligations to holders other than to account for the funds then held for the holders of ADSs still outstanding (after deduction of applicable fees, taxes and expenses).

In connection with any termination of the deposit agreement, the depository bank may make available to owners of ADSs a means to withdraw the ordinary shares represented by ADSs and to direct the depository of such ordinary shares into an unsponsored American depository share program established by the depository bank. The ability to receive unsponsored American depository shares upon termination of the deposit agreement would be subject to satisfaction of certain U.S. regulatory requirements applicable to the creation of unsponsored American depository shares and the payment of applicable depository fees.

#### **Books of Depository**

The depository bank will maintain ADS holder records at its depository office. You may inspect such records at such office during regular business hours but solely for the purpose of communicating with other holders in the interest of business matters relating to the ADSs and the deposit agreement.

The depository bank will maintain in New York facilities to record and process the issuance, cancellation, combination, split-up and transfer of ADSs. These facilities may be closed from time to time, to the extent not prohibited by law.

#### **Limitations on Obligations and Liabilities**

The deposit agreement limits our obligations and the depository bank's obligations to you. Please note the following:

- We and the depository bank are obligated only to take the actions specifically stated in the deposit agreement without negligence or bad faith.
- The depository bank disclaims any liability for any failure to carry out voting instructions, for any manner in which a vote is cast or for the effect of any vote, provided it acts in good faith and in accordance with the terms of the deposit agreement.
- The depository bank disclaims any liability for any failure to determine the lawfulness or practicality of any action, for the content of any document forwarded to you on our behalf or for the accuracy of any

translation of such a document, for the investment risks associated with investing in ordinary shares, for the validity or worth of the ordinary shares, for any tax consequences that result from the ownership of ADSs, for the credit-worthiness of any third party, for allowing any rights to lapse under the terms of the deposit agreement, for the timeliness of any of our notices or for our failure to give notice.

- We and the depositary bank will not be obligated to perform any act that is inconsistent with the terms of the deposit agreement.
- We and the depositary bank disclaim any liability if we or the depositary bank are prevented or forbidden from or subject to any civil or criminal penalty or restraint on account of, or delayed in, doing or performing any act or thing required by the terms of the deposit agreement, by reason of any provision, present or future of any law or regulation, or by reason of present or future provision of any provision of our Articles of Incorporation, or any provision of or governing the securities on deposit, or by reason of any act of God or war or other circumstances beyond our control.
- We and the depositary bank disclaim any liability by reason of any exercise of, or failure to exercise, any discretion provided for in the deposit agreement or in our Articles of Incorporation or in any provisions of or governing the securities on deposit.
- We and the depositary bank further disclaim any liability for any action or inaction in reliance on the advice or information received from legal counsel, accountants, any person presenting ordinary shares for deposit, any holder of ADSs or authorized representatives thereof, or any other person believed by either of us in good faith to be competent to give such advice or information.
- We and the depositary bank also disclaim liability for the inability by a holder to benefit from any distribution, offering, right or other benefit that is made available to holders of ordinary shares but is not, under the terms of the deposit agreement, made available to you.
- We and the depositary bank may rely without any liability upon any written notice, request or other document believed to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper parties.
- We and the depositary bank also disclaim liability for any consequential or punitive damages for any breach of the terms of the deposit agreement.
- No disclaimer of any Securities Act liability is intended by any provision of the deposit agreement.
- Nothing in the deposit agreement gives rise to a partnership or joint venture, or establishes a fiduciary relationship, among us, the depositary bank and you as ADS holder.
- Nothing in the deposit agreement precludes Citibank (or its affiliates) from engaging in transactions in which parties adverse to us or the ADS owners have interests, and nothing in the deposit agreement obligates Citibank to disclose those transactions, or any information obtained in the course of those transactions, to us or to the ADS owners, or to account for any payment received as part of those transactions.

*As the above limitations relate to our obligations and the depositary's obligations to you under the deposit agreement, we believe that, as a matter of construction of the clause, such limitations would likely to continue to apply to ADS holders who withdraw the ordinary shares from the ADS facility with respect to obligations or liabilities incurred under the deposit agreement before the cancellation of the ADSs and the withdrawal of the ordinary shares, and such limitations would most likely not apply to ADS holders who withdraw the ordinary shares from the ADS facility with respect to obligations or liabilities incurred after the cancellation of the ADSs and the withdrawal of the ordinary shares and not under the deposit agreement.*

*In any event, you will not be deemed, by agreeing to the terms of the deposit agreement, to have waived our or the depositary's compliance with U.S. federal securities laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In fact, you cannot waive our or the depositary's compliance with U.S. federal securities laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.*

#### **Taxes**

You will be responsible for the taxes and other governmental charges payable on the ADSs and the securities represented by the ADSs. We, the depositary bank and the custodian may deduct from any distribution the taxes and governmental charges payable by holders and may sell any and all property on deposit to pay the taxes and governmental charges payable by holders. You will be liable for any deficiency if the sale proceeds do not cover the taxes that are due.

The depositary bank may refuse to issue ADSs, to deliver, transfer, split and combine ADRs or to release securities on deposit until all taxes and charges are paid by the applicable holder. The depositary bank and the custodian may take reasonable administrative actions to obtain tax refunds and reduced tax withholding for any distributions on your behalf. However, you may be required to provide to the depositary bank and to the custodian proof of taxpayer status and residence and such other information as the depositary bank and the custodian may require to fulfill legal obligations. You are required to indemnify us, the depositary bank and the custodian for any claims with respect to taxes based on any tax benefit obtained for you.

#### **Foreign Currency Conversion**

The depositary bank will arrange for the conversion of all foreign currency received into U.S. dollars if such conversion is practical, and it will distribute the U.S. dollars in accordance with the terms of the deposit agreement. You may have to pay fees and expenses incurred in converting foreign currency, such as fees and expenses incurred in complying with currency exchange controls and other governmental requirements.

If the conversion of foreign currency is not practical or lawful, or if any required approvals are denied or not obtainable at a reasonable cost or within a reasonable period, the depositary bank may take the following actions in its discretion:

- Convert the foreign currency to the extent practical and lawful and distribute the U.S. dollars to the holders for whom the conversion and distribution is lawful and practical.
- Distribute the foreign currency to holders for whom the distribution is lawful and practical.
- Hold the foreign currency (without liability for interest) for the applicable holders.

#### **Governing Law/Waiver of Jury Trial**

The deposit agreement, the ADRs and the ADSs will be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. The rights of holders of ordinary shares (including ordinary shares represented by ADSs) is governed by the laws of England and Wales.

As an owner of ADSs, you irrevocably agree that any legal action arising out of the Deposit Agreement, the ADSs or the ADRs, involving the Company or the Depositary, may only be instituted in a state or federal court in the city of New York.

**AS A PARTY TO THE DEPOSIT AGREEMENT, YOU IRREVOCABLY WAIVE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, YOUR RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LEGAL PROCEEDING ARISING OUT OF THE DEPOSIT AGREEMENT OR THE ADRs AGAINST US AND/OR THE DEPOSITARY BANK.**

***The deposit agreement provides that, to the extent permitted by law, ADS holders waive the right to a jury trial of any claim they may have against us or the depositary arising out of or relating to our ordinary shares, the ADSs or the deposit agreement, including any claim under U.S. federal securities laws. If we or the depositary opposed a jury trial demand based on the waiver, the court would determine whether the waiver was enforceable in the facts and circumstances of that case in accordance with applicable case law. However, you will not be deemed, by agreeing to the terms of the deposit agreement, to have waived our or the depositary's compliance with U.S. federal securities laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.***



**ORDINARY SHARES AND AMERICAN DEPOSITARY SHARES ELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE SALE**

Prior to this offering, there has been no public market for our ordinary shares or ADSs. Upon completion of this offering, we will have ADSs outstanding representing \_\_\_\_\_ % of our ordinary shares (or \_\_\_\_\_ ADSs outstanding representing approximately \_\_\_\_\_ % of our ordinary shares, if the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional ADSs), based on the number of ordinary shares outstanding as of \_\_\_\_\_. All of the ADSs sold in this offering will be freely transferable by persons other than our “affiliates” without restriction or further registration under the Securities Act. Rule 144 under the Securities Act defines an “affiliate” of a company as a person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls or is controlled by, or is under common control with, our company. All outstanding ordinary shares prior to this offering are “restricted securities” as that term is defined in Rule 144 because they were issued in a transaction or series of transactions not involving a public offering. Restricted securities, in the form of ADSs or otherwise, may be sold only if they are the subject of an effective registration statement under the Securities Act or if they are sold pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirement of the Securities Act such as those provided for in Rule 144 or 701 promulgated under the Securities Act, which rules are summarized below. Restricted ordinary shares may also be sold outside of the United States to non-U.S. persons in accordance with Rule 904 of Regulation S under the Securities Act. This prospectus may not be used in connection with any resale of the ADSs acquired in this offering by our affiliates.

Sales of substantial amounts of the ADSs in the public market could materially and adversely affect prevailing market prices of the ADSs. Prior to this offering, there has been no public market for our ordinary shares or ADSs, and while we have applied to list the ADSs on the Nasdaq, we cannot assure you that a regular trading market will develop in the ADSs. We do not expect that a trading market will develop for our ordinary shares not represented by ADSs.

**Lock-up Agreements**

In connection with this offering, all of our directors and executive officers and certain holders of our shares, who collectively held substantially all ordinary shares (assuming conversion of all of our outstanding convertible preferred shares) as of \_\_\_\_\_, and substantially all of our option holders who are not shareholders, have signed lock-up agreements which, subject to certain exceptions, prevent them from selling any of our ordinary shares or ADSs, or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs for a period of not less than 180 days from the date of this prospectus without the prior written consent of each of the representatives. The representatives may in their sole discretion and at any time without notice release some or all of the shares or ADSs subject to lock-up agreements prior to the expiration of the 180-day period. When determining whether or not to release shares or ADSs from the lock-up agreements, the representatives may consider, among other factors, the shareholder’s reasons for requesting the release, the number of shares or ADSs for which the release is being requested and market conditions at the time. In addition, our option holders who have not executed lock-up agreements are nevertheless subject to similar restrictions set forth in their respective option agreements.

**Rule 144**

In general, under Rule 144 as currently in effect, a person who has beneficially owned our restricted securities for at least six months is entitled to sell the restricted securities without registration under the Securities Act, subject to certain restrictions. Persons who are our affiliates (which may include persons beneficially owning 10% or more of our outstanding shares) may sell within any three-month period a number of restricted securities that does not exceed the greater of the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1% of the number of our ordinary shares then outstanding, in the form of ADSs or otherwise, which will equal approximately \_\_\_\_\_ ordinary shares immediately after this offering; and

- the average weekly trading volume of the ordinary shares, in the form of ADSs or otherwise, on Nasdaq during the four calendar weeks preceding the date on which notice of the sale is filed with the SEC.

Such sales are also subject to manner-of-sale provisions, notice requirements and the availability of current public information about us.

In general, under Rule 144 as currently in effect, once we have been subject to the public company reporting requirements of Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act for at least 90 days, persons who are not our affiliates and have beneficially owned our restricted securities for more than six months but not more than one year may sell the restricted securities without registration under the Securities Act subject to the availability of current public information about us. Persons who are not our affiliates and have beneficially owned our restricted securities for more than one year may freely sell the restricted securities without registration under the Securities Act.

#### **Rule 701**

Beginning 90 days after the date of this prospectus, persons other than affiliates who purchased ordinary shares under a written compensatory plan or contract may be entitled to sell such shares in the United States in reliance on Rule 701 under the Securities Act, or Rule 701. Rule 701 permits affiliates to sell their Rule 701 shares under Rule 144 without complying with the holding period requirements of Rule 144. Rule 701 further provides that non-affiliates may sell these shares in reliance on Rule 144 subject only to its manner-of-sale requirements. However, the Rule 701 shares would remain subject to any applicable lock-up arrangements and would only become eligible for sale when the lock-up period expires.

#### **Registration Rights**

Upon completion of this offering, certain holders of our ordinary shares or their transferees will be entitled to request that we register their ordinary shares under the Securities Act, following the expiration of the lock-up agreements described above. See “Description of Share Capital and Articles of Association—Registration Rights.”

#### **Share Option Plans**

We intend to file one or more registration statements on Form S-8 under the Securities Act to register our shares issued or reserved for issuance under our share option plans or independent options. The first such registration statement is expected to be filed soon after the date of this prospectus and will automatically become effective upon filing with the SEC. Accordingly, shares registered under such registration statement will be available for sale in the open market, unless such shares are subject to vesting restrictions with us or the lock-up restrictions described above. As of \_\_\_\_\_, we estimate that such registration statement on Form S-8 will cover approximately \_\_\_\_\_ shares.

## MATERIAL INCOME TAX CONSIDERATIONS

The following summary contains a description of certain material U.K. and U.S. federal income tax consequences of the acquisition, ownership and disposition of our ordinary shares or ADSs. This summary should not be considered a comprehensive description of all the tax considerations that may be relevant to the decision to acquire ordinary shares or ADSs in this offering.

### Certain Material United States Federal Income Tax Considerations for U.S. Holders

The following is a description of certain material U.S. federal income tax consequences to the U.S. Holders described below of owning and disposing of our ordinary shares or ADSs. It is not a comprehensive description of all tax considerations that may be relevant to a particular person's decision to acquire securities. This discussion applies only to a U.S. Holder that is an initial purchaser of the ordinary shares or ADSs pursuant to the offering and that holds our ordinary shares or ADSs as a capital asset for tax purposes (generally, property held for investment). In addition, it does not describe all of the tax consequences that may be relevant in light of a U.S. Holder's particular circumstances, including state and local tax consequences, estate tax consequences, alternative minimum tax consequences, the potential application of the Medicare contribution tax, and tax consequences applicable to U.S. Holders subject to special rules, such as:

- banks, insurance companies, and certain other financial institutions;
- U.S. expatriates and certain former citizens or long-term residents of the United States;
- dealers or traders in securities who use a mark-to-market method of tax accounting;
- persons holding ordinary shares or ADSs as part of a hedging transaction, "straddle," wash sale, conversion transaction or integrated transaction or persons entering into a constructive sale with respect to ordinary shares or ADSs;
- persons whose "functional currency" for U.S. federal income tax purposes is not the U.S. dollar;
- brokers, dealers or traders in securities, commodities or currencies;
- tax-exempt entities or government organizations;
- S corporations, partnerships, or other entities or arrangements classified as partnerships for U.S. federal income tax purposes;
- persons who are subject to special tax accounting under Section 451(b) of the Code (as defined below);
- regulated investment companies or real estate investment trusts;
- persons who acquired our ordinary shares or ADSs pursuant to the exercise of any employee stock option or otherwise as compensation;
- persons holding our ordinary shares or ADSs in connection with a trade or business, permanent establishment, or fixed base outside the United States; and
- persons who own (directly or through attribution) 10% or more (by vote or value) of our outstanding ordinary shares.

If an entity that is classified as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes holds ordinary shares or ADSs, the U.S. federal income tax treatment of a partner will generally depend on the status of the partner and the activities of the partnership. Partnerships holding ordinary shares or ADSs and partners in such partnerships are encouraged to consult their tax advisors as to the particular U.S. federal income tax consequences of holding and disposing of ordinary shares or ADSs.

The discussion is based on the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (Code), administrative pronouncements, judicial decisions, final, temporary and proposed Treasury Regulations, and the income tax treaty between the United Kingdom and the United States, or the Treaty, all as of the date hereof, changes to any of which may affect the tax consequences described herein—possibly with retroactive effect.

A "U.S. Holder" is a holder who, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, is a beneficial owner of ordinary shares or ADSs and is:

- (i) An individual who is a citizen or individual resident of the United States;
- (ii) a corporation, or other entity taxable as a corporation, created or organized in or under the laws of the United States, any state therein or the District of Columbia;
- (iii) an estate the income of which is subject to U.S. federal income taxation regardless of its source; or
- (iv) a trust if (1) a U.S. court is able to exercise primary supervision over the administration of the trust and one or more U.S. persons have authority to control all substantial decisions of the trust or (2) the trust has a valid election in effect to be treated as a U.S. person under applicable U.S. Treasury Regulations.

The discussion below assumes that the representations contained in the deposit agreement are true and that the obligations in the deposit agreement and any related agreement will be complied with in accordance with their terms. Generally, a U.S. Holder of an ADS should be treated for U.S. federal income tax purposes as holding the ordinary shares represented by our ADS. Accordingly, no gain or loss will be recognized upon an exchange of ADSs for ordinary shares. The U.S. Treasury has expressed concerns that intermediaries in the chain of ownership between the holder of an ADS and the issuer of the security underlying the ADS may be taking actions that are inconsistent with the beneficial ownership of the underlying security. Accordingly the creditability of foreign taxes, if any, as described below, could be affected by actions taken by intermediaries in the chain of ownership between the holders of ADSs and our company if as a result of such actions the holders of ADSs are not properly treated as beneficial owners of the underlying ordinary shares. These actions would also be inconsistent with the claiming of the reduced tax rate, described below, applicable to dividends received by certain non-corporate holders.

PERSONS CONSIDERING AN INVESTMENT IN ORDINARY SHARES OR ADSs SHOULD CONSULT THEIR OWN TAX ADVISORS AS TO THE PARTICULAR TAX CONSEQUENCES APPLICABLE TO THEM RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION, OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF THE ORDINARY SHARES OR ADSs, INCLUDING THE APPLICABILITY OF U.S. FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAX LAWS.

***PFIC Rules***

If we are classified as a passive foreign investment company (PFIC) in any taxable year, a U.S. Holder will be subject to special rules generally intended to reduce or eliminate any benefits from the deferral of U.S. federal income tax that a U.S. Holder could derive from investing in a non-U.S. company that does not distribute all of its earnings on a current basis.

A non-U.S. corporation will be classified as a PFIC for any taxable year in which, after applying certain look-through rules, either:

- at least 75% of its gross income is passive income (such as interest income); or
- at least 50% of its gross assets (determined on the basis of a quarterly average) is attributable to assets that produce passive income or are held for the production of passive income.

We will be treated as owning our proportionate share of the assets and earning our proportionate share of the income of any other corporation, the equity of which we own, directly or indirectly, 25% or more (by value).

The determination of whether we are a PFIC is a fact-intensive determination made on an annual basis applying principles and methodologies that in some circumstances are unclear and subject to varying interpretation. Under the income test described above, our status as a PFIC depends on the composition of our income which will depend on the transactions we enter into in the future and our corporate structure. The composition of our income and assets is also affected by the spending of the cash we raise in any offering.

including this offering. Because PFIC status is based on our income, assets, and activities for the entire taxable year, we have not yet made any determination as to our expected PFIC status for the current taxable year and our PFIC status may change from year to year. However, our operations currently generate very limited amounts of non-passive income. Until we generate sufficient revenue from active licensing and other non-passive sources, there is a risk that we will be a PFIC under the PFIC income test.

If we are classified as a PFIC in any year with respect to which a U.S. Holder owns the ordinary shares or ADSs, we will continue to be treated as a PFIC with respect to such U.S. Holder in all succeeding years during which the U.S. Holder owns the ordinary shares or ADSs, regardless of whether we continue to meet the tests described above unless (i) we cease to be a PFIC and the U.S. Holder has made a “deemed sale” election under the PFIC rules, or (ii) the U.S. Holder elects to treat us as a “qualified electing fund” under Section 1295 of the Code (such an election, a “**QEF Election**”), as discussed below, with respect to all taxable years during such U.S. Holders holding period in which we are a PFIC. If the “deemed sale” election is made, a U.S. Holder will be deemed to have sold the ordinary shares or ADSs the U.S. Holder holds at their fair market value and any gain from such deemed sale would be subject to the rules described below. After the deemed sale election, so long as we do not become a PFIC in a subsequent taxable year, the U.S. Holder’s ordinary shares or ADSs with respect to which such election was made will not be treated as shares in a PFIC and the U.S. Holder will not be subject to the rules described below with respect to any “excess distribution” the U.S. Holder receives from us or any gain from an actual sale or other disposition of the ordinary shares or ADSs. U.S. Holders should consult their tax advisors as to the possibility and consequences of making a deemed sale election if we cease to be a PFIC and such election becomes available.

For each taxable year we are treated as a PFIC with respect to U.S. Holders, U.S. Holders will be subject to special tax rules with respect to any “excess distribution” such U.S. Holder receives and any gain such U.S. Holder recognizes from a sale or other disposition (including, under certain circumstances, a pledge) of ordinary shares or ADSs, unless (i) such U.S. Holder makes a QEF Election as discussed below or (ii) our ordinary shares or ADSs constitute “marketable” securities, and such U.S. Holder makes a mark-to-market election as discussed below. Distributions a U.S. Holder receives in a taxable year that are greater than 125% of the average annual distributions a U.S. Holder received during the shorter of the three preceding taxable years or the U.S. Holder’s holding period for the ordinary shares or ADSs will be treated as an excess distribution. Under these special tax rules:

- the excess distribution or gain will be allocated ratably over a U.S. Holder’s holding period for the ordinary shares or ADSs;
- the amount allocated to the current taxable year, and any taxable year prior to the first taxable year in which we became a PFIC, will be treated as ordinary income; and
- the amount allocated to each other year will be subject to the highest tax rate in effect for that year and the interest charge generally applicable to underpayments of tax will be imposed on the resulting tax attributable to each such year.

The tax liability for amounts allocated to years prior to the year of disposition or “excess distribution” cannot be offset by any net operating losses for such years, and gains (but not losses) realized on the sale of the ordinary shares or ADSs cannot be treated as capital, even if a U.S. Holder holds the ordinary shares or ADSs as capital assets.

In addition, if we are a PFIC, a U.S. Holder will generally be subject to similar rules with respect to distributions we receive from, and our dispositions of the stock of, any of our direct or indirect subsidiaries that also are PFICs, as if such distributions were indirectly received by, and/or dispositions were indirectly carried out by, such U.S. Holder. U.S. Holders should consult their tax advisors regarding the application of the PFIC rules to our subsidiaries.

If a U.S. Holder makes a QEF Election with respect to a PFIC, it will be taxed currently on its pro rata share of the PFIC’s ordinary earnings and net capital gain (at ordinary income and capital gain rates, respectively) for

each taxable year that the entity is a PFIC, even if no distributions were received. Any distributions we make out of our earnings and profits that were previously included in such a U.S. Holder's income under the QEF Election would not be taxable to such U.S. Holder. Such U.S. Holder's tax basis in its ordinary shares or ADSs would be increased by an amount equal to any income included under the QEF Election and decreased by any amount distributed on the ordinary shares or ADSs that is not included in its income. In addition, a U.S. Holder will recognize capital gain or loss on the disposition of its ordinary shares or ADSs in an amount equal to the difference between the amount realized and its adjusted tax basis in the ordinary shares or ADSs, each as determined in U.S. dollars. Once made, a QEF Election remains in effect unless invalidated or terminated by the IRS or revoked by the shareholder. A QEF Election can be revoked only with the consent of the IRS. A U.S. Holder will not be currently taxed on the ordinary income and net capital gain of a PFIC with respect to which a QEF Election was made for any taxable year of the non-U.S. corporation that such corporation does not satisfy the PFIC income test or asset test, as described above. If we determine that we are a PFIC for this year or any future taxable year, we currently expect that we would provide the information necessary for U.S. Holders to make a QEF Election. However, there is also no assurance that we will have timely knowledge of our status as a PFIC in the future or of the required information to be provided.

U.S. Holders can avoid the interest charge on excess distributions or gain relating to the ordinary shares or ADSs by making a mark-to-market election with respect to the ordinary shares or ADSs, provided that the ordinary shares or ADSs are "marketable." Ordinary shares or ADSs will be marketable if they are "regularly traded" on certain U.S. stock exchanges or on a foreign stock exchange that meets certain conditions. For these purposes, the ordinary shares or ADSs will be considered regularly traded during any calendar year during which they are traded, other than in de minimis quantities, on at least 15 days during each calendar quarter. Any trades that have as their principal purpose meeting this requirement will be disregarded. Our ADSs will be listed on Nasdaq, which is a qualified exchange for these purposes. Consequently, if our ADSs remain listed on Nasdaq and are regularly traded, and you are a holder of ADSs, we expect the mark-to-market election would be available to U.S. Holders if we are a PFIC. Each U.S. Holder should consult its tax advisor as to the whether a mark-to-market election is available or advisable with respect to the ordinary shares or ADSs.

A U.S. Holder that makes a mark-to-market election must include in ordinary income for each year an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the fair market value of the ordinary shares or ADSs at the close of the taxable year over the U.S. Holder's adjusted tax basis in the ordinary shares or ADSs. An electing holder may also claim an ordinary loss deduction for the excess, if any, of the U.S. Holder's adjusted basis in the ordinary shares or ADSs over the fair market value of the ordinary shares or ADSs at the close of the taxable year, but this deduction is allowable only to the extent of any net mark-to-market gains for prior years. Gains from an actual sale or other disposition of the ordinary shares or ADSs will be treated as ordinary income, and any losses incurred on a sale or other disposition of the shares will be treated as an ordinary loss to the extent of any net mark-to-market gains for prior years. Once made, the election cannot be revoked without the consent of the Internal Revenue Service, or the IRS, unless the ordinary shares or ADSs cease to be marketable.

However, a mark-to-market election generally cannot be made for equity interests in any lower-tier PFICs that we own, unless shares of such lower-tier PFIC are themselves "marketable." As a result, even if a U.S. Holder validly makes a mark-to-market election with respect to our ordinary shares or ADSs, the U.S. Holder may continue to be subject to the PFIC rules (described above) with respect to its indirect interest in any of our investments that are treated as an equity interest in a PFIC for U.S. federal income tax purposes. U.S. Holders should consult their tax advisors to determine whether any of the elections described above would be available and if so, what the consequences of the alternative treatments would be in their particular circumstances.

Unless otherwise provided by the U.S. Treasury, each U.S. shareholder of a PFIC is required to file an annual report containing such information as the U.S. Treasury may require. A U.S. Holder's failure to file the annual report will cause the statute of limitations for such U.S. Holder's U.S. federal income tax return to remain open with regard to the items required to be included in such report until three years after the U.S. Holder files the annual report, and, unless such failure is due to reasonable cause and not willful neglect, the statute of

limitations for the U.S. Holder's entire U.S. federal income tax return will remain open during such period. U.S. Holders should consult their tax advisors regarding the requirements of filing such information returns under these rules.

WE STRONGLY URGE YOU TO CONSULT YOUR TAX ADVISOR REGARDING THE IMPACT OF OUR PFIC STATUS ON YOUR INVESTMENT IN THE ORDINARY SHARES OR ADSs AS WELL AS THE APPLICATION OF THE PFIC RULES TO YOUR INVESTMENT IN THE ORDINARY SHARES OR ADSs.

***Taxation of Distributions***

Subject to the discussion above under "PFIC rules," distributions paid on ordinary shares or ADSs, other than certain pro rata distributions of ordinary shares or ADSs, will generally be treated as dividends to the extent paid out of our current or accumulated earnings and profits (as determined under U.S. federal income tax principles). Because we may not calculate our earnings and profits under U.S. federal income tax principles, we expect that distributions generally will be reported to U.S. Holders as dividends. Subject to applicable limitations and the discussions above regarding concerns expressed by the U.S. Treasury, dividends paid to certain non-corporate U.S. Holders may be taxable at preferential rates applicable to "qualified dividend income" if we are a "qualified foreign corporation" and certain other requirements are met. However, the qualified dividend income treatment may not apply if we are treated as a PFIC with respect to the U.S. Holder. The amount of the dividend will be treated as foreign-source dividend income to U.S. Holders and will not be eligible for the dividends-received deduction generally available to U.S. corporations under the Code. Dividends will generally be included in a U.S. Holder's income on the date of the U.S. Holder's receipt of the dividend. The amount of any dividend income paid in foreign currency will be the U.S. dollar amount calculated by reference to the exchange rate in effect on the date of actual or constructive receipt, regardless of whether the payment is in fact converted into U.S. dollars. If the dividend is converted into U.S. dollars on the date of receipt, a U.S. Holder should not be required to recognize foreign currency gain or loss in respect of the dividend income. A U.S. Holder may have foreign currency gain or loss if the dividend is converted into U.S. dollars after the date of receipt. Such gain or loss would generally be treated as U.S.-source ordinary income or loss. The amount of any distribution of property other than cash (and other than certain pro rata distributions of ordinary shares or ADSs or rights to acquire ordinary shares or ADSs) will be the fair market value of such property on the date of distribution.

For foreign tax credit limitation purposes, our dividends will generally be treated as passive category income. Because under current law no U.K. income taxes will be withheld from dividends on ordinary shares or ADSs, there will be no creditable foreign taxes associated with any dividends that a U.S. Holder will receive. The rules governing foreign tax credits are complex and U.S. Holders should therefore consult their tax advisors regarding the effect of the receipt of dividends for foreign tax credit limitation purposes.

***Sale or Other Taxable Disposition of Ordinary Shares and ADSs***

Subject to the discussion above under "PFIC rules," gain or loss realized on the sale or other taxable disposition of ordinary shares or ADSs will be capital gain or loss, and will be long-term capital gain or loss if the U.S. Holder held the ordinary shares or ADSs for more than one year at the time of sale or other taxable disposition. The amount of the gain or loss will equal the difference between the U.S. Holder's tax basis in the ordinary shares or ADSs disposed of and the amount realized on the disposition, in each case as determined in U.S. dollars. This gain or loss will generally be U.S.-source gain or loss for foreign tax credit purposes. Subject to the PFIC rules described above, long-term capital gains recognized by certain non-corporate U.S. Holders (including individuals) will generally be subject to reduced rates of U.S. federal income tax. The deductibility of capital losses is subject to limitations.

If the consideration received by a U.S. Holder is not paid in U.S. dollars, the amount realized will be the U.S. dollar value of the payment received determined by reference to the spot rate of exchange on the date of the

sale or other disposition. However, if the ordinary shares or ADSs are treated as traded on an “established securities market” and you are either a cash basis taxpayer or an accrual basis taxpayer that has made a special election (which must be applied consistently from year to year and cannot be changed without the consent of the IRS), you will determine the U.S. dollar value of the amount realized in a non-U.S. dollar currency by translating the amount received at the spot rate of exchange on the settlement date of the sale. If you are an accrual basis taxpayer that is not eligible to or does not elect to determine the amount realized using the spot rate on the settlement date, you will recognize foreign currency gain or loss to the extent of any difference between the U.S. dollar amount realized on the date of sale or disposition and the U.S. dollar value of the currency received at the spot rate on the settlement date.

***Information Reporting and Backup Withholding***

Payments of dividends and sales proceeds that are made within the United States or through certain U.S.-related financial intermediaries generally are subject to information reporting, and may be subject to backup withholding, unless (i) the U.S. Holder is a corporation or other exempt recipient or (ii) in the case of backup withholding, the U.S. Holder provides a correct taxpayer identification number and certifies that it is not subject to backup withholding on a duly executed IRS Form W-9 or otherwise establishes an exemption.

Backup withholding is not an additional tax. The amount of any backup withholding from a payment to a U.S. Holder may be allowed as a credit against the U.S. Holder’s U.S. federal income tax liability and may entitle the U.S. Holder to a refund, provided that the required information is timely furnished to the IRS.

***Information with Respect to Foreign Financial Assets***

Certain U.S. Holders who are individuals (and, under regulations, certain entities) may be required to report information relating to the ordinary shares or ADSs, subject to certain exceptions (including an exception for ordinary shares or ADSs held in accounts maintained by certain U.S. financial institutions), by filing IRS Form 8938 (Statement of Specified Foreign Financial Assets) with their federal income tax return. Such U.S. Holders who fail to timely furnish the required information may be subject to a penalty. Additionally, if a U.S. Holder does not file the required information, the statute of limitations with respect to tax returns of the U.S. Holder to which the information relates may not close until three years after such information is filed. U.S. Holders should consult their tax advisors regarding their reporting obligations with respect to their ownership and disposition of the ordinary shares or ADSs.

**U.K. Taxation**

The following is intended as a general guide to current U.K. tax law and HM Revenue & Customs, or HMRC, published practice (which is not binding) applying as at the date of this prospectus (both of which are subject to change at any time, possibly with retrospective effect) relating to the holding and disposing of ADSs. It does not constitute legal or tax advice and does not purport to be a complete analysis of all U.K. tax considerations relating to the holding of ADSs, or all of the circumstances in which holders of ADSs may benefit from an exemption or relief from U.K. taxation. It is written on the basis that the company does not (and will not) directly or indirectly derive 75% or more of its qualifying asset value from U.K. land, and that the company is and remains solely resident in the U.K. for tax purposes and will therefore be subject to the U.K. tax regime and not the U.S. tax regime save as set out above under “Material United States Federal Income Tax Considerations for U.S. Holders”.

Except to the extent that the position of non-U.K. resident persons is expressly referred to, this guide relates only to persons who are resident (and, in the case of individuals, domiciled or deemed domiciled) for tax purposes solely in the U.K. and do not have a permanent establishment, branch, agency (or equivalent) or fixed base in any other jurisdiction with which the holding of the ADSs is connected, or U.K. Holders, who are absolute beneficial owners of the ADSs (and do not hold the ADSs through an Individual Savings Account or a Self-Invested Personal Pension) and who hold the ADSs as investments.



This guide may not relate to certain classes of U.K. Holders, such as (but not limited to):

- persons who are connected with the company;
- financial institutions;
- insurance companies;
- charities or tax-exempt organizations;
- collective investment schemes;
- pension schemes;
- market makers, intermediaries, brokers or dealers in securities;
- persons who have (or are deemed to have) acquired their ADSs by virtue of an office or employment or who are or have been officers or employees of the company or any of its affiliates; and
- individuals who are subject to U.K. taxation on a remittance basis.

Based on published HMRC guidance we would expect that HMRC will regard a holder of ADSs as holding the beneficial interest in the underlying shares and therefore these paragraphs assume that a holder of ADSs is the beneficial owner of the underlying ordinary shares and any dividends paid in respect of the underlying ordinary shares (where the dividends are regarded for U.K. tax purposes as that person's own income) for U.K. direct tax purposes.

THESE PARAGRAPHS ARE A SUMMARY OF CERTAIN U.K. TAX CONSIDERATIONS AND ARE INTENDED AS A GENERAL GUIDE ONLY. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT ALL HOLDERS OF ADSs OBTAIN ADVICE AS TO THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE ACQUISITION, OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSAL OF THE ADSs IN THEIR OWN PARTICULAR CIRCUMSTANCES FROM THEIR OWN TAX ADVISORS. IN PARTICULAR, NON-U.K. RESIDENT OR DOMICILED PERSONS OR PERSONS SUBJECT TO TAXATION IN ANY JURISDICTION OTHER THAN THE U.K. ARE ADVISED TO CONSIDER THE POTENTIAL IMPACT OF ANY RELEVANT DOUBLE TAXATION AGREEMENTS.

#### **Dividends**

##### *Withholding Tax*

Dividends paid by the Company will not be subject to any withholding or deduction for or on account of U.K. tax.

##### *Income Tax*

An individual U.K. Holder may, depending on his or her particular circumstances, be subject to U.K. tax on dividends received from the company. An individual holder of ADSs who is not resident for tax purposes in the United Kingdom should not be chargeable to U.K. income tax on dividends received from the company unless he or she carries on (whether solely or in partnership) a trade, profession or vocation in the U.K. through a permanent establishment, branch or agency to which the ADSs are attributable. There are certain exceptions for trading in the UK through independent agents, such as some brokers and investment managers.

All dividends received by an individual U.K. Holder from us or from other sources will form part of that U.K. Holder's total income for income tax purposes and will constitute the top slice of that income. A nil rate of income tax will apply to the first £2,000 (for the tax year 2020/2021) of taxable dividend income received by the individual U.K. Holder in a tax year ('dividend allowance'). Income within the nil rate band will be taken into account in determining whether income in excess of the dividend allowance falls within the basic rate, higher rate or additional rate tax bands. Income within the dividend allowance counts towards an individual's basic or higher

rate limits and may, therefore, affect the level of income tax personal allowance to which they are entitled. Dividend income in excess of the dividend allowance will (subject to the availability of any income tax personal allowance) be taxed at 7.5% (for the tax year 2020/2021) to the extent that the excess amount falls within the basic rate tax band, 32.5% (for the tax year 2020/2021) to the extent that the excess amount falls within the higher rate tax band and 38.1% (for the tax year 2020/2021) to the extent that the excess amount falls within the additional rate tax band.

#### *Corporation Tax*

A corporate holder of ADSs who is not resident for tax purposes in the United Kingdom should not be chargeable to U.K. corporation tax on dividends received from the company unless it carries on (whether solely or in partnership) a trade in the United Kingdom through a permanent establishment to which the ADSs are attributable.

Corporate U.K. Holders should not be subject to U.K. corporation tax on any dividend received from the company so long as the dividends qualify for exemption, which should be the case, although certain conditions must be met. It should be noted that the exemptions, whilst of wide application, are not comprehensive and are subject to anti-avoidance rules in relation to a dividend. If the conditions for the exemption are not satisfied or such anti-avoidance provisions apply, or such U.K. Holder elects for an otherwise exempt dividend to be taxable, U.K. corporation tax will be chargeable on the amount of any dividends (at the current rate of 19% for the tax year 2020/2021).

#### **Chargeable Gains**

A disposal or deemed disposal of ADSs by a U.K. Holder may, depending on the U.K. Holder's circumstances and subject to any available exemptions or reliefs (such as the annual exemption), give rise to a chargeable gain or an allowable loss for the purposes of U.K. capital gains tax and corporation tax on chargeable gains.

If an individual U.K. Holder who is subject to U.K. income tax at either the higher or the additional rate is liable to U.K. capital gains tax on the disposal of ADSs, the applicable rate will be 20% (for the tax year 2020/2021). For an individual U.K. Holder who is subject to U.K. income tax at the basic rate and liable to U.K. capital gains tax on such disposal, the applicable rate would be 10% (for the tax year 2020/2021), save to the extent that any capital gains when aggregated with the UK Holder's other taxable income and gains in the relevant tax year exceed the unused basic rate tax band. In that case, the rate applicable to the excess would be 20% (for the tax year 2020/2021).

If a corporate U.K. Holder becomes liable to U.K. corporation tax on the disposal (or deemed disposal) of ADSs, the main rate of U.K. corporation tax (currently 19% for the tax year 2020/2021) would apply.

A holder of ADSs which is not resident for tax purposes in the United Kingdom should not normally be liable to U.K. capital gains tax or corporation tax on chargeable gains on a disposal (or deemed disposal) of ADSs, unless the person is carrying on (whether solely or in partnership) a trade, profession or vocation in the U.K. through a branch or agency (or, in the case of a corporate holder of ADSs, through a permanent establishment) to which the ADSs are attributable. However, an individual holder of ADSs who has ceased to be resident for tax purposes in the U.K. or is treated as resident outside the UK for the purposes of a double taxation treaty for a period of five years or less and who disposes of ADSs during that period of temporary non-residence may be liable on his or her return to the U.K. (or upon ceasing to be regarded as resident outside the U.K. for the purposes of double taxation treaty) to U.K. tax on any capital gain realized (subject to any available exemption or relief).

**Stamp Duty and Stamp Duty Reserve Tax**

*The discussion below relates to the holders of the underlying ordinary shares or ADSs wherever resident, however it should be noted that special rules may apply to certain persons such as market makers, brokers, dealers or intermediaries.*

*Issue of Ordinary Shares*

No U.K. stamp duty or stamp duty reserve tax, or SDRT, is payable on the issue of the underlying ordinary shares in the Company.

*Transfers of Ordinary Shares*

An unconditional agreement to transfer ordinary shares will normally give rise to a charge to SDRT at the rate of 0.5% of the amount or value of the consideration payable for the transfer. The purchaser of the shares is liable for the SDRT. Transfers of ordinary shares in certificated form are generally also subject to stamp duty at the rate of 0.5% of the amount or value of the consideration given for the transfer (rounded up to the next £5.00). Stamp duty is normally paid by the purchaser. The charge to SDRT will be cancelled or, if already paid, repaid (generally with interest), where a transfer instrument has been duly stamped within six years of the charge arising, (either by paying the stamp duty or by claiming an appropriate relief) or if the instrument is otherwise exempt from stamp duty.

*Clearance Services and Depositary Receipts*

Under current U.K. tax law and published HMRC practice, no SDRT (and, where the transfer is effected by a written instrument, stamp duty) is generally payable where an issue or transfer of ordinary shares (including an unconditional agreement to transfer ordinary shares to a clearance service or a depositary receipt system (including to a nominee or agent for, a person whose business is or includes the issue of depositary receipts or the provision of clearance services)) is an integral part of an issue of share capital unless the clearance service has made and maintained an election under section 97A of the U.K. Finance Act 1986, or a section 97A election. It is understood that HMRC regards the facilities of DTC as a clearance service for these purposes and we are not aware of any section 97A election having been made by DTC.

*Issue or Transfers of ADSs*

No U.K. stamp duty or SDRT is required to be paid in respect of the issue of or an agreement to transfer the ADSs.

**UNDERWRITING**

Under the terms and subject to the conditions in an underwriting agreement dated the date of this prospectus, the underwriters named below, for whom Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC, Jefferies LLC and Evercore Group, LLC are acting as representatives, have severally agreed to purchase, and we have agreed to sell to them, severally, the number of ADSs indicated below:

Name	Number of ADSs
Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC	
Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC	
Jefferies LLC	
Evercore Group, LLC	
Total:	

The underwriters and the representatives are collectively referred to as the “underwriters” and the “representatives,” respectively. The underwriters are offering the ADSs subject to their acceptance of the ADSs from us and subject to prior sale. The underwriting agreement provides that the obligations of the several underwriters to pay for and accept delivery of the ADSs offered by this prospectus are subject to the approval of certain legal matters by their counsel and to certain other conditions. The underwriters are obligated to take and pay for all of the ADSs offered by this prospectus if any such ADSs are taken. However, the underwriters are not required to take or pay for the ADSs covered by the underwriters’ over-allotment option described below.

The underwriters initially propose to offer part of the ADSs directly to the public at the offering price listed on the cover page of this prospectus and part to certain dealers at a price that represents a concession not in excess of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per ADS under the public offering price. After the initial offering of the ADSs, the offering price and other selling terms may from time to time be varied by the representatives.

We have granted to the underwriters an option, exercisable for 30 days from the date of this prospectus, to purchase up to \_\_\_\_\_ additional ADSs at the public offering price listed on the cover page of this prospectus, less underwriting discounts and commissions. The underwriters may exercise this option solely for the purpose of covering over-allotments, if any, made in connection with the offering of the ADSs offered by this prospectus. To the extent the option is exercised, each underwriter will become obligated, subject to certain conditions, to purchase about the same percentage of the additional ADSs as the number listed next to the underwriter’s name in the preceding table bears to the total number of ADSs listed next to the names of all underwriters in the preceding table.

The following table shows the per ADS and total public offering price, underwriting discounts and commissions, and proceeds before expenses to us. These amounts are shown assuming both no exercise and full exercise of the underwriters’ option to purchase up to an additional \_\_\_\_\_ ADSs.

	Per ADS	Total	
		No Exercise	Full Exercise
Public offering price	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Underwriting discounts and commissions to be paid by us	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Proceeds, before expenses, to us	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

The estimated offering expenses payable by us, exclusive of the underwriting discounts and commissions, are approximately \$ \_\_\_\_\_. We have agreed to reimburse the underwriters for expense relating to clearance of this offering with the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority up to \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

The underwriters have informed us that they do not intend sales to discretionary accounts to exceed 5% of the total number of ADSs offered by them.

We will apply to list the ADSs on The Nasdaq Global Market under the trading symbol “ ”.

We and all directors and officers and the holders of all of our outstanding share and share options have agreed that, without the prior written consent of the representatives on behalf of the underwriters, we and they will not, and will not publicly disclose an intention to, during the period ending 180 days after the date of this prospectus (the “restricted period”):

- offer, pledge, sell, contract to sell, sell any option or contract to purchase, purchase any option or contract to sell, grant any option, right or warrant to purchase, lend or otherwise transfer or dispose of, directly or indirectly, any ordinary shares or ADSs or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs;
- file any registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to the offering of any ordinary shares or ADSs or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs; or
- enter into any swap or other arrangement that transfers to another, in whole or in part, any of the economic consequences of ownership of the ordinary shares or ADSs.

whether any such transaction described above is to be settled by delivery of ordinary shares or ADSs or such other securities, in cash or otherwise. In addition, we and each such person agrees that, without the prior written consent of the representatives on behalf of the underwriters, we or such other person will not, during the restricted period, make any demand for, or exercise any right with respect to, the registration of any ordinary shares or ADSs or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares.

The restrictions described in the immediately preceding paragraph do not apply to our directors, officers and securityholders in certain circumstances, including (subject to certain conditions):

- transactions relating to ordinary shares or ADSs acquired in this offering or in open market transactions after the completion of this offering;
- transfers of ordinary shares or ADSs or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs as a bona fide gift;
- distributions of ordinary shares or ADSs or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs to limited partners, shareholders, members, general partners, managers, directors, officers or employees or trust beneficiaries of the holder or of the holder’s affiliates (as defined in Rule 405 promulgated under the Securities Act) or to any investment fund or other entity that is directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, managing or managed by or under common control with the holder or the holder’s affiliates in a transaction not involving a disposition for value;
- the establishment of a trading plan pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act for the transfer of ordinary shares or ADSs, provided that such plan does not provide for the transfer of ordinary shares or ADSs during the lock-up period;
- transfers or dispositions of ordinary shares or ADSs or other securities to any member of the immediate family of the holder or any trust for the direct or indirect benefit of the holder or the immediate family of the holder in a transaction not involving a disposition for value;
- transfers or dispositions of ordinary shares or ADSs or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs to any corporation, partnership, limited liability company or other entity that is directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, managing or managed by or under common control with the holder or the holder’s affiliates; including, for the avoidance of doubt, transfers or distributions of ordinary shares or ADSs or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs to a fund managed by the same manager or managing member or general partner or management company or by an entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with such manager or managing member or general partner or management company as the holder or who shares a common investment advisor with the holder, in a transaction not involving a disposition for value;

- transfers or dispositions of ordinary shares or ADSs (A) by will, other testamentary document or intestate succession to the legal representative, heir, beneficiary or a member of the immediate family of the holder upon the death of the holder, or (B) by operation of law pursuant to a domestic order or negotiated divorce settlement;
- transfers or dispositions of ordinary shares or ADSs or any other security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for ordinary shares or ADSs to us pursuant to any contractual arrangement in effect prior to the date of such lock-up agreement and disclosed to each of the representatives in this offering that provides for the repurchase of the holder's ordinary shares or ADSs by us or in connection with the termination of the holder's employment with or service to us, provided that the repurchase price for any such ordinary shares or ADSs may not exceed the original purchase price (subject to appropriate adjustment in the event of any share dividend, share split, combination or other similar recapitalization) paid by the holder to us for such securities;
- the conversion of any convertible preferred shares described in this prospectus and outstanding as of the date of this prospectus into, or the exercise of any option or warrant described in this prospectus and outstanding as of the date of this prospectus for, ordinary shares or ADSs, provided that any such ordinary shares or ADSs received by the holder will be subject to the terms of such lock-up agreement; provided, further, that no public filing or public announcement under Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act shall be voluntarily made and any public filing or public announcement under Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act required during the lock-up period in connection with the conversion of such preferred share or the exercise of such share option or warrant must clearly indicate in the footnotes thereto or comments section thereof that the filing relates to the conversion of preferred share or the exercise of a share option or warrant, as the case may be, that no ordinary shares or ADSs were sold by the reporting person and that the ordinary shares or ADSs received upon exercise of the share option or warrant are subject to a lock-up agreement with the underwriters of this offering;
- transfers or dispositions of ordinary shares or ADSs or such other securities pursuant to a bona fide tender offer for shares of our share capital, merger, consolidation or other similar transaction made to all holders of our securities involving a "change of control" (as defined in the lock-up agreement) of our company (including without limitation, the entering into of any lock-up, voting or similar agreement pursuant to which the holder may agree to transfer, sell, tender or otherwise dispose of ordinary shares or ADSs or other securities in connection with such transaction) that has been approved by our board of directors, provided that, in the event that such bona fide tender offer, merger, consolidation or other similar transaction is not consummated, such securities shall remain subject to the same restrictions; or
- (A) the registration of the offer and sale of the ADSs and the sale of such ADSs to the underwriters in this offering or (B) the deposit of ordinary shares with the depository, in exchange for the issuance of ADSs, or the cancellation of ADSs in exchange for the issuance of ordinary shares, provided that such ADSs or ordinary shares issued pursuant to clauses (A) and (B) held by the holder shall remain subject to the terms of the lock-up agreement.

The representatives, in their sole discretion, may release the ordinary shares, ADSs and other securities subject to the lock-up agreements described above in whole or in part at any time.

In order to facilitate the offering of the ADSs, the underwriters may engage in transactions that stabilize, maintain or otherwise affect the price of the ADSs. Specifically, the underwriters may sell more ADSs than they are obligated to purchase under the underwriting agreement, creating a short position. A short sale is covered if the short position is no greater than the number of ADSs available for purchase by the underwriters under the over-allotment option. The underwriters can close out a covered short sale by exercising the over-allotment option or purchasing ADSs in the open market. In determining the source of ADSs to close out a covered short sale, the underwriters will consider, among other things, the open market price of ADSs compared to the price available under the over-allotment option. The underwriters may also sell ADSs in excess of the over-allotment option, creating a naked short position. The underwriters must close out any naked short position by purchasing

ADSs in the open market. A naked short position is more likely to be created if the underwriters are concerned that there may be downward pressure on the price of the ADSs in the open market after pricing that could adversely affect investors who purchase in this offering. As an additional means of facilitating this offering, the underwriters may bid for, and purchase, ADSs in the open market to stabilize the price of the ADSs. These activities may raise or maintain the market price of the ADSs above independent market levels or prevent or retard a decline in the market price of the ADSs. The underwriters are not required to engage in these activities and may end any of these activities at any time.

We and the underwriters have agreed to indemnify each other against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act.

A prospectus in electronic format may be made available on websites maintained by one or more underwriters, or selling group members, if any, participating in this offering. The representatives may agree to allocate a number of ADSs to underwriters for sale to their online brokerage account holders. Internet distributions will be allocated by the representatives to underwriters that may make Internet distributions on the same basis as other allocations.

The underwriters and their respective affiliates are full service financial institutions engaged in various activities, which may include securities trading, commercial and investment banking, financial advisory, investment management, investment research, principal investment, hedging, financing and brokerage activities. Certain of the underwriters and their respective affiliates have, from time to time, performed, and may in the future perform, various financial advisory and investment banking services for us, for which they received or will receive customary fees and expenses.

In addition, in the ordinary course of their various business activities, the underwriters and their respective affiliates may make or hold a broad array of investments and actively trade debt and equity securities (or related derivative securities) and financial instruments (including bank loans) for their own account and for the accounts of their customers and may at any time hold long and short positions in such securities and instruments. Such investment and securities activities may involve our securities and instruments. The underwriters and their respective affiliates may also make investment recommendations or publish or express independent research views in respect of such securities or instruments and may at any time hold, or recommend to clients that they acquire, long or short positions in such securities and instruments.

#### **Pricing of the Offering**

Prior to this offering, there has been no public market for our ADSs. The initial public offering price was determined by negotiations between us and the representatives. Among the factors considered in determining the initial public offering price were our future prospects and those of our industry in general, our sales, earnings and certain other financial and operating information in recent periods, and the price-earnings ratios, price-sales ratios, market prices of securities, and certain financial and operating information of companies engaged in activities similar to ours.

#### **Selling Restrictions**

##### ***European Economic Area***

In relation to each Member State of the European Economic Area (each, a "Relevant State"), no ADSs have been offered or will be offered pursuant to the offering to the public in that Relevant State prior to the publication of a prospectus in relation to the securities which has been approved by the competent authority in that Relevant State or, where appropriate, approved in another Relevant State and notified to the competent authority in that Relevant State, all in accordance with the Prospectus Regulation, except that offers of ADSs may be made to the

public in that Relevant State of any ADSs at any time under the following exemptions under the Prospectus Regulation:

- (a) to any legal entity which is a qualified investor as defined under the Prospectus Regulation;
- (b) to fewer than 150 natural or legal persons (other than qualified investors as defined under the Prospectus Regulation), subject to obtaining the prior consent of the representatives; or
- (c) in any other circumstances falling within Article 1(4) of the Prospectus Regulation,

provided that no such offer of ADSs shall require us or any of our representatives to publish a prospectus pursuant to Article 3 of the Prospectus Regulation or supplement a prospectus pursuant to Article 23 of the Prospectus Regulation, and each person who initially acquires any ADSs or to whom any offer is made will be deemed to have represented, acknowledged and agreed to and with each of the underwriters and us that it is a “qualified investor” within the meaning of Article 2(e) of the Prospectus Regulation. In the case of any ADSs being offered to a financial intermediary as that term is used in the Prospectus Regulation, each such financial intermediary will be deemed to have represented, acknowledged and agreed that the ADSs acquired by it in the offer have not been acquired on a non-discretionary basis on behalf of, nor have they been acquired with a view to their offer or resale to, persons in circumstances which may give rise to an offer of any ADSs to the public other than their offer or resale in a Relevant State to qualified investors as so defined or in circumstances in which the prior consent of the underwriters has been obtained to each such proposed offer or resale.

For the purposes of this provision, the expression an “offer to the public” in relation to any ADSs in any Relevant State means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and any ADSs to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase any ADSs, and the expression “Prospectus Regulation” means Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (as amended).

**United Kingdom**

No ADSs have been offered or will be offered pursuant to the offering to the public in the United Kingdom prior to the publication of a prospectus in relation to the ADSs which has been approved by the Financial Conduct Authority, except that the ADSs may be offered to the public in the United Kingdom at any time:

- (a) to any legal entity which is a qualified investor as defined under Article 2 of the UK Prospectus Regulation;
- (b) to fewer than 150 natural or legal persons (other than qualified investors as defined under Article 2 of the UK Prospectus Regulation), subject to obtaining the prior consent of the representatives for any such offer; or
- (c) in any other circumstances falling within Section 86 of the FSMA.

provided that no such offer of the ADSs shall require us or any underwriter to publish a prospectus pursuant to Section 85 of the FSMA or supplement a prospectus pursuant to Article 23 of the UK Prospectus Regulation. For the purposes of this provision, the expression an “offer to the public” in relation to the ADSs in the United Kingdom means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and any ADSs to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase or subscribe for any ADSs and the expression “UK Prospectus Regulation” means Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.

In addition, in the United Kingdom, this document is being distributed only to, and is directed only at, and any offer subsequently made may only be directed at persons who are “qualified investors” (as defined in the UK Prospectus Regulation) (i) who have professional experience in matters relating to investments falling within Article 19(5) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Financial Promotion) Order 2005, as amended, or the “Order,” and/or (ii) who are high net worth companies (or persons to whom it may otherwise be lawfully communicated) falling within Article 49(2) (a) to (d) of the Order (all such persons together being referred to as



“relevant persons”). In the United Kingdom, any investment or investment activity to which this document relates is only available to, and will be engaged in with, relevant persons. Any person in the UK who is not a relevant person must not act on or rely upon this document or any of its contents.

#### **Canada**

The ADSs may be sold only to purchasers purchasing, or deemed to be purchasing, as principal that are accredited investors, as defined in National Instrument 45-106 *Prospectus Exemptions* or subsection 73.3(1) of the *Securities Act* (Ontario), and are permitted clients, as defined in National Instrument 31-103 *Registration Requirements, Exemptions and Ongoing Registrant Obligations*. Any resale of the ADSs must be made in accordance with an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the prospectus requirements of applicable securities laws.

Securities legislation in certain provinces or territories of Canada may provide a purchaser with remedies for rescission or damages if this prospectus (including any amendment thereto) contains a misrepresentation, provided that the remedies for rescission or damages are exercised by the purchaser within the time limit prescribed by the securities legislation of the purchaser’s province or territory. The purchaser should refer to any applicable provisions of the securities legislation of the purchaser’s province or territory for particulars of these rights or consult with a legal advisor.

Pursuant to section 3A.3 (or, in the case of securities issued or guaranteed by the government of a non-Canadian jurisdiction, section 3A.4) of National Instrument 33-105 *Underwriting Conflicts* (NI 33-105), the underwriters are not required to comply with the disclosure requirements of NI 33-105 regarding underwriter conflicts of interest in connection with this offering.

#### **Hong Kong**

Our ADSs may not be offered or sold by means of any document other than (i) in circumstances which do not constitute an offer to the public within the meaning of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 32, Laws of Hong Kong), (ii) to “professional investors” within the meaning of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap.571, Laws of Hong Kong) and any rules made thereunder, or (iii) in other circumstances which do not result in the document being a “prospectus” within the meaning of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 32, Laws of Hong Kong), and no advertisement, invitation, or document relating to our ADSs may be issued or may be in the possession of any person for the purpose of issue (in each case whether in Hong Kong or elsewhere), which is directed at, or the contents of which are likely to be accessed or read by, the public in Hong Kong (except if permitted to do so under the laws of Hong Kong) other than with respect to our ADSs which are or are intended to be disposed of only to persons outside Hong Kong or only to “professional investors” within the meaning of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571, Laws of Hong Kong) and any rules made thereunder.

#### **Singapore**

This prospectus has not been registered as a prospectus with the Monetary Authority of Singapore. Accordingly, this prospectus and any other document or material in connection with the offer or sale, or invitation for subscription or purchase, of our ADSs may not be circulated or distributed, nor may our ADSs be offered or sold, or be made the subject of an invitation for subscription or purchase, whether directly or indirectly, to persons in Singapore other than (i) to an institutional investor under Section 274 of the Securities and Futures Act, Chapter 289 of Singapore (SFA) (ii) to a relevant person, or any person pursuant to Section 275(1A), and in accordance with the conditions, specified in Section 275 of the SFA, or (iii) otherwise pursuant to, and in accordance with the conditions of, any other applicable provision of the SFA.

Where our ADSs are subscribed or purchased under Section 275 by a relevant person which is: (i) a corporation (which is not an accredited investor) the sole business of which is to hold investments and the entire

share capital of which is owned by one or more individuals, each of whom is an accredited investor; or (ii) a trust (where the trustee is not an accredited investor) whose sole purpose is to hold investments and each beneficiary is an accredited investor, shares, debentures and units of shares and debentures of that corporation or the beneficiaries' rights and interest in that trust shall not be transferable for six months after that corporation or that trust has acquired our ADSs under Section 275 except: (i) to an institutional investor under Section 274 of the SFA or to a relevant person, or any person pursuant to Section 275(1A), and in accordance with the conditions, specified in Section 275 of the SFA; (ii) where no consideration is given for the transfer; or (iii) by operation of law.

Solely for purposes of the notification requirements under Section 309B(1)(c) of the Securities and Futures Act, Chapter 289 of Singapore. The ADSs are "prescribed capital markets products" (as defined in the Securities and Futures (Capital Markets Products) Regulations 2018) and Excluded Investment Products (as defined in MAS Notice SFA 04-N12: Notice on the Sale of Investment Products and MAS Notice FAA-N16: Notice on Recommendations on Investment Products).

#### ***Dubai International Financial Center***

This prospectus relates to an Exempt Offer in accordance with the Offered Securities Rules of the Dubai Financial Services Authority ("DFSA"). This prospectus is intended for distribution only to persons of a type specified in the Offered Securities Rules of the DFSA. It must not be delivered to, or relied on by, any other person. The DFSA has no responsibility for reviewing or verifying any documents in connection with Exempt Offers. The DFSA has not approved this prospectus nor taken steps to verify the information set forth herein and has no responsibility for the prospectus. The shares to which this prospectus relates may be illiquid and/or subject to restrictions on their resale. Prospective purchasers of the ADSs offered should conduct their own due diligence on the ADSs. If you do not understand the contents of this prospectus you should consult an authorized financial advisor.

#### ***United Arab Emirates***

The ADSs have not been offered or sold, and will not be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, in the United Arab Emirates, except: (1) in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations of the United Arab Emirates; and (2) through persons or corporate entities authorized and licensed to provide investment advice and/or engage in brokerage activity and/or trade in respect of foreign securities in the United Arab Emirates. The information contained in this prospectus does not constitute a public offer of securities in the United Arab Emirates in accordance with the Commercial Companies Law (Federal Law No. 8 of 1984 (as amended)) or otherwise and is not intended to be a public offer and is addressed only to persons who are sophisticated investors.

#### ***Australia***

No placement document, prospectus, product disclosure statement or other disclosure document has been lodged with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission ("ASIC"), in relation to the offering. This prospectus does not constitute a prospectus, product disclosure statement or other disclosure document under the Corporations Act 2001 (the "Corporations Act"), and does not purport to include the information required for a prospectus, product disclosure statement or other disclosure document under the Corporations Act.

Any offer in Australia of the ADSs may only be made to persons (the "Exempt Investors") who are "sophisticated investors" (within the meaning of section 708(8) of the Corporations Act), "professional investors" (within the meaning of section 708(11) of the Corporations Act) or otherwise pursuant to one or more exemptions contained in section 708 of the Corporations Act so that it is lawful to offer the ADSs without disclosure to investors under Chapter 6D of the Corporations Act.

The ADSs applied for by Exempt Investors in Australia must not be offered for sale in Australia in the period of 12 months after the date of allotment under the offering, except in circumstances where disclosure to

investors under Chapter 6D of the Corporations Act would not be required pursuant to an exemption under section 708 of the Corporations Act or otherwise or where the offer is pursuant to a disclosure document which complies with Chapter 6D of the Corporations Act. Any person acquiring ADSs must observe such Australian on-sale restrictions.

This prospectus contains general information only and does not take account of the investment objectives, financial situation or particular needs of any particular person. It does not contain any securities recommendations or financial product advice. Before making an investment decision, investors need to consider whether the information in this prospectus is appropriate to their needs, objectives and circumstances, and, if necessary, seek expert advice on those matters.

#### **Switzerland**

The ADSs may not be publicly offered in Switzerland and will not be listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange (“SIX”) or on any other stock exchange or regulated trading facility in Switzerland. This document has been prepared without regard to the disclosure standards for issuance prospectuses under art. 652a or art. 1156 of the Swiss Code of Obligations or the disclosure standards for listing prospectuses under art. 27 ff. of the SIX Listing Rules or the listing rules of any other stock exchange or regulated trading facility in Switzerland. Neither this document nor any other offering or marketing material relating to the ADSs or the offering may be publicly distributed or otherwise made publicly available in Switzerland.

Neither this document nor any other offering or marketing material relating to the offering, Legend Biotech Corporation, or the ADSs have been or will be filed with or approved by any Swiss regulatory authority. In particular, this document will not be filed with, and the offer of ADSs will not be supervised by, the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority FINMA (“FINMA”), and the offer of ADSs has not been and will not be authorized under the Swiss Federal Act on Collective Investment Schemes (“CISA”). The investor protection afforded to acquirers of interests in collective investment schemes under the CISA does not extend to acquirers of ADSs.

#### **Japan**

No registration pursuant to Article 4, paragraph 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Law of Japan (Law No. 25 of 1948, as amended) (the “FIEL”) has been made or will be made with respect to the solicitation of the application for the acquisition of the ADSs.

Accordingly, the ADSs have not been, directly or indirectly, offered or sold and will not be, directly or indirectly, offered or sold in Japan or to, or for the benefit of, any resident of Japan (which term as used herein means any person resident in Japan, including any corporation or other entity organized under the laws of Japan) or to others for re-offering or re-sale, directly or indirectly, in Japan or to, or for the benefit of, any resident of Japan except pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirements, and otherwise in compliance with, the FIEL and the other applicable laws and regulations of Japan.

#### **For Qualified Institutional Investors (“QII”)**

Please note that the solicitation for newly-issued or secondary securities (each as described in Paragraph 2, Article 4 of the FIEL) in relation to the ADSs constitutes either a “QII only private placement” or a “QII only secondary distribution” (each as described in Paragraph 1, Article 23-13 of the FIEL). Disclosure regarding any such solicitation, as is otherwise prescribed in Paragraph 1, Article 4 of the FIEL, has not been made in relation to the ADSs. The ADSs may only be transferred to QIIs.

#### **For Non-QII Investors**

Please note that the solicitation for newly-issued or secondary securities (each as described in Paragraph 2, Article 4 of the FIEL) in relation to the ADSs constitutes either a “small number private placement” or a “small

number private secondary distribution” (each as is described in Paragraph 4, Article 23-13 of the FIEL). Disclosure regarding any such solicitation, as is otherwise prescribed in Paragraph 1, Article 4 of the FIEL, has not been made in relation to the ADSs. The ADSs may only be transferred en bloc without subdivision to a single investor.

***Cayman Islands***

This prospectus does not constitute a public offer of the ADSs or ordinary shares, whether by way of sale or subscription, in the Cayman Islands. Each underwriter has represented and agreed that it has not offered or sold, and will not offer or sell, directly or indirectly, any ADSs or ordinary shares in the Cayman Islands.

***Indonesia***

This prospectus does not, and is not intended to, constitute a public offering in Indonesia under Law Number 8 of 1995 regarding Capital Market. This prospectus may not be distributed in the Republic of Indonesia and the ADSs may not be offered or sold in the Republic of Indonesia or to Indonesian citizens wherever they are domiciled, or to Indonesia residents, in a manner which constitutes a public offering under the laws of the Republic of Indonesia.

***Israel***

In the State of Israel, the ADSs offered hereby may not be offered to any person or entity other than the following:

- a fund for joint investments in trust (i.e., mutual fund), as such term is defined in the Law for Joint Investments in Trust, 5754-1994, or a management company of such a fund;
- a provident fund as defined in Section 47(a)(2) of the Income Tax Ordinance of the State of Israel, or a management company of such a fund;
- an insurer, as defined in the Law for Oversight of Insurance Transactions, 5741-1981, a banking entity or satellite entity, as such terms are defined in the Banking Law (Licensing), 5741-1981, other than a joint services company, acting for their own account or for the account of investors of the type listed in Section 15A(b) of the Securities Law 1968;
- a company that is licensed as a portfolio manager, as such term is defined in Section 8(b) of the Law for the Regulation of Investment Advisors and Portfolio Managers, 5755-1995, acting on its own account or for the account of investors of the type listed in Section 15A(b) of the Securities Law 1968;
- a company that is licensed as an investment advisor, as such term is defined in Section 7(c) of the Law for the Regulation of Investment Advisors and Portfolio Managers, 5755-1995, acting on its own account;
- a company that is a member of the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange, acting on its own account or for the account of investors of the type listed in Section 15A(b) of the Securities Law 1968;
- an underwriter fulfilling the conditions of Section 56(c) of the Securities Law, 5728-1968;
- a venture capital fund (defined as an entity primarily involved in investments in companies which, at the time of investment, (i) are primarily engaged in research and development or manufacture of new technological products or processes and (ii) involve above-average risk);
- an entity primarily engaged in capital markets activities in which all of the equity owners meet one or more of the above criteria; and
- an entity, other than an entity formed for the purpose of purchasing the ADSs in this offering, in which shareholders' equity (including pursuant to foreign accounting rules, international accounting

regulations and U.S. generally accepted accounting rules, as defined in the Securities Law Regulations (Preparation of Annual Financial Statements), 1993) is in excess of NIS

- 250 million.

Any offeree of the ADSs offered hereby in the State of Israel shall be required to submit written confirmation that it falls within the scope of one of the above criteria. This prospectus will not be distributed or directed to investors in the State of Israel who do not fall within one of the above criteria.

#### ***Korea***

The ADSs may not be offered, sold and delivered directly or indirectly, or offered or sold to any person for reoffering or resale, directly or indirectly, in Korea or to any resident of Korea except pursuant to the applicable laws and regulations of Korea, including the Korea Securities and Exchange Act and the Foreign Exchange Transaction Law and the decrees and regulations thereunder. The ADSs have not been registered with the Financial Services Commission of Korea for public offering in Korea. Furthermore, the ADSs may not be resold to Korean residents unless the purchaser of the ADSs complies with all applicable regulatory requirements (including but not limited to government approval requirements under the Foreign Exchange Transaction Law and its subordinate decrees and regulations) in connection with the purchase of the ADSs.

#### ***Kuwait***

Unless all necessary approvals from the Kuwait Ministry of Commerce and Industry required by Law No. 31/1990 "Regulating the Negotiation of Securities and Establishment of Investment Funds," its Executive Regulations and the various Ministerial Orders issued pursuant thereto or in connection therewith, have been given in relation to the marketing and sale of the ADSs, these may not be marketed, offered for sale, nor sold in the State of Kuwait. Neither this prospectus (including any related document), nor any of the information contained therein is intended to lead to the conclusion of any contract of whatsoever nature within Kuwait.

#### ***Malaysia***

The offering of the ADSs has not been and will not be approved by the Securities Commission Malaysia, or SC, and this document has not been and will not be registered as a prospectus with the SC under the Malaysian Capital Markets and Services Act 2007, or CMSA. Accordingly, no ADSs or invitation to purchase is being made to any person in Malaysia under this document except to persons falling within any of paragraphs 2(g)(i) to (xi) of Schedule 5 of the CMSA and distributed only by a holder of a Capital Markets Services License who carries on the business of dealing in securities.

#### ***People's Republic of China***

This prospectus may not be circulated or distributed in the PRC and the ADSs may not be offered or sold, and will not offer or sell to any person for re-offering or resale directly or indirectly to any resident of the PRC except pursuant to applicable laws and regulations of the PRC. For the purposes of this paragraph, the PRC does not include Taiwan and the special administrative regions of Hong Kong and Macau.

#### ***Philippines***

**THE ADSS BEING OFFERED OR SOLD HAVE NOT BEEN AND WILL NOT BE REGISTERED WITH THE PHILIPPINE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION UNDER THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, OR THE SRC. ANY FUTURE OFFER OR SALE OF THE ADSS WITHIN THE PHILIPPINES IS SUBJECT TO THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE SRC UNLESS SUCH OFFER OR SALE QUALIFIES AS A TRANSACTION EXEMPT FROM THE REGISTRATION UNDER THE SRC.**

Accordingly, this prospectus, and any other document or material in connection with the offer or sale, or invitation for subscription or purchase of the ADSs, may not be circulated or distributed in the Philippines, and the ADSs may not be offered or sold, or be made the subject of an invitation for subscription or purchase, to persons in the Philippines, other than (i) to qualified investors in transactions that are exempt from the registration requirements of the SRC; and (ii) by persons licensed to make such offers or sales in the Philippines.

***Qatar***

In the State of Qatar, the offer contained herein is made on an exclusive basis to the specifically intended recipient thereof, upon that person's request and initiative, for personal use only and shall in no way be construed as a general offer for the sale of securities to the public or an attempt to do business as a bank, an investment company or otherwise in the State of Qatar. This prospectus and the underlying securities have not been approved or licensed by the Qatar Central Bank or the Qatar Financial Center Regulatory Authority or any other regulator in the State of Qatar. The information contained in this prospectus shall only be shared with any third parties in Qatar on a need to know basis for the purpose of evaluating the contained offer. Any distribution of this prospectus by the recipient to third parties in Qatar beyond the terms hereof is not permitted and shall be at the liability of such recipient.

***Saudi Arabia***

This prospectus may not be distributed in the Kingdom except to such persons as are permitted under the Offers of Securities Regulations issued by the Capital Market Authority. The Capital Market Authority does not make any representation as to the accuracy or completeness of this prospectus, and expressly disclaims any liability whatsoever for any loss arising from, or incurred in reliance upon, any part of this prospectus. Prospective purchasers of the securities offered hereby should conduct their own due diligence on the accuracy of the information relating to the securities. If you do not understand the contents of this prospectus you should consult an authorized financial adviser.

***Taiwan***

The ADSs have not been and will not be registered or filed with, or approved by, the Financial Supervisory Commission of Taiwan pursuant to relevant securities laws and regulations and may not be offered or sold in Taiwan through a public offering or in circumstances which constitute an offer within the meaning of the Securities and Exchange Act of Taiwan or relevant laws and regulations that require a registration, filing or approval of the Financial Supervisory Commission of Taiwan. No person or entity in Taiwan has been authorized to offer or sell the ADSs in Taiwan through a public offering or in such an offering that require registration, filing or approval of the Financial Supervisory Commission of Taiwan except pursuant to the applicable laws and regulations of Taiwan and the competent authority's rulings thereunder.

***Thailand***

This prospectus does not, and is not intended to, constitute a public offering in Thailand. The ADSs may not be offered or sold to persons in Thailand, unless such offering is made under the exemptions from approval and filing requirements under applicable laws, or under circumstances which do not constitute an offer for sale of the shares to the public for the purposes of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1992 of Thailand, nor require approval from the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Thailand.

***Vietnam***

This offering of ADSs has not been and will not be registered with the State Securities Commission of Vietnam under the Law on Securities of Vietnam and its guiding decrees and circulars. The ADSs will not be offered or sold in Vietnam through a public offering and will not be offered or sold to Vietnamese persons other than those who are licensed to invest in offshore securities under the Law on Investment of Vietnam

#### LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of our ADSs and certain other matters of English law will be passed upon for us by Goodwin Proctor (UK) LLP and U.S. federal law will be passed upon for us by Goodwin Procter LLP. Certain legal matters related to this offering will be passed upon for the underwriters by Cooley LLP, with respect to U.S. federal law, and Cooley (UK) LLP, with respect to English law.

#### EXPERTS

The combined financial statements of the Centessa Predecessor Group (consisting of Z Factor Limited, LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, and Morphogen-IX Limited) as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended, and the financial statements of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as of December 31, 2020 and for the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, have been included herein and in the registration statement in reliance upon the reports of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, appearing elsewhere herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The financial statements of Capella Bioscience Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended; the financial statements of ApcinteX Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended; the financial statements of Inexia Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended; the financial statements of Orexia Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended; the financial statements of Janpix Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the years then ended; the financial statements of Pega-One S.A.S. as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020; the financial statements of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020; and the financial statements of PearlRiver Bio GmbH as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and for the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020 included in this prospectus have been so included in reliance on the reports of Frazier & Deeter, LLC, independent auditors, appearing elsewhere herein, upon the authority of said firm as experts in auditing and accounting.

## SERVICE OF PROCESS AND ENFORCEMENT OF LIABILITIES

Centessa is incorporated and validly existing under the laws of England and Wales. In addition, certain of our directors and officers reside outside of the United States and most of the assets of our non-U.S. subsidiaries are located outside of the United States. As a result, it may be difficult for investors to effect service of process on us or those persons in the United States or to enforce in the United States judgments obtained in United States courts against us or those persons based on the civil liability or other provisions of the United States securities laws or other laws.

In addition, uncertainty exists as to whether the courts of England and Wales would:

- recognize or enforce judgments of United States courts obtained against us or our directors or officers predicated upon the civil liabilities provisions of the securities laws of the United States or any state in the United States; or
- entertain original actions brought in England and Wales against us or our directors or officers predicated upon the securities laws of the United States or any state in the United States.

We have been advised by Goodwin Procter LLP that there is currently no treaty between (i) the United States and (ii) England and Wales providing for reciprocal recognition and enforcement of judgments of United States courts in civil and commercial matters (although the United States and the United Kingdom are both parties to the New York Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards) and that a final judgment for the payment of money rendered by any general or state court in the United States based on civil liability, whether predicated solely upon the United States securities laws, would not be automatically enforceable in England and Wales. We have also been advised by Goodwin Procter LLP that any final and conclusive monetary judgment for a definite sum obtained against us in United States courts would be treated by the courts of England and Wales as a cause of action in itself and sued upon as a debt at common law so that no retrial of the issues would be necessary, provided that:

- the relevant U.S. court had jurisdiction over the original proceedings according to English conflicts of laws principles at the time when proceedings were initiated;
- England and Wales courts had jurisdiction over the matter on enforcement and we either submitted to such jurisdiction or were resident or carrying on business within such jurisdiction and were duly served with process;
- the U.S. judgment was final and conclusive on the merits in the sense of being final and unalterable in the court that pronounced it and being for a definite sum of money;
- the judgment given by the courts was not in respect of penalties, taxes, fines or similar fiscal or revenue obligations (or otherwise based on a U.S. law that an English court considers to relate to a penal, revenue or other public law);
- the judgment was not procured by fraud;
- recognition or enforcement of the judgment in England and Wales would not be contrary to public policy or the Human Rights Act 1998;
- the proceedings pursuant to which judgment was obtained were not contrary to natural justice;
- the U.S. judgment was not arrived at by doubling, trebling or otherwise multiplying a sum assessed as compensation for the loss or damages sustained and not being otherwise in breach of Section 5 of the U.K. Protection of Trading Interests Act 1980, or is a judgment based on measures designated by the Secretary of State under Section 1 of that Act;
- there is not a prior decision of an English court or the court of another jurisdiction on the issues in question between the same parties; and
- the English enforcement proceedings were commenced within the limitation period.



Whether these requirements are met in respect of a judgment based upon the civil liability provisions of the United States securities laws, including whether the award of monetary damages under such laws would constitute a penalty, is an issue for the court making such decision.

Subject to the foregoing, investors may be able to enforce in England and Wales judgments in civil and commercial matters that have been obtained from U.S. federal or state courts. Nevertheless, we cannot assure you that those judgments will be recognized or enforceable in England and Wales.

If an English court gives judgment for the sum payable under a U.S. judgment, the English judgment will be enforceable by methods generally available for this purpose. These methods generally permit the English court discretion to prescribe the manner of enforcement. In addition, it may not be possible to obtain an English judgment or to enforce that judgment if the judgment debtor is or becomes subject to any insolvency or similar proceedings, or if the judgment debtor has any set-off or counterclaim against the judgment creditor. Also note that, in any enforcement proceedings, the judgment debtor may raise any counterclaim that could have been brought if the action had been originally brought in England unless the subject of the counterclaim was in issue and denied in the U.S. proceedings.

**WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION**

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-1 (File Number 333- ) under the Securities Act with respect to the ADSs we are offering by this prospectus. A related registration statement on Form F-6 will be filed with the SEC to register the ADSs. This prospectus does not contain all of the information included in the registration statement. For further information pertaining to us and the ADSs, you should refer to the registration statement and to its exhibits. Whenever we make reference in this prospectus to any of our contracts, agreements or other documents, the references are not necessarily complete, and you should refer to the exhibits attached to the registration statement for copies of the actual contract, agreement or other document.

Upon the closing of the offering, we will be subject to the informational requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and will file annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. You can read our SEC filings, including the registration statement, over the Internet at the SEC's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov).

We intend to furnish the depository with our annual reports, which will include a review of operations and annual audited consolidated combined financial statements prepared in conformity with U.S. GAAP, and all notices of shareholders' meetings and other reports and communications that are made generally available to our shareholders. The depository will make such notices, reports and communications available to holders of ADSs and will mail to all record holders of ADSs the information contained in any notice of a shareholders' meeting received by the depository from us.

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To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited:

*Opinion on the Financial Statements*

We have audited the accompanying balance sheet of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (the Company) as of December 31, 2020, the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, and the related notes (collectively, the financial statements). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

*Basis for Opinion*

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audit included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audit also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

/s/ KPMG LLP

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2021.

Boston, Massachusetts  
March 12, 2021

**Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**  
**Balance Sheet**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except share data)*

	December 31, 2020
<b>Assets</b>	
Current assets:	
Cash	\$ 5,003
Subscription receivable	11
Total current assets	5,014
Deferred offering costs	248
Total assets	<u>\$ 5,262</u>
<b>Liabilities and shareholders' deficit</b>	
Current liabilities:	
Convertible term notes	\$ 4,171
Derivative liability	833
Accounts payable	15
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	3,457
Total current liabilities	<u>8,476</u>
Commitments and contingencies (Note 3)	
Shareholders' deficit:	
Ordinary shares: £0.001 nominal value: 15,000,000 shares issued and outstanding	21
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(86)
Accumulated deficit	<u>(3,149)</u>
Total shareholders' deficit	<u>(3,214)</u>
Total liabilities and shareholders' deficit	<u>\$ 5,262</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**  
**Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020
Operating expenses:	
General and administrative	\$ 3,139
Loss from operations	(3,139)
Interest expense, net	(2)
Amortization of debt discount	(8)
Net loss	(3,149)
Other comprehensive loss:	
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(86)
Total comprehensive loss	\$ (3,235)
Net loss per ordinary share – basic and diluted	\$ (0.40)
Weighted average ordinary shares – basic and diluted	7,836,299

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**Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**  
**Statement of Shareholders' Deficit**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except share data)*

	Ordinary		Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Accumulated Deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount			
<b>Balance as of October 26, 2020 (inception)</b>	—	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Issuance of ordinary shares	15,000,000	21	—	—	21
Net loss	—	—	—	(3,149)	(3,149)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	(86)	—	(86)
<b>Balance as of December 31, 2020</b>	<b>15,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 21</b>	<b>\$ (86)</b>	<b>\$ (3,149)</b>	<b>\$ (3,214)</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



**Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>	
Net loss	\$ (3,149)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to cash used in operating activities:	
Non-cash interest	2
Amortization of debt discount	8
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	
Accounts payable	15
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	3,124
Net cash used in operating activities	—
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>	
Proceeds from the issuance of ordinary shares	10
Proceeds from convertible term notes	5,000
Net cash provided by financing activities	5,010
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(7)
Net Increase in cash	5,003
Cash - beginning of the period	—
Cash - end of the period	\$ 5,003
Supplemental disclosure of non-cash financing activities:	
Deferred offering costs included in accrued expenses	\$ 248
Ordinary shares issued for subscription receivable	\$ 11

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Organization and Description of Business**

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (“Centessa” or “the Company”) is a pharmaceutical company conceived to develop and deliver life-altering and life-enhancing medicines to patients with an asset centric research and development logic applied at scale. Centessa was incorporated on October 26, 2020 as a limited liability company in England and Wales.

Entities affiliated with Medicxi manage multiple investment funds, including – Medicxi Ventures I LP, Medicxi Growth I LP, and Medicxi Secondary I LP. In addition, entities affiliated with Medicxi act as sub advisors to Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) Limited which advises the managing general partner of Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), L.P.

In January 2021, the management and other equity holders (including funds managed or advised by entities affiliated with Medicxi) of ApcinteX Limited, Capella Biosciences Limited, Inexia Limited, Janpix Limited, LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, Morphogen-IX Limited, Orexia Limited, Palladio Biosciences, Inc., Pearl River Bio GmbH, Pega One S.A.S., and Z Factor Limited (together, the “Centessa Subsidiaries”), contributed the Centessa Subsidiaries to Centessa, in a share for share exchange, after which these companies became wholly-owned subsidiaries of Centessa. Due to the overlapping therapeutic focus of our Centessa subsidiaries, Orexia Limited (now renamed Orexia Therapeutics Limited) and Inexia Limited, we determined it to be in the best interest of both entities to combine the business of Orexia Therapeutics Limited and Inexia Limited. The combination was implemented by the transfer of the business and assets of Inexia Limited to Orexia Therapeutics Limited. The business combination was implemented on [redacted], 2021.

*Risks and Liquidity*

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$3.1 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of the product candidates currently in development by the Centessa Subsidiaries. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations (including those of the Centessa Subsidiaries) and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt.

The Company expects that its cash as of December 31, 2020, and the proceeds received from its Series A financing, will be sufficient to fund operations (including those of the Centessa Subsidiaries) for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

*Global Pandemic – COVID-19*

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess the COVID-19, global pandemic. Since

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its inception, the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

*Basis of Presentation*

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") and Accounting Standards Updates ("ASUs") promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB"). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2020, the results of its operations and cash flows from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020.

*Foreign Currency Translation*

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' deficit as other comprehensive income (loss). Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Foreign exchange difference gains and losses are immaterial to these financial statements.

*Use of Estimates*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Significant estimates and assumptions reflected in these financial statements include, but are not limited to, the valuation of liabilities associated with financial instruments and derivatives. Estimates are periodically reviewed in light of changes in circumstances, facts and experience. Actual results could differ from the Company's estimates.

*Segment Information*

Operating segments are defined as components of an enterprise with separate discrete information available for evaluation by the chief operating decision maker, or decision-making group, in deciding how to allocate resources and in assessing performance. The Company views its operations and manages its business as one segment.

*Fair Value of Financial Instruments*

The Company's financial instruments consist of accounts payable, accrued expenses, convertible notes and derivatives embedded within the convertible term notes. The carrying amount of accounts payable, accrued

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expenses and convertible notes are considered a reasonable estimate of their fair value, due to the short-term maturity of these instruments. The Company's derivative liability is carried at fair value, determined according to the fair value hierarchy described below.

The Company follows the guidance in FASB ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, which defines fair value and establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

- Level 1:** Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2:** Valuations based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3:** Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable.

*Deferred Financing Costs*

The Company capitalizes costs that are directly associated with in-process equity financings until such financings are consummated, at which time such costs are recorded against the gross proceeds from the applicable financing. If a financing is abandoned, deferred financing costs are expensed. Financing costs are expensed immediately if the financial instrument is recorded at its estimated fair value and subject to remeasurement. As of December 31, 2020, there were \$0.2 million of deferred offering costs on the Company's balance sheet.

*Convertible Term Notes and Derivative Liability*

In connection with the issuance of the convertible term notes (note 5), the Company had identified redemption features that required bifurcation into an embedded derivative, which was recorded as a derivative liability on the balance sheet and will be remeasured to fair value at each reporting date until the derivative is settled. Changes in the fair value of the derivative liability are recognized in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

Upon issuance of the convertible term notes, the Company bifurcated the redemption feature, and each note was recorded at cost, net of debt discount. The discount on each note was amortized as interest expense to the date such note was expected to convert using the effective interest rate method and was reflected in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss as amortization of debt discount.

The Company classified its derivative liability in the balance sheet as current or non-current based on its expectation of when the derivative will be settled, consistent with the assumptions used when determining the fair value of the derivative liability.

*Income Taxes*

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in

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tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

The Company accounts for uncertain tax positions pursuant to GAAP, specifically ASC 740, which prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statement recognition of uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. If the tax position meets this threshold, the benefit to be recognized is measured as the tax benefit having the highest likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the taxing authority. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had not recorded any unrecognized tax benefits.

*Comprehensive Loss*

Comprehensive loss includes net loss as well as other changes in shareholders' deficit that result from transactions and economic events other than those with shareholders. For the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, the Company's only element of other comprehensive loss was the change in foreign currency translation adjustments.

*JOBS Act Accounting Election*

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

*Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2020-06 on financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

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**3. Commitments and Contingencies**

*Commitments*

As of December 31, 2020, the Company had not entered into any non-cancellable commitments.

*Contingencies*

From time to time, the Company may have certain contingent liabilities that arise in the ordinary course of its business activities. The Company accrues a liability for such matters when it is probable that future expenditures will be made, and such expenditures can be reasonably estimated.

*Litigation*

The Company is not a party to any litigation as of December 31, 2020.

**4. Shareholders' Deficit**

*Ordinary Shares*

Ordinary shares confer upon its holders voting rights, the right to receive cash and stock dividends, if declared, and the right to share in excess assets upon liquidation of the Company. The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to one vote per share.

Centessa was incorporated on October 26, 2020 with the issuance of 1,000 ordinary shares. In November 2020, the Company issued 14,999,000 ordinary shares of £0.001 each in accordance with the terms of subscription letters, issued to individuals associated with Medicxi and the Index Foundation.

**5. Convertible Term Notes**

In December 2020, Centessa entered into a convertible loan agreement (the Agreement) with Medicxi Growth, whereby the Company issued \$5.0 million of unsecured convertible term notes to Medicxi Growth. The convertible loans were issued as a bridge financing in contemplation of completing the Series A financing within the next six months. The convertible term notes had a stated interest rate of 8% per annum, which is not payable until settlement of the principal, being the maturity date June 29, 2021.

The principal and accrued interest due under the convertible term notes converts:

- into the class of Centessa stock issued in the Company's next qualified fund raising, at 80% of the subscription price paid in such financing.
- prior to maturity and in the event future equity financings do not trigger a Qualified Financing, at Medicxi Growth's election and at 80% of the subscription price paid for the most senior securities sold by the Company.

At inception, the Company concluded that the convertible term notes contained a conversion option at a significant discount that was deemed to be an embedded derivative, which is required to be bifurcated and accounted for separately from the debt host. There were no debt issuance costs associated with the convertible term notes.

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The Company recognized the following changes related to the convertible term notes during the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020 (in thousands):

Balance as of October 26, 2020	\$ —
Issuance of convertible term notes	5,000
Allocation of note issuance proceeds to derivative	(833)
Amortization of debt discount	8
Accrued interest	2
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(6)
Balance as of December 31, 2020	<u>\$4,171</u>

In January 2021, the Convertible Term Note converted into Series A preferred shares of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as part of the Company's Series A preferred equity financing.

**6. Fair Value Measurement**

The following table presents information about the Company's assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2020 that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis and indicates the level of the fair value hierarchy utilized to determine such fair values (in thousands):

	Fair Value Measurement at December 31, 2020 using			Total
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
<b>Liabilities:</b>				
Derivative liability	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 833</u>	<u>\$833</u>

The derivative liability was considered a Level 3 liability because its fair value measurement was based, in part, on significant inputs not observed in the market. The fair value of the derivative was estimated primarily on the probability of the Company's next qualified fund raising occurring and the timing of such event. There was no change in the fair value of the derivative liability from issuance through December 31, 2020.

**7. Income Taxes**

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020	
Statutory tax rate benefit	19%	
Non-deductible expenses	(19)	
Effective income tax rate	<u>—%</u>	

The Company has incurred net operating losses of \$2,702 during the period from October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020. Due to the profile of the Company, a full valuation allowance has been provided against this deferred tax asset.

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The Company will recognize interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as a component of income tax expense. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had no accrued interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions and no amounts have been recognized in the Company's statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

The board of directors may decide to purchase and maintain insurance, at our expense, for the benefit of any relevant officer in respect of any relevant loss.

**8. Subsequent Events**

In January 2021, 8,900,000 Founder's Shares were repurchased by the Company at a nominal value (£ 0.001) and were cancelled immediately.

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the issuance date of these financial statements and has not identified any requiring disclosure except as noted above.



**Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited:

*Opinion on the Combined Financial Statements*

We have audited the accompanying combined balance sheets of the Centessa Predecessor Group (consisting of Z Factor Limited, LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, and Morphogen-IX Limited) (the Group) as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, the related combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and combined deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes (collectively, the combined financial statements). In our opinion, the combined financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Group as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

*Basis for Opinion*

These combined financial statements are the responsibility of the Group's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these combined financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Group in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the combined financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the combined financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the combined financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the combined financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

/s/ KPMG LLP

We have served as the Group's auditor since 2021.

Boston, Massachusetts  
March 12, 2021

**Centessa Predecessor Group**  
**Combined Balance Sheets**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except share data)*

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 16,570	\$ 7,227
Tax incentive receivable	1,077	2,633
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	1,580	1,305
Total current assets	19,227	11,165
Non-current tax incentive receivable	503	552
Total assets	<u>\$ 19,730</u>	<u>\$ 11,717</u>
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and combined deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Convertible term notes	\$ —	\$ 5,339
Derivative liability	—	913
Term loans	544	288
Accounts payable	1,049	1,032
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	339	1,047
Total current liabilities	1,932	8,619
Convertible term notes	3,615	—
Derivative liability	519	—
Total liabilities	<u>6,066</u>	<u>8,619</u>
Commitments and contingencies (Note 4)		
Convertible preferred shares (€0.0001 nominal value):		
Series A convertible preferred shares: 4,337,282 shares issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$14,106 at December 31, 2020)	13,329	13,329
Series B convertible preferred shares: 1,111,923 shares issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$11,813 at December 31, 2020)	10,840	10,840
Seed convertible preferred shares: 1,100,000 shares issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$1,506 at December 31, 2020)	1,352	1,352
Total convertible preferred shares	<u>25,521</u>	<u>25,521</u>
Combined deficit	<u>(11,857)</u>	<u>(22,423)</u>
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and combined deficit	<u>\$ 19,730</u>	<u>\$ 11,717</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

**Centessa Predecessor Group**  
**Combined Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	<u>Year ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 4,263	\$ 9,301
General and administrative	790	1,139
Loss from operations	5,053	(10,440)
Interest income (expense), net	5	(68)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(186)
Amortization of debt discount	(118)	(310)
Gain on extinguishment of debt	105	341
Net loss	<u>5,061</u>	<u>(10,663)</u>
Other comprehensive income (loss):		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	412	(240)
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (4,649)</u>	<u>\$ (10,903)</u>

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**Centessa Predecessor Group**  
**Combined Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Combined Deficit**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except share data)*

	Convertible Preferred Shares						Combined Deficit
	Series A		Series B		Seed		
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	
<b>Balance as of January 1, 2019</b>	3,670,620	\$ 8,161	1,111,923	\$ 10,840	1,100,000	\$ 1,352	\$ (7,450)
Sale of Series A preferred shares	666,662	5,168	—	—	—	—	—
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,061)
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	—	—	412
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	236
Net equity contributions	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
<b>Balance as of December 31, 2019</b>	<b>4,337,282</b>	<b>13,329</b>	<b>1,111,923</b>	<b>10,840</b>	<b>1,100,000</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>(11,857)</b>
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(10,663)
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	—	—	(240)
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	336
Net equity contributions	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
<b>Balance as of December 31, 2020</b>	<b>4,337,282</b>	<b>\$ 13,329</b>	<b>1,111,923</b>	<b>\$ 10,840</b>	<b>1,100,000</b>	<b>\$ 1,352</b>	<b>\$(22,423)</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

**Centessa Predecessor Group**  
**Combined Statements of Cash Flows**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	<u>Year ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net loss	\$ (5,061)	\$ (10,663)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to cash used in operating activities:		
Non-cash interest	47	88
Share-based compensation expense	236	336
Depreciation and amortization	6	—
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	186
Gain on extinguishment of debt	(105)	(341)
Amortization of debt discount	118	310
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Tax incentive receivable	(647)	(1,456)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(1,397)	306
Accounts payable	855	(49)
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	123	653
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(5,825)</u>	<u>(10,630)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>		
Net equity contributions	6	1
Proceeds from convertible term notes	3,831	1,284
Proceeds from term loans	—	77
Proceeds from the sale of Series A preferred shares	5,168	—
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>9,005</u>	<u>1,362</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	520	(75)
Net increase (decrease) in cash	3,700	(9,343)
Cash - beginning of year	12,870	16,570
Cash - end of year	<u>\$ 16,570</u>	<u>\$ 7,227</u>

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**1. Organization and Description of Business**

Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited (“Centessa” or “the Company”) is a pharmaceutical company conceived to develop and deliver life-altering and life-enhancing medicines to patients with an asset centric research and development logic applied at scale. Centessa was incorporated on October 26, 2020 as a limited liability company in England and Wales.

Entities affiliated with Medicxi manage multiple investment funds, including – Medicxi Ventures I LP, Medicxi Growth I LP, and Medicxi Secondary I LP. In addition, entities affiliated with Medicxi act as sub advisors to Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey) Limited which advises the managing general partner of Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), L.P. (all funds shall collectively be referred to as the “Funds”). The Funds are primarily comprised of strategic investments within the healthcare and life sciences industry.

In January 2021, the management and equity holders (including funds managed or advised by entities affiliated with Medicxi) of ApcinteX Limited, Capella Biosciences Limited, Inexia Limited, Janpix Limited, LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, Morphogen-IX Limited, Orexia Limited, Palladio Biosciences, Inc., Pearl River Bio GmbH, Pega One S.A.S., and Z Factor Limited (together, the “Centessa Subsidiaries”), contributed the Centessa Subsidiaries to Centessa, in a share for share exchange, after which these companies became wholly-owned subsidiaries of Centessa.

As the Company had no significant operations prior to the contribution of the Centessa Subsidiaries, and the registrant is required to present two years of historical financial statements, the Company’s management (“Management”) sought to identify a predecessor, for which it could include audited historical financial statements, to satisfy the filing requirement. As such, Management sought to identify the predecessor from the population of portfolio companies, which would represent a sizable portion of the historical results of the entities later contributed to Centessa.

Management determined the companies owned by Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), LP individually represent some of the earliest investments by the Funds. These companies (together, the “Centessa Predecessor Group” or the “Group”) are:

- Z Factor Limited (“Z Factor”)
- LockBody Therapeutics Ltd (“LockBody”)
- Morphogen-IX Limited (“Morphogen-IX”)

As the above entities that comprise the Centessa Predecessor Group were historically under the common control of Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), LP, the financial statements of the Group are being presented on a combined basis.

*Risks and Liquidity*

The Group is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Group is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Group does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

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The Group has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had a combined deficit of \$22.4 million as of December 31, 2020. In January 2021, Centessa acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Group in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Group became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Group's operations is expected to be funded from Centessa's cash resources.

Centessa anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of the product candidates currently in development by the Centessa Subsidiaries. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations (including those of the Centessa Subsidiaries) and to develop its product candidates.

The Group expects that its cash as of December 31, 2020, and Centessa's cash resources, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these combined financial statements were made available for issuance.

*Global Pandemic – COVID-19*

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. Centessa Predecessor Group is continuing to proactively monitor and assess the COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March, the Group has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Centessa Predecessor Group's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Group's highest priority. At the current time, Centessa Predecessor Group is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

*Basis of Presentation and Combination*

The accompanying combined financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") and Accounting Standards Updates ("ASUs") promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB").

The combined financial statements include the accounts of Z Factor, Morphogen-IX and LockBody. All intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in the combination.

In the opinion of management, the accompanying combined financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Group's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

*Foreign Currency Translation*

Centessa Predecessor Group's combined financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of Centessa Predecessor Group. The Group's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their historic rates. The

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resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of combined deficit. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Group's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Foreign exchange difference gains and losses are immaterial to these combined financial statements.

*Use of Estimates*

The preparation of the combined financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the combined financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting periods. Significant estimates and assumptions reflected in these combined financial statements include, but are not limited to, the accrual of research and development expenses, the valuation of liabilities associated with financial instruments and derivatives and share-based compensation. Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed in light of changes in circumstances, facts and experience. Actual results could differ from the Group's estimates.

*Segment Information*

Operating segments are defined as components of an enterprise with separate discrete information available for evaluation by the chief operating decision maker, or decision-making group, in deciding how to allocate resources and in assessing performance. The Group views its operations and manages its business as one segment.

*Cash and Cash Equivalents*

The Group considers all short-term, highly liquid investments with maturities of 90 days or less at acquisition date to be cash equivalents.

*Concentration of Manufacturing Risk*

The Group is dependent on third-party manufacturers to supply products for research and development activities in its programs. In particular, the Group relies and expects to continue to rely on a small number of manufacturers to supply it with its requirements for the active pharmaceutical ingredients and formulated drugs related to these programs. These programs could be adversely affected by a significant interruption in the supply of active pharmaceutical ingredients and formulated drugs. The Group has not experienced any material adverse impact as a result of the global pandemic – COVID-19.

*Fair Value of Financial Instruments*

The Group follows the guidance in FASB ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, which defines fair value and establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

- Level 1:** Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2:** Valuations based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3:** Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable.



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Management believes that the carrying amounts of tax incentive receivables, accounts payable, and accrued expenses approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

*Convertible Term Notes and Derivative Liability*

In connection with the issuance of the convertible term notes (Note 6), the Group had identified redemption features that required bifurcation into embedded derivatives, which were recorded as a derivative liability on the combined balance sheet and will be remeasured to fair value at each reporting date until the derivative is settled. Changes in the fair value of the derivative liability are recognized in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

Upon issuance of the convertible term notes, the Group bifurcated the redemption feature, and each note was recorded at cost, net of debt discount. The discount on each note was amortized as interest expense to the date such note was expected to convert using the effective interest rate method and was reflected in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss as amortization of debt discount.

The Group classified its derivative liability in the combined balance sheet as current or non-current based on its expectation of when the derivative will be settled, consistent with the assumptions used when determining the fair value of the derivative liability.

*Research and Development Tax Incentives*

The Group is subject to corporate taxation in the UK. As companies that carry out extensive research and development activities and qualify as a small or medium-sized enterprises ("SME"), the Group benefits from the UK Research and Development tax credit regime. Under the SME regime, the Group is able to surrender some of its trading losses that arise from qualifying research and development activities for a cash rebate of up to 33.35% of such qualifying research and development expenditure, reduced to 21.67% for subcontractor costs.

During the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Group recognized \$1.3 million and \$2.2 million respectively, which has been recorded as a reduction to research and development expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss related to research and development taxation benefits.

*Research and Development Costs*

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred. Research and development costs include salaries and bonuses, share-based compensation, employee benefits, consulting costs and external contract research and development and manufacturing expenses.

Upfront payments and milestone payments made for the licensing of technology are expensed as research and development in the period in which they are incurred. Advance payments for goods or services to be received in the future for use in research and development activities are recorded as prepaid expenses. The prepaid amounts are expensed as the related goods are delivered or the services are performed.

The Group accrues for estimated costs of research and development activities conducted by third-party service providers, which include the conduct of preclinical studies and clinical trials, and contract manufacturing activities. The Group records the estimated costs of research and development activities based upon the estimated amount of services provided and includes these costs in accrued expenses in the combined balance sheets. When evaluating the adequacy of the accrued liabilities, the Group analyzes progress of the research studies or clinical trials and manufacturing activities, including the phase or completion of events, invoices received and contracted

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costs. Significant judgments and estimates may be made in determining the accrued expenses at the end of any reporting period. Actual results could differ from the Group's estimates. The Group's historical accrual estimates have not been materially different from the actual costs.

*Share-Based Compensation*

The Group measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of each of the Centessa Predecessor Group entities' ordinary shares.

*Convertible Preferred Shares*

The convertible preferred shares are recorded outside of combined deficit because upon the occurrence of certain deemed liquidation events, the majority of the holders could vote to redeem the convertible preference shares at the liquidation preference and these events, are considered not solely within each of the Centessa Predecessor Group entities' control.

*Income Taxes*

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

The Group accounts for uncertain tax positions pursuant to GAAP, which prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statement recognition of uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. If the tax position meets this threshold, the benefit to be recognized is measured as the tax benefit having the highest likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the taxing authority. At December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Group had not recorded any unrecognized tax benefits.

*Comprehensive Loss*

Comprehensive loss includes net loss as well as other changes in combined deficit that result from transactions and economic events other than those with shareholders. For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Group's only element of other comprehensive loss was the change in foreign currency translation adjustments.

*JOBS Act Accounting Election*

The Group is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Group has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the

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extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these combined financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

*Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Group has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Group beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Group is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Group), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Group is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2020-06 on financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

**3. Balance Sheet and Combined Deficit Components**

*Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets*

Prepaid expenses and other current assets consist of the following (in USD thousands):

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Prepaid insurance	\$ 3	\$ 9
Prepaid research and development costs	1,153	992
VAT receivables	420	298
Other	4	6
Total prepaid expenses and other current assets	<u>\$1,580</u>	<u>\$1,305</u>

*Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities*

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of the following (in USD thousands):

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Research and development expenses	\$306	\$1,001
Professional fees	26	37
Other	7	9
Total accrued expenses and other current liabilities	<u>\$339</u>	<u>\$1,047</u>

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*Combined Deficit*

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Morphogen-IX deficit		
Ordinary shares	\$ 13	\$ 13
Additional paid-in capital	215	364
Accumulated other comprehensive income	589	629
Accumulated deficit	(5,590)	(9,225)
Total Morphogen-IX deficit	<u>\$ (4,773)</u>	<u>\$ (8,219)</u>
Z Factor deficit		
Ordinary shares	\$ 11	\$ 12
Additional paid-in capital	274	461
Accumulated other comprehensive income	181	139
Accumulated deficit	(4,587)	(8,568)
Total Z Factor deficit	<u>\$ (4,121)</u>	<u>\$ (7,956)</u>
LockBody deficit		
Ordinary shares	\$ —	\$ —
Additional paid-in capital	—	—
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	41	(196)
Accumulated deficit	(3,004)	(6,052)
Total LockBody deficit	<u>\$ (2,963)</u>	<u>\$ (6,248)</u>
Total combined deficit	<u><u>\$ (11,857)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ (22,423)</u></u>

**4. Commitments and Contingencies***Commitments*

As of December 31, 2020, the Group had non-cancellable commitments for purchase of clinical materials, contract manufacturing, maintenance, and committed funding of up to \$2.9 million, of which the Group expects to pay within one year. The amount and timing of these payments vary depending on the rate of progress of development. Future clinical trial expenses have not been included within the purchase commitments because they are contingent on enrollment in clinical trials and the activities required to be performed by the clinical sites.

*Z Factor License Agreement*

In 2015 and subsequently amended in 2017, Z Factor entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement to further develop and commercialize, small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-A1AT for the treatment of kidney and lung disease. The Group is solely responsible for, and is required to use commercially reasonable efforts to, research, develop, manufacture and commercialize the licensed technology, at its own costs. The Group is also responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug product for exploitation. The Group is obligated to make up to \$0.5 million (£0.4 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones. In addition, the Group is obligated to fund any patent related costs associated with the licensed technology. No expenses were incurred during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 in connection to the license agreement.

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*Morphogen-IX License Agreement*

In 2015, Morphogen-IX entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement to further develop and commercialize, the licensed technology for PAH. The Group is responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug product for exploitation. The Group is obligated to make up to \$1.0 million (£0.8 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones. The Group is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low to mid-single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Group sublicenses the approved technology. In addition, the Group is obligated to pay an annual licensing fee and obligated to fund any patent related costs associated with the licensed technology. The Group incurred \$12,769 and \$12,838 in expenses related to the Morphogen-IX License Agreement for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

*Contingencies*

From time to time, the Group may have certain contingent liabilities that arise in the ordinary course of its business activities. The Group accrues a liability for such matters when it is probable that future expenditures will be made, and such expenditures can be reasonably estimated.

*Litigation*

The Group is not a party to any litigation as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

**5. Convertible Preferred Shares**

*Series A, Series B and Seed Series convertible preferred shares*

During April and May 2019, Z Factor sold 666,662 shares of its Series A convertible preferred shares at a purchase price of \$7.75 per share (£6.00 per share at an exchange rate of 0.77) in exchange for gross proceeds of \$5.2 million (£4.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.77). Offering costs incurred were immaterial.

The Series A, Series B and Seed Series convertible preferred shares are subject to redemption under certain “deemed liquidation” events, as defined in each of the Centessa Predecessor Group entities’ articles of association. The Series A, Series B and Seed Series convertible preferred shares are classified outside of combined deficit as the deemed liquidation events are outside of the each of the Centessa Predecessor Group entities’ control.

*Dividends*

The holders of any of the convertible preferred shares are entitled to dividends if and when declared by each of the Centessa Predecessor Group entities’ board of directors. As of December 31, 2020, no dividends have been declared.

*Voting*

Each preferred share is entitled to a vote on an as-converted basis and certain significant Group events require majority approval from the preferred shareholders as a separate class.

*Conversion*

Each convertible preferred share is convertible, at the holder’s option, into such number of ordinary shares on a one-to-one basis and equal to the conversion price then in effect. The conversion price is subject to adjustments

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for splits, dividends, distributions and other similar recapitalization events. Upon consummation of a qualified initial public offering of any of the Group entities' securities, the convertible preferred shares will automatically convert into ordinary shares.

*Liquidation Preference*

Upon the liquidation, sale, or merger of each of the Group entities (collectively, the Liquidation), the preferred shares are entitled to receive an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any unpaid declared dividends.

If there are additional available assets from the Liquidation after the initial liquidation payments, the remaining available assets will be distributed to the ordinary shareholders.

**6. Convertible Term Notes**

On July 31, 2019, LockBody entered into a convertible term note agreement to issue up to £5,000,000 of convertible term notes to certain parties (collectively the "Note Holders"). LockBody received \$3.8 million (£3.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.78) on July 31, 2019 for the first tranche, and additional \$1.3 million (£1.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.78) on November 25, 2020 for the second tranche. The convertible term notes had a stated interest rate of 2% per annum, which was not payable until settlement of the principal, being the maturity date of August 2, 2021.

The principal and accrued interest due under the convertible term notes converts:

- into the class of LockBody's shares issued in LockBody's next qualified fund raising, at a conversion price after applying a 20% discount to the purchase price per share paid for the shares.
- on a change of control, at a conversion price after applying a 50% discount to the purchase price per share paid for the shares.

As a result of the fact that the convertible term notes were convertible into a variable number of preferred shares, the Group evaluated the conversion provision as a redemption feature. The redemption feature was evaluated as an embedded derivative and bifurcated from the convertible term notes due to the substantial premium paid upon redemption and accounted for as a derivative instrument. Upon bifurcating the redemption feature, the Group recorded aggregate debt discounts of \$0.7 million that is recognized in interest expense over the term of the convertible term notes.

For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Group recognized \$0.1 million and \$0.3 million related to the amortization of the debt discount.

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The Group recognized the following changes related to the convertible term notes during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in USD thousands):

Balance as of January 1, 2019	\$ —
Issuance of convertible term notes (first tranche)	3,831
Allocation of note issuance proceeds to derivative	(500)
Amortization of debt discount	118
Accrued interest	32
Foreign currency translation adjustments	134
Balance as of December 31, 2019	<u>3,615</u>
Issuance of convertible term notes (second tranche)	1,284
Allocation of note issuance proceeds to derivative	(167)
Amortization of debt discount	310
Accrued interest	80
Foreign currency translation adjustments	217
Balance as of December 31, 2020	<u>\$5,339</u>

**7. Share-based Compensation**

Z Factor and Morphogen-IX grant equity incentive shares, designated as B ordinary shares, to its employees, executives, and consultants and are purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount within one year from grant date. Generally, the awards vest 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter. Upon a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Z Factor and Morphogen-IX's ordinary shares, the B ordinary shares convert, on a 1:1 basis, into ordinary shares. Z Factor and Morphogen-IX account for B ordinary shares as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Group's combined statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Group recognized share-based compensation of \$0.2 million and \$0.3 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

The following table summarizes unvested B ordinary shares outstanding:

Outstanding at January 1, 2019	379,120
Granted	54,045
Vested	<u>(171,866)</u>
Outstanding at December 31, 2019	261,299
Granted	81,945
Vested	<u>(127,613)</u>
Outstanding at December 31, 2020	<u>215,631</u>

The weighted-average grant date fair value of B ordinary shares granted was \$2.66 and \$6.47 per share for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to B ordinary shares was \$0.7 million, which the Group expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 2-3 years.

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**8. Fair Value Measurement**

The following table presents information about the Group's assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis and indicates the level of the fair value hierarchy utilized to determine such fair values (in USD thousands):

	Fair Value Measurement at December 31, 2019 using			Total
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
<b>Liabilities:</b>				
Derivative liability	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 519	\$519

	Fair Value Measurement at December 31, 2020 using			Total
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
<b>Liabilities:</b>				
Derivative liability	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 913	\$913

The derivative liability was considered a Level 3 liability because its fair value measurement was based, in part, on significant inputs not observed in the market. The fair value of the derivative was estimated primarily on the probability of the Group's next fund raising occurring and the timing of such event.

The Group recognized the following changes in the fair value of the derivative liability during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 (in USD thousands):

Balance as of January 1, 2019	\$—
Allocation of note issuance proceeds to derivative	500
Foreign currency translation adjustment	19
Balance as of December 31, 2019	519
Allocation of note issuance proceeds to derivative	167
Change in fair value of derivative liability	186
Foreign currency translation adjustment	41
Balance as of December 31, 2020	\$913

**9. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows (in USD thousands):

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Deferred tax assets/(liabilities):</b>		
Deferred tax assets	1,133	2,355
Deferred tax liabilities	(97)	(16)
Less: valuation allowance	(1,036)	(2,339)
Net deferred tax asset	\$ —	\$ —



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In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Group's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019. The valuation allowance increased by \$0.4 million and \$1.3 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31,	
	2019	2020
Statutory tax rate benefit	19%	19%
Non-deductible expenses	(1)%	(1)%
Enhanced research and development expenses	19%	15%
Losses surrendered for tax incentive	(33)%	(28)%
Non-taxable research and development incentive	5%	4%
Change in tax rate	(1)%	1%
Change in valuation allowance	(8)%	(11)%
Effective income tax rate	— %	— %

The following table summarizes carryforwards of federal and local net operating losses (NOL) and research tax credits (in USD thousands):

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
UK	\$ 6,666	\$12,393

The Company will recognize interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as a component of income tax expense. As of December 31, 2020, the Group had no accrued interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions and no amounts have been recognized in the Group's statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Due to NOL and tax credit carry forwards that remain unutilized, income tax returns for tax years from 2019 and 2020 remain subject to examination by the taxing jurisdictions. The NOL carryforwards remain subject to review until utilized.

**10. Related Party Transactions**

*Term loans*

The Group entered into term loan agreements which had the following balances outstanding (in USD thousands):

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Ultrahuman Eleven	\$272	\$ —
Ultrahuman Ten	136	144
Ultrahuman Nine	136	144
Total term loans	<u>\$544</u>	<u>\$288</u>

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The term loans have a stated interest rate of 2% per annum above the Bank of England official rate and the outstanding balances are repayable on demand of the lenders. The Bank of England official rate was 0.75% and 0.10% at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

The outstanding balance of the term loan with Ultrahuman Eleven was forfeited by the lender in February 2020, from which a gain on extinguishment of debt of \$264,000 is recognized in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

In July 2020, the Group entered into a term loan agreement with Ultrahuman Seven that was forfeited by the lender in September 2020, resulting in a gain on extinguishment of debt of \$77,000 recognized in the combined statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

Ultrahuman group of companies which includes Ultrahuman Limited, Ultrahuman Seven, Ultrahuman Nine, Ultrahuman Ten and Ultrahuman Eleven have common ownership with the Group.

*Support service agreement with Ultrahuman services*

In April 2017, the Group entered into a Support Service Agreement with Ultrahuman Limited. Ultrahuman Limited provides scientific and operational consultancy services and other support services.

Costs incurred associated with this contract were \$153,000 and \$679,000 for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively, which has been recorded within research and development expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

*Master services agreements with The Cambridge Partnership Limited*

In May and June 2018, the Group entered into Master Services agreements with The Cambridge Partnership Limited for accounting and administrative services. Costs incurred associated with these contracts were \$94,000 and \$117,000 for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively, which has been recorded within general and administrative expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

David Grainger is a director and shareholder of The Cambridge Partnership and was a director of Z Factor and Morphogen-IX until he resigned on January 29, 2021.

*Master services agreements with The Foundry (Cambridge) Limited*

In May and June 2018, the Group entered into Master Services agreements with The Foundry (Cambridge) Limited. Costs incurred associated with these contracts were \$51,000 and \$46,000 for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively, which has been recorded within research and development expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

David Grainger is a director and shareholder of The Foundry (Cambridge) Limited and was a director of Z Factor and Morphogen-IX until he resigned on January 29, 2021.

*Master Services agreements with RxCelebrate Limited*

In March and December 2015, the Group entered into Master Services agreements with RxCelebrate Limited to provide drug discovery services. Costs incurred associated with this contract were \$2.2 million and \$2.7 million for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively, which has been recorded within research and development expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

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David Grainger is a director and shareholder of RxCelerate Limited and was a director of Z Factor and Morphogen-IX until he resigned on January 29, 2021.

*Master Services agreements with RxBiologics Limited*

In February 2020, LockBody entered into Master Services agreements with RxBiologics Limited to provide biologics drug discovery services. Costs incurred associated with this contract were \$0.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2020, which has been recorded within research and development expenses in the combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

William Finlay is a director and shareholder of RxBiologics Limited and was a director of LockBody until he resigned on January 29, 2021.

**11. Subsequent Events**

In January 2021, the outstanding principal and accrued interest for the LockBody convertible term notes (Note 6) were forfeited by the Note Holders.

The Group has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the issuance date of these combined financial statements and has not identified any requiring disclosure except as noted above.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Palladio Biosciences, Inc.  
Horsham, Pennsylvania

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Palladio Biosciences, Inc., which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**  
**Balance Sheets**

(in thousands, except share data)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,993	\$ 15,436
Subscription receivable	—	2,975
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	245	226
Total current assets	7,238	18,637
Other assets		
Total assets	\$ 7,238	\$ 18,840
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 1,232	\$ 192
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	440	1,694
Total current liabilities	1,672	1,886
Convertible debt, net of discount	13,701	—
Derivative liability	3,261	—
Total liabilities	18,634	1,886
Commitments and Contingencies (note 7)		
Convertible preferred shares, \$0.00001 par value:		
Series A convertible preferred shares: 5,009,185 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$7,514 at December 31, 2020)	4,982	4,982
Series B convertible preferred shares: 18,684,738 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2020. No shares authorized issued or outstanding at December 31, 2019 (liquidation value of \$61,660 at December 31, 2020)	—	40,962
Total convertible preferred shares	4,982	45,944
Shareholders' deficit:		
Common shares, \$0.00001 par value: 34,000,000 shares authorized; 4,180,340 shares issued and outstanding	—	—
Additional paid - in capital	1,121	1,416
Accumulated deficit	(17,499)	(30,406)
Total shareholders' deficit	(16,378)	(28,990)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	\$ 7,238	\$ 18,840

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**  
**Statements of Operations**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 5,557	\$ 5,449
General and administrative	1,353	3,223
Loss from operations	(6,910)	(8,672)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	(967)
Amortization of debt discount	(1,072)	(2,386)
Interest expense, net	(408)	(882)
Net loss	<u>\$ (8,390)</u>	<u>\$ (12,907)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares				Shareholders' deficit				
	Series A		Series B		Common		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount			
<b>Balance at April 1, 2019</b>	5,009,185	\$4,982	—	—	4,180,340	\$ —	\$ 1,021	\$ (9,109)	\$ (8,088)
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	100	—	100
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(8,390)	(8,390)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2019</b>	5,009,185	4,982	—	—	4,180,340	—	1,121	(17,499)	(16,378)
Sale of Series B convertible preferred shares, net of issuance costs of \$144	—	—	8,409,088	18,356	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of Series B convertible preferred shares upon settlement of promissory notes and derivative liability	—	—	10,275,650	22,606	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	295	—	295
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(12,907)	(12,907)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2020</b>	5,009,185	\$4,982	18,684,738	\$40,962	4,180,340	\$ —	\$ 1,416	\$ (30,406)	\$ (28,990)

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net loss	\$ (8,390)	\$ (12,907)
<b>Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:</b>		
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	967
Amortization of debt discount	1,072	2,386
Noncash interest expense	433	901
Share-based compensation	100	295
<b>Changes in operating assets and liabilities:</b>		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(158)	19
Accounts payable	1,232	(1,040)
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	229	1,051
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(5,482)</u>	<u>(8,328)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>		
Proceeds from issuance of convertible debt, net of issuance costs	11,959	1,390
Proceeds from the sale of Series B convertible preferred shares, net of offering costs	—	15,381
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>11,959</u>	<u>16,771</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	6,477	8,443
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	516	6,993
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	<u>\$ 6,993</u>	<u>\$ 15,436</u>
<b>Supplemental disclosure of non-cash investing and financing activities:</b>		
Issuance of Series B convertible preferred shares subscription receivable	\$ —	\$ 2,975
Deferred financing costs in accrued expenses and other current liabilities	\$ —	\$ 203
Issuance of Series B convertible preferred shares upon settlement of promissory notes and derivative liability	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 22,606</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*



**Palladio Biosciences, Inc.**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

Palladio Biosciences, Inc. (the Company), a Delaware corporation incorporated in August 2015, is a clinical stage pharmaceutical company developing medicines for orphan diseases of the kidney. The Company's lead product candidate, lixivaptan, is a potential treatment for autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD), an orphan kidney disease for which there are limited treatments. The Company is preparing for its phase three clinical trial.

In 2019, the Company approved a change in its fiscal year end from March 31 to December 31. The accompanying statement of operations, cash flows and convertible preferred stock and shareholders' deficit are comprised of the nine months ended December 31, 2019 to reflect the change in the Company's fiscal year end.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$30.4 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company's operations is expected to be funded from Centessa's cash resources.

The Company's operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company's product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and the proceeds received by Centessa from its Series A financing, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March 2020 the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020.

***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. Significant areas that required management's estimates included the fair value of the Company's redemption feature derivative liability, share based compensation and its common stock.

***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, subscription receivable, prepaid expenses, accrued expenses, and accounts payable, approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments. The redemption feature derivative liability and common stock were recorded at its estimated fair value.

***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

***Cash and cash equivalents***

The Company considers all highly liquid investments that have maturities of three months or less when acquired to be cash equivalents.

***Deferred Financing Costs***

The Company capitalizes costs that are directly associated with in-process equity financings until such financings are consummated, at which time such costs are recorded against the gross proceeds from the applicable financing. If a financing is abandoned, deferred financing costs are expensed. Financing costs are expensed immediately if the financial instrument is recorded at its estimated fair value and subject to remeasurement. As of December 31, 2020, there were \$0.2 million of deferred financing costs within the Company's balance sheet.

***Share-based compensation***

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards.

Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's common stock, and, for stock options, the expected life of the options and stock price volatility. The Company accounts for forfeitures of stock option awards as they occur. The Company uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to value its stock option awards. The assumptions used in estimating the fair value of share-based awards represent management's estimate and involve inherent uncertainties and the application of management's judgment. As a result, if factors change and management uses different assumptions, share-based compensation expense could be materially different for future awards.

The expected life of the stock options is estimated using the "simplified method," as the Company has limited historical information from which to develop reasonable expectations about future exercise patterns and post-vesting employment termination behavior for its stock option grants. The simplified method is the midpoint between the vesting period and the contractual term of the option. For stock price volatility, the Company uses comparable public companies as a basis for its expected volatility to calculate the fair value of option grants. The risk-free rate is based on the U.S. Treasury yield curve commensurate with the expected life of the option.

***Research and Development***

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and

their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

#### *JOBS Act Accounting Election*

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

#### *Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

**4. Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

Fair value is the price that could be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. Fair value determination in accordance with applicable accounting guidance requires that a number of significant judgments be made. Additionally, fair value is used on a nonrecurring basis to evaluate assets for impairment or as required for disclosure purposes by applicable accounting guidance on disclosures about fair value of financial instruments. Depending on the nature of the assets and liabilities, various valuation techniques and assumptions are used when estimating fair value. The carrying amounts of certain of the Company's financial instruments, including prepaid expense and accounts payable are shown at cost, which approximates fair value due to the short-term nature of these instruments. The Company follows the provisions of FASB ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement*, for financial assets and liabilities measured on a recurring basis. The guidance requires fair value measurements be classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

*Level 1:* Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.

*Level 2:* Quoted prices in markets that are not active, or inputs which are observable, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the asset or liabilities.

*Level 3:* Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (i.e., supported by little or no market activity).

The following fair value hierarchy table presents information about the Company's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

(in thousands)	Fair value measurement at reporting date using		
	Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)
<b>December 31, 2019:</b>			
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Derivative Liability	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 3,261

The Company evaluated a redemption feature within the convertible promissory notes issued from 2018 through 2020 and determined bifurcation of the redemption feature was required. The redemption feature is classified as a liability on the accompanying balance sheet at December 31, 2019. The liability is marked-to-market each reporting period with the changes in fair value recorded in the accompanying statements of operations until it was settled in September 2020. The fair value of the derivative was determined based on an income approach that identified the cash flows using a "with-and-without" valuation methodology. The inputs used to determine the estimated fair value of the derivative instrument were based primarily on the probability of an underlying event triggering the embedded derivative occurring and the timing of such event, until the convertible promissory notes were converted into shares of Series B convertible preferred stock in September 2020 and the redemption feature was settled.

The reconciliation of the redemption feature of convertible promissory notes and preferred stock warrant liability measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) is as follows (amounts in thousands):

<b>(in thousands)</b>	
Balance at April 1, 2019	\$ 652
Additions	2,609
Change in fair value	—
Balance at December 31, 2019	3,261
Additions	395
Change in fair value	967
Settlement upon issuance of Series B convertible preferred shares	(4,623)
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ —

**5. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities**

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<b>(in thousands)</b>	<b>December 31, 2019</b>	<b>December 31, 2020</b>
Professional fees	\$ 23	\$ 300
Compensation and related benefits	309	880
Research and development	108	514
	\$ 440	\$ 1,694

**6. Convertible Debt**

From August 2018 through July 2020, the Company issued convertible promissory notes and received aggregate proceeds of \$16.5 million. The notes accrued simple interest of 8% per annum and, if not converted, would have matured on various dates ranging from December 2020 to December 2021. Upon the completion of a qualified financing event, the outstanding principal and interest automatically converted into the shares issued in connection with the financing event and at 75%-80% of the subscription price. In the event of a change in control prior to conversion or maturity, the notes were entitled to receive three times their initial investment. The Company completed a qualified financing in September 2020 and issued 10,275,650 shares of Series B convertible preferred stock in exchange for the outstanding principal and interest of \$16.5 million and \$1.5 million, respectively.

As a result of the fact that the promissory notes were convertible into a variable number of shares of preferred stock, the Company evaluated the conversion provision as a feature. The redemption feature was evaluated as an embedded derivative and bifurcated from the convertible promissory notes due to the substantial premium paid upon redemption and accounted for as a derivative instrument. Upon bifurcating the redemption feature, the Company recorded aggregate debt discounts of \$3.8 million that was recognized in interest expense over the term of the convertible promissory notes.

For the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company incurred debt issuance costs of \$41,000 and \$0.1 million, respectively and were recorded as debt discounts. The debt discounts were being amortized into interest expense over the term of the convertible promissory notes using the effective interest method. For the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company recognized interest expense of \$0.4 million and \$0.9 million and \$1.1 million and \$2.4 million of amortization expense of the debt discount, respectively.

Changes in convertible debt were as follows:

<i>(in thousands)</i>	
Balance at April 1, 2019	\$ 2,846
Borrowings, net of debt discount	9,350
Accrued interest	433
Amortization of debt discount	1,072
Balance at December 31, 2019	13,701
Borrowings, net of debt discount	995
Accrued interest	901
Amortization of debt discount	2,386
Settlement upon issuance of Series B preferred stock	(17,983)
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ —

## 7. Commitments and Contingencies

### *Amended and Restated Lixivaptan License Agreement*

Prior to April 1, 2019, the Company entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement to further develop and commercialize Lixivaptan, a nonpeptide selective vasopressin V2 receptor antagonist for the treatment of ADPKD. In relation to the purchase of the license, the Company is obligated to make certain contingent consideration payments to the seller in the event a Licensed Product is commercialized. Such payments are structured as a tiered percentage of net sales and capped at \$32.5 million. The Company is obligated to make up to \$16.3 million in commercial milestone payments. In addition, the Company is obligated to make future royalty payments (the first \$19.0 million of which would be due to Pfizer) at low to mid single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. The Company incurred no expense during the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020 in connection to the license agreement.

### *Operating Leases*

The Company leases office space in Horsham, Pennsylvania under a noncancelable lease, as amended. The lease is classified as an operating lease and the Company recognizes rent expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term and expires in October 2022. The future minimum lease payments under the Company's lease arrangement as of December 31, 2020 are \$68,000 and \$57,000 in 2021 and 2022, respectively. The Company recognized rent expense of \$26,000 and \$52,000 during the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively, related to its operating leases.

### *Employment Agreements*

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

### *Employment benefit plan*

The Company maintains a defined contribution 401(k) plan in which employees may contribute up to 100% of their salary and bonus, subject to statutory maximum contribution amounts. The Company contributes a safe harbor minimum contribution equivalent to 3% of employees' compensation. The Company generally assumes all administrative costs of the plan. For the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, the expense relating to the contributions made was \$1,000 and \$37,000, respectively.

### *Litigation*

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

## **8. Convertible Preferred Shares and Common Shares**

### ***Common shares***

Each share of common stock entitles the holder to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders. Subject to the rights of holders of convertible preferred shares, common shareholders are entitled to receive dividends, as may be declared by the board of directors, if any. No dividends had been declared through December 31, 2020.

### ***Convertible preferred shares***

The Company has Series A and Series B convertible preferred shares, which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company issued an aggregate of 18,684,738 shares of Series B preferred at a purchase price of \$2.20 per share, including the issuance of 10,275,650 shares of Series B preferred upon the conversion of outstanding convertible promissory notes. The Company received \$18.4 million in net proceeds from the sale of Series B preferred shares of which \$3.0 million was received in January 2021.

### ***Dividends***

The holders of Series A and Series B preferred shares, in preference to holders of any other class or series of the Company's shares, are entitled to a non-cumulative 8% dividend, if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. In the event a dividend is declared to common shareholders, holders of Series A and Series B preferred shares will also receive an equivalent dividend on an "as-converted" basis. No dividends were declared or paid during the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020.

### ***Voting***

The holders of Series A and Series B preferred shares are entitled to one vote for each share of common stock into which their shares of preferred shares may be converted and, subject to certain preferred share class votes specified in the Company's certificate of incorporation or as required by law, the holders of the preferred shares and common share vote together on an as-converted basis.

### ***Liquidation preference***

In the event of a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, either voluntary or involuntary, or in the event of a deemed liquidation event, which includes a sale of the Company as defined in the Company's articles of incorporation, holders of Series B preferred shares are entitled to receive, in preference to all other shareholders, an amount equal to the greater of (i) one and one half times the applicable original issuance price plus any declared and unpaid dividends and (ii) such amount that would have been payable had the preferred shares been converted into common shares immediately prior to the liquidation event. If upon the occurrence of such event, the assets and funds available for distribution are insufficient to pay such holders the full amount to which they are entitled, then the entire assets and funds legally available for distribution shall be distributed ratably among the holders of the Series B preferred shares in proportion to the full amounts to which they would otherwise be entitled.

After payment in full of the liquidation preference of the Series B preferred shares, holders of Series A preferred shares are entitled to receive, in preference to all holders of common shares, an amount equal to the greater of (i) one and one half times the applicable original issuance price plus any declared and unpaid dividends and (ii) such amount that would have been payable had the preferred shares been converted into common shares immediately prior to the liquidation event. If upon the occurrence of such event, the assets and funds available for distribution are insufficient to pay such holders the full amount to which they are entitled, then the entire remaining assets and funds legally available for distribution shall be distributed ratably among the holders of the Series A preferred shares in proportion to the full amounts to which they would otherwise be entitled.



After payment of the liquidation preference on shares of Series A and Series B preferred shares has been made, any remaining assets shall be distributed ratably to the holders of common shares.

**Conversion**

Each share of Series A and Series B preferred shares is convertible into common shares at any time at the option of the holder thereof at the conversion price then in effect. All shares of Series A and Series B preferred shares are convertible into common shares at the affirmative election of the holders of at least a majority of the outstanding shares of preferred stock at the conversion price then in effect. The conversion price for the Series A preferred stock and Series B preferred stock are \$1.00 and \$2.20 per share, respectively (each subject to adjustments upon the occurrence of certain dilutive events).

The Company may at any time require the conversion of all outstanding preferred stock upon an initial public offering of its common stock with a public offering price of at least \$6.60 per share and aggregate gross proceeds of at least \$50.0 million. Upon any automatic conversion, any declared and unpaid dividends shall be payable to the holders of preferred stock.

**9. Share-Based Compensation**

**Equity Incentive Plan**

The Company has the 2016 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the 2016 Plan), whereby the total number of shares authorized under the 2016 Plan as of December 31, 2020 was 4,918,989 of which no shares were available for future grants as of December 31, 2020. The Plan provides for the granting of common stock, incentive stock options, nonqualified stock options, restricted stock awards, and/or stock appreciation rights to employees, directors, and other persons, as determined by the Company's board of directors. The Company's stock options vest based on the terms in each award agreement, generally over four-year periods, and have a contractual term of ten years.

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. The Company recorded share-based compensation expense in the following expense categories in its accompanying statements of operations:

(in thousands)	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Research and development	\$ 37	\$ 59
General and administrative	63	236
	<u>\$ 100</u>	<u>\$ 295</u>

The following table summarizes stock option activity for the year ended December 31, 2020:

	Number of shares	Weighted average exercise price per share	Weighted average remaining contractual term (years)
Outstanding at April 1, 2019	1,032,529	\$ 0.34	
Granted	103,255	\$ 0.46	
Outstanding at December 31, 2019	1,135,784	\$ 0.36	
Granted	3,783,205	\$ 0.51	
Outstanding at December 31, 2020	4,918,989	\$ 0.47	9.2
Exercisable at December 31, 2020	1,415,183	\$ 0.39	8.0
Vested or expected to vest at December 31, 2020	<u>4,918,989</u>	<u>\$ 0.47</u>	<u>9.2</u>

The weighted-average grant date fair value of options granted was \$0.32 and \$0.34 per share for the nine months ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to unvested stock option awards was \$1.2 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 3.3 years.

The fair value of each option was estimated on the date of grant using the weighted average assumptions in the table below:

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Expected volatility	77.6%	77.1%
Risk-free interest rate	1.90%	0.40%
Expected term	6.25	6.25
Expected dividend yield	—	—

**Founder Shares**

In July 2016, the Company granted 3,261,388 shares of restricted stock to a founder. Pursuant to the restricted stock agreement, 75% of the shares vested immediately and the remaining 25% vested on the third anniversary from the grant date. Upon termination of services by the founder prior to the third anniversary, the shares were subject to repurchase, at the Company's option for a nominal amount. During the nine months ended December 31, 2019, the Company recognized stock-based compensation expense of \$48,000 and the shares were no longer subject to repurchase.

**10. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Deferred compensation	\$ 34	\$ 119
Amortization	226	77
Amortization of capitalized research and development	1,487	2,979
Other	3	134
Accrued compensation	73	251
Net operating losses and research and development credits	3,200	4,515
Gross deferred tax assets	5,023	8,075
Less: valuation allowance	(5,023)	(8,075)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

The valuation allowance recorded by the Company as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 resulted from the uncertainties of the future utilization of deferred tax assets relating from net operating losses, or NOLs, carry forwards for federal and state income tax purposes. Realization of the NOL carry forwards is contingent on future taxable earnings. The deferred tax asset was reviewed for expected utilization using a "more likely than not" approach by assessing the available positive and negative evidence surrounding its recoverability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance continues to be recorded against the Company's deferred tax asset, as it was determined based upon past and projected future losses that it was "more likely than not" that the

Company's deferred tax assets would not be realized. In future years, if the deferred tax assets are determined by management to be "more likely than not" to be realized, the recognized tax benefits relating to the reversal of the valuation allowance will be recorded. The Company will continue to assess and evaluate strategies that will enable the deferred tax asset, or portion thereof, to be utilized, and will reduce the valuation allowance appropriately as such time when it is determined that the "more likely than not" criteria is satisfied.

A reconciliation of the federal income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Federal tax benefit at statutory rate	(21.0)%	(21.0)%
Permanent differences	5.6	9.4
Research and development, including prior year true-up	(8.7)	(7.6)
State taxes, net of federal benefit	(5.8)	(4.4)
Change in valuation allowance	29.9	23.6
Effective tax rate	—%	—%

The federal net operating loss carryforwards and research and development credit carryforward begin to expire in 2036. State net operating loss carryforwards begin to expire in 2036. Due to the change in ownership provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, the availability of the Company's net operating loss carry forwards could be subject to annual limitations against taxable income in future periods, which could substantially limit the eventual utilization of such carry forwards. The Company has not analyzed the historical or potential impact of its equity financings on beneficial ownership and therefore no determination has been made whether the net operating loss carry forward is subject to any Internal Revenue Code Section 382 limitation. To the extent there is a limitation, there could be a reduction in the deferred tax asset with an offsetting reduction in the valuation allowance.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as an interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

On March 27, 2020, President Trump signed into law the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act"). The CARES Act, among other things, includes provisions relating to refundable payroll tax credits, deferment of employer side social security payments, net operating loss carryback periods, alternative minimum tax credit refunds, modifications to the net interest deduction limitations, increased limitations on qualified charitable contributions, and technical corrections to tax depreciation methods for qualified improvement property. We continue to examine the impact of the CARES Act. Currently, we are unable to determine the impact, if any, that the CARES Act will have on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

#### 11. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determine that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
ApcinteX Limited  
London, United Kingdom

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of ApcinteX Limited, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of ApcinteX Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**ApcinteX Limited**  
**Balance Sheets**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except shares data)*

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,752	\$ 15,124
Tax incentive receivable	2,017	1,004
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	131	109
Total current assets	5,900	16,237
Non-current tax incentive receivable	486	355
Total assets	<u>\$ 6,386</u>	<u>\$ 16,592</u>
<b>Liabilities, Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 225	\$ 560
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	187	50
Total liabilities and current liabilities	412	610
Commitments and contingencies (Note 4)		
Convertible preferred shares (£0.0001 nominal value):		
Series A preferred shares: 2,357,265 shares issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$20,161 at December 31, 2020)	19,102	19,102
Series B preferred shares: no shares and 508,147 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively (liquidation value of \$12,396 at December 31, 2020)	—	11,697
Total convertible preferred shares	19,102	30,799
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares: £0.0001 nominal value: 624,187 shares issued and outstanding	—	—
Ordinary B shares: £0.0001 nominal value: 526,138 and 795,975 shares issued and 265,424 and 392,572 outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	1,587	2,038
Accumulated other comprehensive income	288	1,020
Accumulated deficit	(15,003)	(17,875)
Total shareholders' deficit	(13,128)	(14,817)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	<u>\$ 6,386</u>	<u>\$ 16,592</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**Apcintex Limited**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	<b>Year ended December 31,</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 4,848	\$ 2,582
General and administrative	226	297
Loss from operations	(5,074)	(2,879)
Interest income, net	18	7
Loss before income taxes	(5,056)	(2,872)
Income taxes	—	—
Net loss	(5,056)	(2,872)
Other comprehensive income:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	60	732
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (4,996)</u>	<u>\$ (2,140)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**ApcinteX Limited**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands, except shares data)*

	Convertible Preferred Shares				Shareholders' Deficit							
	Series A		Series B		Ordinary		Ordinary B		Additional Paid-in Capital	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income	Accumulated Deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
<b>Balance as of January 1, 2019</b>	1,677,047	\$13,527	—	\$ —	624,187	\$ —	526,138	\$ —	\$ 1,239	\$ 228	\$ (9,947)	\$ (8,480)
Issuance of Series A preferred shares	680,218	5,575	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	348	—	—	348
Vesting of Ordinary B shares issued pursuant to early exercises	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,056)	(5,056)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	—	60
<b>Balance as of December 31, 2019</b>	<u>2,357,265</u>	<u>19,102</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>624,187</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>526,138</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>1,587</u>	<u>288</u>	<u>(15,003)</u>	<u>(13,128)</u>
Issuance of Series B preferred shares,	—	—	508,147	11,697	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repurchase and retirement of Ordinary B shares	—	—	—	—	—	—	(17,538)	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	451	—	—	451
Issuance of Ordinary B shares upon early exercise of share options	—	—	—	—	—	—	287,375	—	—	—	—	—
Vesting of Ordinary B shares issued pursuant to early exercises	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,872)	(2,872)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	732	—	732
<b>Balance as of December 31, 2020</b>	<u>2,357,265</u>	<u>\$19,102</u>	<u>508,147</u>	<u>\$11,697</u>	<u>624,187</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>795,975</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 2,038</u>	<u>\$ 1,020</u>	<u>\$ (17,875)</u>	<u>\$ (14,817)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**ApcinteX Limited**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**  
*(All amounts presented in USD thousands)*

	<u>Year ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net loss	\$ (5,056)	\$ (2,872)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to cash used in operating activities:		
Share-based compensation expense	348	451
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Tax incentive receivable	(434)	1,150
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	14	25
Accounts payable	(463)	306
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	(414)	(134)
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(6,005)</u>	<u>(1,074)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>		
Proceeds from the sale of Series A preferred shares	5,575	—
Proceeds from the sale of Series B preferred shares	—	11,697
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>5,575</u>	<u>11,697</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(20)	749
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(450)	11,372
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	4,202	3,752
Cash and cash equivalents - end of year	<u>\$ 3,752</u>	<u>\$ 15,124</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



**ApcinteX Limited**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Organization and Description of Business**

ApcinteX Limited (“ApcinteX” or “the Company”) is a biotechnology company focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of novel treatments for haemophilia and other blood clotting disorders. The Company is registered in England and Wales.

Since the Company’s inception, it has focused substantially all of its efforts and financial resources on organizing and staffing the Company, acquiring and developing its technology, raising capital, building its intellectual property portfolio, undertaking preclinical studies and clinical trials and providing general and administrative support for these activities. The Company has not generated any product revenue related to its primary business purpose to date and is subject to a number of risks similar to those of other early stage companies, including dependence on key individuals, regulatory approval of products, uncertainty of market acceptance of products, competition from substitute products and larger companies, compliance with government regulations, protection of proprietary technology, dependence on third parties, product liability and the need to obtain adequate additional financing to fund the development of its product candidates.

*Risks and Liquidity*

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$17.9 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company’s operations is expected to be funded from Centessa’s cash resources.

The Company’s operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity, and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company’s product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and Centessa's cash resources, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

*Global Pandemic – COVID-19*

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March 2020, the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

*Basis of Presentation*

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") and Accounting Standards Updates ("ASUs") promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB").

*Foreign currency translation*

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' equity and as other comprehensive income (loss) on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

*Use of Estimates*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting periods. Significant estimates and assumptions reflected in these financial statements include, but are not limited to, the accrual of research and development expenses, share-based compensation, ordinary shares, and income taxes. Estimates are periodically reviewed in light of changes in circumstances, facts, and experience. Actual results could differ from the Company's estimates.

*Cash and Cash Equivalents*

The Company considers all short-term, highly liquid investments with maturities of 90 days or less at acquisition date to be cash equivalents.

*Concentration of Manufacturing Risk*

The Company is dependent on third-party manufacturers to supply products for research and development activities in its programs. In particular, the Company relies and expects to continue to rely on a small number of manufacturers to supply it with its requirements for the active pharmaceutical ingredients and formulated drugs related to these programs. These programs could be adversely affected by a significant interruption in the supply of active pharmaceutical ingredients and formulated drugs.

*Fair Value of Financial Instruments*

The Company follows the guidance in FASB ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures, which defines fair value and establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

- Level 1:** Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2:** Valuations based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3:** Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable.

Management believes that the carrying amounts of cash equivalents, tax incentive receivables, accounts payable, and accrued expenses approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments. Share-based compensation and ordinary shares are recorded at their estimated fair value.

*Research and Development Tax Incentives*

The Company is subject to corporate taxation in the United Kingdom ("UK"). As a company that carries out extensive research and development activities and qualifies as a small or medium-sized enterprise ("SME"), the Company benefits from the UK research and development tax credit regime. Under the SME regime, the Company is able to surrender some of its trading losses that arise from qualifying research and development activities for a cash rebate of up to 33.35% of such qualifying research and development expenditure, reduced to 21.67% for subcontractor costs.

During the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company recognized \$1.4 million and \$0.8 million in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss, as reductions in research & development expenses.

*Research and Development Costs*

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred. Research and development costs include salaries and bonuses, share-based compensation, employee benefits, consulting costs, and external contract research and development and manufacturing expenses.

Upfront payments and milestone payments made for the licensing of technology are expensed as research and development in the period in which they are incurred. Advance payments for goods or services to be received in the future for use in research and development activities are recorded as prepaid expenses. The prepaid amounts are expensed as the related goods are delivered or the services are performed.

The Company accrues for estimated costs of research and development activities conducted by third-party service providers, which include the conduct of preclinical studies and clinical trials, and contract manufacturing activities. The Company records the estimated costs of research and development activities based upon the estimated amount of services provided and includes these costs in accrued expenses in the balance sheets and within research and development expense in the statements of operations. When evaluating the adequacy of the accrued liabilities, the Company analyzes progress of the research studies or clinical trials and manufacturing activities, including the phase or completion of events, invoices received, and contracted costs. Significant judgments and estimates may be made in determining the accrued expenses at the end of any reporting period. Actual results could differ from the Company's estimates. The Company's historical accrual estimates have not been materially different from the actual costs.

*Share-based compensation*

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares. Options with nominal exercise prices are accounted for as restricted share-based payments.

*Convertible preferred shares*

The convertible preferred shares are recorded outside of permanent equity because upon the occurrence of certain deemed liquidation events, the majority of the holders could vote to redeem the shares at the liquidation preference and these events were considered not solely within the Company's control.

*Income Taxes*

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, Income Taxes (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all, or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

The Company accounts for uncertain tax positions pursuant to U.S. GAAP, specifically ASC 740, which prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statement recognition of uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. If the tax position meets this threshold, the benefit to be recognized is measured as the tax benefit having the highest likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the taxing authority. For the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company has not recorded any unrecognized tax benefits.

*Comprehensive Loss*

Comprehensive loss includes net loss as well as other changes in shareholders' deficit that result from transactions and economic events other than those with shareholders. For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company's only element of other comprehensive income was the change in foreign currency translation adjustments.

*JOBS Act Accounting Election*

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

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In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

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**3. Balance Sheet Components**

*Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets*

Prepaid expenses and other current assets consist of the following (in USD thousands):

	<u>December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Prepaid insurance	\$ 23	\$ 9
Prepaid research and development costs	3	2
VAT receivables	105	90
Other	—	8
<b>Total prepaid expenses and other current assets</b>	<b><u>\$131</u></b>	<b><u>\$109</u></b>

*Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities*

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of the following (in USD thousands):

	<u>December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Accrued research and development expenses	\$182	\$—
Professional fees	5	50
<b>Total accrued expenses and other current liabilities</b>	<b><u>\$187</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 50</u></b>

**4. Commitments and Contingencies**

*Commitments*

As of December 31, 2020, the Company had non-cancellable commitments for purchase of clinical materials, contract manufacturing, maintenance, and committed funding of up to \$5.7 million, of which the Company expects to pay \$3.0 million within one year and \$2.7 million in one to three years. The amount and timing of

these payments vary depending on the rate of progress of development. Future clinical trial expenses have not been included within the purchase commitments because they are contingent on enrollment in clinical trials and the activities required to be performed by the clinical sites. The Company's subcontracted costs for clinical trials and contract manufacturing were \$4.9 million and \$2.3 million for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

#### *SerpinPC License Agreement*

In 2016, ApcinteX entered into an exclusive, sublicensable, worldwide license agreement with Cambridge Enterprise Limited ("CE"), to further develop and commercialize the patented technology held by CE for modified serpins for the treatment of bleeding disorders through the use of rational and random mutagenesis associated with the patented technology. ApcinteX is solely responsible for, and is required to use commercially reasonable efforts to, research, develop, manufacture and commercialize the patented technology, at its own costs. ApcinteX is obligated to make up to \$1.0 million (£0.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) in development and regulatory milestone payments and low single digit royalty rates for net product sales. In addition, ApcinteX paid \$14,000 for each of the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

#### *Contingencies*

From time to time, the Company may have certain contingent liabilities that arise in the ordinary course of its business activities. The Company accrues a liability for such matters when it is probable that future expenditures will be made, and such expenditures can be reasonably estimated.

#### *Litigation*

The Company is not a party to any litigation as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

### **5. Convertible Preferred Shares**

#### *Convertible Preferred Shares*

In December 2016, the Company sold 996,829 shares of its Series A convertible preferred shares at a purchase price of \$7.88 per share (£6.25 per share at an exchange rate of 0.79) in exchange for gross proceeds of \$7.9 million (£6.2 million at an exchange rate of 0.79). Upon completion of certain conditions, the Series A investors could purchase additional shares of Series A at £6.25 per share. Such conditions were met in 2018 and 2019 and the Company sold 680,218 shares for \$5.6 million (£4.3 million at an exchange rate of 0.75) in gross proceeds in 2018 and 680,218 shares for \$5.6 million (£4.3 million at an exchange rate of 0.76) in gross proceeds in 2019. Total Series A shares sold and gross proceeds were 2,357,265 and \$19.1 million, respectively. Expenses associated with completing the capital raises were immaterial.

The Company has Series A and Series B convertible preferred shares (Preferred Shares) which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the Company's control. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company sold 508,147 shares of its Series B convertible preferred shares at a purchase price of \$23.01 per share (£17.82 per share at an exchange rate of 0.75) in exchange for gross proceeds of \$11.7 million (£9.1 million at an exchange rate of 0.75). Expenses associated with completing the raise were immaterial.

#### *Dividends*

The holders of Preferred Shares are entitled to dividends if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. As of December 31, 2020, no dividends have been declared.

*Voting*

Each Preferred Share is entitled to a vote on an as-converted basis and certain significant Company events require majority approval from the Preferred Shareholders as a separate class.

*Conversion*

Each Preferred Share is convertible, at the holder's option, into such number of ordinary shares on a one-to-one basis and equal to the conversion price then in effect. The conversion price is subject to adjustments for splits, dividends, distributions and other similar recapitalization events. Upon consummation of a qualified initial public offering of the Company's securities, the preferred shares would automatically convert into ordinary shares.

*Liquidation Preference*

Upon the liquidation, sale, or merger of the Company (collectively, the Liquidation), the preferred shareholders are entitled to receive an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any unpaid declared dividends with the Series B liquidation preference holding preference to the Series A liquidation preference. If there are additional available assets from the liquidation after the initial liquidation payments, the remaining available assets will be distributed to the ordinary shareholders.

**6. Shareholders' Deficit**

*Ordinary Shares*

Ordinary shares confer upon its holders voting rights, the right to receive cash and share dividends, if declared, and the right to share in excess assets upon liquidation of the Company. The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to one vote per share.

*B Ordinary Shares*

B Ordinary Shares do not entitle its holders to receive notice of, to attend, to speak or to vote at any general meeting of the Company nor to receive or vote on, or otherwise constitute an eligible member for the purposes of, proposed written resolutions of the Company. B Ordinary shares confer upon its holders the right to receive, in respect of any dividend paid by the Company, a total of £0.01 in respect of all B Ordinary Shares in issue, and the right to share in excess assets upon liquidation of the Company.

**7. Share-based Compensation**

*B Ordinary Shares Awards*

The Company grants equity incentive shares, designated as B ordinary shares, to its employees, executives, and consultants and are purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount within one year from grant date. The awards generally vest 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter. Upon a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Company's ordinary shares, the B ordinary shares convert, on a 1:1 basis, into ordinary shares. The Company accounts for B ordinary shares as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Company's statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation of \$0.3 million and \$0.5 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

	Number of shares	Weighted average grant date fair value
Unvested at January 1, 2019	376,901	\$ 2.62
Vested	(133,725)	\$ 2.55
Unvested at December 31, 2019	243,176	\$ 2.66
Granted and exercised	287,375	\$ 5.62
Vested	(127,148)	\$ 2.62
Unvested at December 31, 2020	403,403	\$ 4.78

As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to B ordinary shares was \$1.9 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 2 years.

**8. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating loss carryforwards	900	1,204
Other	(105)	(121)
Valuation allowance	(795)	(1,083)
Net deferred tax asset	—	—

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020. The valuation allowance increased by \$0.3 million and \$0.3 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.



A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31,	
	2019	2020
Tax benefit at statutory rate benefit	19%	19%
Permanent differences	(1)%	(3)%
Enhanced R&D expenses deduction	21%	21%
Non-taxable R&D incentive	5%	5%
Losses surrendered for R&D incentive	(37)%	(37)%
Change in tax rate	(1)%	3%
Change in valuation allowance	(6)%	(8)%
Effective income tax rate	<u>— %</u>	<u>— %</u>

The following table summarizes carryforwards of federal and local net operating losses (NOL) and research tax credits (in USD thousands):

	Year Ended December 31,	
	2019	2020
UK	\$5,295	\$6,335

The Company will recognize interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as a component of income tax expense. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had no accrued interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions and no amounts have been recognized in the Company's statement of operations. Due to NOL and tax credit carry forwards that remain unutilized, income tax returns for tax years from 2019 and 2020 remain subject to examination by the taxing jurisdictions. The NOL carryforwards remain subject to review until utilized.

**9. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determine that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors  
Pega-One S.A.S.  
Paris, France

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Pega-One S.A.S., which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, Series A ordinary shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019, and for the year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Pega-One S.A.S. as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019, and for the year ended December 31, 2020, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Pega-One S.A.S.**  
**Balance Sheets**

(in thousands, except share data)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 562	\$ 1,740
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	23	339
Total current assets	585	2,079
Total assets and current assets	\$ 585	\$ 2,079
<b>Liabilities, Series A ordinary shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 292	\$ 87
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	—	231
Total current liabilities	292	318
Liability classified BSAs	561	—
Total liabilities	853	318
Commitments and Contingencies (note 6)		
Series A ordinary shares €0.01 nominal value: 93,950 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$7,436 at December 31, 2020)	—	6,624
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares, €0.01 nominal value 92,690 shares authorized, issued and outstanding	1	1
Additional paid-in capital	—	1,132
Accumulated other comprehensive income	—	247
Accumulated deficit	(269)	(6,243)
Total shareholders' deficit	(268)	(4,863)
Total liabilities, series A ordinary shares and shareholders' deficit	\$ 585	\$ 2,079

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Pega-One S.A.S.**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Period from August 8, 2019 (inception) Through December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 155	\$ 1,295
Acquired in-process research and development	—	3,164
General and administrative	114	1,415
Loss from operations	<u>(269)</u>	<u>(5,874)</u>
Change in fair value of liability classified BSAs	—	(100)
Net loss	<u>\$ (269)</u>	<u>\$ (5,974)</u>
Comprehensive loss:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	247
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (269)</u>	<u>\$ (5,727)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Pega-One S.A.S.**  
**Statements of Series A Ordinary Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Series A Ordinary		Shareholders' deficit					
	Shares	Amount	Ordinary Shares	Amount	Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income	Accumulated deficit	Total
Balance at August 8, 2019 (inception)	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Issuance of ordinary shares to founders	—	—	92,690	1	—	—	—	1
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(269)	(269)
Balance at December 31, 2019	—	—	92,690	1	—	—	(269)	(268)
Sale of Series A ordinary shares	84,549	5,975	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of Series A ordinary shares upon exercise of BSAs	9,041	649	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of equity option in connection with acquired license	—	—	—	—	1,132	—	—	1,132
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	247	—	247
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,974)	(5,974)
Balance at December 31, 2020	<u>93,590</u>	<u>\$ 6,624</u>	<u>92,690</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 1,132</u>	<u>\$ 247</u>	<u>\$ (6,243)</u>	<u>\$ (4,863)</u>

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**Pega-One S.A.S.**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

(in thousands)	Period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (269)	\$ (5,974)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Change in fair value of liability classified BSAs	—	100
Issuance of equity option in connection with acquired license	—	1,132
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(23)	(316)
Accounts payable	292	(205)
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	—	231
Net cash used in operating activities	—	(5,032)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from the sale of Series A ordinary shares	1	5,975
Proceeds from the Sale of BSAs	561	—
Net cash provided by financing activities	562	5,975
Effect of exchange rates on cash	—	235
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	562	1,178
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	—	562
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 562	\$ 1,740
Supplemental disclosure of noncash financing activities:		
Issuance of Series A ordinary shares upon conversion of BSAs	\$ —	\$ 649
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	\$ —	\$ 1,132

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**Pega-One S.A.S.**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

Pega-One S.A.S (Company) is a biotechnology company founded in 2019 developing imgatuzumab, a humanized, non-fucosylated, anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody for the treatment of cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma and other solid tumor indications.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$6.2 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company’s operations is expected to be funded from Centessa’s cash resources.

The Company’s operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical and studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company’s product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and the proceeds received by Centessa from its Series A financing, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March 2020 the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact

on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

### **3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### ***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020.

#### ***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. Significant areas that required management's estimates included the fair value of the Company's liability classified BSA's and the fair value of its equity option issued in conjunction with acquired license.

#### ***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, prepaid expenses, accounts payable, and accrued expenses and other current liabilities approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

#### ***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

#### ***Research and Development***

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.



Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

***Other Comprehensive Income***

Other comprehensive income (loss) is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive income impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

***Foreign Currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the Euro. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' deficit and as other comprehensive income on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

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In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, “(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*” (“ASU 2020-06”) to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity’s own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the “if-converted” method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2020-06 on financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

#### **4. Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

Fair value is the price that could be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. Fair value determination in accordance with applicable accounting guidance requires that a number of significant judgments be made. Additionally, fair value is used on a nonrecurring basis to evaluate assets for impairment or as required for disclosure purposes by applicable accounting guidance on disclosures about fair value of financial instruments. Depending on the nature of the assets and liabilities, various valuation techniques and assumptions are used when estimating fair value. The carrying amounts of certain of the Company’s financial instruments, including prepaid expense and accounts payable are shown at cost, which approximates fair value due to the short-term nature of these instruments. The Company follows the provisions of FASB ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement*, for financial assets and liabilities measured on a recurring basis. The guidance requires fair value measurements be classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

- Level 1:* Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.
- Level 2:* Quoted prices in markets that are not active, or inputs which are observable, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the asset or liabilities.
- Level 3:* Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (i.e., supported by little or no market activity).

The following fair value hierarchy table presents information about the Company's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

(in thousands)	Fair value measurement at reporting date using		
	Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)
<b>December 31, 2019:</b>			
<b>Liabilities</b>			
BSA's	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 561

The Company evaluated the BSAs issued in December 2019 and determined they were liability classified as the BSAs were to be settled by issuing a variable number of the Company's securities equal to 85% of the subscription price paid in a future qualified financing event. The initial fair value of the BSAs was equal to the cash proceeds received and is re-measured at each reporting period until March 2020, when the BSAs were exercised in connection with the Series A share issuance.

The reconciliation of the BSA liability measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) is as follows (amounts in thousands):

(in thousands)	
Balance at August 8, 2019 (inception)	\$ —
Additions	561
Change in fair value	—
Balance at December 31, 2019	561
Change in fair value	100
Changes due to foreign currency translation adjustment	(12)
Settlement upon issuance of Series A shares	(649)
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ —

The BSAs are classified as a liability on the accompanying balance sheet at December 31, 2019. The liability is marked-to-market each reporting period with the changes in fair value recorded in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss until it was settled in March 2020. At settlement, the fair value of the BSAs were equal to the value of the Series A shares received that were issued.

#### 5. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2020
Professional fees	\$ —	\$ 41
Compensation and related benefits	—	190
	\$ —	\$ 231

#### 6. Commitments and Contingencies

##### License Agreement with Hoffman-La Roche

In March 2020, the Company entered into, and subsequently amended, a license agreement with Hoffman La Roche Ltd, or Roche, to discover, develop and commercialize GA201 which is a glycoengineered anti-EFGR

monoclonal antibody imgatuzumab for the treatment of cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma and other solid tumor indications. The Company retains an exclusive worldwide sublicensable royalty bearing license. The Company made an upfront payment of \$2.0 million and is obligated to pay up to \$16.0 million upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones and up to \$125.0 million in commercial milestones subject to potential increase if the Company undergoes a change in control transaction before a specified event for a specific indication. The Company is also obligated to pay Roche tiered royalties on net sales of the licensed product at rates ranging from a mid to high single percentage, on a country-by-country and product-by-product basis and is subject to adjustments in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. In addition, the Company is obligated to reimburse Roche for annual patent related costs incurred related to the license. Upon consummation of a strategic transaction or an initial public offering of the Company's ordinary shares, as defined in the agreement, Roche is entitled to receive a minimum of 10% of the consideration received by the Company.

The \$2.0 million license fee was expensed in during the 2020 as in-process research and development as the technology acquired has no alternative future use as it requires substantial future development and is subject to regulatory approval. The Company accounted for the payment to Roche upon a strategic transaction or initial public offering as an equity classified share-based payment arrangement. The estimated the fair value of the option was \$1.2 million and was recorded as in-process research and development within the Company's statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

**Employment Agreements**

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

**Litigation**

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

**7. Series A Ordinary Shares and Ordinary Shares**

**Ordinary Shares**

Each ordinary share entitles the holder to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders. Subject to preferences that may apply to any outstanding Series A ordinary shares, holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive ratably any dividends that the Company's board of directors may declare out of funds legally available for that purpose on a non-cumulative basis. No dividends had been declared through December 31, 2020.

**Series A Ordinary Shares**

The Company has Series A convertible preferred shares, which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the Company's control. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company sold 84,549 shares of its Series A ordinary shares at €65.05 per share in exchange for net proceeds of \$6.0 million. Concurrent with the sale, the liability BSAs were exercised and the Company issued 9,041 of its Series A ordinary shares. Upon achievement of certain milestone events or at the election of the majority of the Series A ordinary shareholders, the Company could have sold an additional 368,946 Series A ordinary shares at €65.05 per share. Upon entering into the merger agreement with Centessa Pharmaceuticals in February 2021, all future funding obligations were transferred to Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

The Company determined that the Series A future tranche rights did not meet the definition of a freestanding financial instrument as they were not legally detachable. The future tranche rights were also evaluated as embedded derivatives and the Company determined they did not meet the definition of a derivative instrument for which bifurcation would be required.

The shareholder agreement associated with the Series A ordinary shares have certain redemption rights that are outside of the Company's control upon the occurrence of future events. Accordingly, these shares are presented as temporary equity outside of the shareholders' deficit.

#### 8. Income Taxes

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating losses	\$ 70	\$ 668
Less: valuation allowance	(70)	(668)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax asset as of December 31, 2019 and 2020. The valuation allowance increased by approximately \$0.1 million and \$0.6 million during the period from August 8, 2019 (inception) to December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the French income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Period from August 8, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Tax benefit at statutory rate	25.8%	25.8%
IP research and development	—	(13.8)
Other permanent differences	—	(3.1)
Research and development	—	0.2
Change in valuation allowance	(25.8)	(9.1)
	<u>—%</u>	<u>—%</u>

The Company has net operating loss carryforwards of \$2.6 million as of December 31, 2020 and do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined in UK tax law.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

The company benefits from a research and development tax credit incentive in France, determined on the basis of the eligible research and development expenses incurred during the calendar year. Currently, the research and development credit equals 30% of the eligible expenses incurred during the year.

**9. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Janpix Limited  
London, United Kingdom

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Janpix Limited, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Janpix Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Janpix Limited**  
**Balance Sheets**

<i>(in thousands, except share data)</i>	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 174	\$ 9,370
Research tax incentive receivable	509	651
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	20	20
Total current assets and total assets	\$ 703	\$10,041
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 356	\$ 385
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	8	20
Total current liabilities and total liabilities	364	405
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 5)		
Convertible preferred shares, €0.0001 par value:		
Series A convertible preferred shares: 72,499 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$7,456 at December 31, 2020)	5,249	7,047
Series B convertible preferred shares: 95,078 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2020; no shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 (liquidation value of \$9,772 at December 31, 2020)	—	9,387
Preferred shares, €0.0001 par value; 100,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020	—	—
Total convertible preferred shares	5,249	16,434
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares, €0.0001 par value; 40,171 and 42,406 shares authorized at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively; 40,171 and 42,406 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively	—	—
Ordinary B shares, €0.0001 par value; 18,904 and 27,679 shares authorized and issued, 11,926 and 16,286 shares outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	968	1,170
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income	(17)	523
Accumulated deficit	(5,861)	(8,491)
Total shareholders' deficit	(4,910)	(6,798)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	\$ 703	\$10,041

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*



**Janpix Limited**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Years Ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 1,657	\$ 2,162
General and administrative	330	467
Loss from operations	<u>(1,987)</u>	<u>(2,629)</u>
Interest expense, net	—	(1)
Net loss	<u>\$ (1,987)</u>	<u>\$ (2,630)</u>
Other comprehensive (loss) income:		
Foreign exchange translation adjustment	(54)	540
Comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (2,041)</u>	<u>\$ (2,090)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Janpix Limited**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares						Shareholders' deficit						Total	
	Series A Preferred		Series B Preferred		Preferred		Ordinary		B Ordinary		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		Accumulated deficit
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
Balance at January 1, 2019	72,499	\$ 3,425	—	\$ —	100,000	\$ —	40,171	\$ —	18,904	\$ —	\$ 897	\$ 37	\$ (3,874)	\$(2,940)
Series A investor contributions	—	1,824	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	71	—	—	71
Currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(54)	—	(54)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(1,987)	(1,987)
Balance at December 31, 2019	72,499	\$ 5,249	—	\$ —	100,000	\$ —	40,171	\$ —	18,904	\$ —	\$ 968	\$ (17)	\$ (5,861)	\$(4,910)
Series A investor contributions	—	1,798	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sale of Series B convertible preferred shares	—	—	95,078	9,387	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of B ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,775	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of ordinary shares for research and development expenses	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,235	—	—	—	93	—	—	93
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	109	—	—	109
Currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	540	—	540
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,630)	(2,630)
Balance at December 31, 2020	<u>72,499</u>	<u>\$ 7,047</u>	<u>95,078</u>	<u>\$ 9,387</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>42,406</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>27,679</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 1,170</u>	<u>\$ 523</u>	<u>\$ (8,491)</u>	<u>\$(6,798)</u>

See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.

**Janpix Limited**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Years Ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (1,987)	\$ (2,630)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Share-based compensation	71	109
Issuance of ordinary shares for research and development expenses	—	93
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Research tax incentive receivable	(202)	(118)
Prepaid expenses and other assets	1	—
Accounts payable	190	15
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	3	14
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(1,924)</u>	<u>(2,517)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Series A investor contributions	1,824	1,798
Proceeds from the sale of Series B convertible preferred shares	—	9,387
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>1,824</u>	<u>11,185</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(58)	528
Net (decrease) increase in cash	(158)	9,196
Cash at beginning of year	332	174
Cash at end of year	<u>\$ 174</u>	<u>\$ 9,370</u>
Supplemental disclosure of non-cash investing and financing transactions:		
Issuance of ordinary shares for research and development expenses	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 93</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Janpix Limited**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

Janpix Limited (the Company), a private limited company formed in 2013 and registered in England and Wales, is a clinical stage biotechnology company developing inhibitors of Signal Transducer and Activator of Transcription (“STAT”) proteins. The Company’s lead molecule targets both STAT3 and STAT5 proteins, transcription factors whose aberrant activation is associated with tumor cell proliferation, survival, and drug resistance. The Company is planning to advance this program in various hematological cancers.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$8.5 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company’s operations is expected to be funded from Centessa’s cash resources.

The Company’s operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical and studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company’s product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash as of December 31, 2020, and Centessa’s cash resources, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since

early March 2020 the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

### **3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### ***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

#### ***Foreign currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' deficit and as other comprehensive income (loss) on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

#### ***Other Comprehensive (Loss) Income***

Other comprehensive (loss) income is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive (loss) income impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

#### ***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### ***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including research tax incentive receivable, prepaid expenses, and accounts payable and accrued expenses, approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

**Concentration of credit risk**

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash.

**Tax Incentive Receivable**

The research tax credit is granted to companies by the United Kingdom and European tax authorities in order to encourage them to conduct technical and scientific research. Companies that have expenditures that meet the required criteria within the United Kingdom or European countries receive a tax credit that can be used for the payment of the corporate tax due for the fiscal year in which the expenditures were made and the next three fiscal years, or can be reimbursed in cash.

The expenses taken into account for the calculation of the credit involve only research expenses. The Company's estimate of the amount of cash refund it expects to receive related to the tax credit is included in tax incentive receivables in the accompanying balance sheets and such amounts are recorded as reduction of research and development expense in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. During the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company recorded reductions to research and development expenses of \$0.4 million and \$0.5 million, respectively.

**Share-based compensation**

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares. Options with nominal exercise prices are accounted for as restricted share-based payments.

**Research and Development**

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company issued 2,235 Ordinary Shares valued at \$93,000 for research and development expense.

**Income Taxes**

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences

attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not at all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

#### *JOBS Act Accounting Election*

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

#### *Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements*

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

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**4. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities**

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>December 31,</u> <u>2019</u>	<u>December 31,</u> <u>2020</u>
Professional fees	\$ —	\$ 5
Research and development	8	15
	<u>\$ 8</u>	<u>\$ 20</u>

**5. Commitments and Contingencies**

***License Agreement***

On July 31, 2017, the Company entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement to further develop and commercialize the licensed compounds. The Company is obligated to make up to \$30.0 million in development and commercial milestone payments. In addition, the Company is obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low to mid-single digit royalty rates for net product sales. The Company incurred \$39,000 of expenses during the year ended December 31, 2019 and no expense during the year ended December 31, 2020 in connection to the license agreement.

***Employment Agreements***

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

***Litigation***

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

**6. Convertible Preferred Shares and Ordinary Shares**

***Convertible Preferred Share***

The Company has Preferred, Series A and Series B convertible preferred shares (Preferred Shares), which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. In 2017, the Company sold and issued 72,499 Series A preferred shares. Pursuant to the terms of the Series A purchase agreement and upon successful attainment of specified milestones as confirmed by a majority vote of the members of the Company's board of directors, the Series A investors were obligated to provided up to €13.6 million in additional non-dilutive funding. The Company received \$1.8 million during each of the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020. Upon entering into the Series B purchase agreement in October 2020 the remaining potential funding obligations for Series A investors was terminated. The Company concluded the future funding obligation was not a freestanding financial instrument and was not required to be bifurcated when evaluated as an embedded derivative.

During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company sold 95,078 Series B shares and at €84.14 per share for aggregate gross proceeds of \$9.4 million.

***Dividends***

The holders of Preferred Shares are entitled to dividends if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. As of December 31, 2020, no dividends have been declared.



*Voting*

Each Preferred Share is entitled to a vote on an as-converted basis and certain significant Company events require majority approval from the Preferred Shareholders as a separate class.

*Conversion*

Each Preferred Share is convertible, at the holder’s option, into such number of ordinary shares on a one-to-one basis and equal to the conversion price then in effect. The conversion price is subject to adjustments for splits, dividends, distributions, and other similar recapitalization events. Upon consummation of a qualified initial public offering of the Company’s securities, the Preferred Shares will automatically convert into ordinary shares.

*Liquidation Preference*

Upon the liquidation, sale, or merger of the Company (collectively, the Liquidation), the Preferred Shares are entitled to receive an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any unpaid declared dividends with the Series B liquidation preference holding preference to the Series A and the Preferred liquidation preference. If there are additional available assets from the liquidation after the initial liquidation payments, the remaining available assets will be distributed to the ordinary shareholders.

*Ordinary Shares and B Ordinary Shares*

Ordinary shares confer upon its holders voting rights, the right to receive cash and stock dividends, if declared, and the right to share in excess assets upon liquidation of the Company. The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to one vote per share.

**7. Share-Based Compensation**

The Company grants equity incentive shares, designated as B ordinary shares, to its employees, executives, and consultants and are purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount within one year from grant date. Generally, the awards vest 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter. Upon a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Company’s ordinary shares, the B ordinary shares convert, on a 1:1 basis, into ordinary shares. The Company accounts for B ordinary shares as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Company’s statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation of \$71,000 and \$0.1 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to B ordinary shares was \$0.3 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average 2.2 years.

	<u>Shares</u>	<u>Weighted-Average Grant-Date Fair Value (USD)</u>
Nonvested at January 1, 2019	10,966	\$ 18.29
Vested	<u>(3,988)</u>	\$ 18.29
Nonvested at December 31, 2019	6,978	\$ 18.29
Granted and exercised	8,775	\$ 34.78
Vested	<u>(4,360)</u>	\$ 19.85
Nonvested at December 31, 2020	<u>11,393</u>	\$ 32.02

**8. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating losses	\$ 583	\$ 963
Less: valuation allowance	(583)	(963)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020. The valuation allowance increased by approximately \$0.2 million and \$0.4 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Tax benefit at statutory rate	19%	19%
Research and development	(7%)	(7%)
Stock compensation	(1%)	(1%)
IP research and development	—	(1%)
Change in tax rate	(1%)	3%
Change in valuation allowance	(10%)	(13%)
	<u>— %</u>	<u>— %</u>

The Company has UK NOL carryforwards of \$5.1 million as of December 31, 2020 and they do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined in UK tax law.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as an interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

**9. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors  
Capella Bioscience Limited  
London, United Kingdom

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Capella Bioscience Limited, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Capella Bioscience Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Capella Bioscience Limited**  
**Balance Sheets**

<i>(in thousands, except share data)</i>	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,640	\$ 10,579
Research tax incentive receivable	1,732	779
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	30	94
Total assets	\$ 3,402	\$ 11,452
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 97	\$ 643
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	275	200
Total current liabilities	372	843
Commitments and Contingencies (note 5)		
Convertible preferred shares, £0.001 nominal value:		
Series Seed shares: 1,500,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$3,046 at December 31, 2020)	2,317	2,317
Series A shares: 5,959,590 shares authorized, 5,808,075 and 5,959,590 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively; (liquidation value of \$20.136 at December 31, 2020)	15,463	15,832
Series B shares: 3,144,104 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2020; (liquidation value of \$10,068 at December 31, 2020)	—	9,179
Total convertible preferred shares	17,780	27,328
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares, £0.001 nominal value: 97,221 and 137,001 shares authorized and issued, 71,884 and 97,288 shares outstanding at December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020, respectively	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	126	187
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(201)	472
Accumulated deficit	(14,675)	(17,378)
Total shareholders' deficit	(14,750)	(16,719)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	\$ 3,402	\$ 11,452

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Capella Bioscience Limited**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31,</u>	
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 4,033	\$ 2,445
General and administrative	511	261
Loss from operations before interest and income taxes	(4,544)	(2,706)
Interest income	10	3
Net loss	<u>\$ (4,534)</u>	<u>\$ (2,703)</u>
Comprehensive loss:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	127	673
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (4,407)</u>	<u>\$ (2,030)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Capella Bioscience Limited**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares						Shareholders' deficit					
	Series Seed Preferred		Series A Preferred		Series B Preferred		Ordinary		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	Accumulated deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
Balance at January 1, 2019	1,500,000	\$ 2,317	5,555,550	\$14,855	—	\$ —	42,454	\$ —	\$ 63	\$ (328)	\$ (10,141)	\$ (10,406)
Sale of Series A convertible preferred shares	—	—	252,525	608	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	—	—	54,767	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	—	—	63
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	127	—	127
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4,534)	(4,534)
Balance at December 31, 2019	1,500,000	2,317	5,808,075	15,463	—	—	97,221	—	126	(201)	(14,675)	(14,750)
Sale of Series A convertible preferred shares	—	—	151,515	369	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sale of Series B convertible preferred shares	—	—	—	—	3,144,104	9,179	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	—	—	39,780	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	61	—	—	61
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	673	—	673
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,703)	(2,703)
Balance at December 31, 2020	1,500,000	\$ 2,317	5,959,590	\$15,832	3,144,104	\$ 9,179	137,001	\$ —	\$ 187	\$ 472	\$ (17,378)	\$ (16,719)

See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.

**Capella Bioscience Limited**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

(in thousands)	Year Ended December 31,	
	2019	2020
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (4,534)	\$ (2,703)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Share-based compensation	63	61
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Research tax incentive receivable	(286)	946
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	91	(60)
Accounts payable	(269)	510
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	(202)	(80)
Net cash used in operating activities	(5,137)	(1,326)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from the sale of Series A preferred shares	608	369
Proceeds from the sale of Series B preferred shares	—	9,179
Net cash provided by financing activities	608	9,548
Effect of exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents	77	717
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(4,452)	8,939
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	6,092	1,640
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 1,640	\$ 10,579

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**Capella Bioscience Limited**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

Capella Bioscience Limited (Company) is a biotechnology company founded in 2014 and is developing CBS001, a neutralizing therapeutic monoclonal antibody to the inflammatory membrane form of LIGHT, known as TNFSF14, for the treatment of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis. The Company is also developing CBS004, a therapeutic monoclonal antibody to blood dendritic cell antigen 2 (BDCA2) for the treatment of lupus erythematosus (systemic and cutaneous) and systemic sclerosis.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$17.4 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company’s operations is expected to be funded from Centessa’s cash resources.

The Company’s operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical and studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company’s product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and Centessa’s cash resources, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since



early March 2020 the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

### **3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### ***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020.

#### ***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. Significant areas that required management's estimates included the research tax incentive receivable and the fair value of the Company's share-based compensation.

#### ***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, research tax incentive receivable, prepaid expenses, accounts payable and accrued expenses approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

#### ***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

#### ***Cash and cash equivalents***

The Company considers all highly liquid investments that have maturities of three months or less when acquired to be cash equivalents.

#### ***Tax incentive receivable***

The research tax credit is granted to companies by the United Kingdom tax authorities in order to encourage them to conduct technical and scientific research. Companies that have expenditures that meet the required criteria within the United Kingdom receive a tax credit that can be used for the payment of the corporate tax due for the fiscal year in which the expenditures were made and the next three fiscal years, or can be reimbursed in cash.

The expenses taken into account for the calculation of the credit involve only research expenses. The Company's estimate of the amount of cash refund it expects to receive related to the tax credit is included in the research tax incentive receivable in the accompanying balance sheets and such amounts are recorded as reduction of research and development expense in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. During the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company recorded reductions to research and development expenses of \$1.7 million and \$0.8 million, respectively.

***Share-based compensation***

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares. Options with nominal exercise prices are accounted for as restricted share-based payments.

***Research and Development***

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater

than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

***Other Comprehensive Loss***

Other comprehensive income (loss) is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive income (loss) impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

***Foreign Currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheet dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' deficit and as other comprehensive loss on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

***JOBS Act Accounting Election***

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

***Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements***

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

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entities to use the “if-converted” method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

#### 4. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>December 31,</u> <u>2019</u>	<u>December 31,</u> <u>2020</u>
Professional fees	\$ 18	\$ 19
Compensation and related benefits	49	58
Research and development	208	123
	<u>\$ 275</u>	<u>\$ 200</u>

#### 5. Commitments and Contingencies

##### *License Agreement*

On October 16, 2017, the Company entered into a license agreement with Lonza Sales AG to further evaluate, develop and commercialize licensed compounds for therapeutic use. The Company is obligated to make additional payments contingent upon approval to advance through additional stages of the process. The Company is obligated to make up to \$5.0 million in development and commercial milestone payments. The Company is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. The Company incurred approximately \$2.7 million and \$0.6 million in expense related to the license agreement during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

##### *Employment Agreements*

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##### *Litigation*

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

#### 6. Convertible Preferred Shares and Ordinary Shares

##### *Ordinary shares*

Each ordinary share entitles the holder to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company’s shareholders. Subject to the rights of holders of convertible preferred shares, ordinary shareholders are entitled to receive dividends, as may be declared by the board of directors, if any. No dividends had been declared through December 31, 2020.

##### *Convertible preferred shares*

The Company has Series Seed, Series A and Series B convertible preferred shares (collectively “Preferred Shares”), which are classified outside of shareholders’ deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation

rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company sold 252,525 and 151,515 shares of Series A preferred at £1.98 per share for aggregate proceeds of \$0.6 million and \$0.4 million, respectively (£0.5 million and £0.3 million at exchange rates of 0.82 and 0.81, respectively).

Pursuant to Series A Purchase Agreements entered into from 2016 to 2019, the Series A investors could purchase up to an aggregate of 3,939,390 additional shares of Series A at a fixed purchase price of £1.98 per share (the "Series A Future Tranche Right").

The Company determined that the Series A Future Tranche Right did not meet the definition of a freestanding financial instrument as it was not legally detachable. The Future Tranche Right was also evaluated as an embedded derivative and the Company determined they did not meet the definition of a derivative instrument for which bifurcation would be required. The number of additional shares available under the Series A Future Tranche Right was reduced and exercised in full by May 2020.

During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company sold 3,144,104 shares of Series B at £2.29 per share for gross proceeds of \$9.2 million (£7.2 million at an exchange rate of 0.78).

#### **Dividends**

The holders of Preferred Shares, in preference to holders of any other class or series, are entitled to an 8.0% cumulative dividend, regardless of whether or not declared, resolved or approved. No dividends were declared or paid through December 31, 2020.

#### **Voting**

The holders of Preferred shares are entitled to one vote for each preferred share and, subject to certain Preferred Share class votes specified in the Company's articles of association or as required by law, the holders of the Preferred Shares and ordinary shares vote together.

#### **Liquidation preference**

In the event of a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, either voluntary or involuntary, or in the event of a deemed liquidation event, which includes a sale of the Company as defined in the Company's articles of association, holders of Preferred Shares are entitled to receive, in preference to all other stockholders, an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any unpaid dividends. Liquidation preference payments are first made to the Series B preferred shareholders and next to the Series A preferred shareholders and lastly, to the Series Seed preferred shareholders.

After payment in full of the liquidation preference of the Preferred Shares, any remaining assets shall be distributed ratably to the holders of Preferred Shares and ordinary shares on an "as converted" basis. The original issuance price for the Series Seed, Series A and Series B preferred shares was £1.00, £1.98 and £2.29 per share, respectively.

#### **Conversion**

Each share of Preferred Shares is convertible into ordinary shares at any time at the option of the holder thereof at the conversion price then in effect. All Preferred Shares are convertible into ordinary shares at the affirmative election of the holders of at least a majority of the outstanding Preferred Shares at the conversion price then in effect.

The Preferred Shares will automatically convert into ordinary shares upon an initial public offering of its ordinary shares and equal to the original issuance price and any unpaid dividends.

**7. Share-Based Compensation**

**Ordinary Shares Awards**

The Company granted ordinary shares to several founders and executives. The shares were purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount and they vest ratably over various service periods that are generally between one and two years. The Company accounts for ordinary shares issuances as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Company's statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation related to these awards of \$19,000 and \$15,000 during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

The following table summarizes the ordinary share activity for the periods presented:

	<u>Shares</u>
Nonvested at January 1, 2019	5,770
Granted and exercised	54,767
Vested	<u>(35,200)</u>
Nonvested at December 31, 2019	25,337
Granted and exercised	39,780
Vested	<u>(25,404)</u>
Nonvested at December 31, 2020	<u>39,713</u>

The weighted-average grant date fair value of ordinary shares granted was \$0.60 and \$0.75 per share for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to ordinary shares was \$36,000, which the Company expects to recognize in its entirety in 2021.

**Enterprise Management Incentive Scheme**

The Company has adopted an Enterprise Management Incentive Scheme, or EMI Plan, that allows for the grant of options to purchase ordinary shares. Options granted under the EMI Plan are governed by the rules of the EMI Plan, an option agreement entered into with each participant, and Schedule 5 of the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003. The Company accounts for options granted under the EMI Plan as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded as a component of research and development expenses within the Company's statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation of \$44,000 and \$46,000 for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

The following table summarizes the activity for the periods presented:

Outstanding at January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019	305,555
Granted	<u>176,412</u>
Outstanding at December 31, 2020	<u>481,967</u>
Vested at December 31, 2020	<u>239,614</u>
Unvested shares at December 31, 2020	<u>242,353</u>

No options were granted or forfeited during the year ended December 31, 2019. The weighted-average grant date fair value of options granted was \$0.75 per share during the year ended December 31, 2020. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to the option awards was \$0.2 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 2 years.

#### 8. Income Taxes

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating losses	\$ 979	\$ 1,358
Less: valuation allowance	(979)	(1,358)
	\$ —	\$ —

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019. The valuation allowance increased by approximately \$0.3 million and \$0.4 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Tax benefit at statutory rate	19%	19%
Research and development	(12)%	(11)%
Non deductible expenses	(1)%	— %
Change in tax rate	(1)%	4%
Change in valuation allowance	(5)%	(12)%
	— %	— %

The Company has UK NOL carryforwards and research and development tax credits of approximately of \$7.1 million as of December 31, 2020. The NOL carryforwards do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined by UK tax law.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as an interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

#### 9. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors  
PearlRiver Bio GmbH  
Dortmund, Germany

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of PearlRiver Bio GmbH, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019, and for the year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of PearlRiver Bio GmbH as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019, and for the year ended December 31, 2020, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021



**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**  
**Balance Sheets**

<i>(in thousands, except share data)</i>	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,885	\$ 6,235
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	68	65
Total assets and current assets	<u>\$ 1,953</u>	<u>\$ 6,300</u>
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 230	\$ 238
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	116	34
Total current liabilities	346	272
Commitments and contingencies (Note 5)		
Series A convertible preferred shares €1.00 nominal value: 33,333 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$12,193 at December 31, 2020)	3,928	11,559
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares, €1.00 nominal value 25,493 shares authorized and issued, 16,319 and 20,401 shares outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively	29	29
Additional paid-in capital	2,138	2,822
Accumulated other comprehensive income	25	197
Accumulated deficit	(4,513)	(8,579)
Total shareholders' deficit	(2,321)	(5,531)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	<u>\$ 1,953</u>	<u>\$ 6,300</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Period from February 15, 2019 (inception) Through December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 2,765	\$ 3,691
Acquired in-process research and development	1,141	—
General and administrative	607	375
Net loss	<u>\$ (4,513)</u>	<u>\$ (4,066)</u>
Comprehensive loss:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	25	172
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (4,488)</u>	<u>\$ (3,894)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares		Shareholders' deficit					
	Series A preferred		Ordinary		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income	Accumulated deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
Balance at February 15, 2019 (inception)	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Sale of ordinary shares to founders	—	—	16,316	19	—	—	—	19
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	—	—	9,177	10	1,141	—	—	1,151
Sale of Series A convertible preferred shares	33,333	3,928	—	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	997	—	—	997
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	25	—	25
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4,513)	(4,513)
Balance at December 31, 2019	33,333	3,928	25,493	29	2,138	25	(4,513)	(2,321)
Series A investor contributions	—	7,631	—	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	684	—	—	684
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	172	—	172
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4,066)	(4,066)
Balance at December 31, 2020	33,333	\$ 11,559	25,493	\$ 29	\$ 2,822	\$ 197	\$ (8,579)	\$ (5,531)

See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.

**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

(in thousands)	Period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net loss	\$ (4,513)	\$ (4,066)
<b>Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:</b>		
Acquired in-process research and development	1,151	—
Share-based compensation	997	684
<b>Changes in operating assets and liabilities:</b>		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(68)	9
Accounts payable	230	(11)
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	119	(88)
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(2,084)</u>	<u>(3,472)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>		
Proceeds from the sale of Series A preferred shares	3,928	7,631
Proceeds from the sale of ordinary shares to founders	19	—
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>3,947</u>	<u>7,631</u>
Effect of exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents	22	191
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	1,885	4,350
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	—	1,885
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	<u>\$ 1,885</u>	<u>\$ 6,235</u>
<b>Supplemental disclosure of non-cash investing and financing activities:</b>		
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	<u>\$ 1,151</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

PearlRiver Bio GmbH (Company) is a biotechnology company founded in 2019 and is developing potent and selective oral exon20 insertion mutation inhibitors intended to have minimal activity on wild-type Epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) and optimal pharmacokinetic properties, for the treatment of EGFR exon 20 insertion (with potential to target and treat Her2 exon 20 insertions) non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC). The Company is also developing oral inhibitors targeting C797S-mutant EGFR and undisclosed next generation EGFR inhibitors for NSCLC.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$8.6 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company's operations is expected to be funded from Centessa's cash resources.

The Company's operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical and studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company's product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and Centessa's cash resources, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March 2020, the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to fairly present the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for period from February 15, 2019 (inception) to December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020.

***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed, and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. The significant area that required management's estimates was the fair value of the Company's share-based compensation.

***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, prepaid expenses, accounts payable and accrued expenses and other current liabilities, approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

***Share-based compensation***

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards.

Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares, and, for virtual share options, the expected life of the options and ordinary share price volatility. The Company accounts for forfeitures of virtual share options and restricted ordinary share awards as they occur. The Company uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to value its virtual share option awards. For restricted ordinary share awards, the Company uses the estimated fair value of its ordinary shares at the grant date. The assumptions used in estimating the fair value of share-based awards represent management's estimate and involve inherent uncertainties and the application of management's judgment. As a result, if factors change and management uses different assumptions, share-based compensation expense could be materially different for future awards.

The expected life of the virtual share options are estimated using the "simplified method," as the Company has limited historical information from which to develop reasonable expectations about future exercise patterns and post-vesting employment termination behavior for its virtual share option grants. The simplified method is the midpoint between the vesting period and the contractual term of the option. For share price volatility, the Company uses comparable public companies as a basis for its expected volatility to calculate the fair value of virtual share option grants. The risk-free rate is based on the U.S. Treasury yield curve commensurate with the expected life of the virtual share option.

#### ***Research and Development***

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

#### ***Acquired In-Process Research and Development***

Acquired in-process research and development (IPR&D) expense consists of the initial up-front payments incurred in connection with the acquisition or licensing of products or technologies that do not meet the definition of a business under *FASB ASC Topic 805, Business Combinations*. The Company's acquired IPR&D expense of \$1.2 million during the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 reflects the estimated fair value of the ordinary shares issued to acquire the license from of the Lead Discovery Center (see Note 5).

#### ***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by *FASB ASC Topic 740, Income Taxes (ASC 740)*. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences

attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not at all, or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

#### ***Other Comprehensive Loss***

Other comprehensive income (loss) is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive income (loss) impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

#### ***Foreign Currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the Euro. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' equity and as other comprehensive loss on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

#### ***JOBS Act Accounting Election***

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

#### ***Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements***

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A



modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

**4. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities**

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>December 31, 2019</u>	<u>December 31, 2020</u>
Professional fees	\$ 8	\$ 12
Compensation and related benefits	28	21
Research and development	80	1
	<u>\$ 116</u>	<u>\$ 34</u>

**5. Commitments and Contingencies**

***License and Collaboration Agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH for Exon20***

In March 2019, the Company entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH, or LDC, to further develop and commercialize, the licensed technology for Exon20. The Company is responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug products for exploitation. The Company is obligated to make up to \$33.0 million (€27.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones and \$18.3 million (€15.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) upon the achievement of commercial milestones. The Company is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low to mid-single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. In addition, the Company is obligated to fund any patent related costs associated with the licensed technology. The Company issued 9,177 ordinary shares to LDC with an estimated fair value of \$125.39 per share for aggregate consideration of \$1.1 million which was immediately expensed as the license has no alternative future use.

Concurrent with entering into the license agreement, the Company entered into a collaboration arrangement with LDC whereby LDC is providing ongoing research and development services to the Company. The Company recognizes research and development expenses associated with the collaboration as services are provided.

***License Agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH for C797***

In May 2020, the Company entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement with Lead Discovery Center GmbH, or LDC, to further develop and commercialize, the licensed technology for C797S. The Company is

responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug products for exploitation. The Company made an upfront payment to LDC of \$86,000 that was immediately expensed within research and development expenses as the license has no alternative future use. The Company is obligated to make up to \$9.5 million (€7.8 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones and \$12.2 million (€10.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) upon the achievement of commercial milestones. The Company is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. In addition, the Company is obligated to fund any patent related costs associated with the licensed technology.

#### **Employment Agreements**

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance, in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

#### **Litigation**

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

### **6. Convertible Preferred Shares and Ordinary Shares**

#### **Ordinary shares**

Each ordinary share entitles the holder to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders. Subject to the rights of holders of convertible preferred shares, ordinary shareholders are entitled to receive dividends, as may be declared by the board of directors, if any. No dividends had been declared through December 31, 2020.

#### **Convertible preferred shares**

The Company has Series A convertible preferred shares, which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. In 2019, the Company completed an equity financing in which the Company issued and sold 33,333 Series A convertible preferred shares in exchange for \$37.8 million (€33.0 million at an exchange rate of 0.88). Investors are subject to capital call requirements for an aggregate amount of €20 million (\$22.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.88) if certain milestones are met. In 2019, the Company received \$3.9 million (€3.5 million at an exchange rate of 0.89) in capital contributions in relation to these milestone requirements. In 2020, the Company received \$7.6 million (€6.5 million at an exchange rate of 0.85) in capital contributions related to these milestone requirements. As of December 31, 2020, the series A investors are subject to an additional capital call totaling €10 million (\$12.2 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) related to the last milestone. Upon entering into the merger agreement with Centessa Pharmaceuticals in February 2021, all future funding obligations were transferred to Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

The Company determined that the future funding obligations did not meet the definition of a freestanding financial instrument as they were not legally detachable. The future funding obligations were also evaluated as embedded derivatives and the Company determined they did not meet the definition of a derivative instrument for which bifurcation would be required.

#### **Dividends**

The holders of Series A preferred shares, in preference to holders of any other class or series, are entitled to a non-cumulative dividend, if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. In the event a dividend is declared to ordinary shareholders, holders of Series A will also receive an equivalent dividend on an "as-converted" basis. No dividends were declared or paid during the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and the year ended December 31, 2020.

**Voting**

The holders of Series A preferred shares are entitled to one vote for each ordinary share of preferred shares may be converted and, subject to certain preferred share class votes specified in the Company's articles of association or as required by law, the holders of the preferred shares and ordinary shares vote together on an as-converted basis.

**Liquidation preference**

In the event of a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, either voluntary or involuntary, or in the event of a deemed liquidation event, which includes a sale of the Company as defined in the Company's articles of association, holders of Series A shares are entitled to receive, in preference to all other stockholders, an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any declared and unpaid dividends. If upon the occurrence of such event, the assets and funds available for distribution are insufficient to pay such holders the full amount to which they are entitled, then the entire assets and funds legally available for distribution shall be distributed ratably among the holders of the Series A preferred shares in proportion to the full amounts to which they would otherwise be entitled.

After payment in full of the liquidation preference of the Series A preferred shares, any remaining assets shall be distributed ratably to the holders of ordinary shares pro rata based on their respective shareholdings.

**Conversion**

Each share of Series A is convertible into ordinary shares at any time at the option of the holder thereof at the conversion price then in effect. All shares of Series A are convertible into ordinary shares at the affirmative election of the holders of at least a majority of the outstanding shares of preferred stock at the conversion price then in effect.

The Company may at any time require the conversion of all outstanding preferred shares upon an initial public offering of its ordinary shares.

**7. Share-Based Compensation**

**Ordinary Shares Awards**

In February and March 2019, the Company entered into share purchase arrangements with several founders and executives, whereby the founders and executives purchased an aggregate of 16,316 ordinary shares at a €1.00 per share and an estimated fair value of €110.13 per share. The shares are subject to future vesting and generally vest 25% at the time of grant and ratably thereafter on a quarterly basis for a total vesting period of three years. In the event the founders or executives cease to provide services to the Company, any unvested ordinary shares are subject to forfeiture. 7,142 and 4,082 shares had vested during the period from February 15, 2019 through December 31, 2019 and during the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to unvested shares was \$0.6 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 1.14 years. During the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company recognized share based compensation expense of approximately \$0.9 million and \$0.5 million, respectively and is recognized as research and development expense within the accompanying statements of operation and comprehensive loss.

**Virtual Stock Option Plan**

In 2019, the Company adopted a virtual stock option plan, or VSOP, for its employees. As of December 31, 2020, there were 523 awards available for future issuance under the plan. A virtual share does not represent a

direct interest in the Company and has no voting rights. The virtual shares are issued at no cost and with a notional value of €1.00 per share. The awards vest 25% on the anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter for the remaining three years. Awards have a contractual term of 10 years and settlement occurs upon consummation of a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Company's ordinary shares. Upon occurrence of such events, holders of the virtual shares are entitled to the same form of consideration received by ordinary shareholders. During the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020, the Company recognized share based compensation expense of approximately \$0.1 million and \$0.2 million, respectively and is recognized as research and development expense within the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

The following table summarizes the virtual share activity for the periods presented:

	Shares	Weighted-Average Remaining Contract Term (Years)	Weighted- Average Grant- Date Fair Value (€)
Outstanding at February 15, 2019 (inception)			
Granted	3,267		€ 109.30
Outstanding at December 31, 2019	3,267	9.21	
Granted	2,091		€ 231.21
Outstanding at December 31, 2020	5,358	8.67	
Vested at December 31, 2020	1,429	8.20	€ 109.30
Unvested as of December 31, 2020	<u>3,929</u>	8.84	€ 164.60

As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to unvested virtual share awards was \$0.7 million (€0.6 million at an exchange rate of 0.82), which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average 2.04 years.

#### 8. Income Taxes

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating losses	\$ 780	\$ 2,009
Fixed assets	1	38
Deferred tax assets	781	2,047
Less: valuation allowance	(781)	(2,047)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020. The valuation allowance increased by approximately \$0.8 million and \$1.3 million during the period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the German income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Period from February 15, 2019 (inception) through December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Statutory tax rate	32.8%	32.8%
Stock compensation expense	(7.3)%	— %
Non-deductible IPR&D	(8.2)%	— %
Non-taxable R&D credit	— %	(0.1)%
Change in valuation allowance	(17.3)%	(32.7)%
	<u>— %</u>	<u>— %</u>

The Company has a net operating loss carryforward of \$6.1 million as of December 31, 2020. Net operating loss carryforwards do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined in German tax law.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

The German Research Allowance Act (Forschungszulagengesetz), introducing a federal research and development subsidy, was passed in 2019. According to this Act, a tax-free subsidy of 25% of salaries and wages for certain research and development purposes shall be guaranteed up to a limit of €0.5 million per year.

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the assessment basis for the research and development allowance in Germany was increased with effect from July 1, 2020, for a limited period until June 30, 2026. During this period, the maximum amount of the research and development allowance is €1.0 million per year. The Company benefits from this incentive. It is fully refundable to the Company and is not dependent on current or future taxable income. As a result, the Company has recorded the entire benefit from the incentive as a reduction to research and development expenses and is not reflected as part of the income tax provision.

#### 9. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Orexia Limited  
London, United Kingdom

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Orexia Limited, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Orexia Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Orexia Limited**  
**Balance Sheets**

<i>(in thousands, except share data)</i>	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,381	\$ 2,085
Research tax incentive receivable	864	2,232
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	185	161
Total assets and current assets	\$ 5,430	\$ 4,478
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 41	\$ 146
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	1,080	715
Loan with related party	—	1,369
Total liabilities and current liabilities	1,121	2,230
Series A convertible preferred shares £0.0001 nominal value: 4,200,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding; (liquidation value of \$11,576 at December 31, 2020)	7,735	10,652
Commitments and contingencies (Note 6)		
<b>Shareholders' deficit:</b>		
Ordinary shares, £0.0001 nominal value 1,199,151 shares authorized, issued and outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020.	—	—
B ordinary shares, £0.0001 nominal value 575,908 and 680,980 shares authorized and issued as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and 0 and 247,086 shares outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020.	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	2,310	2,574
Accumulated other comprehensive income	138	115
Accumulated deficit	(5,874)	(11,093)
Total shareholders' deficit	(3,426)	(8,404)
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	\$ 5,430	\$ 4,478

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Orexia Limited**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 3,565	\$ 4,911
Acquired in-process research and development	2,073	—
General and administrative	228	253
Loss from operations	(5,866)	(5,164)
Interest expense, net	(3)	(51)
Foreign currency loss	(5)	(4)
Net loss	<u>\$ (5,874)</u>	<u>\$ (5,219)</u>
Other comprehensive income:		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	138	(23)
Total comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (5,736)</u>	<u>\$ (5,242)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*



**Orexia Limited**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands, except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares		Shareholders' deficit							
	Series A		Ordinary		B Ordinary		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income	Accumulated deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
Balance at January 1, 2019	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Sale of Series A convertible preferred shares	4,200,000	7,735	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	—	—	1,199,151	—	—	—	2,073	—	—	2,073
Issuance of B ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	575,908	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	237	—	—	237
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	138	—	138
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,874)	(5,874)
Balance at December 31, 2019	4,200,000	7,735	1,199,151	—	575,908	—	2,310	138	(5,874)	(3,426)
Proceeds from Series A capital contribution	—	2,917	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of B ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	105,072	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	264	—	—	264
Foreign currency translation adjustment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(23)	—	(23)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,219)	(5,219)
Balance at December 31, 2020	4,200,000	\$10,652	1,199,151	\$ —	680,980	\$ —	\$ 2,574	\$ 115	\$ (11,093)	\$ (8,404)

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Orexia Limited**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (5,874)	\$ (5,219)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Stock-based compensation	237	264
Acquired in-process research and development	2,073	—
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(177)	28
Research tax incentive receivable	(831)	(1,257)
Accounts payable	40	98
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	1,041	(376)
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(3,491)</u>	<u>(6,462)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from loan with related party	—	1,332
Proceeds from the sale of Series A convertible preferred stock	7,735	2,917
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>7,735</u>	<u>4,249</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	137	(83)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	4,381	(2,296)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	—	4,381
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>\$ 4,381</u>	<u>\$ 2,085</u>
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:		
Cash paid for interest	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>
Non-cash investing and financing activities:		
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	<u>\$ 2,073</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Orexia Limited****Notes to the Financial Statements****1. Nature of Operations**

Orexia Limited (the Company), a United Kingdom corporation incorporated in October 2018, is a clinical stage pharmaceutical company developing medicines for the treatment of narcolepsy. The Company is designing novel oral small molecule OX2R and intranasal OX2R agonists and positive modulators, which would influence orexin neurotransmission differently. The Company is in its preclinical trial phase.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$11.1 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company’s operations is expected to be funded from Centessa’s cash resources.

The Company’s operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical and studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company’s product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and the proceeds received by Centessa from its Series A financing, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since

early March 2020 the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

### **3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### ***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

#### ***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed, and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. Significant areas that required management's estimates included the research tax incentive receivable and the fair value of the Company's shared based compensation.

#### ***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, research tax incentive receivable, prepaid expenses, accounts payable, accrued expenses and other current liabilities and loan with related party, approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

#### ***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

#### ***Cash and cash equivalents***

The Company considers all highly liquid investments that have maturities of three months or less when acquired to be cash equivalents.

#### ***Research Tax Incentive Receivable***

The research tax credit is granted to companies by the United Kingdom tax authorities in order to encourage them to conduct technical and scientific research. Companies that have expenditures that meet the required criteria within the United Kingdom receive a tax credit that can be used for the payment of the corporate tax due for the fiscal year in which the expenditures were made and the next three fiscal years, or can be reimbursed in cash.

The expenses taken into account for the calculation of the credit involve only research expenses. The Company's estimate of the amount of cash refund it expects to receive related to the tax credit is included in tax incentive receivables in the accompanying balance sheets and such amounts are recorded as reduction of research and development expense in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. During the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company recorded reductions to research and development expenses of \$0.8 million and \$1.3 million, respectively.

***Share-based compensation***

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares. Options with nominal exercise prices are accounted for as restricted share-based payments.

***Research and Development***

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's consolidated financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

***Acquired In-Process Research and Development***

Acquired in-process research and development, (IPR&D), expense consists of the initial up-front payments incurred in connection with the acquisition or licensing of products or technologies that do not meet the definition of a business under FASB ASC Topic 805, *Business Combinations*. The Company's acquired IPR&D expense of \$2.1 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and reflects the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares issued to acquire the license from Heptares Therapeutics (see Note 6).

***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all, or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

***Other Comprehensive Income***

Other comprehensive income is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive income impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

***Foreign Currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' equity and as other comprehensive income (loss) on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

***JOBS Act Accounting Election***

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

***Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements***

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial

instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2020-06 on financial position, results of operations or cash flows. The impact on our diluted earnings per share could be material upon the adoption of ASU 2020-06.

#### 4. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>December 31, 2019</u>	<u>December 31, 2020</u>
Compensation and related benefits	\$ 1,080	\$ 715

#### 5. Loan with Related Party

In December 2020, the Company entered into a loan agreement with Inexia Limited, a biotechnology company owned by the Company's shareholders and received aggregate proceeds of \$1.3 million. The loan bears interest at a rate of 2.1% and matures at the earlier of (i) a share sale of the Company, (ii) an insolvency event occurring for the Company and (iii) upon demand. Interest expense was de minimis for the year ended December 31, 2020.

#### 6. Commitments

##### *Research Collaboration and License Agreement*

In September 2019, the Company entered into a world-wide exclusive research collaboration and license agreement with X-Chem, Inc, or X-Chem, to further develop and commercialize, the licensed technology for the OX2. The Company is responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug products for exploitation. The Company made an upfront payment to X-Chem of \$300,000 that was immediately expensed within research and development expenses as the license has no alternative future use. The Company is also required to make additional payments contingent upon approval to advance to particular series. The Company is obligated to make up to \$24.8 million in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones and \$60 million upon the achievement of commercial milestones. The Company is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology.

##### *Amended and Restated License, Assignment, and Research Services Agreement*

In January 2019, the Company entered into an exclusive worldwide license agreement with Heptares Therapeutics Limited, or Heptares, to further develop and commercialize, the licensed technology for Orexin Agonist. The Company is responsible for supplying all active pharmaceutical ingredients and finished drug product for exploitation. The Company is obligated to make up to \$17.2 million (£12.6 million at an exchange rate of 0.73) in payments upon the achievement of development and regulatory milestones. The Company is also obligated to make future commercial milestone payments at low to mid-single digit royalty rates for net product sales and is subject to adjustment in the event the Company sublicenses the approved technology. In addition, the Company is obligated to fund any development related costs associated with the licensed technology. Upon entering into the license agreement, the Company issued 1,199,151 ordinary shares to Heptares with a nominal value of £0.0001 per share with an estimated fair value of \$2.1 million.

***Material Transfer Agreement and Use License***

In August 2019, the Company entered into a material transfer and use license agreement with Nagoya University, or Nagoya, for the transfer and use of the licensed technology for Orexin-tTA mouse line. The Company is responsible for all pre-agreed delivery charges. The Company made an upfront payment of \$7,500 that was immediately expensed within research and development as the license has no alternative future use.

***Employment Agreements***

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

***Litigation***

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

**7. Convertible Preferred Shares and Ordinary Shares**

***Ordinary shares***

Each share of ordinary shares and B ordinary shares entitles the holder to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders. Subject to the rights of holders of convertible preferred shares, ordinary and B ordinary shareholders are entitled to receive dividends, as may be declared by the board of directors, if any. No dividends had been declared through December 31, 2020.

***Convertible preferred shares***

The Company has Series A convertible preferred shares, which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. In 2019, the Company completed an equity financing in which the Company issued and sold 4,200,000 Series A convertible preferred shares in exchange for \$5.0 million (€4.4 million at an exchange rate of 0.88). Investors are subject to capital call requirements for an aggregate amount of €20 million (\$22.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.88) if certain milestones are met. In 2019, the Company received \$2.8 million (€2.5 million at an exchange rate of 0.90) in capital contributions in relation to these milestone requirements. In 2020, the Company received \$2.9 million (€2.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.92) in capital contributions related to these milestone requirements. As of December 31, 2020, the Series A investors are subject to an additional capital call totaling €10.4 million (\$12.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) related to the last milestone. Upon entering into the merger agreement with Centessa Pharmaceuticals in February 2021, all funding obligations were transferred to Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

***Dividends***

The holders of Series A preferred shares, are entitled to dividends, if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. No dividends were declared or paid during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

***Voting***

The holders of Series A preferred shares are entitled to one vote for each ordinary share of preferred shares may be converted and certain significant company events require majority approval from the Series A preferred shareholders as a separate class.



**Liquidation preference**

In the event of a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, either voluntary or involuntary, or in the event of a deemed liquidation event, which includes a sale of the Company as defined in the Company’s articles of association, holders of Series A shares are entitled to receive, in preference to all other shareholders, an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any declared and unpaid dividends. If upon the occurrence of such event, the assets and funds available for distribution are insufficient to pay such holders the full amount to which they are entitled, then the entire assets and funds legally available for distribution shall be distributed ratably among the holders of the Series A preferred shares in proportion to the full amounts to which they would otherwise be entitled.

After payment in full of the liquidation preference of the Series A preferred shares, any remaining assets shall be distributed ratably to the holders of ordinary and B ordinary shares.

**Conversion**

Each share of Series A is convertible into ordinary shares at any time at the option of the holder thereof at the conversion price then in effect. All shares of Series A are convertible into ordinary shares at the affirmative election of the holders of at least a majority of the outstanding shares of preferred stock at the conversion price then in effect.

The Company may at any time require the conversion of all outstanding preferred shares upon an initial public offering of its ordinary shares.

**8. Share-Based Compensation**

The Company grants equity incentive shares, designated as B ordinary shares, to its employees, executives, and consultants and are purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount within one year from grant date. Generally, the awards vest over 4 years, 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter. Upon a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Company’s ordinary shares, the B ordinary shares convert, on a 1:1 basis, into ordinary shares. The Company accounts for B ordinary shares as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the purchase price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Company’s statement of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation of approximately \$0.2 million for each of years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

	Shares	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value
Nonvested at January 1, 2019	—	
Granted and exercised	575,908	\$ 1.73
Nonvested at December 31, 2019	575,908	\$ 1.73
Granted and exercised	105,072	\$ 2.36
Vested	(247,086)	\$ 1.73
Nonvested at December 31, 2020	433,894	\$ 1.89

As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to B ordinary shares was \$0.8 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 1.8 years.

**9. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating loss carryforwards	\$ 357	\$ 931
Fixed assets	186	190
Deferred tax assets	542	1,121
Less: valuation allowance	(542)	(1,121)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019. The valuation allowance increased by approximately \$0.5 million and \$ 0.6 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Tax at statutory rate benefit	19%	19%
Stock compensation	(1%)	(1%)
IP research and development	(7%)	— %
Research and development	(5%)	(9%)
Change in tax rate	(1%)	1%
Change in valuation allowance	(5%)	(10%)
	<u>— %</u>	<u>— %</u>

The Company has UK NOL carryforwards and research and development tax credits of approximately \$4.9 million as of December 31, 2020 and they do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined in UK tax law.

The Company will recognize interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as a component of income tax expense. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had no accrued interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions and no amounts have been recognized in the Company's statement of operations. Due to NOL and tax credit carry forwards that remain unutilized, income tax returns for tax years from 2019 and 2020 remain subject to examination by the taxing jurisdictions. The NOL carryforwards remain subject to review until utilized.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as an interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

**10. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determine that there are no other items to disclose.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors  
Inexia Limited  
London, United Kingdom

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Inexia Limited, which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

***Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

***Opinion***

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Inexia Limited as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
March 12, 2021

**Inexia Limited**  
**Balance Sheets**

<i>(in thousands, except share data)</i>	December 31,	
	2019	2020
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,531	\$ 1,166
Research tax incentive receivable	531	1,361
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	107	109
Loan receivable with related party	—	1,369
Total assets and current assets	<u>\$ 7,169</u>	<u>\$ 4,005</u>
<b>Liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 41	\$ 138
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	606	253
Total liabilities and current liabilities	<u>647</u>	<u>391</u>
Commitments and contingencies (note 6)		
Convertible preferred shares, £0.0001 nominal value:		
Series A convertible preferred shares: 4,000,000 shares authorized, issued and outstanding (liquidation value of \$10,177 at December 31, 2020)	9,361	9,361
Shareholders' deficit:		
Ordinary shares, £0.0001 nominal value: 1,142,049 shares authorized, issued and outstanding	—	—
B ordinary shares, £0.0001 nominal value: 548,482 and 648,550 shares authorized and issued, 0 and 235,319 shares outstanding at December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	2,410	2,675
Accumulated other comprehensive income	63	80
Accumulated deficit	(5,312)	(8,502)
Total shareholders' deficit	<u>(2,839)</u>	<u>(5,747)</u>
Total liabilities, convertible preferred shares and shareholders' deficit	<u>\$ 7,169</u>	<u>\$ 4,005</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Inexia Limited**  
**Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2019</u>	<u>Year Ended December 31, 2020</u>
Operating expenses:		
Research and development	\$ 2,445	\$ 3,001
Acquired in-process research and development	2,171	—
General and administrative	693	157
Loss from operations	(5,309)	(3,158)
Foreign currency loss	(3)	(32)
Net loss	<u>\$ (5,312)</u>	<u>\$ (3,190)</u>
Other comprehensive income:		
Foreign exchange translation adjustment	63	17
Comprehensive loss	<u>\$ (5,249)</u>	<u>\$ (3,173)</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*

**Inexia Limited**  
**Statements of Convertible Preferred Shares and Shareholders' Deficit**  
(in thousands except share data)

	Convertible preferred shares		Shareholders' deficit							
	Series A		Ordinary		B Ordinary		Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive income	Accumulated deficit	Total
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount				
Balance at January 1, 2019	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Issuance of Series A convertible preferred shares, net	4,000,000	9,361	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issuance of ordinary shares to acquire license	—	—	1,142,049	—	—	—	2,171	—	—	2,171
Issuance of B ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	548,482	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	239	—	—	239
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	—	63
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5,312)	(5,312)
Balance at December 31, 2019	4,000,000	9,361	1,142,049	—	548,482	—	2,410	63	(5,312)	(2,839)
Issuance of B ordinary shares	—	—	—	—	100,068	—	—	—	—	—
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	—	—	—	—	265	—	—	265
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	17
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(3,190)	(3,190)
Balance at December 31, 2020	<u>4,000,000</u>	<u>\$9,361</u>	<u>1,142,049</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>648,550</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 2,675</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>	<u>\$ (8,502)</u>	<u>\$(5,747)</u>

See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.

**Inexia Limited**  
**Statements of Cash Flows**

<u>(in thousands)</u>	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (5,312)	\$ (3,190)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Share-based compensation	239	265
Acquired in-process research and development	2,171	—
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Research tax incentives receivable	(511)	(763)
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(102)	1
Accounts payable	40	90
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	581	(349)
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(2,894)</u>	<u>(3,946)</u>
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Issuance of related party loan	—	(1,332)
Net cash used investing activities	<u>—</u>	<u>(1,332)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from the sale of Series A convertible preferred shares, net	9,361	—
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>9,361</u>	<u>—</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	64	(87)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	6,531	(5,365)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	—	6,531
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>\$ 6,531</u>	<u>\$ 1,166</u>

*See accompanying notes to audited financial statements.*



**Inexia Limited**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**

**1. Nature of Operations**

Inexia Limited (the Company), a biotechnology company founded in 2018, is a clinical stage pharmaceutical company developing medicines for the treatment of narcolepsy, a rare neurological condition that affects the brain's ability to regulate the normal sleep-wake cycle. The Company is working to develop medicines that address the full spectrum of orexin dysfunction disease. Orexin, also called a hypocretin is a key regulator of wakefulness and REM sleep.

**2. Risks and Liquidity**

The Company is subject to risks common to other life science companies in the early development stage including, but not limited to, uncertainty of product development and commercialization, lack of marketing and sales history, development by its competitors of new technological innovations, dependence on key personnel, market acceptance of products, product liability, protection of proprietary technology, ability to raise additional financing and compliance with government regulations, in the markets in which the Company is seeking approvals, including U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") regulations. If the Company does not successfully advance its programs into and through human clinical trials and/or enter into collaborations for its programs and commercialize any of its product candidates, it may be unable to produce product revenue or achieve profitability.

The Company has incurred recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$8.5 million as of December 31, 2020. The Company anticipates incurring additional losses until such time, if ever, that it can generate significant sales of its product candidates currently in development. Substantial additional capital will be needed by the Company to fund its operations and to develop its product candidates. In January 2021, Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, or Centessa, acquired 100% of the equity interests of eleven biotechnology companies, including the Company, in exchange for ordinary shares of Centessa. Concurrent with the acquisition, Centessa completed a Series A preferred equity financing, whereby Centessa received gross proceeds of \$250.0 million comprised of \$245.0 million in proceeds from the sale of its Series A preferred shares and the conversion of \$5.0 million in convertible debt. As the Company became a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa, future funding of the Company's operations is expected to be funded from Centessa's cash resources.

The Company's operations have consisted primarily of organizing the Company, securing financing, developing licensed technology, performing research, conducting preclinical studies and conducting clinical trials. The Company faces risks associated with early-stage biotechnology companies whose product candidates are in development. Product candidates currently under development will require significant additional research and development efforts, including extensive preclinical and clinical testing, establishing manufacturing capacity and regulatory approval prior to commercialization. These efforts require significant amounts of additional capital for the Company to complete its research and development, achieve its research and development objectives, defend its intellectual property rights, and recruit and retain skilled personnel, and key members of management. Even if the Company's product development efforts are successful, it is uncertain when, if ever, the Company will realize significant revenue from product sales.

The Company expects that its cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020, and the proceeds received by Centessa from its Series A financing, will be sufficient to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date these financial statements were made available for issuance.

***Global Pandemic – COVID-19***

On March 10, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the novel COVID-19 virus as a global pandemic. The Company is continuing to proactively monitor and assess COVID-19, global pandemic. Since early March the Company has activated a management team taskforce to assess the potential impact on its business that may result from this rapidly evolving crisis and to avoid any unnecessary potential delays to the Company's programs. At this time, the lead programs and research activities remain on track. The safety and well-being of employees, patients and partners is the Company's highest priority. At the current time, the Company is unable to quantify the potential effects of this pandemic on its future operations.

**3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

***Basis of Presentation***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Any reference in these notes to applicable guidance is meant to refer to GAAP as found in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements include all normal and recurring adjustments, which consist primarily of accruals, estimates and assumptions that are considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and 2020 and its results of operations and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020.

***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Estimates and assumptions are periodically reviewed, and the effects of the revisions are reflected in the accompanying financial statements in the period they are determined to be necessary. Significant areas that required management's estimates included the research tax incentive receivable and the fair value of the Company's share-based compensation.

***Fair Value of Financial Instruments***

Management believes that the carrying amounts of the Company's financial instruments, including cash equivalents, research tax incentive receivable, loan receivable with related party, prepaid expenses, and accounts payable and accrued expenses, approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments.

***Concentration of credit risk***

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains deposits in federally insured financial institutions in excess of federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

***Cash and cash equivalents***

The Company considers all highly liquid investments that have maturities of three months or less when acquired to be cash equivalents.

**Research Tax Incentive Receivable**

The research tax credit is granted to companies by the United Kingdom tax authorities in order to encourage them to conduct technical and scientific research. Companies that have expenditures that meet the required criteria within the United Kingdom receive a tax credit that can be used for the payment of the corporate tax due for the fiscal year in which the expenditures were made and the next three fiscal years, or can be reimbursed in cash.

The expenses taken into account for the calculation of the credit involve only research expenses. The Company's estimate of the amount of cash refund it expects to receive related to the tax credit is included in research tax incentive receivable in the accompanying balance sheets and such amounts are recorded as reduction of research and development expense in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. During the years ending December 31, 2019 and 2020, the Company recorded reductions to research and development expenses of \$0.5 million and \$0.8 million, respectively.

**Share-based compensation**

The Company measures share-based awards at their grant-date fair value and records compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of the awards. Estimating the fair value of share-based awards requires the input of subjective assumptions, including the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares. Options with nominal exercise prices are accounted for as restricted share-based payments.

**Research and Development**

Research and development costs are expensed as incurred and consist primarily of funds paid to third parties for the provision of services for product candidate development, clinical and preclinical development and related supply and manufacturing costs, and regulatory compliance costs. The Company accrues and expenses preclinical studies and clinical trial activities performed by third parties based upon estimates of the proportion of work completed over the term of the individual trial and patient enrollment rates in accordance with agreements with clinical research organizations and clinical trial sites. The Company determines the estimates by reviewing contracts, vendor agreements and purchase orders, and through discussions with internal clinical personnel and external service providers as to the progress or stage of completion of trials or services and the agreed-upon fee to be paid for such services. However, actual costs and timing of clinical trials are highly uncertain, subject to risks and may change depending upon a number of factors, including the Company's clinical development plan.

Management makes estimates of the Company's accrued expenses as of each balance sheet date in the Company's financial statements based on facts and circumstances known to the Company at that time. If the actual timing of the performance of services or the level of effort varies from the estimate, the Company will adjust the accrual accordingly. Nonrefundable advance payments for goods and services, including fees for process development or manufacturing and distribution of clinical supplies that will be used in future research and development activities, are deferred and recognized as expense in the period that the related goods are consumed or services are performed.

**Acquired In-Process Research and Development**

Acquired in-process research and development (IPR&D) expense consists of the initial up-front payments incurred in connection with the acquisition or licensing of products or technologies that do not meet the definition of a business under FASB ASC Topic 805, *Business Combinations*. The Company's acquired IPR&D expense of \$2.2 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and reflects the estimated fair value of the Company's ordinary shares issued to acquire the license from Heptares Therapeutics (see Note 6).

***Income Taxes***

Income taxes are accounted for under the asset-and-liability method as required by FASB ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* (ASC 740). Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss and tax credit carryforwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period corresponding to the enactment date. Under ASC 740, a valuation allowance is required when it is more likely than not all, or some portion of the deferred tax assets will not be realized through generating sufficient future taxable income.

FASB ASC Subtopic 740-10, *Accounting for Uncertainty of Income Taxes*, (ASC 740-10) defines the criterion an individual tax position must meet for any part of the benefit of the tax position to be recognized in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP. The Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more likely than not such tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based solely on the technical merits of the respective tax position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a tax position should be measured based on the largest benefit having a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the tax authority. In accordance with the disclosure requirements of ASC 740-10, the Company's policy on income statement classification of interest and penalties related to income tax obligations is to include such items as part of total interest expense and other expense, respectively.

***Other Comprehensive Loss***

Other comprehensive income (loss) is defined as the change in equity of a business enterprise during a period from transactions and other events and circumstances from non-owner sources. The only component of other comprehensive income (loss) impacting the Company is foreign currency translation.

***Foreign Currencies***

The Company's financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars, the reporting currency of the Company. The Company's functional currency is the British Pound. Expenses have been translated into U.S. dollars at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Assets and liabilities have been translated at the rates of exchange on the balance sheets dates and equity accounts at their respective historical rates. The resulting translation gain and loss adjustments are recorded directly as a separate component of shareholders' equity and as other comprehensive income (loss) on the statements of operations and comprehensive loss. Transactions denominated in a currency other than the Company's functional currency are remeasured based upon the exchange rate at the date of remeasurement with the resulting gain or loss included in the accompanying statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

***JOBS Act Accounting Election***

The Company is an emerging growth company, as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the JOBS Act). Under the JOBS Act, emerging growth companies can delay adopting new or revised accounting standards issued subsequent to the enactment of the JOBS Act until such time as those standards apply to private companies. The Company has elected to use this extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards that have different effective dates for public and private companies until the earlier of the date that it is (i) no longer an emerging growth company or (ii) affirmatively and irrevocably opt out of the extended transition period provided in the JOBS Act. As a result, these financial statements may not be comparable to companies that comply with the new or revised accounting pronouncements as of public company effective dates.

**Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements**

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires a lessee to record a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability on the balance sheet for all leases with terms longer than 12 months. A modified retrospective transition approach is required for lessees for capital and operating leases existing at, or entered into after, the beginning of the earliest comparative period presented in the financial statements, with certain practical expedients available. As the Company has elected to use the extended transition period for complying with new or revised accounting standards as available under the Jobs Act, the standard is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the expected impact that the standard could have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

In August 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-06, "(Subtopic 470-20): *Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options*" ("ASU 2020-06") to address the complexity associated with applying GAAP to certain financial instruments with characteristics of liabilities and equity. ASU 2020-06 includes amendments to the guidance on convertible instruments and the derivative scope exception for contracts in an entity's own equity and simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments which include beneficial conversion features or cash conversion features by removing certain separation models in Subtopic 470-20. Additionally, ASU 2020-06 will require entities to use the "if-converted" method when calculating diluted earnings per share for convertible instruments. ASU 2020-06 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 (fiscal year 2024 for the Company), including interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of ASU 2020-06 on financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

**4. Loan Receivable with Related Party**

In December 2020, the Company entered into a loan agreement with Orexia Limited, a biotechnology company owned by the Company's shareholders and issued a loan receivable of \$1.4 million. The loan bears interest at a rate of 2.1% and matures at the earlier of (i) a share sale of Orexia Limited, (ii) an insolvency event occurring for Orexia Limited and (iii) upon demand by the Company. Interest income was de minimis for the year ended December 31, 2020.

**5. Accrued Expenses and Other Current Liabilities**

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consisted of the following:

<u>(in thousands)</u>	<u>December 31, 2019</u>	<u>December 31, 2020</u>
Compensation and related benefits	\$ 6	\$ 24
Research and development	600	229
	<u>\$ 606</u>	<u>\$ 253</u>

**6. Commitments and Contingencies*****Amended and Restated License, Assignment, and Research Services Agreement***

In January 2019, the Company and Heptares Therapeutics Limited (Heptares) entered into a license and research service agreement whereby Heptares granted an exclusive, sublicensable worldwide license to further develop, manufacture and commercialize licensed technology for the development of intranasal orexin receptor antagonist. In addition, Heptares is responsible for certain research and development activities and the parties formed a joint research committee to oversee and manage related research and development activities. Upon entering into the license agreement, the Company issued 1,142,049 ordinary shares to Heptares with a nominal value of £0.0001 per share with an estimated fair value of \$2.2 million.

Per the agreement the Company is to pay Heptares for research and development services based on providing full-time equivalents and other support relating to the conduct of the discovery and preclinical development programs. The Company made an upfront payment to Heptares of \$0.3 million that was expensed during the research and development period for the year ended December 31, 2019. In addition, the Company is obligated to make up to \$16.6 million in development milestone payments (£12.1 million at an exchange rate of 0.73).

***License Agreement with OptiNose***

In January 2019, the Company and OptiNose AS, or OptiNose, entered into a license agreement whereby the Company was granted an exclusive, royalty-bearing, worldwide, non-transferable, sublicensable license to OptiNose's Exhalation Delivery System, or EDS, and other intellectual property for the development, sale, import and manufacture of products containing orexin receptor agonist and/or orexin receptor positive modulator molecule(s) as the sole active pharmaceutical ingredient(s) for the treatment, diagnosis or prevention of human diseases or conditions associated primarily with orexin receptor agonism and orexin receptor positive modulation. The Company is solely responsible for all costs and activities related to its identification, development, and commercialization of products under the license agreement.

The Company made an upfront payment of \$0.5 million to OptiNose that was immediately expensed as the in-process research and development has no alternative future use. In addition, the Company is obligated to make up to \$8.0 million and \$37.0 million in development and commercial milestone payments, respectively. In addition, OptiNose is eligible to receive tiered, low-to-mid single digit royalties based on net sales of any products successfully developed and commercialized under the license agreement.

***Employment Agreements***

The Company has entered into employment agreements with key personnel providing for compensation and severance in certain circumstances, as described in the respective employment agreements.

***Litigation***

Liabilities for loss contingencies arising from claims, assessments, litigation, fines, penalties, and other sources are recorded when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. There are no matters currently outstanding.

**7. Convertible Preferred Shares and Ordinary Shares**

***Convertible Preferred Shares***

The Company has Series A convertible preferred shares, which are classified outside of shareholders' deficit because the shares contain deemed liquidation rights that are contingent redemption features not solely within the control of the Company. In 2019, the Company completed an equity financing in which the Company issued and sold 4,000,000 Series A convertible preferred shares in exchange for \$4.5 million (€3.9 million at an exchange rate of 0.87). Investors are subject to capital call requirements for an aggregate amount of €20 million (\$22.7 million at an exchange rate of 0.88) if certain milestones are met. In 2019, the Company received \$4.9 million (€4.4 million at an exchange rate of 0.90) in capital contributions in relation to these milestone requirements. As of December 31, 2020, the Series A investors are subject to an additional capital call totaling €11.6 million (\$14.2 million at an exchange rate of 0.82) related to the last milestone. Upon entering into the merger agreement with Centessa Pharmaceuticals in February 2021, all funding obligations were transferred to Centessa Pharmaceuticals.

***Dividends***

The holders of Series A convertible preferred shares are entitled to dividends if and when declared by the Company's board of directors. As of December 31, 2020, no dividends have been declared.

***Voting***

Each Series A convertible preferred share is entitled to a vote on an as-converted basis and certain significant Company events require majority approval from the Preferred Shareholders as a separate class.

***Conversion***

Each Series A convertible preferred share is convertible, at the holder's option, into such number of ordinary shares on a one-to-one basis and equal to the conversion price then in effect. The conversion price is subject to

adjustments for splits, dividends, distributions, and other similar recapitalization events. Upon consummation of a qualified initial public offering of the Company's securities, the Series A convertible preferred shares will automatically convert into ordinary shares.

**Liquidation Preference**

Upon the liquidation, sale, or merger of the Company (collectively, the Liquidation), the Series A convertible preferred shares are entitled to receive an amount equal to the original issuance price plus any unpaid declared. If there are additional available assets from the liquidation after the initial liquidation payments, the remaining available assets will be distributed to the ordinary shareholders.

**Ordinary Shares**

Ordinary shares and B Ordinary Shares confer upon its holders voting rights, the right to receive cash and stock dividends, if declared, and the right to share in excess assets upon liquidation of the Company. The holders of ordinary and B Ordinary Shares are entitled to one vote per share.

**8. Share-Based Compensation**

The Company grants equity incentive shares, designated as B ordinary shares, to its employees, executives, and consultants and are purchased by the recipient for a nominal amount within one year from grant date. Generally, the awards vest over four years, 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and ratably each quarter thereafter. Upon a change in control event or an initial public offering of the Company's ordinary shares, the B ordinary shares convert, on a 1:1 basis, into ordinary shares. The Company accounts for B ordinary shares as restricted shares for share-based compensation purposes as the exercise price is nominal. Share-based compensation expense is recorded within research and development expenses within the Company's statements of operations and comprehensive loss. The Company recognized share-based compensation of \$0.2 million and \$0.3 million during the year ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

	Shares	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value
Nonvested at January 1, 2019	—	
Granted and exercised	548,482	\$ 1.83
Nonvested at December 31, 2019	548,482	\$ 1.83
Granted and exercised	100,068	\$ 2.50
Vested	(235,319)	\$ 1.83
Nonvested at December 31, 2020	<u>413,231</u>	\$ 1.99

As of December 31, 2020, the total unrecognized compensation expense related to B ordinary shares was \$0.8 million, which the Company expects to recognize over a weighted-average period of 1.8 years.

**9. Income Taxes**

The tax effects of temporary differences that gave rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31,	
	2019	2020
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating loss carryforwards	\$ 351	\$ 712
Fixed assets	175	179
Deferred tax assets	526	891
Less: valuation allowance	(526)	(891)
	\$ —	\$ —

In assessing the need for a valuation allowance, management must determine that there will be sufficient taxable income to allow for the realization of deferred tax assets. Based upon the historical and anticipated future losses, management has determined that the deferred tax assets do not meet the more-likely-than-not threshold for realizability. Accordingly, a full valuation allowance has been recorded against the Company's net deferred tax assets as of December 31, 2019 and 2020. The valuation allowance increased by \$0.5 million and \$0.4 million during the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020, respectively.

A reconciliation of the United Kingdom income tax rate to the Company's effective tax rate is as follows:

	Year Ended December 31, 2019	Year Ended December 31, 2020
Tax benefit at statutory rate	19%	19%
Stock compensation	(1)%	(2)%
IP research and development	(4)%	— %
Research and development	(4)%	(9)%
Change in tax rate	(1)%	2%
Change in valuation allowance	(9)%	(10)%
	— %	— %

The Company has NOL carryforwards and research and development tax credits of approximately \$3.7 million as of December 31, 2020 and they do not expire. The NOL carryforwards may be lost in certain circumstances after a change in control, as defined in UK tax law.

Tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns are required to be evaluated to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely-than-not threshold, as well as accrued interest and penalties, if any, would be recorded as an interest and penalties expense in the current year. There were no uncertain tax positions that require accrual or disclosure to the financial statements as of December 31, 2019 and 2020.

**10. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from the balance sheet date through March 12, 2021, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued, and determine that there are no other items.



**American Depositary Shares**  
**Representing Ordinary Shares**



**Morgan Stanley**  
**Jefferies**

**Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC**  
**Evercore ISI**

Through and including \_\_\_\_\_, 2021 (the 25th day after the date of this prospectus), all dealers effecting transactions in these securities, whether or not participating in this offering, may be required to deliver a prospectus. This is in addition to a dealer's obligation to deliver a prospectus when acting as an underwriter and with respect to an unsold allotment or subscription.

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**PART II**

**Information Not Required in Prospectus**

**Item 13. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution.**

The following table sets forth the fees and expenses, other than underwriting discounts and commissions, which are expected to be incurred in connection with our sale of ADSs in this offering. With the exception of the registration fee payable to the SEC, the Nasdaq listing fee and the filing fee payable to FINRA, all amounts are estimates.

SEC registration fee	\$	*
FINRA filing fee		*
Nasdaq listing fee		*
Printing and engraving expenses		*
Legal fees and expenses		*
Accounting fees and expenses		*
Miscellaneous fees and expenses		*
Total	<u>\$</u>	*

\* To be provided by amendment.

**Item 14. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.**

Subject to the Companies Act, members of the registrant's board of directors and its officers (excluding auditors) have the benefit of the following indemnification provisions in the registrant's Articles of Association:

Current and former members of the registrant's board of directors or officers shall be reimbursed for:

- (i) all costs, charges, losses, expenses and liabilities sustained or incurred in relation to his or her actual or purported execution of his or her duties in relation to the registrant, including any liability incurred in defending any criminal or civil proceedings; and
- (ii) expenses incurred or to be incurred in defending any criminal or civil proceedings, in an investigation by a regulatory authority or against a proposed action to be taken by a regulatory authority, or in connection with any application for relief under the statutes of the United Kingdom and any other statutes that concern and affect the registrant as a company, or collectively the Statutes, arising in relation to the registrant or an associated company, by virtue of the actual or purported execution of the duties of his or her office or the exercise of his or her powers.

In the case of current or former members of the registrant's board of directors, there shall be no entitlement to reimbursement as referred to above for (i) any liability incurred to the registrant or any associated company, (ii) the payment of a fine imposed in any criminal proceeding or a penalty imposed by a regulatory authority for non-compliance with any requirement of a regulatory nature, (iii) the defense of any criminal proceeding if the member of the registrant's board of directors is convicted, (iv) the defense of any civil proceeding brought by the registrant or an associated company in which judgment is given against the director and (v) any application for relief under the statutes of the United Kingdom and any other statutes that concern and affect the registrant as a company in which the court refuses to grant relief to the director.

In addition, members of the registrant's board of directors and its officers who have received payment from the registrant under these indemnification provisions must repay the amount they received in accordance with the Statutes or in any other circumstances that the registrant may prescribe or where the registrant has reserved the right to require repayment.

The underwriting agreement the registrant will enter into in connection with the offering of ADSs being registered hereby provides that the underwriters will indemnify, under certain conditions, the registrant's board of directors and its officers against certain liabilities arising in connection with this offering.

**Item 15. Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities.**

In the three years preceding the filing of this Registration Statement, we have issued the following securities that were not registered under the Securities Act:

*(a) Issuances of Share Capital*

In January 2021, we issued 44,545,456 Series A preferred shares to 16 investors for an aggregate subscription price of \$245 million.

The sales of securities described above were deemed to be exempt from registration pursuant to Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act, including Regulation D and Rule 506 promulgated thereunder, as transactions by an issuer not involving a public offering, or pursuant to Regulation S promulgated under the Securities Act in that offers, sales and issuances were not made to persons in the United States and no directed selling efforts were made in the United States. All of the purchasers in these transactions represented to us in connection with their purchase that they were acquiring the securities for investment and not distribution, that they could bear the risks of the investment and could hold the securities for an indefinite period of time. Such purchasers received written disclosures that the securities had not been registered under the Securities Act and that any resale must be made pursuant to a registration or an available exemption from such registration. All of the foregoing securities are deemed restricted securities for the purposes of the Securities Act.

*(b) Grants and Exercises of Options and Restricted Share Awards*

From our inception to the date of the prospectus that forms a part of this registration statement, we issued share options to subscribe for an aggregate of            ordinary shares, with exercise prices ranging from £            to £            per ordinary share, to employees and directors.

From our inception to the date of the prospectus that forms a part of this registration statement, we issued            ordinary shares to individuals upon exercise of options for an aggregate subscription price of £            .

The issuances of the securities described above were deemed to be exempt from registration pursuant to Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act or Rule 701 promulgated under the Securities Act as transactions pursuant to compensatory benefit plans, or pursuant to Regulation S promulgated under the Securities Act in that offers, sales and issuances were not made to persons in the United States and no directed selling efforts were made in the United States. The ordinary shares issued upon the exercise of options are deemed to be restricted securities for purposes of the Securities Act.

All certificates representing the securities issued in the transactions described in this Item 15 included appropriate legends setting forth that the securities had not been offered or sold pursuant to a registration statement and describing the applicable restrictions on transfer of the securities. There were no underwriters employed in connection with any of the transactions set forth in this Item 15.

**Item 16. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules.**

(a) Exhibits:

Exhibit number	Description of exhibit
1.1 *	Form of Underwriting Agreement.
3.1 *	Articles of Association of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited, as currently in effect.
3.2 *	Form of Articles of Association of the registrant (to be effective upon the closing of this offering).
4.1 *	Form of Deposit Agreement.
4.2 *	Form of American Depositary Receipt (included in Exhibit 4.1).
5.1 *	Opinion of Goodwin Procter (UK) LLP.
10.1*	Registration Rights Agreement by and among the registrant and the Investors listed therein, dated January 29, 2021.
10.2#*	Senior Executive Cash Incentive Bonus Plan.
10.3#*	2021 Employee Share Purchase Plan.
10.4#*	2021 Share Option Plan and forms of award agreements thereunder.
10.5#*	Employment Agreement, dated as of November 19, 2020, between the Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited and Saurabh Saha.
10.7#*	Form of Deed of Indemnity between the registrant and each of its directors and executive officers.
10.8†	<a href="#">License Agreement dated March 15, 2004 (as amended) between Cardiokine Biopharma LLC (a subsidiary of Palladio) and Wyeth LLC (now a subsidiary of Pfizer).</a>
10.9†	<a href="#">License Agreement dated December 7, 2016 (as amended) between ApcinteX and Cambridge Enterprise Limited.</a>
10.10†	<a href="#">License Agreement dated January 2, 2020 (as amended) between Pega-One and Hoffman-la Roche.</a>
10.11	<a href="#">License Agreement dated February 4, 2015 (as amended) between Z Factor and Cambridge Enterprise Limited.</a>
10.12	<a href="#">Contingent Value Rights Agreement, dated as of January 23, 2021, by and among the Registrant, Palladio Biosciences, Inc. and the representative of the holders of contingent value rights under such agreement.</a>
10.13†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between ApcinteX Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.14†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Capella Bioscience LTD, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.15†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Inexia Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.16†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Janpix Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.17†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.18†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Morphogen-IX Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.19†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Orexia Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>

Exhibit number	Description of exhibit
10.20†	<a href="#">Contribution agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Z Factor Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.21†	<a href="#">Contribution Agreement, dated January 23, 2020, by and between Pega-One, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.22†	<a href="#">Contribution Agreement, dated December 31, 2020 (as amended), by and between PearlRiver Bio GmbH, United Medicines Biopharma Limited, and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.23#	<a href="#">Offer of Employment, dated February 27, 2021, by and between Gregory M. Weinhoff, MD, MBA and Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited.</a>
10.24†#	<a href="#">Incentivization agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.25†#	<a href="#">Incentivization agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Morphogen-IX Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
10.26†#	<a href="#">Incentivization agreement, dated January 23, 2021, by and between Z Factor Limited, United Medicines Biopharma Limited and the other parties thereto.</a>
21.1*	Subsidiaries of the registrant.
23.1	<a href="#">Consent of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm.</a>
23.2	<a href="#">Consent of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm.</a>
23.3	<a href="#">Consent of Frazier &amp; Deeter, LLC, independent auditors.</a>
23.4 *	Consent of Goodwin Procter (UK) LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
24.1	<a href="#">Power of Attorney (included on signature page to this registration statement).</a>

\* To be filed by amendment.

† Certain confidential portions (indicated in brackets) have been omitted from this exhibit.

# Indicates a management contract or any compensatory plan, contract or arrangement.

(b) *Financial Statements Schedules:*

Schedules have been omitted because the information required to be set forth therein is not applicable or is shown in the financial statements or notes thereto.

**Item 17. Undertakings.**

Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Act, may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is therefore unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

The Registrant hereby undertakes that:

- (a) The Registrant will provide to the underwriter at the closing as specified in the underwriting agreement, certificates in such denominations and registered in such names as required by the underwriter to permit prompt delivery to each purchaser.

(b) For purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the information omitted from a form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in the form of prospectus filed by the Registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(1) or (4) or 497(h) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, shall be deemed to be part of this registration statement as of the time it was declared effective.

(c) For the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement on Form S-1 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, under the laws and regulations of England and Wales, on April 21, 2021.

**CENTESEA PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED**

By: /s/ Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D

Name: Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.

Title: *Chief Executive Officer*

**SIGNATURES AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Saurabh Saha and Gregory Weinhoff, and each of them, either of whom may act without the joinder of the other, as his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents with full power of substitution and re-substitution, for him or her and in his or her name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this registration statement, and to sign any registration statement for the same offering covered by the registration statement that is to be effective upon filing pursuant to Rule 462(b) promulgated under the Securities Act, and all post-effective amendments thereto, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and all documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents or any of them, or his or their substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done or by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
<u>/s/ Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.</u> Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.	Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.</u> Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Marella Thorell</u> Marella Thorell	Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Francesco De Rubertis, Ph.D.</u> Francesco De Rubertis, Ph.D.	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Arjun Goyal, M.D., M.Phil, M.B.A.</u> Arjun Goyal, M.D., M.Phil, M.B.A.	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Aaron Kantoff</u> Aaron Kantoff	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Brett Zbar, M.D.</u> Brett Zbar, M.D.	Director	April 21, 2021

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
<u>/s/ Mary Lynne Hedley, Ph.D.</u> Mary Lynne Hedley, Ph.D.	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Samarth Kulkarni, Ph.D.</u> Samarth Kulkarni, Ph.D.	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Robert Califf, M.D.</u> Robert Califf, M.D.	Director	April 21, 2021
<u>/s/ Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.</u> Gregory Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.	Authorized Representative in the United States	April 21, 2021



##### Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

LICENSE AGREEMENT

by and between

WYETH,

acting through its

WYETH PHARMACEUTICALS DIVISION,

And

CARDIOKINE, INC.

March 15, 2004

## LICENSE AGREEMENT

This License Agreement (this "Agreement") is entered into this 15th day of March, 2004 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Wyeth, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals Division, ("Wyeth"), and Cardiokine, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 3701 Market St, 4th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19104 ("Cardiokine"). Wyeth and Cardiokine may each be referred to herein individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties".

WHEREAS, Cardiokine is engaged in the research, development and commercialization of human pharmaceutical products;

WHEREAS, Wyeth has developed and owns a vasopressin antagonist compound known as lixivaptan and patents and proprietary know-how relating to products including the Licensed Compound (as defined herein);

WHEREAS, Cardiokine desires to obtain from Wyeth, and Wyeth desires to grant to Cardiokine, a license of such rights for the development and commercialization of pharmaceutical products for use in humans; and

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants set forth below and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

### 1. DEFINITIONS.

For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following respective meanings:

**Affiliate(s).** "Affiliate(s)" shall mean, with respect to any Person, any Person which directly or indirectly through the ownership of equity securities or through other arrangements either controls, or is controlled by or is under common control with, such Person. A Person shall be deemed to be in control of another entity if it owns or controls at least fifty percent (50%) of the equity securities of the subject entity entitled to vote in the election of directors (or, in the case of an entity that is not a corporation, for the election of the corresponding managing authority); *provided, however*, that a Person shall not be deemed to be in control of an entity in which a Person owns a majority of the ordinary voting power to elect a majority of the board of directors or other governing board but is restricted from electing such majority by contract or otherwise, until such time as such restrictions are no longer in effect.

**Calendar Quarter.** "Calendar Quarter" shall mean the respective periods of three (3) consecutive calendar months ending on March 31, June 30, September 30 or December 31, for so long as this Agreement is in effect.

**Cardiokine Know-How.** "Cardiokine Know-How" shall mean all Know-How, whether patentable or not, owned or Controlled by Cardiokine as of the date of termination of this Agreement directed to the Licensed Compound, to Licensed Products, and to the Research, Development, Manufacture or Commercialization of the Licensed Compound and/or Licensed Products.

**Commercialization.** "Commercialization" shall mean any and all activities of using, marketing, promoting, distributing, offering for sale, selling, importing and exporting Licensed Products. When used as a verb, "Commercialize" shall mean to engage in Commercialization.

**Commercially Reasonable Efforts.** "Commercially Reasonable Efforts" shall mean efforts and resources normally used by a Party for a product or compound owned by it or to which it has rights, which is of similar market potential at a similar stage in its development or product life, taking into account issues of safety and efficacy, product profile, the competitiveness of the marketplace, the proprietary position of the compound or product, the regulatory structure involved, the profitability of the applicable products, and other relevant factors.

**Confidential Information.** "Confidential Information" shall mean, with respect to each Party, confidential data or, information, which belong in whole or in part to such Party or its Affiliates and/or information designated as Confidential Information of such Party. The term Confidential Information does not include information which (a) was generally available to the public or otherwise part of the public domain at the time of its receipt, (b) becomes generally available to the public or otherwise part of the public domain other than as a result of disclosure by the Receiving Party (as defined in Section 8 below) in breach of Section 8, (c) becomes available to the Receiving Party on a non-confidential basis from a source other than the Disclosing Party (as defined in Section 8 below) or its Affiliates, provided that, to the Receiving Party's knowledge, such source is not bound by a confidentiality agreement with the Disclosing Party or its Affiliates, (d) is independently developed by the Receiving Party without use of the Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party, (e) is required to be disclosed pursuant to the order or requirement of a court or similarly empowered administrative or government agency provided that Receiving Party shall give Disclosing Party written notice of such order or requirement promptly upon receipt and prior to any disclosure and shall provide reasonable cooperation and assistance in opposing such order or requirement if requested by the Disclosing Party, or (f) was in Receiving Party's possession prior to receipt from the Disclosing Party without any obligations of confidentiality.

**"Controls" or "Controlled"** shall mean with respect to know-how and patent rights, the possession of the ability to grant licenses or sublicenses without violating the terms of any agreement or other arrangement with, or the rights of, any Third Party.

**Development.** "Development" shall mean all activities performed by or on behalf of Cardiokine, its Affiliates or sublicensees in a country or territory with respect to a Licensed Product from the Effective Date that are directly related to obtaining Regulatory Approval of such Licensed Product in such country or territory for the indication under study. When used as a verb, "Develop" shall mean to engage in Development.

**EMEA.** "EMEA" shall mean the European Agency for the Evaluation of Medicinal Products or any successor agency thereto.

**Europe.** "Europe" shall mean the member states of the European Union including the new member states from time to time.

**FDA.** "FDA" shall mean the United States Food and Drug Administration or any successor agency thereto.

**FD&C Act.** "FD&C" Act shall mean the United States Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

**Field.** "Field" means all fields other than Veterinary Use.

**First Commercial Sale.** "First Commercial Sale" shall mean on a country-by-country basis, with respect to any Licensed Product, the first sale of such Licensed Product under this Agreement to a Third Party in a country in the Territory, after such Licensed Product has been granted Regulatory Approval in such country.

**Know-How.** "Know-How" shall mean all proprietary and/or confidential information and data, including, with respect to a compound or a product containing such compound, manufacturing methodology, tangible biological materials, and other information including, for example, information regarding its stability, pharmacology, toxicology, clinical studies, compositions and formulations for administration.

**Licensed Compound.** "Licensed Compound" shall mean lixivaptan, a vasopressin antagonist, with chemical name, [#####], and any pharmaceutically acceptable salt or complex thereof.

**Licensed Know-How.** "Licensed Know-How" shall mean all Know-How, whether patentable or not, that (a) Wyeth or any of its Affiliates owns or Controls as of the Effective Date, (b) is related exclusively to the Licensed Compound, including the Manufacture or use thereof, and (c) is necessary or useful for the Manufacture, sale or use of the Licensed Compound. Licensed Know-How includes clinical information (including clinical data, files, protocols, and reports), as well as manufacturing information (including manufacturing batch records). The Licensed Know-How relating to clinical information is identified in Exhibit B to this Agreement. The Licensed Know-How relating to manufacturing information is not identified in any Exhibit to this Agreement.

**Licensed Patents.** "Licensed Patents" shall mean all Patents owned or Controlled by Wyeth or any of its Affiliates that would, but for the license granted hereunder, be infringed by the manufacture, sale or use of the Licensed Compound. The Licensed Patents as of the Effective Date are listed on Exhibit A. Licensed Patents shall include, (a) all patents that issue from the patent applications listed on Exhibit A, and (b) any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, renewals, revivals, revalidations, substitutes, re-issues, extensions and reexaminations all U.S. and foreign counterpart applications and patents of any of the items described in (a).

**Licensed Product(s).** "Licensed Product(s)" shall mean any and all pharmaceutical product(s) containing a Licensed Compound in any formulation or dosage form for any and all indications for use in the Field. For the avoidance of doubt, each formulation or dosage form of a pharmaceutical product containing a Licensed Compound shall be a separate Licensed Product.

**Major European Market Countries.** "Major European Market Countries" shall mean [####].

**Manufacture, Manufactured or Manufacturing.** "Manufacture", "Manufactured" or "Manufacturing" shall mean all activities undertaken by or on behalf of Cardiokine or its Affiliates or sublicensees that are involved in the production of a Licensed Compound or a Licensed Product.

**NDA.** "NDA" shall mean a United States New Drug Application.

**Net Sales.** "Net Sales" shall mean the gross amount invoiced by Cardiokine or its Affiliates or sublicensees in respect of sales of Licensed Compound or Licensed Products to Third Parties in the Territory, less returns and less the following amounts (a) customary quantity, trade and/or cash discounts, refunds, chargebacks, allowances, rebates (including any and all federal, state or local government rebates, *e.g.*, Medicaid rebates) and any price adjustments allowed or given; (b) sales and other excise taxes and duties directly related to the sale, to the extent such items are included in the gross invoice price; (c) credits for returned goods; (d) transportation charges to the extent included in the gross invoice price; and (e) agents' commissions. Sales of Licensed Product(s) by Cardiokine, or an Affiliate or sublicense of Cardiokine, to any Affiliate or sublicensee which is a reseller thereof shall be excluded, and only the subsequent sale of such Licensed Product(s) by Affiliates or sublicensees of Cardiokine to Third Parties shall be deemed Net Sales hereunder. Any transfer of Licensed Produces) by Cardiokine, or an Affiliate or sublicensee of Cardiokine, to any party in connection with the development, testing, marketing or promotion of any Licensed Produces) shall also be excluded from Net Sales.

**Patents.** "Patents" shall mean (a) patents, patent applications and patents issuing from any such applications, and (b) any continuation, continuation-in-part, division, renewal, substitute, re-issue, extension, re-examination, revival or revalidation of any of the items in clause (a)/

**Person.** "Person" shall mean an individual, a corporation, a limited liability company, a partnership, an association, a trust or other entity or organization, including a governmental entity.

**Regulatory Approval.** "Regulatory Approval" shall mean the technical, medical and scientific licenses, registrations, authorizations and approvals of any national (*e.g.*, the FDA), regional, state or local regulatory agency, department, bureau, commission, council or other governmental entity, necessary for the Research, Development, Manufacture and Commercialization of Licensed Product(s) in the Territory, including, without limitation, INDs and other submissions and approvals necessary to conduct clinical studies, approvals of ND As, • supplements and amendments, pre- and post- approvals, and labeling approvals.

**Regulatory Approval Application.** "Regulatory Approval Application" shall mean an application submitted to a Regulatory Authority seeking Regulatory Approval for a Licensed Product.

**Regulatory Authority.** "Regulatory Authority" shall mean any national (*e.g.*, the FDA), regional, state or local regulatory agency, department, bureau, commission, council or other governmental entity in the Territory involved in the granting of Regulatory Approval for a Licensed Product.

**Research.** "Research" shall mean those discovery and preclinical activities undertaken by or on behalf of Cardiokine, its Affiliates or sublicensees with respect to a Licensed Product prior to the Development of such Licensed Product, including, without limitation, medicinal chemistry, pharmacology, preclinical toxicology, and formulation of such Licensed Product. When used as a verb "Research" shall mean to engage in Research.

**Territory.** "Territory" shall mean worldwide. No territories are reserved for Wyeth or any Third Party.

**Third Party(ies).** "Third Party(ies)" shall mean any Person(s) other than Cardiokine, Wyeth or their respective Affiliates.

**Trademarks.** "Trademarks" shall mean trademarks trade names brand names logos symbols, service marks, designs and the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, and related registrations and applications for registration in the United States Patent and Trademark Office or in any similar office or agency in the Territory.

**Valid Claim.** "Valid Claim" shall mean a claim of an issued patent within the Licensed Patents that has not lapsed, expired, been cancelled, or become abandoned, and has not been held invalid by a court or other appropriate body of competent jurisdiction, unappealable or unappealed within the time allowed for appeal, and which has not been admitted to be invalid or unenforceable through reissue or disclaimer or otherwise.

**Veterinary Use.** "Veterinary Use" shall mean the treatment of non-human animals.

**Wyeth Intellectual Property.** "Wyeth Intellectual Property" shall mean the Licensed Patents and the Licensed Know-How.

## 2. LICENSE.

**2.1 License to Cardiokine.** Subject to the first negotiation rights of Wyeth pursuant to Article 6, Wyeth hereby grants to Cardiokine an exclusive license, including the exclusive right to sublicense, under the Wyeth Intellectual Property solely to Research, Develop, Manufacture and Commercialize Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products in the Field within the Territory.

**2.2 Sublicensing.** Subject to the rights of Wyeth pursuant to Article 6, Cardiokine may grant to any Third Party sublicenses of the rights granted to it under Section 2.2.

**2.3 Technology Transfer and Assistance.** For [####] following the Effective Date, Wyeth shall provide, at its cost, reasonable assistance to Cardiokine to effect the orderly transfer to Cardiokine of the Licensed Know-How. For this purpose, Wyeth will deliver to Cardiokine the Wyeth materials listed on Exhibit B within [####] after the Effective Date. The Parties will have telephone conferences and, upon mutual agreement, meetings at Wyeth as often as reasonably necessary to review the status of the transfer. The Parties shall have a one (1) day meeting [####] after the Effective Date at Wyeth in which Cardiokine and Wyeth shall review the status of the transfer of the Licensed Know-How.

**2.4 Noncompetition Within The Field.** During the term of this Agreement, Wyeth and its Affiliates shall take all reasonable measures to prevent any and all off-label uses of any vasopressin antagonist sold by it for Veterinary Use.

### **3. DILIGENCE AND DEVELOPMENT.**

**3.1 Diligence.** Cardiokine shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to Research Develop, Manufacture and Commercialize Products in the United States, Canada, and the Major European Market Countries. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Cardiokine shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to file an NDA in the United States as soon as reasonably practicable. Cardiokine shall have sole responsibility for all expenses it incurs in connection with the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

**3.2 Reports.** On a semiannual basis but no later than June 30 and December 31 of each calendar year, Cardiokine shall provide Wyeth with a written report summarizing its Research, Development (including the status of any Regulatory Approval process) and Commercialization activities, with respect to Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products during the just-ended semiannual period. Such report and all information contained therein shall be deemed to be Confidential Information of Cardiokine.

### **4. MANUFACTURE AND COMMERCIALIZATION OF PRODUCTS; REGULATORY MATTERS.**

**4.1 Manufacture.** Pursuant to the licenses granted to Cardiokine in Section 2, Cardiokine shall have the sole right and responsibility (subject to Section 4.2), at its own expense, itself and/or through Affiliates and/or sublicensees, to Manufacture or have Manufactured Licensed Compound and Licensed Products in order to perform its obligations under this Agreement.

**4.2 Supply by Wyeth.** Notwithstanding Section 4.1, within [####] after the Effective Date Wyeth shall provide to Cardiokine, FOB Wyeth shipment site, with Wyeth's existing (as of the Effective Date) inventory of Licensed Compounds, formulated clinical supplies of Licensed Compounds, if any, and Licensed Product, if any, in "AS IS" condition. Wyeth shall have no obligation to requalify, repurify or certify any such inventory of Licensed Compounds, formulated clinical supplies of Licensed Compounds or Licensed Product; provided, however, that Wyeth shall provide all available documentation relating to the manufacture and testing of said inventory and formulated clinical supplies of Licensed Compounds and Licensed Product.

**4.3 Regulatory Approvals.** As between the Parties, Cardiokine (and/or its designee) shall have the sole right and responsibility, at its own expense, for preparing and filing, in its (and/or its designee's) own name, all Regulatory Approval Applications. Cardiokine (and/or its designee) shall have the sole right and responsibility, at its own expense, for communicating with any Regulatory Authority, and preparing and filing any submissions which may be necessary or appropriate, regarding any Regulatory Approval Application in order to obtain the corresponding Regulatory Approval or with respect to making any supplements or modifications thereto.

**4.4 Regulatory Reporting.** As between the Parties, Cardiokine (and/or its designee) shall have sole right and responsibility, at its own expense, for filing all reports required to be filed, and for responding to all correspondence from any Regulatory Authority which may be required, in order to maintain any Regulatory Approvals granted for Licensed Products within the Territory, including, without limitation, adverse drug experience reports.

**4.5 Use of and Reference to Regulatory Approval Applications.** Wyeth shall have, and Cardiokine hereby grants to Wyeth, the right to use and make reference to the Regulator Approval Applications filed by Cardiokine or any of its Affiliates or sublicensees in any jurisdiction in the Territory (and all data included therewith, which data shall be provided to Wyeth upon Wyeth's written request) for the sole purpose of Developing, Manufacturing and Commercializing a product containing Licensed Compounds solely for Veterinary Use and for no other purpose whatsoever shall be without any charge or royalty payable to Cardiokine. Cardiokine shall have, and Wyeth hereby grants to Cardiokine, the right to use and make reference to the Regulatory Approval Applications filed by Wyeth or any of its Affiliates or sublicensees in any jurisdiction in the Territory (and all data included therewith, which data shall be provided to Cardiokine upon Cardiokine's written request) for the sole purpose of Developing, Manufacturing and Commercializing a product containing Licensed Compounds for use in the Field. Such right shall be without any charge or royalty payable to Wyeth.

**5. CONSIDERATION.**

**5.1 Payments.** Subject to the terms and conditions, and during the term of this Agreement, Cardiokine shall make the following payments to Wyeth:

Within [####] after the Effective Date (the "Signing \$[####] Fee")

And within [####] after the first occurrence of each of the following events with respect to the first Licensed Product to achieve such milestone;

[####]	\$[####]
[####]	\$[####]
[####]	\$[####]
Total of Signing Fee and Milestone Payments:	\$[####]

Each of the foregoing payments shall be non-refundable and not creditable against any other payments required by this Agreement. Each of the foregoing payments shall be made only once for the first Licensed Product. Thereafter, no additional Milestone Payments shall be due or payable by Cardiokine to Wyeth under this Agreement or for other Licensed Products.

**5.2 Royalties.** Cardiokine shall pay Wyeth royalties on Net Sales on Licensed Products at the rates set forth in the below table. Royalty payments shall be made by Cardiokine to Wyeth on a [####] for Net Sales of Licensed Product(s) that are manufactured or sold in such country and (i) such manufacture or sale is covered by one or more Valid Claims of an issued patent within the Licensed Patents or (ii) until the [####] anniversary of the First Commercial Sale of said Licensed Product(s) in such country, whichever is latest; *provided however* that in the event that no Valid



Claim of a patent within the Licensed Patents covers the manufacture or sale of a Licensed Product(s) within a particular country and a Licensed Compound (or other compound previously within the scope of a Valid Claim) is being marketed by one or more Third Parties in such country at a level equal to [####] or more of the market for such compounds based on volume of units sold in such country, the applicable royalty rates with respect to Net Sales of such Licensed Produces) in such country shall be reduced by [####]:

On that Portion of Net Sales in the Territory during a Calendar Year:	Royalty Rate (% of Net Sales)
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]

Generally, Net Sales shall be computed on the basis of sales of Licensed Products as set forth above. However, if Cardiokine sells a Licensed Compound and knows or reasonably should know that some or all of such Licensed Compound subject to such sale will be Manufactured into Licensed Product intended for commercial sale or commercial distribution, then Cardiokine shall pay royalties as set forth in this Section 5.2 on the Net Sales generated from such sale of Licensed Compound and submit reports and payments as set forth in Section 5.3; provided that to the extent some or all of such Licensed Compound subject to such sale is subsequently Manufactured into Licensed Product intended for commercial sale or commercial distribution, then Cardiokine shall also pay royalties as set forth in this Section 5.2 on the difference between the Net Sales from the sale of Licensed Products Manufactured from such Licensed Compound and the Net Sales from the sale of such Licensed Compound.

**5.3 Reports and Payments.**

**5.3.1 Statements and Payments.** Cardiokine, within [####]after the end of each Calendar Quarter, shall deliver to Wyeth a report in form and substance reasonably acceptable to Wyeth setting forth for such Calendar Quarter the following information, on a Licensed Product by Licensed Product basis, the Net Sales of each Licensed Product (and supporting schedules showing the information from which Cardiokine calculated Net Sales). No such reports shall be due for any Licensed Product before the First Commercial Sale of such Licensed Product. Cardiokine shall remit the total amount due under Section 5.2 in respect of each Calendar Quarter at the time as it delivers the report required by this Section 5.3.1 for such Calendar Quarter but in no event later than [####]after the completion of such Calendar Quarter.

**5.3.2 Currency.** All amounts payable hereunder shall be in United States dollars. To the extent that Cardiokine or its Affiliates or sublicensees invoice Products in currency other than United States for purposes of calculating Net Sales, the invoiced amounts shall be converted to United States dollars at the rate of exchange quoted in the *Wall Street Journal* on the last business day of the Calendar Quarter in which the applicable invoice was invoiced.

**5.3.3 Reimbursements; Interest.** To the extent this Agreement requires a Party (the "Paying Party") to reimburse the other Party (the "Paid Party") for an expense, the Paying Party will so reimburse the Paid Party no later than [####] after receipt of the invoice from the Paid Party and receipts and bills supporting the amount of the reimbursable expense. Overdue amounts under this Agreement shall bear interest at the lower of [####]

**5.3.4 Taxes and Withholding.** All payments under this Agreement will be made without any deduction or withholding for or on account of any tax unless such deduction or withholding is required by applicable United States laws or regulations. If Cardiokine or any of its Affiliates or sublicensees so required to deduct or withhold any such amount, Cardiokine (and/or its Affiliates or sublicensees, as applicable) will (a) promptly notify Wyeth of such requirement, (b) pay to the relevant authorities the full amount required to be deducted or withheld promptly upon the earlier of determining that such deduction or withholding is required or receiving notice that such amount has been assessed against Wyeth, and (c) promptly forward to Wyeth an official receipt (or certified copy) or other documentation reasonably acceptable to Wyeth evidencing such payment to such authorities. The foregoing shall not be construed to permit Cardiokine to reduce the royalties payable to Wyeth as a result of any currency control measures or withholding obligations imposed by any governmental authority, foreign or domestic, in respect of its transactions with its Affiliates or sublicensees or with Third Parties. Notwithstanding the above, in each country where the local currency is blocked and cannot be removed from the country, at the election of Cardiokine, royalties accrued in that country shall be paid to Wyeth in the country in local currency by deposit in a local bank designated by Wyeth.

**5.4 Maintenance of Records; Audits.**

**5.4.1 Record Keeping.** Cardiokine shall keep and shall cause its Affiliates and sublicensees to keep accurate books and accounts of record in connection with the sale of Licensed Products during the term of this Agreement, in sufficient detail to permit accurate determination of all figures, including Net Sales, necessary for verification of amounts to be paid hereunder. Cardiokine and its sublicensees shall maintain such records for a period of at least three (3) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were generated.

**5.4.2 Audits.** Upon [####] prior written notice from Wyeth, Cardiokine shall permit and shall cause its Affiliates and sublicensees to permit an independent certified public accounting firm selected by Wyeth to examine the relevant books and records of Cardiokine and its Affiliates as may be reasonably necessary to verify the accuracy of the reports submitted in accordance with Section 5.3.1 and the payment of all amounts hereunder. Such audits shall be conducted no more than [####]. Cardiokine shall have the right to approve the auditor selected by Wyeth, such approval not to be unreasonably withheld. The accounting firm shall be provided access to such books and records at Cardiokine's facility(ies) where such books and records are normally kept and such examination shall be conducted during Cardiokine's normal business hours. Cardiokine may require the accounting firm to sign a standard non-disclosure agreement before providing the accounting firm access to Cardiokine's facilities or records. Upon completion

of the audit, the accounting firm shall provide to Cardiokine and Wyeth a written report disclosing whether the reports submitted by Cardiokine are correct or incorrect, whether the royalties paid are correct or incorrect, and, in each case, the specific details concerning any discrepancies. Any sublicense by Cardiokine of its rights under this Agreement shall contain an audit provision that permits Wyeth to audit the books and records of die sublicensee to the same extent and using file same procedures as that set forth in this Section 5.4.2.

**5.4.3 Underpayments/Overpayments.** If such accounting firm concludes that additional royalties were due to Wyeth, Cardiokine shall pay to Wyeth the additional royalties within [####] of the date Cardiokine receives such accountant's written report so concluding. If such underpayment exceeds [####] of the royalties that should have been paid to Wyeth in respect of the period covered by such audit, Cardiokine also shall reimburse Wyeth for the reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by Wyeth in conducting the audit. If such accounting firm correctly concludes that Cardiokine overpaid royalties to Wyeth, Wyeth will refund such overpayments to Cardiokine within [####] after the date Wyeth receives such accountant's report so correctly concluding.

## **6. MARKETING PARTNERSHIP.**

**6.1 Right of First Negotiation.** In the event Cardiokine at any time seeks or determines to enter into a marketing partnership, co-promotion or other equivalent or similar arrangement (a "Marketing Partnership") for a Licensed Product within the Territory, Cardiokine shall provide Wyeth with written notice thereof (the "Initial Notice") and comply with this Section 6.1 prior to negotiating with any Third Party for such Marketing Partnership. Cardiokine shall also provide to Wyeth, together with such written notice, an electronic copy of the ND A submitted to the FDA for such Licensed Product (if one has been submitted at the time of such Initial Notice) as well as the market studies and reports and other similar or related information and data in respect of such Licensed Product in Cardiokine's or its Affiliates' possession or control in order for Wyeth to determine its interest in entering into a Marketing Partnership with Cardiokine. All such information provided to Wyeth hereunder shall be deemed to be Confidential Information of Cardiokine. Wyeth shall have [####] from the date of its receipt of the Initial Notice to give Cardiokine written notice that it is exercising its right to negotiate with Cardiokine regarding a Marketing Partnership (such notice being an "Exercise Notice"). If Wyeth gives Cardiokine an Exercise Notice within the foregoing [####] period, then during the period beginning on the date of the Exercise Notice and ending on the date that is [####] after the date of the Exercise Notice, the Parties shall promptly and diligently negotiate, on an exclusive basis and in good faith, to enter into a Marketing Partnership for such Licensed Product on commercially reasonable terms. If (i) Wyeth fails to give an Exercise Notice within the foregoing [####] day period or (ii) if the Parties are unable, within the foregoing [####] period, to enter into a term sheet or letter of intent setting forth the principal terms of the Marketing Partnership to be entered into, or (iii) if the Parties are unable to enter into a definitive agreement setting forth all the terms and conditions of the Marketing Partnership within [####] after entering into said term sheet or letter of intent, then Cardiokine shall be free to negotiate and enter into an agreement for a Marketing Partnership for such Licensed Product (the "Marketing Partnership Agreement") with any Third Party; provided that the terms of the Marketing Partnership Agreement with the Third Party, taken as a whole, may not be less favorable to Cardiokine than those last offered to Wyeth or proposed by Wyeth; and provided, further, that the Marketing Partnership Agreement must comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The provisions applicable to Cardiokine under this Article 6 shall also apply to any Affiliate of Cardiokine to which Cardiokine has granted or otherwise extended its rights hereunder.

## 7. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY.

### 7.1 Filing, Prosecution and Maintenance of Licensed Patents.

**7.1.1 Patent Prosecution and Maintenance.** From and after the date of this Agreement, the provisions of this Section 7 shall control the preparation, filing, prosecution and maintenance of all patent applications and patents included within the Licensed Patents. Subject to the requirements, limitations and conditions set forth in this Agreement, Wyeth shall direct and control (i) the preparation, filing and prosecution of the United States and foreign patent applications within Licensed Patents (including any interferences and foreign oppositions) and (ii) maintain the patents issuing therefrom. Wyeth shall select the patent attorney, subject to Cardiokine's written approval, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld. Both Parties hereto agree that Wyeth may at its sole discretion, utilize Wyeth in-house counsel in lieu of independent counsel for patent prosecution and maintenance described herein, and the fees and expenses incurred by Wyeth with respect to work done by such Office of Patent Counsel shall be paid as set forth below. Cardiokine shall have full rights of consultation with the patent attorney so selected on all matters relating to Licensed Patents. Wyeth shall keep Cardiokine timely and fully informed of the progress of all matters relating to the Licensed Patents, and give Cardiokine and Cardiokine's counsel reasonable opportunity to comment on the preparation and prosecution of all patent applications within the Licensed Patents, including but not limited to the type and scope of useful claims and the nature of supporting disclosures. Wyeth shall use reasonable efforts to implement all reasonable requests made by Cardiokine with regard to the preparation, filing, prosecution and/or maintenance of the patent applications and/or patents within Licensed Patents. Prior to abandoning any Licensed Patent, Wyeth shall consult with Cardiokine. If Wyeth decides to abandon any Licensed Patent, then Wyeth shall give Cardiokine reasonable notice to this effect and thereafter Cardiokine may (but shall not have the obligation to) upon written notice to Wyeth, take responsibility for prosecuting or maintaining the Licensed Patent that Wyeth has decided to abandon at Cardiokine's sole cost and expense, and Wyeth shall assign ownership of such Licensed Patent to Cardiokine.

**7.1.2 Information to Cardiokine.** Wyeth shall promptly deliver to Cardiokine copies of (a) all file histories of all patents within the Licensed Patents, (b) all patent application files for patent applications within the Licensed Patent, (c) copies of all communications and documents received by Wyeth that relate to such patents and patent applications, and (d) copies of all filings or submissions made or to be made by Wyeth that relate to such patents and patent applications.

**7.1.3 Patent Costs.** Wyeth shall pay for all patent costs and expenses as described in this Section 7.1.

**7.1.4 Wyeth Right to Pursue Patent.** If at any time during the term of this Agreement, Cardiokine's rights with respect to one or more Licensed Patents are terminated, Wyeth shall have the right to take whatever action Wyeth deems appropriate to obtain or maintain the corresponding patent protection.

## 7.2 Enforcement of Licensed Patents.

**7.2.1 Notice.** Each Party shall promptly inform the other Party of any suspected infringement or violation of any of the Licensed Patents by a Third Party and provide such other Party with any available evidence of such suspected infringement

### 7.2.2 Enforcement.

7.2.2.1 During the term of this Agreement, the Parties shall consult with each other regarding the infringement of any patent within Licensed Patents. During or following said consultation, Cardiokine shall have the right, but shall not be obligated, to take steps to abate the infringement and/or to institute, prosecute and control at its own expense any action or proceeding with respect to any infringement of such patent by a Third Party and, in furtherance of such right, Wyeth hereby agrees that Cardiokine may include and join Wyeth as a party plaintiff in any such suit, without expense to Wyeth.

In the event that Cardiokine determines to bring suit against an alleged Third Party infringer, the total cost of any such infringement action commenced solely by Cardiokine shall be borne by Cardiokine, provided that Wyeth may elect to fund up to [####] of the out-of-pocket expenses and legal fees in return for up to [####] of the recoveries as set forth below. Cardiokine shall keep any recovery or damages for past infringement derived therefrom, except that, Cardiokine shall share such balance in proportion to each Party's share of such expenses and legal fees, said balance to be calculated following, and subject to, reimbursement of expenses as described in Section 7.2.2.3 below. In the event such infringement adversely affects the scope or validity of the Licensed Patents, no settlement, consent judgment or other voluntary disposition of any such suit may be entered into without the consent of Wyeth, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. Wyeth shall have [####] from the date of Cardiokine's written notice to Wyeth either to consent or to object in writing, stating in reasonable detail the reasons for withholding consent. No response within such period shall be deemed to constitute Wyeth's consent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Wyeth may elect at its option to participate in the prosecution of any such infringement action through counsel of its own choice at its own expense.

7.2.2.2 If within [####] after having been notified of any alleged infringement of the Licensed Patents by a Third Party, Cardiokine shall have been unsuccessful in persuading the alleged infringer to cease and desist or shall not have brought and shall not be diligently prosecuting an infringement action, or if Cardiokine shall notify Wyeth at any time prior thereto of its intention not to bring suit against any alleged infringer then, and in those events only, Wyeth shall have the right, but shall not be obligated, to prosecute at its own expense any infringement of the Licensed Patents covering the Licensed Products, and Wyeth may, for such purposes, include and join Cardiokine as party plaintiff in any such suit, without expense to Cardiokine. In such event, the total cost of any such infringement action commenced solely by Wyeth shall be borne by Wyeth, provided that Cardiokine may elect to fund up to [####] of the out-of-pocket expenses and legal fees in return for up to [####] of the recoveries as set forth below. Wyeth shall keep any recovery or damages for past infringement derived therefrom, except that,

Wyeth shall share such balance in proportion to each Party's share of such expenses and legal fees, said balance to be calculated following, and subject to, reimbursement of expenses and legal fees as described in Section 7.2.23 below. In the event such infringement adversely affects the scope or validity of the Licensed Patents, no settlement, consent judgment or other voluntary final disposition of the suit may be entered into without the consent of Cardiokine, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. Cardiokine shall have [####] from the date of Wyeth's written notice to Cardiokine either to consent or to object in writing, stating in reasonable detail the reasons for withholding consent. No response within such period shall be deemed to constitute Cardiokine's consent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Cardiokine may elect at its option to participate in the prosecution of any such infringement action through counsel of its own choice at its own expense.

7.2.2.3 In the event either Party shall undertake the enforcement of the Licensed Patents covering the Licensed Products, any recovery of damages by such Party for such suit shall be applied first in satisfaction of any expenses and legal fees of such Party (and, if applicable, the expenses and legal fees of the other Party that has elected to and has paid up to [####] of the out-of-pocket expenses and legal fees associated with said enforcement) relating to such enforcement and the balance remaining from any such recovery distributed as set forth in Section 7.2.2.1 or Section 7.2.2.2, as the case may be.

7.2.2.4 In any infringement suit which either Party may institute to enforce the Licensed Patents pursuant to this Agreement, or in a suit for patent infringement which is brought by a Third Party against Wyeth or Cardiokine, which either Party or both Parties are required or elect to defend, the other Party hereto shall, at the request and the expense of the Party initiating or defending such suit, cooperate in all reasonable respects and, to the extent reasonably possible, have its employees testify when requested and make available relevant records, papers, information, samples, specimens, and the like.

7.2.2.5 Cardiokine shall have the sole right subject to the terms and conditions hereof to sublicense any alleged infringer for future use of the Licensed Patents for Licensed Products. Any upfront fees paid to Cardiokine as part of a sublicense agreement made in settlement of the infringement action shall be applied first in satisfaction of any expenses and legal fees of Cardiokine relating to such suit and the balance remaining from any such recovery distributed as set forth in Section 7.2.2.1 above.

**7.3 Infringement Defense.** Cardiokine shall have the right, but not the obligation, to defend and control any suit against any of Cardiokine, Cardiokine's Affiliates or sublicensees, alleging infringement of any patent or other intellectual property right of a Third Party arising out of the manufacture, use, sale offer to sell or importation of a Licensed Compound or Licensed Product by Cardiokine, Cardiokine's Affiliates or sublicensees. Cardiokine shall be responsible for the costs and expenses, including lawyer's fees and costs, associated with any suit or action, Cardiokine and Wyeth will consult with one another and cooperate in the defense of any such action. If Cardiokine finds it necessary or desirable to join Wyeth as a party to any such action, Wyeth will execute all papers and perform such acts as shall be reasonably required, at Cardiokine's expense. In the event the patent claim of any Third Party is held in a final and unappealable order of a court to be valid and infringed, or if Cardiokine enters into a settlement of such proceedings, Cardiokine shall pay the full amount of any damages and/or settlement amounts due to such Third Party.

**7.4 Patent Certifications.** Wyeth shall immediately give written notice to Cardiokine, and Cardiokine shall immediately give written notice to Wyeth, of any certification of which it becomes aware filed pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 355(b)(2)(A), or § 355(j)(2)(A)(vii) (or any amendment or successor statute thereto) claiming that a Licensed Patent covering any Licensed Product is invalid or that infringement of such Licensed Patent will not arise from the development, manufacture, use or sale of any product by a Third Party. The provisions of Section 7.2.2 shall thereafter apply as if such Third Party were an infringer or suspected infringer.

**7.5 Patent Term Restoration.** Cardiokine and Wyeth shall cooperate in obtaining patent term restoration or any similar benefit for the Licensed Patents. Wyeth and Cardiokine shall discuss which countries in which such patent term restoration or similar benefits are to be sought and Wyeth shall seek such restoration in any country selected by Cardiokine. Cardiokine shall, at Wyeth's reasonable request and at Wyeth's expense, take all actions and execute all documents as reasonably necessary or appropriate to accomplish same. In the event that Wyeth elects not to seek restoration in a country selected by Cardiokine, Wyeth shall cooperate with Cardiokine in securing restoration in such country by taking all actions and executing all documents as reasonably necessary or appropriate to accomplish same. In such event, Cardiokine shall apply the cost for seeking such restoration as an advance on royalties to be paid to Wyeth.

**7.6 Trademarks.** Cardiokine may, at its own expense, select, use, apply and seek to register in the Territory (and maintain such registration once obtained), one or more Trademarks for use in connection with Commercializing the Licensed Products; provided, that if Wyeth and Cardiokine enter into a Marketing Partnership pursuant to Section 6, Wyeth shall be entitled to participate in selection of a trademark that is reasonably acceptable to both Parties.

#### **8. CONFIDENTIALITY AND PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**8.1 Confidentiality.** Except to the extent expressly authorized by this Agreement, each Party (the "Receiving Party") receiving any Confidential Information of the other Party (the "Disclosing Party") agrees for the term of this Agreement and for [###] thereafter to, and shall cause its applicable Affiliates and its own and its applicable Affiliates' employees and agents to, do the following: (a) keep in strictest confidence, the existence, source, content and substance of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information, (b) employ at least the same methods and degree of care (but no less than a reasonable degree of care) to prevent disclosure of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information as such Receiving Party employs with respect to its own Confidential Information, and (c) disclose the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information to employees and agents solely on a need-to-know basis, and only if such employee or agent has executed a confidentiality agreement which imposes on such employee or agent a duty to maintain the confidentiality of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information and only after informing the employee or agent of the confidential and/or proprietary nature of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information.

**8.2 Authorized Disclosure and Use.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 8.1, each Party may use and disclose Confidential Information belonging to the other Party to the extent such use or disclosure is reasonably necessary to (a) prosecute or defend litigation provided that such Party shall provide the Disclosing Party with prompt notice of such request so that the Disclosing Party may seek an appropriate protective order or other remedy) or waiver of compliance therewith (and the Receiving Party shall cooperate reasonably with the Disclosing Party in all respects in seeking to obtain a protective order, waiver or other remedy and otherwise diligently contest or limit the required disclosure or (b) exercise rights hereunder; provided that any such disclosure is covered by terms of confidentiality similar to or more stringent than those set forth herein. In addition, Cardiokine may provide Confidential Information of Wyeth (i) to Cardiokine's (sub)licensees, distributors, collaborators, investors and partners (and to any potential (sub)licensees, distributors, collaborators, investors and partners) and to Cardiokine's legal and financial and other representatives and advisors in connection with the exercise of the license and other rights granted to Cardiokine and its Affiliates and sublicensees under this Agreement, and/or in connection with any due diligence in connection with any actual or potential acquisition of Cardiokine, including any sale, merger or transfer of any of the assets or business of Cardiokine, provided that any such disclosure is covered by terms of confidentiality similar to or more stringent than those set forth herein; and (ii) to any regulatory or other governmental agencies in connection with any filings with, or disclosures or submissions to, or any inspections or inquiries by, any regulatory or other governmental agencies in any country of the Territory and in connection with securing regulatory, pricing or other approvals in the Territory.

**8.3 Disclosures Required by Law.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 8.1, a Receiving Party may make such disclosures of Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party to intended recipients (and no others) to the extent, and only to the extent, required, in the reasonable opinion of such Party's counsel, to comply with applicable law or regulation or the requirements of a national securities exchange or another similar regulatory body. In the event that such Receiving Party is requested or required by applicable law or regulations to disclose any Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party, such Receiving Party shall provide the Disclosing Party with prompt notice of such request, requirement or other similar process so that the Disclosing Party may seek an appropriate protective order (or other remedy) or waiver of compliance therewith. The Receiving Party shall cooperate reasonably with the Disclosing Party in all respects in seeking to obtain a protective order, waiver or other remedy and otherwise diligently contest or limit the required disclosure.

**8.4 Public Announcements.** Neither Party will make any public announcement regarding this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other Party; provided that upon execution of this Agreement, the Parties shall mutually agree to the terms of a press release, which shall be promptly issued by the Parties, and an accompanying "Q&A."

**8.5 Equitable Remedies.** The Parties acknowledge and agree that money damages may not be a sufficient remedy for any breach or threatened breach of this Section 8 and that the Parties shall be entitled, without the requirement of posting a bond or other security, to seek specific performance and injunctive or other equitable relief as a remedy for any such breach or threatened breach. Such remedies shall not be deemed to be the exclusive remedies for a breach or threatened breach of this Section 8 but shall be in addition to all other remedies available to the Parties at law or in equity.



**9. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES.**

**9.1 Disclaimer.** EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION 9, WYETH MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS AND EXTENDS NO WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PURPOSE), AND ASSUMES NO LIABILITIES WHATSOEVER, WITH RESPECT TO THE INVENTORY OF COMPOUND, FORMULATED CLINICAL SUPPLIES OF COMPOUND AND PRODUCTS SUPPLIED TO CARDIOKINE PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.2. IN ADDITION, WYETH HEREBY DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EXCEPT FOR THE EXPRESS REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES STATED BELOW IN THIS SECTION 9. WITHOUT LIMITATION OF THE FOREGOING GENERALITY, NOTHING CONTAINED HEREIN OR IN ANY DISCLOSURE MADE BY OR ON BEHALF OF WYETH SHALL BE CONSTRUED AS EXTENDING ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT TO THE WYETH INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OR THE RESULTS TO BE OBTAINED BY THE USE OF THE WYETH INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, OR THAT ANYTHING MADE, USED, OR SOLD BY USE OF THE WYETH INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, OR ANY PART THEREOF, ALONE OR IN COMBINATION, WILL BE FREE FROM INFRINGEMENT OF PATENTS OF THIRD PARTIES. IN THE EVENT THAT WYETH RECEIVES ANY LICENSE RIGHTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 11.5, CARDIOKINE MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS AND EXTENDS NO WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY WARRANTIES OR MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PURPOSE), AND ASSUME NO LIABILITIES WHATSOEVER WITH RESPECT TO THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, CARDIOKINE KNOW-HOW, OR OTHER INFORMATION OR MATERIALS PROVIDED TO WYETH PURSUANT TO SECTION 11.5. EXCEPT FOR BREACH BY EITHER PARTY OF ITS OBLIGATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 8, AND EACH PARTY'S INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 12, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY, ITS AFFILIATES, OR ANY OTHER PARTY, REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OR THEORY OF ACTION (WHETHER CONTRACT, TORT, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHERWISE), FOR ANY SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, PUNITIVE, OR OTHER EXTRAORDINARY DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, EVEN IF ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY THEREOF.

**9.2 Representations and Warranties of Each Party.** Notwithstanding the first sentence of Section 9.1, each Party hereby represents and warrants to the other Party as follows:

- (i) it is a corporation or entity duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the state or other jurisdiction of its incorporation or formation;
- (ii) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by such Party has been duly authorized by all requisite corporate action and does not require any shareholder action or approval;
- (iii) it has the power and authority to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder; and,

(iv) the execution, delivery and performance by such Party of this Agreement and its compliance with the terms and provisions hereof does not and will not conflict with or result in a breach of any of the terms and provisions of or constitute a default under (i) the provisions of its charter or operative documents or bylaws; (ii) any order, writ, injunction or decree of any court or governmental authority entered against it or by which any of its property is bound; or (iii) violate, breach, cause a default under, or otherwise give rise to a right of termination, cancellation or acceleration with respect to (presently with the giving of notice, or the passage of time) any agreement to which such Party or any of its Affiliates is a party, or by which any of its assets are bound.

**9.3 Additional Representations, Warranties and Covenants of Cardiokine.** Cardiokine hereby represents, warrants, and covenants to Wyeth as follows:

(i) as of the signing of this Agreement, Cardiokine has properly determined that the fair market value of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement is less than [###] and no filing under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder is required in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby; and

(ii) it is not entering into this Agreement and taking the license granted herein for the purpose of transferring rights under the Licensed Patents or Licensed Know-How to any Third Party for payments, royalties or other compensation.

**9.4 Additional Representations, Warranties and Covenants of Wyeth.** Wyeth hereby represents, warrants and covenants to Cardiokine as follows:

(a) all Licensed Patents as of the Effective Date are listed on Exhibit A attached hereto;

(b) as of the Effective Date, there are no claims, judgments or settlements against or owed by Wyeth relating to the Licensed Patents or Licensed Know-How;

(c) as of the Effective Date, neither Wyeth or its Affiliates has any vasopressin, antagonist within the Field at IND track or in clinical trials or later stage of development or commercialization;

(d) neither Wyeth nor its Affiliates have, prior to the Effective Date, entered into, and Wyeth shall not, and shall ensure that its Affiliates shall not, following the Effective Date, enter into any agreement to, or grant any license, right or privilege which agreement, license, right or privilege limits or conflicts in any way with Cardiokine's rights hereunder or otherwise with the terms or conditions of this Agreement;

(e) except as set forth on Exhibit A, Wyeth is the sole and exclusive owner of all right, title and interest in and to the Wyeth Intellectual Property, free and clear of any liens or other encumbrances;

(f) to Wyeth's current knowledge, without any duty of investigation, Wyeth has not done anything to invalidate or render unenforceable any of the Licensed Patents;

(g) to Wyeth's current knowledge, without any duty of investigation, the making, using, distribution, sale, offering for sale, import or export of the Licensed Compound in the Territory will not infringe, misappropriate or otherwise conflict with any intellectual property rights of any other Person; and

(h) no claims of infringement, misappropriation or other conflict with any intellectual property rights or other rights of any Third Party have been made or threatened with respect to the Licensed Compound or any Wyeth Intellectual Property, and Wyeth is not aware of any infringement or misappropriation of any of the Wyeth Intellectual Property by any Third Party.

**9.5 Representation by Legal Counsel.** Each Party represents to the other that it has been represented by legal counsel in connection with this Agreement and acknowledges that it has participated in the drafting of this Agreement. In interpreting and applying the terms and provisions of this Agreement, the Parties agree that no presumption shall exist or be implied against the Party which drafted such terms and provisions.

#### **10. GOVERNMENT APPROVALS.**

**10.1 Government Approvals.** Wyeth and Cardiokine will cooperate and use respectively all reasonable efforts to make all registrations, filings and applications, to give all notices and to obtain as soon as practicable all governmental or other consents, transfers, approvals, orders, qualifications authorizations, permits and waivers, if any, and to do all other things necessary or desirable for the consummation of the transactions as contemplated hereby.

#### **11. TERM AND TERMINATION.**

**11.1 Term.** The term of this Agreement will commence on the Effective Date and expire, unless this Agreement is terminated earlier in accordance with this Section 12, on a country-by-country and Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product basis, upon the later of (i) the expiration of the last to expire Licensed Patent conferring exclusivity to the Licensed Product or (ii) the ten (10) year anniversary of the First Commercial Sale of each Licensed Product in the particular country. Upon the expiration of this Agreement with respect to a particular Licensed Product in a particular country, Cardiokine shall be deemed to have an irrevocable, nonexclusive, fully paid-up, perpetual and royalty-free, fully transferable license under the Wyeth Intellectual Property to Manufacture and Commercialize such Licensed Product in such country, which license shall include the right to grant sublicenses.

##### **11.2 Termination for Material Breach.**

This Agreement may be terminated effective on a country-by-country and Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product basis on written notice by Wyeth at any time during the term of this Agreement for material breach of a material term or condition of this Agreement by Cardiokine, its Affiliates or sublicensees if, after the Parties have completed the dispute resolution process set forth in Section 13.1 hereof in a good faith effort to resolve any dispute relating to such alleged material breach, such alleged material breach remains uncured for [#####] in the case of nonpayment of any undisputed amount due, and [#####] for all other material breaches, each measured from (i) the date written notice of such material breach is given to Cardiokine or (ii) in the case of a dispute relating

to such alleged material breach, the date of completion of the dispute resolution process set forth in Section 13.1 hereof; *provided, however*, that if such alleged material breach is not reasonably susceptible of cure within such [####] period and Cardiokine uses reasonable and diligent good faith efforts to cure such alleged material breach, such [####] period shall be extended to [####].

**11.3 Termination by Cardiokine at Will.** Cardiokine, in its sole discretion, may terminate this Agreement:

**11.3.1** by giving written notice to Wyeth subsequent to Cardiokine's completion of a Phase II or Phase III clinical study in humans, which study is designed with efficacy endpoints and with sufficient statistical power such that it is intended to be a clinical study for demonstration of efficacy as part of a Regulatory Approval Application but prior to the filing of any Regulatory Approval Application, such termination to be effective [####] after the date of such notice; or

**11.3.2** after completion of the first pivotal clinical trial and prior to NDA filing by giving Wyeth written notice, which termination shall become effective [####] after the date of such notice; and thereafter upon [####] written notice to Wyeth,

**11.4 Consequences of Wyeth Termination for Material Breach by Cardiokine.** In the event this Agreement is terminated by Wyeth pursuant to Section 11.2, all of the following shall occur:

- (a) all licenses granted by Wyeth to Cardiokine herein will terminate and all rights granted herein to Cardiokine will revert to Wyeth;
- (b) Cardiokine will deliver to Wyeth copies of all documents, data, computer-based data, and other materials constituting, including, summarizing or otherwise disclosing Licensed Know-How;
- (c) Cardiokine will cease use of Licensed Know-How and cease manufacture and sale of Licensed Compound and Licensed Products; *provided, however*, that Cardiokine shall have the right to sell off any existing inventory of Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products for not more than [####] after the effective date of termination;
- (d) an officer of Cardiokine will certify in writing to Wyeth that Cardiokine has complied with Sections 11.4(b) and 11.4(c);
- (e) Cardiokine will submit a report in accordance with Section 5.3.1 within [####] after the date of termination;
- (f) Cardiokine will permit an audit in accordance with Section 5.4.2 within [####] after the date of termination; and
- (g) Cardiokine will pay to Wyeth all amounts accruing pursuant to the terms of this Agreement prior to the date of termination.

**11.5 Special Termination Provisions.** In the event this Agreement is terminated by Cardiokine pursuant to Section 11.3 or by Wyeth pursuant to Section 11.2 for an uncured material breach by Cardiokine in addition to all of the provisions of Section 11.4, upon written request from Wyeth within [####] after the date of termination, Cardiokine will

(a) grant to Wyeth an irrevocable, royalty-free, nonexclusive, worldwide license under all patents and trademarks owned by Cardiokine that were used by Cardiokine in the Manufacture, use or sale of Licensed Compounds or Licensed Products ("Cardiokine IP") to use such Cardiokine IP solely to Manufacture, use, and sell Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products and for no other purpose whatsoever;

(b) provide to Wyeth, at Wyeth's expense, all available Cardiokine Know-How used by Cardiokine in the Manufacture, use or sale of Licensed Compounds or Licensed Products and grant to Wyeth an irrevocable, royalty-free, nonexclusive, worldwide license to use such Cardiokine Know-How solely to Manufacture, use and sell Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products and for no other purpose whatsoever;

(c) transfer and grant to Wyeth commercial rights in all available data and documentation relating to any Regulatory Filing for and all issued Regulatory Approvals for Licensed Products provided that Wyeth will pay all out-of-pocket costs incurred by Cardiokine for such transfers;

(d) sublicense or assign to Wyeth, as applicable and allowable, all agreements with any Third Party that relate to development, manufacture or sale of Licensed Products (provided that Cardiokine has the right to sublicense or assign any such agreements to Wyeth hereunder without any financial obligation to, or conflict with the rights of, any other Person and provided further that any such transfer shall be subject to the terms and conditions of any such agreements); and

(e) for [####]after the date of termination, subject to Wyeth reimbursing Cardiokine for all of its out-of-pocket expenses in connection therewith, make available to Wyeth assistance that is reasonably necessary to effect an orderly transfer to Wyeth of the materials set forth in subsections (b) - (d) above.

**11.6 Bankruptcy.** Each Party may, in addition to any other remedies available to it by law or in equity, exercise the rights set forth below by written notice to the other Party (the "Insolvent Party"), in the event the Insolvent Party shall have become insolvent or bankrupt, or shall have made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, or there shall have been appointed a trustee or receiver of the Insolvent Party or for all or a substantial part of its property, or any case or proceeding shall have been commenced or other action taken by or against the Insolvent Party in bankruptcy or seeking reorganization, liquidation, dissolution, winding-up arrangement, composition or readjustment of its debts or any other relief under any bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar act or law of any jurisdiction now or hereafter in effect, or there shall have been issued a warrant of attachment, execution, distraint or similar process against any substantial part of the property of the Insolvent Party, and any such event shall have continued for [####]undismissed, unbonded and undischarged. All rights and licenses granted under or pursuant to this Agreement by Wyeth are, and shall otherwise be deemed to be, for purposes of Section 365 (n) of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, licenses of rights to "intellectual property" as defined under Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code.

(a) **Wyeth.** In the event Wyeth shall be an Insolvent Party, Cardiokine may:

(i) terminate this Agreement; or

(ii) keep this Agreement in full force and effect and retain all licenses granted by Wyeth to Cardiokine herein, subject to the payment to Wyeth of all payments set forth above.

(b) **Cardiokine.** In the event Cardiokine shall be an Insolvent Party, Wyeth may, to the extent permitted by applicable law, terminate this Agreement and all licenses granted to Cardiokine by Wyeth herein will revert to Wyeth and Cardiokine will comply with the provisions of Section 11.5.

**11.7 Survival of Certain Obligations.** Expiration or termination of the Agreement shall not relieve the Parties of any obligation accruing before such expiration or termination (including, without limitation, payment obligations so accruing under Sections 5.1 and 5.2), and the provisions of Sections 4.5, 7.2, 9.1, 11.4, 11.5 and 11.6 and Articles 1, 5, 8, 12 and 13 shall survive the expiration or termination of the Agreement for any reason. Any expiration or early termination of this Agreement shall be without prejudice to the rights of either Party against the other accrued or accruing under this Agreement before termination, including, without limitation, the obligations to pay royalties for Products sold before such termination.

## 12. INDEMNIFICATION.

**12.1 Indemnification by Cardiokine.** Cardiokine will indemnify, defend and hold harmless Wyeth, its Affiliates, and each of their respective employees, officers, directors and agents (each of the foregoing, a "Wyeth Indemnified Party") from and against any and all liability, loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses) and cost (collectively, a "Liability") that the Wyeth Indemnified Party may incur or be required to pay resulting from or arising out of and one or more of the following:

(i) any Third Party claims of any nature arising out of the Research, Development, Manufacture or Commercialization of Licensed Compound(s) and Licensed Product(s) by or on behalf or under the authority of any Cardiokine Indemnified Party (as defined in Section 12.2) or any sublicensee or subcontractor of any Cardiokine Indemnified Party, including, without limitation, in connection with the conduct of any clinical trials or obtaining or maintenance of Regulatory Approvals; and

(ii) the material breach by Cardiokine of any of its representations or warranties set forth in this Agreement.

**12.2 Indemnification by Wyeth.** Wyeth will indemnify, defend and hold harmless Cardiokine and its Affiliates and any of their sublicensees, and each of their respective employees, officers, directors and agents (each of the foregoing, a "Cardiokine Indemnified Party") from and against any and all Liabilities that the Cardiokine Indemnified Party may incur or be required to pay resulting from or arising out of one or more of the following: (i) any Third Party claims of any nature arising out of the Research, Development, Manufacture or Commercialization of

Licensed Compound(s) and Licensed Product(s) by or on behalf or under the authority of any Wyeth Indemnified Party or any sublicensee or subcontractor of any Wyeth Indemnified Party, including, without limitation, in connection with the conduct of any clinical trials or obtaining or maintenance of Regulatory Approvals in the event Wyeth receives the license rights specified in Section 11.5 or otherwise; and (ii) the material breach by Wyeth of any of its representation or warranties set forth in this Agreement.

**12.3 Procedure.** Each Party will notify the other in the event it becomes aware of a claim for which indemnification may be sought hereunder. In case any proceeding (including any governmental investigation) shall be instituted involving any Person in respect of which indemnity may be sought pursuant to this Article 12, such Person (the "Indemnified Party") shall promptly notify the Party with the responsibility to indemnify such Person (the "Indemnifying Party") in writing and the Indemnifying Party and Indemnified Party shall meet to discuss how to respond to any claims that are the subject matter of such proceeding. The Indemnifying Party, upon request of the Indemnified Party, shall retain counsel reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnified Party to represent the Indemnified Party and shall pay the reasonable fees and expenses of such counsel related to such proceeding. In any such proceeding, the Indemnified Party shall have the right to retain its own counsel, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of the Indemnified Party unless (a) the Indemnifying Party and the Indemnified Party shall have mutually agreed to the retention of such counsel or (b) the named parties to any such proceeding (including any impleaded parties) include both the Indemnifying Party and the Indemnified Party and representation of both Parties by the same counsel would be inappropriate due to actual or potential differing interests between them. All such fees and expenses shall be reimbursed as they are incurred. The Indemnifying Party shall not be liable for any settlement of any proceeding effected without its written consent (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed), but if settled with such consent or if there be a final judgment for the plaintiff, the Indemnifying Party agrees to indemnify the Indemnified Party from and against any loss or liability by reason of such settlement or judgment.

**12.4 Insurance.** Cardiokine agrees to obtain and maintain, during the term of this Agreement, commercial general liability insurance, including product liability insurance, with reputable and financially secure insurance carriers, in each case with limits of not less than [####] per occurrence and [####] annually in the aggregate. Each such policy shall name Wyeth as an additional insured. Within [####] after the Effective Date and thereafter within [####] after Wyeth's request, Cardiokine shall provide Wyeth with a standard ACORD certification demonstrating compliance with this Section 12.4.

### **13. MISCELLANEOUS.**

**13.1 Disputes.** The Parties recognize that a bona fide dispute as to certain matters may from time to time arise during the term of this Agreement. In the event of the occurrence of such a dispute and if the Parties are unable to resolve informally a dispute between them arising from performance of or otherwise relating to this Agreement, either Party may, by written notice to the other Party (which notice shall specify, without limitation, the particulars of the dispute and the relevant provisions of this Agreement relating to such dispute), have such dispute referred to their respective officers (designated below) or their successors for attempted resolution by good faith negotiations. Said designated officers are as follows:

Any such dispute shall be submitted to the above-designated executive officers no later [####] following such request by either Wyeth or Cardiokine. In the event the designated executive officers are not able to resolve any such dispute within [####] after submission of the dispute to such executive officers, Wyeth or Cardiokine, as the case may be, may pursue any legal or equitable remedies available to it by filing a claim in the state or federal courts of the state of Delaware and each Party hereby consents to the jurisdiction of such court. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Section 13.1 shall prohibit a Party from seeking temporary or injunctive relief from a state or federal court in Delaware pending the resolution of a dispute in accordance with the provisions of this Section 13.1. All negotiations pursuant to this Section 13.1 shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations. Nothing said or disclosed, nor any document produced, in the course of such negotiations which is not otherwise independently discoverable shall be offered or received as evidence or used for impeachment or for any other purpose in any current or future arbitration or litigation.

**13.2 Assignment.** Neither this Agreement nor any interest hereunder shall be assignable by Cardiokine without the prior written consent of Wyeth. The preceding sentence notwithstanding, Cardiokine may assign this Agreement and the licenses granted herein to an Affiliate and to any Person in conjunction with any acquisition of Cardiokine, including in connection with the sale, transfer, or merger of all or substantially all of the assets or business of Cardiokine. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the successors and permitted assigns of the Parties and the name of a Party appearing herein shall be deemed to include the names of such Party's successors and permitted assigns to the extent necessary to carry out the interest of this Agreement. Any assignment not in accordance with this Section 13.2 shall be void.

**13.3 Further Actions.** Each Party agrees to execute, acknowledge and deliver such further instruments, and to do all such other acts, as may be necessary or appropriate in order to carry out the purposes and intent of the Agreement.

**13.4 Force Majeure.** Neither Party shall be liable to the other for delay or failure in the performance of the obligations on its part contained in this Agreement if and to the extent that such failure or delay is due to circumstances beyond its control which it could not have avoided by the exercise of reasonable diligence. It shall notify the other Party promptly should such circumstances arise, giving an indication of the likely extent and duration thereof and shall use all Commercially Reasonable Efforts to resume performance of its obligations as soon as practicable. Force Majeure shall not excuse obligations to pay amounts due.

**13.5 Correspondence and Notices.**

**13.5.1 Notices.** All notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if delivered personally, mailed by reputable overnight courier or certified mail (return receipt requested) or sent by facsimile (confirmed thereafter by certified mail which includes a copy of the report generated by the sending facsimile machine that shows the date and time of transmission and that all pages of the notice were successfully transmitted) to the Parties at the following addresses or at such other addresses as shall be specified by the Parties by like notice:



(i) If to Cardiokine:  
Cardiokine, Inc.  
3701 Market Street, 4th Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
Attention: Chief Executive Officer  
Fax Number: [#####]

with a copy to:

[#####]  
Buchanan Ingersoll  
401 West A Street, Suite 1900  
San Diego, CA 92101

(ii) If to Wyeth: Wyeth  
Five Giralda Farms  
Madison, New Jersey 07940  
Attention: Senior Vice President  
and General Counsel

Fax Number: [#####]

with a copy to:

Wyeth Pharmaceuticals  
500 Arcola Road  
Collegeville, Pennsylvania 19426  
Attention: Senior Vice President,  
Global Business Development  
Fax Number: [#####]

Notice so given (in the case of notice so given by mail) shall be deemed to be given and received on the third calendar day after mailing or the next business day if sent by a reputable overnight courier and in the case of notice so given by facsimile or personal delivery on the date of actual transmission or personal delivery, as the case may be.

**13.6 Amendment.** No amendment, modification or supplement of any provision of this Agreement shall be valid or effective unless made in writing and signed by a duly authorized officer of each Party.

**13.7 Waiver.** The failure of a Party at any time to require or enforce the strict performance by the other Party of any term or condition of this Agreement shall not constitute a surrender or waiver of that particular breach or default, or of any subsequent breach or default by such other Party with respect to any term or condition of this Agreement, or the waiver by a Party of a breach or default committed by the other Party with respect to any term or condition of this Agreement, and shall not to any extent prejudice or adversely effect such first Party's rights, interest or remedies available or provided to it by law or otherwise which it may exercise or invoke with respect to that particular breach or default or any subsequent breach or default. Without limitation to the foregoing, no provision of this Agreement may be waived except by an instrument in writing expressly waiving such provision and signed by a duly authorized officer of the waiving Party.

**13.8 Severability.** If any provisions of this Agreement shall be held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable under any applicable law, then such contravention or invalidity shall not invalidate the entire Agreement. Such provision shall be deemed to be modified to the extent necessary to render it legal, valid and enforceable, and if no such modification shall render it legal, valid and enforceable, then this Agreement shall be construed as if not containing the provision held to be invalid, and the rights and obligations of the Parties shall be construed and enforced accordingly; provided, that in the case of any such deemed modification or construction, the Parties shall endeavor to retain to the maximum extent practicable the Parties' intent upon entering into this Agreement.

**13.9 Descriptive Headings and Section References.** The descriptive headings of this Agreement are for convenience only, and shall be of no force or effect in construing or interpreting any of the provisions of this Agreement. References to "Articles", "Sections" and "Clauses" shall be deemed to be references to articles, sections and clauses of this Agreement. In this Agreement, the singular shall include the plural and vice versa and the words "including" and "include" shall be deemed to be followed by the phrase "without limitation."

**13.10 Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be governed, interpreted, construed and enforced in accordance with the internal laws of the State of Delaware, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law thereunder.

**13.11 Entire Agreement.** With the exception of the Non-Disclosure Agreement between the Parties effective as of April 10, 2003 (the "NDA"), this Agreement (including all Exhibits) constitutes the entire agreement, and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements and undertakings, both written and oral, between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and is not intended to confer upon any other Person any rights or remedies hereunder. The NDA, however, shall govern only disclosures made prior to the Effective Date, and this Agreement shall govern disclosures made on and after the Effective Date.

**13.12 Independent Contractors.** Both Parties are independent contractors under this Agreement. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to create an employment, agency, joint venture or partnership relationship between the Parties or any of their agents or employees, or any other legal arrangement that would impose liability upon one Party for the act or failure to act of the other Party. Neither Party shall have any express or implied power to enter into any contracts or commitments or to incur any liabilities in the name of, or on behalf of, the other Party, or to bind the other Party in any respect whatsoever.

**13.13 Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in two (2) counterparts, each of which need not contain the signature of more than one Party but all such counterparts taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** duly authorized representatives of the Parties have duly executed this Agreement to be effective as of the Effective Date.

**WYETH, acting through its WYETH  
PHARMACEUTICALS DIVISION**

By: /s/ Mark Lee

Name: Mark L. Lee

Title: Sr. Vice President, Business Development

**CARDIOKINE INC.**

By: /s/James Mervis

Name: James Mervis

Title: CEO

EXHIBIT A

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**EXHIBIT B**

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AMENDMENT TO THE LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS AMENDMENT (this "Amendment") is entered into this 3rd day of May, 2004 (the "Amendment Date"), by and between Wyeth, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals Division ("Wyeth"), and Cardiokine, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 3701 Market Street, 4th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19104 ("Cardiokine"). Wyeth and Cardiokine may each be referred to herein individually, as a "Party" and collectively, as the "Parties".

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into that certain License Agreement dated **March 15, 2004** (the "License Agreement"), and

WHEREAS, the Parties now wish to amend the License Agreement, as set forth in this Amendment.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Amendment.

1.1 The Parties hereby agree to amend the License Agreement to add the following new Section 4.6:

4.6. Transfer of IND to Cardiokine. Wyeth shall assign to Cardiokine [####] (hereinafter, the IND ), (b) provide Cardiokine with a complete copy of the IND, and (c) submit a letter to the FDA stating that the IND has been assigned to Cardiokine. Cardiokine shall submit a letter to FDA, together with a revised first page of the IND (a completed Form 1571), accepting the ownership of the IND and identifying the effective date of the transfer of the IND. The disclaimer of warranties in Section 9.1 of this Agreement shall apply to the IND and all studies, data and information in the IND.

1.2 The Parties hereby agree to further amend the License Agreement to delete the current Section 6.1 of the License Agreement in its entirety and replace it with the following new Section 6.1:

6.1 Right of First Negotiation.

In the event Cardiokine at any time seeks or determines to enter into a marketing partnership, co-promotion or other equivalent or similar arrangement (a "Marketing Partnership") for a Licensed Product within the Territory, Cardiokine shall provide Wyeth with written notice thereof (the "Initial Notice") and comply with this Section 6.1 prior to negotiating with any Third Party for such Marketing Partnership. Cardiokine shall also provide 'to Wyeth, together with such written notice, an electronic copy of the NDA submitted to the FDA for such Licensed Product (if one

has been submitted at the time of such Initial Notice) as well as the market studies and reports and other similar or related information and data in respect of such Licensed Product in Cardiokine's or its Affiliates' possession or control in order for Wyeth to determine its interest in entering into a Marketing Partnership with Cardiokine. All such information provided to Wyeth hereunder shall be deemed to be Confidential Information of Cardiokine. Wyeth shall have [####] from the date of its receipt of the Initial Notice to give Cardiokine written notice that it is exercising its right to negotiate with Cardiokine regarding a Marketing Partnership (such notice being an "Exercise Notice"). If Wyeth gives Cardiokine an Exercise Notice within the foregoing [####] period, then during the period beginning on the date of the Exercise Notice and ending on the date that is [####] after the date of the Exercise Notice, the Parties shall promptly and diligently negotiate, on an exclusive basis and in good faith, to enter into a Marketing Partnership for such Licensed Product on commercially reasonable terms. If (i) Wyeth fails to give an Exercise Notice within the foregoing [####] period or (ii) if the Parties are unable, within the foregoing [####], to enter into a term sheet or letter of intent setting forth the principal terms of the Marketing Partnership to be entered into, or (iii) if the Parties are unable to enter into a definitive agreement setting forth all the terms and conditions of the Marketing Partnership within [####] after entering into said term sheet or letter of intent, then Cardiokine shall be free to negotiate and enter into an agreement for a Marketing Partnership for such Licensed Product (the "Marketing Partnership Agreement") with any Third Party; provided that the terms of the Marketing Partnership Agreement with the Third Party, taken as a whole, may not be less favorable to Cardiokine than those last offered to Wyeth or proposed by Wyeth; and provided, further, that the Marketing Partnership Agreement must comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. If the terms of the Marketing Partnership Agreement with the Third Party, taken as a whole, are less favorable to Cardiokine than those last offered to Wyeth or proposed by Wyeth, then Cardiokine may offer such terms (the "Alternative Offer") to Wyeth, and if Wyeth does not, within [####] of its receipt of the Alternative Offer, notify Cardiokine of its acceptance thereof and willingness to enter into further negotiations (the "Second Exercise Notice") to enter into a Marketing Partnership Agreement, then Cardiokine shall be free to enter into such Marketing Partnership Agreement with such Third Party. In the event that Wyeth gives Cardiokine the Second Exercise Notice, the parties shall negotiate in good faith for a period not to exceed [####], unless otherwise mutually agreed, and if a definitive Marketing Partnership Agreement shall not be concluded, then Cardiokine shall be entitled to enter into such Agreement with the Third Party. The provisions applicable to Cardiokine under this Article 6 shall also apply to any Affiliate of Cardiokine to which Cardiokine has granted or otherwise extended its rights hereunder.

2. Continuing Effect. This Amendment shall be effective for all purposes as of the Amendment Date. Except as otherwise expressly modified by this Amendment, the License Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

3. Defined Terms. All terms used, but not defined, in this Amendment shall have the respective meanings as set forth in the License Agreement.

4. Counterparts. This Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, duly authorized representatives of the Parties have duly executed this Amendment to be effective as of the Amendment Date.

WYETH, acting through its WYETH  
PHARMACEUTICALS DIVISION

By: /s/ Mark L. Lee

Name: Mark L. Lee

Title: Sr. Vice President, Business Development

CARDIOKINE, INC.

By: James Mervis

Name: James Mervis

Title: CEO

SECOND AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS SECOND AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT ("Amendment"), effective as of October 14, 2004 (the "Amendment Effective Date"), is entered into between WYETH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division ("Wyeth") and CARDIOKINE, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 3701 Market Street, 4th Floor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104 ("Cardiokine").

RECITALS

- A. The parties have entered into a license Agreement effective as of March 15, 2004, with respect to a vasopressin antagonist compound known as lixivaptan (the "Agreement"). All terms used, but not defined, in this Amendment shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Agreement.
- B. The parties have entered into a first Amendment to the License Agreement effective as of May 3, 2004.
- C. The parties now desire to further amend the Agreement in certain respects on the terms and conditions set forth below

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises and the mutual covenants set forth below, the parties hereby amend the Agreement and otherwise agree as follows:

1. AMENDMENTS.

1.1 Section 5.1 is amended and restated as follows:

**5.1 Payments.** Subject to the terms and conditions, and during the term of this Agreement, Cardiokine shall make the following payments to Wyeth:

Within [####]after the Effective Date (the "Signing [####] Fee")

And within [####]after the first occurrence of each of the following events with respect to the Licensed Product(s) to achieve such milestone:

[####]	[\$####]
[####]	[\$####]
[####]	[\$####]
[####]	[\$####]
[####]	[\$####]

[####]Total of Signing Fee and Milestone Payments \$[####]

Each of the foregoing payments shall be non-refundable and not creditable against any other payments required by this Agreement. Each of the foregoing payments shall be made only once. Thereafter, no additional Milestone Payments shall be due or payable by Cardiokine to Wyeth under this Agreement or for other Licensed Products.

2. MISCELLANEOUS.

2.1 This Amendment shall be effective for all purposes as of the Amendment Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly modified by this Amendment, the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

2.2 This Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original and together shall be deemed to be one and the same document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have duly executed and delivered this Amendment effective as of the Amendment Effective Date.

WYETH, acting through  
its WYETH PHARMACEUTICALS DIVISION

CARDIOKINE, INC.

By: /s/ Mark L. Lee

Name: Mark L. Lee

Title: Sr. VP, Business Dev. Pharma

/s/ David Brand

David Brand

Chief Executive Officer

### THIRD AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS THIRD AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT ("Amendment"), effective as of June 21, 2007 (the "Amendment Effective Date"), is entered into between WYETH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division ("Wyeth") and CARDIOKINE, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 30 South 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 ("Cardiokine").

#### RECITALS

- A. The parties have entered into a License Agreement effective as of March 15, 2004, with respect to a vasopressin compound known as lixivaptan (the "License Agreement"). All capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Amendment shall have the respective meanings set forth in the License Agreement.
- B. The parties have entered into a first amendment to the License Agreement effective as of May 3, 2004, and second amendment to the License Agreement effective as of October 14, 2004.
- C. The parties now desire to further amend the License Agreement in certain respects on the terms and conditions set forth below.
  1. Amendments.

The following sentence is added to Section 2.1 of the License Agreement:

Wyeth hereby grants to Cardiokine a paid-up, royalty-free nonexclusive license, including the right to grant sub-licenses, under [####] solely to Research, Develop, Manufacture and Commercialize Licensed Compounds and Licensed Products in the Field in the Territory.
  2. Miscellaneous.
    - 2.1 This Amendment shall be effective for all purposes as of the Amendment Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly modified by this Amendment, the License Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.
    - 2.2 This Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and together shall be deemed to be one and the same document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized representatives of the parties have executed and delivered this Amendment.

**WYETH**, acting through its  
Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division

By: /s/ R.J. Smith

Name: Robert J. Smith

Title: Senior Vice President

CARDIOKINE, INC.

By: /s/ D. Brand

Name: D. Brand

Title: CEO



#### FOURTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS FOURTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT ("Amendment"), effective as of the date of signature of the last Party to sign this Amendment (the "Amendment Effective Date"), is entered into between WYETH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division ("Wyeth") and CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA, LLC, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 30 South 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 ("Cardiokine").

#### RECITALS

- A. Wyeth and Cardiokine, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 30 South 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 ("Parent"), entered into a License Agreement effective as of March 15, 2004, with respect to a vasopressin compound known as lixivaptan (the "License Agreement"). All capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Amendment shall have the respective meanings set forth in the License Agreement.
- B. Wyeth and Parent entered into a first amendment to the License Agreement effective as of May 3, 2004, a second amendment to the License Agreement effective as of October 14, 2004 and a third amendment to the License Agreement effective as of June 21, 2007.
- C. Cardiokine is wholly-owned by Parent.
- D. Effective on August 1 2007, and pursuant to Parent's right under Section 13.2 of the License Agreement to assign the License Agreement to an Affiliate, Parent assigned to Cardiokine all its rights under, and Cardiokine assumed all of Parent's obligations under, the License Agreement.
- E. The parties now desire to further amend the License Agreement in certain respects on the terms and conditions set forth below.
  1. Amendments.
    - 1.1 The following new Sections 5.5 and 5.6 are added to the License Agreement.
      - 5.5 **Buy-Out Payments.** Cardiokine shall make the following non- refundable payments to Wyeth to buy-out the Milestone Payments and Royalties:

Within [####]after the Amendment Effective Date (the "Initial Buy-Out Payment"): [####]

Within [####]after the first occurrence of each of the following events with respect to the first Licensed Product to achieve such milestone (the "Contingent Buy-Out Payments"):

[####]; [####]

[####]; [####]

5.6 **Effect of Buy-Out Payments.** In the event Cardiokine pays the Initial Buy-Out Payment and both Contingent Buy-Out Payments to Wyeth, (a) the license to Cardiokine granted in Section 2.1 shall be fully paid-up with respect to all Licensed Patents and Licensed-Know-How; (b) Sections 3.1 (excluding the last sentence thereof), 3.2, 5.2, 5.3.1 and 11.6(b) shall be deemed to have been deleted from the Agreement; (c) Wyeth's right to terminate this Agreement shall be limited solely to instances in which Cardiokine engages in Research, Development, Manufacture and/or Commercialization of Licensed Compounds and/or Licensed Products outside of the Field, and (d) in all other cases of a breach of this Agreement by Cardiokine, Wyeth's remedy shall be limited to damages and equitable relief.

1.2 Sections 5.1 (excluding the Signing [####] Fee, that has been paid), 5.4 and 6.1 of the License Agreement are hereby deleted.

1.3 The reference to Section 2.2 in Section 2.2 is hereby amended to be a reference to Section 2.1

2. Miscellaneous.

2.1 This Amendment shall be effective for all purposes as of the Amendment Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly modified by this Amendment, the License Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

2.2 This Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and together shall be deemed to be one and the same document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized representatives of the parties have executed and delivered this Fourth Amendment To License Agreement.

**WYETH**, acting through its  
Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division

By: /s/ R.J. Smith

Name: Robert J. Smith

Title: Senior Vice President,  
Global Licensing

Date: February 4, 2008

**CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA, LLC**

By: /s/ Manuel Worcel

Name: Manuel Worcel M.D., F.A.H.A.

Title: President and CEO

Date: February 6, 2008

FIFTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS FIFTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT ("Fifth Amendment"), executed as of the date of signature of the last Party to sign this Amendment (the "Fifth Amendment Signing Date"), is entered into between WYETH LLC (formerly known as "Wyeth"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division ("Wyeth"), and CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA, LLC, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 30 South 15th Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 (assignee of Cardiokine, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware) ("Cardiokine").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Wyeth and Cardiokine entered into a License Agreement effective as of March 15, 2004, with respect to a vasopressin compound known as lixivaptan (as amended, the "License Agreement");

WHEREAS, Wyeth and Cardiokine entered into a first amendment to the License Agreement effective as of May 3, 2004, a second amendment to the License Agreement effective as of October 14, 2004, a third amendment to the License Agreement effective as of June 21, 2007, and a fourth amendment to the License Agreement effective as of February 6, 2008 (the "Fourth Amendment");

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Patent Assignment executed on April 21, 2011 (the "Patent Assignment Date") by Wyeth Holdings Corporation, Cardiokine acquired all right, title and interest in and to the Assigned Patents (as defined in the Patent Assignment) (the "Assigned Patents");

WHEREAS, Cardiokine, Inc. (the "Company"), the parent of Cardiokine, is negotiating an agreement with Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc. ("Cornerstone") pursuant to which Cornerstone would acquire, by way of a merger, all of the outstanding shares of the Company, such that the Company would become a wholly owned subsidiary of Cornerstone and Cardiokine would become an indirect subsidiary of Cornerstone (the "Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of and in connection with Cornerstone's acquisition of Cardiokine pursuant to the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement, the Parties now desire to further amend the License Agreement in certain respects.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and of the mutual promises and covenants set forth below and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

- 1. Defined Terms.** Except as otherwise set forth herein, all capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Fifth Amendment shall have the respective meanings set forth in the License Agreement; provided, however, that, except as otherwise set forth therein, all capitalized terms used in Schedule A attached hereto shall have the respective meanings set forth in Schedule A.

2. **Effect of Fifth Amendment.** The Parties agree that this Fifth Amendment shall become effective immediately prior to the [Effective Time] of the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement (the "Fifth Amendment Effective Date") and that should the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement not be entered into or, if entered into, the Closing (as defined in the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement) does not occur, this Fifth Amendment shall not become effective and shall be void ab initio.
3. **Buy-Out Payments.** As of the Fifth Amendment Effective Date, Sections 5.5 and 5.6 of the License Agreement are hereby deleted and replaced with the following:
- "5.5 **Buy-Out Payments.** Cardiokine or its Affiliate shall make the following nonrefundable payments to Wyeth to buy-out the Milestone Payments and royalties:
- (a) Within [####] after the Amendment Effective Date (as defined in the Fourth Amendment) an initial payment (the "Initial Buy-Out Payment") in the amount of [####].
  - (b) On the Closing Date (as defined in Schedule A), [####] (the "Acquisition Buy-Out Payment").
  - (c) The Contingent Consideration (as defined in Schedule A); ~~provided, however,~~ that the portions of the Net Sales Payments and Ex-US Net Sales Payments (each as defined in Schedule A) which are paid to Wyeth pursuant to this Section 5.5(b) shall be fully credited toward the payments due pursuant to Section 5.2 of the Agreement.
  - (d) The maximum amount of the sum of the Acquisition Buy-Out Payment and Contingent Consideration payable by or on behalf of Cardiokine to Wyeth hereunder shall not exceed [####]. In the event that payment of any particular Contingent Payment (as defined in Schedule A) would result in the sum of the Acquisition Buy-Out Payment and all Contingent Payments to exceed [####], the amount of such Contingent Payment shall be reduced by the amount by which the sum of such payment, the Acquisition Buy-Out Payment and all previous Contingent Payments exceeds [####] and thereafter no further Contingent Payments shall be due under this Agreement."

"5.6 **Effect of Buy-Out Payments.** In the event Cardiokine or its Affiliates pay to Wyeth both (a) the Initial Buy-Out Payment and (b) the Acquisition Buy-Out Payment and Contingent Consideration, which Acquisition Buy-Out Payment and Contingent Consideration, in the aggregate, total [####], (i) the license to Cardiokine granted in Section 2.1 shall thereafter be fully paid-up with respect to all Licensed Patents and Licensed Know-How, (ii)

Sections 3.1 (excluding the last sentence thereof), 3.2, 5.2, 5.3.1, 5.3.2, 5.5 and 11.6(b) shall thereafter be deemed to have been deleted from the Agreement; (iii) Wyeth's right to terminate this Agreement shall be limited solely to instances in which Cardiokine or any Affiliate of Cardiokine engages in Research, Development, Manufacture and/or Commercialization of Licensed Compounds and/or Licensed Products outside of the Field, and (iv) in all other cases of a breach of this Agreement by Cardiokine, Wyeth's remedy shall be limited to damages and equitable relief."

4. **Wyeth Performance Obligations.** Cardiokine acknowledges and agrees that Wyeth has met all of its performance obligations under the License Agreement and has no further performance obligations under the License Agreement as amended hereby.
5. **Ratification.** The License Agreement is hereby ratified as amended by this Fifth Amendment and shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms as modified hereby. For the sake of clarity, the Parties acknowledge that the Initial Buy-Out Payment had been paid by Cardiokine to Wyeth prior to the Fifth Amendment Execution Date.
6. **Counterparts.** This Fifth Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and together shall be deemed to be one and the same document.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized representatives of the parties have executed and delivered this Fifth Amendment To License Agreement.

**WYETH LLC**, acting through its Wyeth  
Pharmaceuticals division

CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA, LLC

By: /s/ R.J. Smith  
Name: Robert J. Smith  
Title: Senior Vice President

By: /s/ Len Selihar  
Name: Len Selihar  
Title: Vice President, All. MGMT and Corp. Dev.

Date: December 27, 2011

Date: 12.27.2011

**SCHEDULE A**  
**Contingent Consideration**

(a) "Contingent Consideration" means each of the following payments (each, a "Contingent Payment"):

(i) The following payments based on Approvals (collectively, the "Approval Contingent Payments"):

(A) [####] within ten (10) Business Days after any Selling Person receives Approval A (the "Minimum Approval Payment"); and

(B) [####] within ten (10) Business Days after any Selling Person receives Approval B, minus the amount (if any) previously paid to Wyeth pursuant to Section (a)(i)(A) of this Schedule A;

(ii) Subject to Section (b) of this Schedule A, the applicable Earnout Percentage of the Net Sales Payments, payable within forty-five (45) calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter during the Earnout Period in the United States, where "Net Sales Payments" means Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products sold in the United States by a Selling Person during such calendar quarter, and "Earnout Percentage" means:

(A) if a Selling Person has received Approval B at any time prior to the relevant calendar quarter; or

(B) [####] if no Selling Person has received Approval B prior to the relevant calendar quarter;

(iii) The following payments:

(A) the First Sales Milestone Payment, payable within forty-five (45) calendar days after the calendar quarter in which the First Sales Milestone is achieved;

(B) the Second Sales Milestone Payment, payable within forty-five (45) calendar days after the calendar quarter in which the Second Sales Milestone is achieved;

(C) the Third Sales Milestone Payment, payable within forty-five (45) calendar days after the calendar quarter in which the Third Sales Milestone is achieved; and

(D) the Fourth Sales Milestone Payment, payable within forty-five (45) calendar days after the calendar quarter in which the Fourth Sales Milestone is achieved, but only if a Selling Person has received Approval B at any time prior to the calendar quarter in which the Fourth Sales Milestone is achieved; and

(iv) [####] of any Ex-US Payments, payable within ten (10) Business Days after the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) actually receives such Ex-US Payment; provided, however, that



(A) with respect to any Ex-US Payments consisting of royalties paid to Buyer or its Affiliates by the relevant Selling Person measured as a percentage of sales of a Lixivaptan Product in a country outside the United States ("Ex-US Net Sales Payments"), such Ex-US Net Sales Payments shall equal [####] of such Ex-US Net Sales Payments or:

(1) [####] of the applicable sales metric (including any reductions or adjustments therein) used in the calculation of royalties in connection therewith if a Selling Person has received Approval B at any time prior to the applicable calendar quarter; or

(2) [####] of the applicable sales metric (including any reductions or adjustments therein) used in the calculation of royalties in connection therewith if no Selling Person has received Approval B at any time prior to the applicable calendar quarter;

(B) with respect to Ex-US Net Sales Payments, the sales metric (including any reductions or adjustments therein) used in the calculation of royalties payable by Buyer hereunder shall be the same as the sales metric (including any reductions or adjustments therein) used in the calculation of royalties payable to Buyer or its Affiliates by the relevant Selling Person; and

(C) such payments (excluding any portion of Ex-US Net Sales Payments paid by Buyer hereunder) will not exceed [####]; and

(v) [####] of any US Payments, payable within ten (10) Business Days after the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) actually receives such US Payment.

For the avoidance of doubt, any Sales Milestone may be satisfied in the same calendar quarter as any other Sales Milestone, and Sales Milestones are measured on a rolling four (4) consecutive calendar quarter basis.

(b) Generic Competition. Upon the first commercial sale by any Person (other than Buyer, any of Buyer's Affiliates or any other Selling Person) of a product which received Regulatory Approval from the FDA of an abbreviated new drug application using a Lixivaptan Product as its reference product, the rate payable pursuant to Section (a)(ii)(A) or Section (a)(ii)(B) of this Schedule A, as applicable, shall be reduced by fifty percent (50%).

(c) Reserved

(d) Reporting.

(i) For each calendar quarter in which a Contingent Payment comes due or with respect to which a Contingent Payment is calculated, the Buyer shall furnish Wyeth with a quarterly report of each Contingent Payment due during such quarter or calculated with respect to such quarter, and all relevant information required to calculate such Contingent Payment, within thirty (30) days after the end of each calendar quarter; and (2) for each other calendar quarter, the Buyer shall furnish the Indemnification Representative with a written notice that no Contingent Payment is due. Each report pursuant to clause (1) shall include (A) Net Sales, on a country-by-country basis, during such calendar quarter, (B) Annual Net Sales during each consecutive four

calendar quarter period ending during such calendar quarter, (C) the “gross to net” adjustments with respect to the calculation of Net Sales for such calendar quarter, on a country-by-country basis, (D) if any deduction is made to Net Sales during such calendar quarter pursuant to clause (B) of the definition of Net Sales, an explanation of how the share of the excise tax deducted pursuant to such clause (B) was allocated to Lixivaptan Product sales, and (E) the amount of each Approval Contingent Payment, Ex-US Payment and US Payment and the calculation thereof.

(e) [Reserved]

(f) **Definitions.** For the purposes of this Agreement the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(i) “Affiliate” shall mean any person who is an “affiliate” of that party within the meaning of Rule 405 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”).

(ii) “Annual Net Sales” shall mean the Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products during any consecutive four calendar quarter period ending prior to the expiration of the Last Measured Earnout Period.

(iii) “Approval” shall mean any of the following indications for which the FDA grants Marketing Approval for a Lixivaptan Product:

(A) euvolemic hyponatremia (“Approval A”), or

(B) euvolemic hyponatremia and hypervolemic hyponatremia, regardless of whether therapy is initiated inside or outside of a hospital (“Approval B”);

where, “euvolemic hyponatremia” means hyponatremia associated with the Syndrome of Inappropriate Anti-Diuretic Hormone secretion (SIADH), and “hypervolemic hyponatremia” means hyponatremia associated with Congestive Heart Failure (CHF), and Approval B shall be deemed received whether or not other forms of hypervolemic hyponatremia (including hypervolemic hyponatremia associated with liver cirrhosis or hypervolemic hyponatremia in patients with acutely decompensated heart failure) are contraindicated or the subject of a warning in the label.

(iv) “Business Day” shall be any day other than (a) a Saturday or Sunday or (b) a day on which banking institutions located in New York, New York are permitted or required by law, executive order or governmental decree to remain closed.

(v) “Buyer” shall mean Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc., a Delaware corporation.

(vi) “Closing Date” means a date to be specified by the Buyer and the Company, which shall be no later than the second Business Day after satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article VII of the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement (other than delivery of items to be delivered at the Closing and other than satisfaction of those conditions that by their nature are to be satisfied at the Closing, it being understood that the occurrence of the Closing shall remain subject to the delivery of such items and the satisfaction or waiver of such conditions at the Closing).

(vii) "Company" means Cardiokine, Inc.

(viii) "Company Intellectual Property" shall mean the Intellectual Property owned by the Company, together with the Intellectual Property owned by any Subsidiary of the Company.

(ix) "Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement" has the meaning set forth in the body of the Fifth Amendment.

(x) "Earnout Period" shall mean, on a country-by-country basis, the period commencing on the Closing Date and expiring upon the later of: (A) expiration of the last Valid Claim of any Lixivaptan Patent Right in such country, or (B) the expiration of the market exclusivity period(s) granted by a Regulatory Authority for Lixivaptan Product in such country during which such Regulatory Authority will not grant Regulatory Approval of a product (1) containing lixivaptan or the active moiety thereof, (2) using a Lixivaptan Product as its reference product, or (3) relying in any other manner on the regulatory data or filings for a Lixivaptan Product.

(xi) "Effective Time" means the effectiveness of the Merger upon the filing of the Certificate of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware or at such later time as is established by the Buyer and the Company and set forth in the Certificate of Merger.

(xii) "Europe" shall mean (A) the European Union, as constituted as of the relevant time, or (B) if the European Union is disbanded, the countries on the continent of Europe.

(xiii) "Ex-US Payments" shall mean any amounts (including Ex-US Net Sales Payments) actually received by the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation), calculated net of Taxes incurred by the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) in connection with the receipt of such amounts (which Taxes shall be deemed to be incurred at a combined rate of 42% (the "Assumed Tax Rate")) and without duplication, after the Effective Time from a Selling Person or its Affiliate (other than the Buyer or its Affiliates) in consideration: (A) for granting a Selling Person a license, sublicense or other similar rights with respect to a Lixivaptan Product (including a license or sublicense of any Lixivaptan Patent Rights) outside the United States at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period, (B) for selling, assigning or transferring to a Selling Person any Company Intellectual Property or Third Party Intellectual Property owned by or licensed to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries as of immediately prior to the Effective Time (including any Lixivaptan Patent Right), outside the United States at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period, or (C) for consummating an Ex-US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period; provided, that, with respect any sale of active ingredient in bulk, such amounts shall only include the net profit realized by Buyer and its Affiliates with respect to such sale and the Buyer and the Indemnification Representative shall negotiate in good faith upon such a sale to agree upon the calculation thereof. For the avoidance of doubt, Ex-US Payments exclude the portion of any payments made to Buyer or its Affiliates by a Selling Person in respect of the Buyer's obligations to make a Sales Milestone Payment pursuant to this Agreement which portion is required to be paid by Buyer hereunder.

(xiv) "Ex-US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale" shall mean a sale, transfer or assignment to any third party who is not an Affiliate of the Buyer of any material rights relating to any Lixivaptan Product outside the United States (including any applicable Lixivaptan Patent Rights, Regulatory Approvals or active ingredient in bulk), other than, for the avoidance of doubt, sales of a Lixivaptan Product subject to royalties paid to Buyer or its Affiliates by the relevant Selling Person measured as a percentage of sales.

(xv) "FDA means the United States Food and Drug Administration.

(xvi) "First Sales Milestone Payment" shall mean a payment of [####] for the achievement of the First Sales Milestone prior to the expiration of the Last Measured Earnout Period, where "First Sales Milestone" means the first time that Annual Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products equal or exceed [####].

(xvii) "Fourth Sales Milestone Payment" shall mean the payment of [####] for the achievement of the Fourth Sales Milestone prior to the expiration of the Last Measured Earnout Period, where "Fourth Sales Milestone" means the first time that Annual Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products equal or exceed [####].

(xviii) "Governmental Entity" means any court, arbitrational tribunal, administrative agency or commission or other governmental or regulatory authority, agency or instrumentality.

(xix) "Indemnification Representative" means the then- current "Indemnification Representative" pursuant to the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement.

(xx) "Intellectual Property" means (i) patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, domain names, copyrights, designs and trade secrets, (ii) applications for and registrations of such patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, domain names, copyrights and designs, (iii) proprietary or confidential processes, formulae, methods, schematics, technology, know-how and computer software programs and applications, (iv) other proprietary or confidential information, and (v) any and all intellectual property rights and similar proprietary rights in any jurisdiction, including all rights to sue for past, present and future infringement or misappropriation of any of the items in clauses (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv).

(xxi) "Last Measured Earnout Period" shall mean the longest of (a) the Earnout Period in the United States, (b) the Earnout Period in Europe, and (c) the Earnout Period in any country in which, at the end of the longer of the Earnout Period in the United States and the Earnout Period in Europe, any Lixivaptan Product is then being sold by a Selling Person.

(xxii) "Lixivaptan" means Company's lixivaptan product candidate.

(xxiii) "Lixivaptan Patent Right" shall mean the rights and interests in and to the patent or patent application owned by or licensed to Company or any of its Subsidiaries as of immediately prior to the Effective Time which claims the composition of matter, use or method of manufacture of any Lixivaptan Product, or any Counterpart thereof, regardless of whether such patent or patent application, as of the relevant time, is owned by or licensed to Buyer, any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) or any Selling Person or Affiliate of a Selling Person. For purposes of this definition, "Counterpart" shall mean (A) all divisionals, continuations, continuations-in-part of any patent application; (B) any patents (including certificates of correction) issuing from a patent application; (C) any substitutions, extensions (including supplemental protection certificates), registrations, confirmations, reissues, re-examinations and renewals of any of the patents and patent applications described in clause (A) or (B); and (D) foreign counterparts of any of the foregoing.

(xxiv) "Lixivaptan Product" shall mean Lixivaptan or any pharmaceutical product containing lixivaptan as an active pharmaceutical ingredient.

(xxv) "Lixivaptan Product Line Buyer" shall mean any Person (other than Buyer and its Affiliates) with whom Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation), directly or indirectly consummates a US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale or an Ex-US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale, as the case may be.

(xxvi) "Marketing Approval" shall mean the approval by the FDA of a new drug application for a Lixivaptan Product.

(xxvii) "Merger" means the acquisition of the Company shall be effected through a merger, pursuant to the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement.

(xxviii) "Net Sales" shall mean the gross amount invoiced for any sale of a Lixivaptan Product by a Selling Person to a non-Affiliate of the Selling Person or to an Affiliate of the Selling Person if such Affiliate is not itself a Selling Person, less the sum of the following deductions, in each case to the extent actually and reasonably allowed or incurred in connection with such sale of such Lixivaptan Product in accordance with GAAP:

(A) reasonable and customary trade, cash and quantity discounts off the invoiced price;

(B) all excise, sales and other consumption taxes and custom duties to the extent included in the invoice price; provided, however, that, with respect to excise tax payments pursuant to Section 9008 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, any such deduction shall be limited to the proportionate share of such excise tax equal to the proportionate share that the aggregate sales of such Lixivaptan Product by such Selling Person during the period to which such excise tax relates bears to the aggregate sales of all products by such Selling Person subject to such excise tax;

(C) freight, insurance and other transportation charges to the extent included in the invoice price;

(D) amounts repaid, credited or accrued, or allowances or adjustments made, by reason of returns, rejections, or recalls, or because of chargebacks, retroactive price reductions, or billing errors;

(E) reasonable and customary launch discounts, stocking fees and other discounts extended to wholesalers, distributors, chain drug stores and other third party organizations who distribute the Lixivaptan Product to pharmacies;

(F) reasonable and customary rebates and chargebacks to pharmacy benefit managers, federal, state, or local governments (or their agencies or purchasers), and managed health organizations (including Medicaid rebates); and

(G) any amounts actually written off or specifically identified as uncollectible in accordance with GAAP;

solely to the extent the above deductions are taken in accordance with GAAP applicable to the particular Selling Person.

Such amounts shall be determined from the books and records of the applicable Selling Person, maintained in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting 11

Principles or other similar generally accepted accounting principles used by such Selling Person, consistently applied ("GAAP"). Sales of a Lixivaptan Product between or among the Selling Persons and/or Affiliates of Selling Person for resale, or for use in the production or manufacture of Lixivaptan Product, shall not be included within Net Sales; provided, however, that any subsequent sale of a Lixivaptan Product by any Selling Person or its Affiliates to another person or entity that is not a Selling Person shall be included within Net Sales.

Use of Lixivaptan Product for promotional, sampling or compassionate use purposes or for use in clinical trials (but excluding post-approval clinical trials for which compensation is received by the Selling Person) shall not be considered in determining Net Sales.

In the case of any sale of a Lixivaptan Product for value other than in an arm's length transaction exclusively for cash, such as barter or counter-trade, Net Sales shall be calculated based on the fair market value of the consideration received; provided that (i) sales to a third party distributor, wholesaler, group purchasing organization, pharmacy benefit manager or retail chain customer who is a non-Affiliate of a Selling Person and does not need a license or sublicense in order to resell such Lixivaptan Product shall be considered sales to a non-Affiliate of the Selling Person and not to a sublicensee, and (ii) Net Sales by a Selling Person to a consignee non-Affiliate of the Selling Person are not recognized as Net Sales by such Selling Person until the such consignee sells the Lixivaptan Product.

With respect to sales of a Lixivaptan Product invoiced in U.S. dollars, Net Sales shall be expressed in U.S. dollars. With respect to sales not invoiced in U.S. dollars, Net Sales shall be converted to U.S. dollars using the applicable exchange rate as published by The Wall Street Journal, Eastern Edition on the last Business Day of the calendar quarter in which such sales are made.

(xxix) "Person" shall mean an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization, or other entity.

(xxx) "Pricing Approval" means the approval, agreement, determination or governmental decision establishing the price or level of reimbursement for the relevant pharmaceutical or biological product, if required in the relevant country or jurisdiction prior to sale of such product in such country or jurisdiction

(xxxi) "Regulatory Approval" shall mean, with respect to a pharmaceutical or biological product and a country or jurisdiction, any approval, registration, license or authorization that is required by the applicable governmental agency or authority to market and sell such pharmaceutical or biological product in such country or jurisdiction, including Pricing Approval.

(xxxii) "Regulatory Authority" shall mean any governmental agency or authority responsible for granting Regulatory Approvals for pharmaceutical or biological products, as applicable, in a country or jurisdiction, including the FDA in the United States.

(xxxiii) "Sales Milestone" shall mean any of the First Sales Milestone, Second Sales Milestone, Third Sales Milestone or Fourth Sales Milestone.

(xxxiv) "Sales Milestone Payment" shall mean any of the First Sales Milestone Payment, Second Sales Milestone Payment, Third Sales Milestone Payment or Fourth Sales Milestone Payment.

(xxxv) "Second Sales Milestone Payment" shall mean the payment of [####] for the achievement of the Second Sales Milestone prior to the expiration of the Last Measured Earnout Period, where "Second Sales Milestone" means the first time Annual Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products equal or exceed [####].

(xxxvi) "Selling Person" shall mean the Buyer, each of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) and each (A) licensee, sublicensee, assignee or other grantee of rights from Buyer or any of its Affiliates or another Selling Person to develop, market or sell a Lixivaptan Product, (B) buyer, transferee or assignee of any Company Intellectual Property or Third Party Intellectual Property (for the sake of clarity to avoid double-counting, other than, in each case, rights granted with respect to any Lixivaptan Patent Right pursuant to clause (A)), from Buyer or its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) or another Selling Person, (C) a Lixivaptan Product Line Buyer or (D) any Affiliate of the foregoing.

(xxxvii) "Subsidiary" means, with respect to any party, any corporation, partnership, trust, limited liability company or other non-corporate business enterprise in which such party (or another Subsidiary of such party) holds stock or other ownership interests representing (a) more than 50% of the voting power of all outstanding stock or ownership interests of such entity or (b) the right to receive more than 50% of the net assets of such entity available for distribution to the holders of outstanding stock or ownership interests upon a liquidation or dissolution of such entity.

(xxxviii) "Surviving Corporation" means the Company following the merger pursuant to the Cornerstone Acquisition Agreement.

(xxxix) "Taxes" means all taxes, charges, fees, levies or other similar assessments or liabilities in the nature of a tax, including income, gross receipts, ad valorem, premium, value-added, excise, real property, personal property, sales, use, services, transfer, withholding, employment, payroll and franchise taxes imposed by any Governmental Entity, and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax resulting from, attributable to or incurred in connection with any tax or any contest or dispute thereof

(xl) "Third Party Intellectual Property" means the Intellectual Property licensed or sublicensed to the Company or which the Company otherwise possesses legally enforceable rights to use, together with the Intellectual Property licensed or sublicensed to any Subsidiary of the Company or which any Subsidiary of the Company otherwise possesses legally enforceable rights to use.

(xli) "Third Sales Milestone Payment" shall mean the payment of [####] for the achievement of the Third Sales Milestone prior to the expiration of the Last Measured Earnout Period, where "Third Sales Milestone" means the first time that Annual Net Sales of Lixivaptan Products equal or exceed [####].

(xlii) "US" or "United States" means the United States of America, its territories and possessions.

(xliii) "US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale" shall mean a sale, transfer or assignment to any third party who is not an Affiliate of the Buyer of any material rights relating to any Lixivaptan Product in the United States (including any applicable Lixivaptan Patent Rights or Regulatory Approvals), other than, for the avoidance of doubt, sales of a Lixivaptan Product subject to royalties paid to Buyer or its Affiliates by the relevant Selling Person measured as a percentage of sales.

(xliv) "US Payments" shall mean any amounts actually received by the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation), calculated net of Taxes incurred by the Buyer or any of its Affiliates (including the Surviving Corporation) in connection with the receipt of such amounts (which Taxes shall be deemed to be incurred at the Assumed Tax Rate) and without duplication, after the Effective Time from a Selling Person or its Affiliate (other than the Buyer or any of its Affiliates) in consideration: (A) for granting a Selling Person a license, sublicense or similar rights with respect to a Lixivaptan Product (including a license or sublicense of any Lixivaptan Patent Rights) in the United States at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period, (B) for selling, assigning or transferring to a Selling Person any Company Intellectual Property or Third Party Intellectual Property owned by or licensed to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries as of immediately prior to the Effective Time (for the sake of clarity to avoid double-counting, other than, in each case, rights granted with respect to any Lixivaptan Patent Right pursuant to clause (A)) in the United States at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period, or (C) for consummating a US Lixivaptan Product Line Sale at any time prior to the end of the applicable Earnout Period. For the avoidance of doubt, US Payments exclude (i) the portion of any payments made to Buyer or its Affiliates by a Selling Person in respect of the Buyer's obligation to make an Approval Contingent Payment or a Sales Milestone Payment pursuant to this Agreement which portion is required to be paid by Buyer hereunder, and (ii) Net Sales Payments.



(xiv) "Valid Claim" shall mean (A) a claim of an issued and unexpired patent which has not been permanently revoked or declared unenforceable or invalid by an unreversed and unappealable or unreversed and unappealed decision of a court or other governmental agency or authority of competent jurisdiction and that is not admitted to be invalid or unenforceable through reissue, disclaimer or otherwise (i.e., only to the extent the subject matter is disclaimed or is sought to be deleted or amended through reissue), or (B) a claim of a pending patent application, which claim has not been irretrievably revoked, cancelled, withdrawn or abandoned, or finally disallowed without the possibility of appeal or refiling of such application (or which is not appealed or refilled within the time allowed for appeal); provided, however, that unless and until a pending patent issues, "Valid Claim" will exclude any such pending claim in an application that has not been granted within five (5) years following the filing date for such application.

## SIXTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS SIXTH AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT ("Sixth Amendment"), executed as of the date of signature of the last Party to sign this Amendment (the "Effective Date"), is entered into between WYETH LLC (formerly known as "Wyeth"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at Five Giralda Farms, Madison, New Jersey 07940, acting through its Wyeth Pharmaceuticals division ("Wyeth"), and CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA, LLC, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business 1418 Ridgewood Lane, Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940 (assignee of Cardiokine, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware) ("Cardiokine").

### RECITALS

**WHEREAS**, Wyeth and Cardiokine entered into a License Agreement effective as of March 15, 2004, with respect to a vasopressin compound known as lixivaptan (as amended, the "License Agreement");

**WHEREAS**, Wyeth and Cardiokine entered into a first amendment to the License Agreement effective as of May 3, 2004, a second amendment to the License Agreement effective as of October 14, 2004, a third amendment to the License Agreement effective as of June 21, 2007, a fourth amendment to the License Agreement effective as of February 6, 2008, and a fifth amendment to the License Agreement effective as of December 27, 2011;

**WHEREAS**, Cardiokine, Inc., a Delaware corporation and parent of Cardiokine (the "Company"), was recently acquired by Palladio Acquisition Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of Palladio Biosciences, Inc. ("Palladio"), pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement, dated as of July 26, 2016, by and among Chiesi USA, Inc., Palladio Biosciences, Inc. and Palladio (the "Cardiokine Acquisition"); and

**WHEREAS**, in furtherance of and in connection with Cardiokine Acquisition, the Parties now desire to further amend the License Agreement in certain respects.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing and of the mutual promises and covenants set forth below and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. **Defined Terms.** Except as otherwise set forth herein, all capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Sixth Amendment shall have the respective meanings set forth in the License Agreement.
2. **Amendment to Cardiokine Notice Provision.** Effective as of the Effective Date, the Parties hereby agree that Section 13.5.1(i) of the License Agreement shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

(i) If to Cardiokine:  
Cardiokine, Inc.  
c/o Palladio Biosciences, Inc.  
1418 Ridgewood Lane Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940  
Attention: Lorenzo Pellegrini, Chief Executive Officer

with a copy to:

Morgan, Lewis & Bockius  
502 Carnegie Center  
Princeton, New Jersey 08540  
Attn: [####]  
Fax Number: [####]

4. **Ratification.** The License Agreement is hereby ratified as amended by this Sixth Amendment, and, except as expressly amended by this Sixth Amendment, the provisions of the License Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.
5. **Counterparts.** This Sixth Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and together shall be deemed to be one and the same document.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized representatives of the parties have executed and delivered this Sixth Amendment To License Agreement.

**WYETH**, acting through its Wyeth  
Pharmaceuticals division

By: /s/ R.J. Smith  
Name: Robert J. Smith  
Title: Senior Vice President

Date: December 1, 2016

**CARDIOKINE BIOPHARMA,  
LLC**

By: /s/ Lorenzo Pellegrini  
Name: Lorenzo Pellegrini  
Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: Nov. 29, 2016

[####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

EXECUTION VERSION

DATED 2016

CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED (1)  
("CE")

and

APCINTEX LIMITED (2)  
("Licensee")

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EXCLUSIVE PATENT AND  
NON-EXCLUSIVE KNOW-HOW  
LICENCE AGREEMENT

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THIS AGREEMENT dated

2016 is between:

- (1) CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED (“CE”), a company incorporated in England and Wales (registered number 1069886) whose registered address is at The Old Schools, Trinity Lane, Cambridge CB2 1TN, UK;
- and
- (2) APCINTEX LIMITED (the “Licensee”), a company incorporated in England and Wales (registered number 9088717) whose registered office is at c/o Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, London, England W1F 9LT.

## RECITALS:

- (A) CE is a company wholly owned by The Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Cambridge.
- (B) The University and CUH inventors specified in Schedule 1 have developed technology relating to the diagnosis, treatment and monitoring of bleeding disorders, including the Patents and the Know-how, and the inventors, CUH, and the University have assigned to CE all their intellectual property rights in the Patents and the Inventors have granted a licence to CE in respect of the Know-how.
- (C) The Licensee wishes to acquire rights in relation to the technology to enable the development and commercialisation of Licensed Products in the Field and in the Territory, in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

IT IS AGREED as follows:

**1. Definitions and Interpretations**1.1 *Definitions*

In this Agreement, the following words shall have the following meanings:

<b>Affiliate</b>	In relation to a Party, means any entity or person which controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with that Party. For the purposes of this definition, “control” shall mean direct or indirect beneficial ownership of 50% (or, outside a Party’s home territory, such lesser percentage as is the maximum permitted level of foreign investment) or more of the share capital, stock or other participating interest carrying the right to vote or to distribution of profits of that entity or person, as the case may be.
<b>Agreement</b>	this document, including its Schedules
<b>Anniversary</b>	An anniversary of the Commencement Date.
<b>Commencement Date</b>	The date of this Agreement.
<b>Confidential Information</b>	The terms of this Agreement and any information marked confidential obtained directly or indirectly by one Party from the other Party.
<b>Continuation in Part</b>	Any continuation-in-part patent application provided (a) it was filed within [####] of the original application; (b) it only names one or more of the Inventors;

- (c) the technology covered was disclosed, claimed in and dominated by the original application; and  
 (d) the technology is not affected by obligations to third parties (for example rights created in a sponsored research or other collaboration agreement between the University and a third party).

<b>CUH</b>	Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.
<b>Field</b>	The diagnosis, prognosis and treatment of human disease.
<b>First Commercial Sale</b>	means the first commercial sale by a Selling Entity of a Licensed Product in the US, the European Union (as constituted at the date of the first commercial sale) or Japan pursuant to the grant of a Marketing Authorisation
<b>Improvement(s)</b>	Any and all improvements, modifications, revisions, new applications and other developments to and of the Licensed Technology arising during the continuation of this Agreement.
<b>Indemnitees</b>	CE, CUH, the University, their employees and students, the Inventors and Principal Investigators.
<b>Inventor(s)</b>	The inventors named in Schedule 1.
<b>Know-how</b>	The invention claimed in the Patents, together with technical information of the Principal Investigator in the Field as listed in Schedule 1 which exists at the Commencement Date and which relates directly to exploitation in the Field and Territory of the inventions claimed in the Patents.
<b>Licensable Improvement</b>	Any Improvement which; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) has been made or generated by or under the supervision (or co-supervision) of any or all of the Principal Investigators;</li> <li>(ii) has been disclosed within [####] of the Commencement Date to CE;</li> <li>(iii) is owned and controlled by the University; and</li> <li>(iv) has been assigned to CE and that CE is free to licence.</li> </ul>
<b>Licensed Product</b>	Any product, process or use which the Licensee, its Affiliates or Sub- Licensees sells, supplies or makes available anywhere in the Territory (including to a Sub-Licensee) and which uses or incorporates or its development makes use of any of the PCI Know-how or technology embodied in the Patents.
<b>Licensed Technology</b>	The Patents and the Know-how.
<b>Marketing Authorisation</b>	Means in relation to a Licensed Product, those approvals necessary and sufficient from one or more competent authorities for the marketing and sale of such Licensed Product.
<b>Milestone</b>	An event specified in Clause 4.5 where the achievement of the event is in any way dependent upon or deploys or validates any of the PCI Know-how or technology embodied in the Patents.



<b>Net Sales Value</b>	<p>(a) the price of Licensed Products invoiced by the Licensee or a Sub-Licensee in arm's length transactions to independent third parties exclusively for money or;</p> <p>(b) the price that would have been invoiced if it had been such a transaction</p> <p>and in both cases without deduction of any commission paid to a third party but less the following permitted deductions:</p> <p>(i) arm's length trade discounts or credits given for example to wholesalers, buying groups, healthcare companies etc; amounts repaid or credited by reason of rejection, defects or return of Licensed Products; amounts written off for bad debts; and</p> <p>(ii) provided the amounts are separately charged on the relevant invoice, any costs of packaging, insurance, carriage delivery and freight, any value added tax or other sales tax, and any import duties or similar applicable government levies.</p> <p>Save that for the purposes of determining Net Sales Value, a sale shall not include free of charge transfers or disposal of Licensed Products for charitable, promotional, testing, clinical trialling, qualification, approval, regulatory or similar purposes.</p> <p>Notwithstanding the foregoing, "Net Sales Value" shall not include:</p> <p>(a) any payment received by a Selling Entity for the sale or supply of any Licensed Product between a Selling Entity and another Selling Entity;</p> <p>(b) any sums for any products, services or processes that are not Licensed Products.</p>
<b>Parties</b>	CE and the Licensee, and "Party" shall mean either of them.
<b>Patents</b>	The patent (or, where more than one, all the patents) and the content of the patent application (or, where more than one, all the applications) referred to in Schedule 1 together with any patents granted pursuant to such application or applications and any continuations, Continuations in Part, extensions, reissues, divisions, divisional applications and supplementary protection certificates which derive priority from such application or applications.
<b>Payment Period</b>	The payment periods specified in Schedule 2.
<b>PCI Know-how</b>	That part of the Know-how and Materials listed in Schedule 1B held solely by the Inventors and the University that is specific to modified serpins for the treatment of bleeding disorders.
<b>Planned Sales</b>	Projected annual sales for Licensed Products.
<b>Principal Investigators</b>	[####]
<b>Royalty</b>	The royalty specified in Clause 4.3.

<b>Royalty Term</b>	Means, on a country-by-country basis, the period commencing on the date of the First Commercial Sale in such country and ending on the date of expiry of the last Valid Claim in the relevant country.
<b>Selling Entity</b>	The Licensee or any Sub-Licensee
<b>Sub-Licensee</b>	Any third party granted a sub-licence of the rights in Clause 2.1 by the Licensee whether directly by the Licensee or through multiple levels of sub-licensing.
<b>Term</b>	The period specified in Clause 8.1.
<b>Territory</b>	Worldwide.
<b>University</b>	The Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Cambridge.
<b>Valid Claim</b>	Any claim as at the relevant date (such as for example only the date of a sale potentially triggering a Royalty) of an issued and unexpired patent or any pending claim in a pending patent application within the Patent that: (a) has not been permanently held unenforceable or invalid by a court or other governmental agency of competent jurisdiction in a decision that is not appealed or cannot be appealed, (b) that has not been disclaimed or admitted to be invalid or unenforceable through reissue or otherwise; or (c) is deemed to be a Valid Claim pursuant to Clause 6.2.

### 1.2 *Interpretation*

In this Agreement (except where the context otherwise requires):

- (a) any reference to a clause or schedule is to the relevant clause or schedule to this Agreement and any reference to a sub-clause or paragraph is to the relevant sub-clause or paragraph of the clause or schedule in which it appears;
- (b) the clause headings are included for convenience only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement;
- (c) any reference to "person" or "persons" includes natural persons, firms, partnerships, companies, corporations, associations, organisations, governments, states, foundations and trusts (in each case whether or not having separate legal personality);
- (d) the singular includes the plural and vice versa; and
- (e) words preceding "include", "includes", "including" and "included" shall be construed without limitation by the words which follow those words.

### 1.3 *Schedules*

The schedules form part of this Agreement. If a provision of a schedule is inconsistent with a provision of this Agreement, the latter prevails.

## 2. **Grant of rights**

### 2.1 *Licences*

In consideration of the payments specified in clause 4 CE hereby grants to the Licensee and its Affiliates subject to the provisions of this Agreement:

- (a) an exclusive licence under the Patents (with the right to sub-licence, subject to Clause 2.3 below) to develop, manufacture, have manufactured, sell, supply and make available Licensed Products under this Agreement only in the Field in the Territory; and
- (b) an exclusive licence to use the PCI Know-how (with the right to sub-licence, subject to Clause 2.3 below), to use, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, sell, supply and make available Licensed Products under this Agreement only in the Field in the Territory; and
- (c) a non-exclusive licence to use any Know-how that is not PCI Know-how (with the right to sub-licence, subject to Clause 2.3 below), to use, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, sell, supply and make available Licensed Products under this Agreement only in the Field in the Territory.

## 2.2 *Formal licences*

The Parties shall execute such formal licences as may be necessary or appropriate for registration with Patent Offices and other relevant authorities in particular territories. In the event of any conflict in meaning between any such licence and the provisions of this Agreement, the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail. Prior to the execution of formal licences (if any) referred to in this clause, the Parties shall as far as possible have the same rights and obligations towards one another as if such licences had been granted. The Parties shall use reasonable endeavours to ensure that, to the extent permitted by relevant authorities, this Agreement shall not form part of any public record.

## 2.3 *Sub-licensing*

The Licensee shall be entitled to grant sub-licences of its rights under this Agreement (and to permit multiple levels of sub-licensing by Sub-Licensees), provided that:

- (a) each sub-licence shall
  - (I) include terms which are equivalent in all material respects to the obligations and limitations imposed on the Licensee under this Agreement (including insurance obligations, the limitation of the Indemnitees' liability and an indemnity to the Indemnitees)
  - (II) not exclude the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 in respect of any of the Indemnitees;
- (b) each sub-licence shall terminate automatically on the termination of this Agreement for any reason subject to the right for Licensee to require CE to agree that if the Agreement terminates for any reason whatsoever and:
  - (I) where there is only one Sub-Licensee then CE shall immediately upon termination grant to the Sub-Licensee a new licence on terms identical to the terms of this Agreement; and
  - (II) where there is more than one Sub-Licensee, then CE shall offer to grant to the Sub-Licensees a new direct licence on terms identical to each Sub-Licensee's sub-licence, provided however that the new licence shall:
    - I) grant rights in relation to the Licensed Technology only;
    - II) provide for CE to be entitled to take over the prosecution, maintenance and enforcement of the patents comprised in the Licensed Technology (unless agreed otherwise with the Sub-Licensees) and for the related costs of CE to be borne equally by the Sub-Licensee(s);

- III) not impose any obligation on CE that is not included in this Agreement and
  - IV) have the same financial terms as those in this Agreement,
- (each of (I) and (II) being referred to as the “**Step-in Right**”, as appropriate).

The Step-in Right shall not arise if this Agreement terminates (a) by effluxion of time, due to a breach of the sublicense by the Sub-Licensee causing Licensee to be in breach of this Agreement, such that CE exercises its right of termination of this Agreement (except where there is more than one Sub-Licensee, in which case the non-breaching Sub-Licensee(s) shall be offered a new direct licence in accordance with clause (II) above);

- (c) within [####] of the grant of any sub-licence the Licensee shall provide to CE a true copy of it redacted, to the extent required by any Sub-licencee, in respect of any financial provisions, and without limiting the Licensee’s obligations under Clauses 4.9 and 4.10;
- (d) the Licensee shall be responsible for Sub-Licensees’ conduct and any breach of a sub-licence as if it had been a breach by the Licensee under this Agreement and the Licensee shall indemnify CE against any loss, damages, costs, claims or expenses which are awarded against or suffered by CE as a result; and
- (e) for the avoidance of doubt, all Sub-Licensees shall be treated as sub-licencees of the Licensee for the purposes of this Agreement, whether the rights are granted directly by the Licensee or by any Sub-Licensee.

#### 2.4 *Affiliates*

The Licensee shall be responsible for its Affiliates’ conduct in connection with the rights licensed under this Agreement. Any act or omission of an Affiliate pursuant to the terms of this Agreement shall be deemed to be an act or omission of the Licensee and the Licensee shall indemnify CE against any loss, damages, costs, claims or expenses which are awarded against or suffered by CE as a result of any such act or omission of an Affiliate.

#### 2.5 *Reservation of rights*

- (a) There is reserved for the University, CUH and the Inventors an irrevocable, world-wide, royalty-free, right to use the Patents and PCI Know-how in the Field for
  - (I) publication and teaching;
  - (II) academic research;
  - (III) as background intellectual property for any academic research project; and
  - (IV) clinical patient care;

For the avoidance of doubt no licence is granted to or reserved by this Clause 2.5(a) for any commercial use or exploitation of the Patent or the PCI Know-how.
- (b) For the avoidance of doubt, academic research includes use of the Patents and PCI Know-how in the Field
  - (I) for research into clinical patient care;
  - (II) to investigate, develop and provide materials for research purposes; and °

- (III) as background intellectual property for any research pursuant to EC or other government, public or charitable research funding, and applications for the same.
- (c) Except for the rights expressly set out in this Agreement, no licence is granted in respect of the Licensed Technology or any other technology or patents of CE regardless of whether such technology or patents are dominant or subordinate to the Licensed Technology and all rights, title and interest in and to the Licensed Technology throughout the world now or hereafter are and shall remain the exclusive property of CE.

#### 2.6 *Licensing of Improvements*

- (a) Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, CE shall forthwith upon its creation give Licensee a written notice describing the Licensable Improvement and shall grant the Licensee (if the Licensee so requests) a licence in respect of the Licensable Improvements with the right to sub-license, subject to Clause 2.3, to use, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, sell, supply and make available Licensed Products only in the Field in the Territory.
- (b) Any licence to a Licensable Improvement under this clause shall:
  - (I) be exclusive with respect to any patents or patent applications or Improvements to those materials that form part of the PCI Know-how and non-exclusive with respect to any other Know-how;
  - (II) require that the Licensable Improvement be considered Licensed Technology under this Agreement, and subject to the obligations set out in clause 3.2 with respect to any Improvements to PCI Know-how and Know-how;
  - (III) establish the responsibility of the Licensee for determining the scope and nature of any patent or other protection, such protection to be obtained at the Licensee's cost; and
  - (IV) be effective automatically on the written acknowledgement by the Licensee to CE of a notice describing the Licensable Improvement from CE.
- (c) CE has procured written agreement from the Principal Investigators: (i) that they shall notify Licensee of their plans to conduct or supervise any research that may lead to the development of a Licensable Improvement; and (ii) that they shall also take appropriate steps and have in place appropriate written agreements to ensure that CE shall have any and all rights (including of ownership or control of such rights passing to the University and assigned to CE) required to license said Licensable Improvements to Licensee under this Agreement.

#### 2.7 *Assignment on Share Sale*

Without prejudice to the Licensee's rights under Clause 10.2, the Parties accept that the Licensee and its assets may be acquired in whole or part by a third party (such as a pharmaceutical company) (a "**Relevant Transaction**") and in such circumstances the Parties accept that such acquirer may require an assignment of the Patents and an exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable licence of the PCI Know-How and a non-exclusive License to the Know-how that is not PCI Know-how in a defined field of use as a condition of the Relevant Transaction. Accordingly, if the Relevant Transaction is contemplated the Parties shall use reasonable endeavours to negotiate in good faith to determine the terms under which CE could agree to the Assignment to such third party. The Parties agree to act without delay in such negotiations with a view to agreeing the terms of the Assignment prior to the proposed date of completion of the Relevant Transaction. For the avoidance of doubt, the Parties recognise that the obligation of CE to conduct these negotiations under this Clause 2.7 in good faith does not extend to an obligation on CE to enter into any Assignment.

**3. Confidentiality**

**3.1 Provision of Know-how**

Upon the Licensee's request, CE shall:

- (a) arrange for and the Principal Investigators to supply the Licensee with all Know-how in their possession and that has not previously been disclosed to the Licensee and which is reasonably necessary or desirable to enable the Licensee to exercise its rights under Clause 2.1. The method of such supply shall be agreed between the Principal Investigators and the Licensee and (in respect of the Inventors) shall fall under consultancy agreements to be entered into between the Inventors and the Licensee;
- (b) deliver up to Licensee copies (in hard copy or electronic format) of relevant documents, material or other information related to the filing, prosecution and maintenance of the Patent including all files (including all correspondence with and advice from internal or external patent attorney's related to the aforementioned and the filing strategy to be adopted); and
- (c) transfer all the Materials forming part of the PCI Know-how in its possession or control relating to the Licensed Technology, control of such Materials shall pass to Licensee upon the Commencement Date.

**3.2 Parties to treat Know-how as confidential**

The Licensee receives the Know-how as Confidential Information, whether or not marked confidential. The Licensee shall not use the Know-how for any purpose except as expressly licensed hereby and in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. The Licensee shall observe the provisions of Clauses 3.4, 3.7 and 8.5(a)(IV) in relation to the Know-how.

**3.3 Confidentiality**

The Parties agree that;

- (a) PCI Know-how may not be disclosed by either Party (irrespective of which Party is the discloser) except as expressly provided for Clause 3.3(d);
- (b) no Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party may be used by the Recipient Party for any purpose other than the performance of the Recipient Party's obligations or the exercise of the Recipient Party's rights under this Agreement;
- (c) no other Confidential Information disclosed by one Party ("**Disclosing Party**") to the other Party ("**Recipient Party**") under this Agreement may be disclosed by the Recipient Party to any person; and
- (d) Clauses 3.3(a), 3.3(b) and 3.3(c) shall not apply to Confidential Information disclosed;
  - (I) to employees, officers, directors, auditors of the Recipient Party or the University or CUH requiring the Confidential Information for the purposes of this Agreement;
  - (II) with the prior written consent of the Disclosing Party which consent may be given or withheld in its absolute discretion;
  - (III) to actual or potential customers or sub-licensees for Licensed Products in so far as such disclosure is necessary to promote the sale or use of Licensed Products;

(IV) if the Recipient Party is advised it is required to do so by law (including the Freedom of Information Act 2000 or Environmental Information Regulations) or stock exchange; or

(V) if the Recipient Party is required to do so in connection with legal proceedings relating to this Agreement.

3.4 *Use of Confidential Information*

No Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party may be used by the Recipient Party for any purpose other than the performance of the Recipient Party's obligations or the exercise of the Recipient Party's rights under this Agreement.

3.5 *Disclosing Confidential Information*

Any Party disclosing Confidential Information under Clause 3.3(d)(1), 3.3(d)(II) or 3.3(d)(III) must use all reasonable endeavours to ensure that persons receiving Confidential Information from it;

- (a) do not disclose or use the Confidential Information except in the circumstances permitted in Clauses 3.3(d) or 3.4; and
- (b) sign a written confidentiality undertaking on terms as least as restrictive as that binding the Recipient Party.

3.6 *Exceptions to confidentiality obligations*

(a) Clauses 3.2, 3.3 and 3.4 do not apply to Confidential Information which:

- (I) is in or becomes part of the public domain other than through breach of this Agreement or an obligation of confidence owed to the Disclosing Party;
- (II) the Recipient Party can prove by contemporaneous written documentation was already known to it at the time of disclosure by the Disclosing Party (unless that knowledge arose from disclosure of information in breach of an obligation of confidence).

(b) For the avoidance of doubt the Licensee acknowledges that:

- (I) CE is required to inform the Inventors, CUH and any others entitled to a share in CE receipts under this Agreement (including persons other than CE employees) of the basis of CE's calculation of the share due; and
- (II) for the purpose of academic publication any Inventors and any others who contributed to the creation or development of the Licensed Technology may have to declare to the publisher and in publications that the Licensee is licensed in respect of the Licensed Technology and that income from exploitation of the Licensed Technology has or may be received.

If a disclosure described in this Clause 3.6(b)(1) or 3.6(b)(II) is required to include Confidential Information, CE and the academic disclosing will be deemed to have permission to make such disclosure.

3.7 *Return of Confidential Information and survival of confidentiality obligations*

(a) The Recipient Party must return promptly to the Disclosing Party if so requested all documents or other materials containing or referring to Confidential Information which are in the Recipient Party's possession, power or control or in the possession, power or control of persons who have received Confidential Information from the Recipient Party under Clause 3.3(d)(1), 3.3(d)(II) or 3.3(d)(11). This Clause 3.7(a) shall not apply to Know-how unless termination occurs in accordance with Clauses 8.2, 8.3 or 8.4.

- (b) The provisions of Clauses 3.2 to 3.7 inclusive will survive the expiry or earlier termination (for whatever reason) of this Agreement for a period of five years.

**4. Payments**

**4.1 Initial payment and reimbursement of patent costs**

The Licensee shall pay to CE

- (a) the non-refundable, non-deductible sum of [#####]; and
- (b) the sum of [#####] in reimbursement of external receipted costs in connection with obtaining patent protection prior to the Commencement Date.

**4.2 Net Sales Value Reporting Calculation**

The Licensee must report to CE in good faith all disposals of Licensed Products, including by its Affiliates or Sub-Licensees and report clearly where indirect or non-monetary consideration is accepted for any Licensed Product. This applies to all activity of the Licensee and its Affiliates or Sub-Licensees and includes transactions with any party associated with the Licensee or its Affiliates or Sub-Licensees or any Licensee business partner or (as defined in the Companies Act 2006) any subsidiary or holding company of the Licensee or its Affiliates or Sub-Licensees or subsidiary of any such holding company.

**4.3 Royalties on Licensed Products (including those sold by Sub-Licensees)**

The Licensee shall pay CE a royalty on each Licensed Product that, other than for the licences granted under Clause 2.1 of this Agreement, would infringe a Valid Claim in the jurisdiction or country where the sale triggering the Royalty payment took place at the following rates:

- (a) [#####]; and
- (b) [#####].

[#####].

**4.4 Royalty Stacking**

If during the Term, in order to avoid infringing any third party's patent(s) by the use, development, manufacture, supply, sale or making available of Licensed Products, the Licensee considers it necessary to obtain a licence of the dominating patent from any third party ("**Third Party Licence(s)**") [#####].

For the avoidance of doubt this provision only applies to licences the Licensee considers necessary to enable use of the Licensed Products. It does not apply to other licences or permissions which the Licensee believes may be merely desirable to develop, produce, market or sell finished Licensed Products. Furthermore, this provision does not apply to patents developed by Licensee and subsequently assigned or licensed to third parties.

**4.5 Milestone payments**

The Licensee shall pay CE the milestone payment(s) set out in the table below in respect of each Licensed Product when the relevant Milestone is achieved, whether it is achieved by the Licensee, an Affiliate or a Sub-Licensee.



Milestone	Payment
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]

The Parties agree that, for the avoidance of doubt, each milestone payment shall be payable only once per Licensed Product, regardless of the number of separate indications, line extensions and the like for which a Licensed Product is developed in a phase 3 clinical trial or is granted a market approval [#####].

4.6 *Annual licence fees*

The Licensee shall pay to CE the following annual licence fees:

On the Anniversary in	Payment
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]

If the annual licence fee is not paid, CE may in its absolute discretion treat non-payment of any material sum as a material breach of contract.

4.7 *Equity*

- (a) On or before the Commencement Date the Licensee shall issue and shall deliver to CE evidence of ownership of a total of [#####] its ordinary shares (the "Shares") in the name of CE and CE shall pay the par value for the Shares (£[#####] for [#####] ordinary shares at [#####] per share). Clause 2.1 (the grant of the Licence) shall not become effective until CE has received both the evidence of the ownership of the Shares and also payment of the sums specified under clause 4.1.
- (b) The Licensee undertakes to CE that, at the Commencement Date, the aggregate number of the Shares will be not less than [#####] of Licensee's issued share capital calculated on a "Fully Diluted Basis". For purposes of this clause "Fully Diluted Basis" shall mean that the total number of issued shares shall be calculated to include conversion of all securities which are convertible into ordinary shares, the issue of shares to be allocated to the Inventors, the exercise of all then outstanding options and warrants to purchase shares (including the options to be granted to the Inventors), whether or not then exercisable, and shall assume the issuance or grant of all shares reserved for issuance pursuant to any company share option plan in effect on the date of the calculation.
- (c) The Licensee shall provide promptly such information as CE may reasonably request from time to time to enable CE to assess and monitor the development of the Licensee company (and any subsidiaries) and the value of CE's shareholding. This is likely to include an annual request of the following information for the [#####] prior to the request:
- (I) the most recently audited company accounts (and where they are more than [#####] old the most recent management accounts also);
  - (II) shares, securities and options issued to University or CUH employees; and
  - (III) where CE shareholding is [#####] or more of the issued share capital on a Fully Diluted Basis the most recent version of the share capitalisation table, including the impact of options for management and funders.

4.8 *Payment terms and price index*

- (a) Payments shall be made in accordance with Schedule 2 Part A.
- (b) The Licensee shall be responsible for collecting and paying to CE all payments due to CE in respect of sub-licensing or exercise of rights by Affiliates, including Royalties.
- (c) All consideration and any other monies due under this Agreement are exclusive of Value Added Tax which where applicable shall be paid by the Licensee to CE. All payments shall:
  - (I) be made in pounds sterling by telegraphic transfer to the account of [#####];
  - (II) in the event of a change in the national currency of the United Kingdom, be converted from pounds sterling into the new national currency of the United Kingdom at the buying rate of such new currency as quoted by Barclays Bank plc in London on the day when such currency change comes into force;
  - (III) in the case of monies received by the Licensee from sales or sub-licensing in a currency other than pounds sterling, be calculated in the other currency and then converted into the national currency of the United Kingdom at the buying rate of such other currency as quoted by Barclays Bank plc in London as at the close of business on the last business day of the Payment Period with respect to which the payment is made;
  - (IV) be made by the due date, failing which CE may charge reasonable debt recovery costs together with interest on any outstanding amount on a daily basis, compounded quarterly, from the day after the due date until payment at the statutory rate in force on the due date under the Late Payment of Commercial Debts (Interest) Act 1998; and
  - (V) be made in full without deduction of taxes, charges or duties, including bank charges or income tax.

4.9 *Financial Reports*

- (a) Financial Reports (including nil reports) are required as set out in Schedule 2 when the first sale of a Licensed Product occurs, annually beforehand, and when a payment is made.
- (b) Each payment shall be accompanied by a financial report in the form set out in Schedule 2 Part B. Such reports shall include details of payments due in respect of sub-licensing.
- (c) The Licensee shall report to CE the date of first sale of a Licensed Product within [#####] of its occurrence and (in accordance with Clause 4.2) all disposals of Licensed Product thereafter. The Licensee shall also provide on requests such statistics as CE may reasonably require in relation to the disposal of Licensed Products over the whole or any part of the Term.

4.10 *Records*

- (a) The Licensee shall keep at its normal place of business and cause Sub-Licensees and its Affiliates similarly to keep all information used to calculate payments due to CE under this Agreement including detailed and up to date records and accounts showing the quantity, description and value of Licensed Products sold by it, Sub-Licensees and its Affiliates, and the amount of Other Income received by it, on a country by country basis. The Licensee shall keep these records separate or otherwise make them extractable easily from its other business records and shall not dispose of them until after the [#####] of their creation.

- (b) The Licensee shall make such information available, on reasonable notice, for audit during business hours by CE's duly authorised representative for the purpose of verifying the accuracy of any report given by the Licensee to CE under this clause 4. The representative shall be required to keep confidential all information learnt during any such inspection, and to disclose to CE only such details as may be necessary to report on the accuracy of the Licensee's financial reports. CE shall be responsible for the representative's professional charges unless the representative certifies that there is an inaccuracy of more than [####] in any financial statement, in which case the Licensee shall pay the charges in respect of that inspection. The Licensee shall pay any underpayment reported by the representative within [####] of receipt of a CE's invoice requiring payment for the same.
- (c) The Licensee shall ensure that CE has the same rights as those set out in this Clause 4.10 in any sub-licence of any of the Licensed Technology granted pursuant to this Agreement.

**5. Commercialisation obligations and reports**

**5.1 Commercialisation**

The Licensee shall use commercially reasonable endeavours to develop and commercially exploit the Licensed Technology.

**5.2 Commercialisation Reports**

Without prejudice to the generality of the Licensee's obligations under Clause 5.1, the Licensee shall send CE within [####] of each Anniversary an updated, written commercialisation report (which constitutes Licensee Confidential Information), covering as a minimum the [####] preceding the Anniversary and the [####] following it. The report shall include:

- (a) the projected and actual dates of first sale of a Licensed Product; (b) Planned Sales during the period covered by the report; (c) Milestone progression;
- (d) a summary of activities taken by the Licensee in the last [####], and to be taken in the next [####], to develop and commercially exploit the Licensed Technology ;
- (e) sub-licences granted and rights granted to Affiliates during the period covered by the report;
- (f) any other income invoiced or received during the period covered by the report;
- (g) the commercial and public benefit which the Licensee believes that the Licensed Technology has created or stimulated; and
- (h) certification of insurance cover maintained (types and levels).

CE's receipt or approval of any such report shall not be taken to waive or qualify the Licensee's obligations under Clause 5.1.

**5.3 Commercial Diligence Disputes**

- (a) If CE considers at any time during the Term that the Licensee has not fulfilled its obligations pursuant to Clause 5.1 or 5.2 CE may issue notice to the Licensee to that effect.

- (b) Within [####] of receipt of such a notice the Licensee shall provide CE with evidence that the Licensee complied with its obligations pursuant to Clause 5.1 or 5.2.
- (c) If the evidence provided by the Licensee to CE does not satisfy CE that the obligations in Clause 5.1 or 5.2 have been met, the Parties shall then engage in good faith negotiations to determine whether there has been a breach of Clause 5.1 or 5.2 and if so what specific action the Licensee should now take ("Specific Action") in order to address CE's concerns and secure compliance. The Licensee shall take any agreed Specific Action within [####] of agreement.
- (d) If the negotiations fail to reach agreement within [####] or if the Licensee has not initiated an agreed Specific Action within [####] of agreement, then CE may initiate a formal mediation as set out in Clause 9 (Dispute Resolution).
- (e) In the event that [####] after the conclusion of the Mediation process period CE does not accept that the Licensee has complied with Clause 5.1 and/or 5.2 or that the Licensee has taken an agreed Specific Action within [####], then the dispute may be resolved by a court of a competent jurisdiction in accordance with Clause 9 and Clause 10.7.

5.4 *CE's right to terminate*

If a court of competent jurisdiction (in a decision that has not been appealed or cannot be appealed) determines that the Licensee has failed to comply with its obligations under Clause 5.1 or 5.2 or failed to take an agreed Specific Action within [####] of agreement that it should be taken, CE shall be entitled, by giving not less than [####] written notice to terminate this Agreement and the licences granted to the Licensee under Clause 2. Termination in accordance with this Clause 5.4 shall be CE's sole remedy in respect of the Licensee's breach of this Clause 5.

**6. Intellectual property**

6.1 *Patent protection*

- (a) The Licensee shall at its own cost and expense:
  - (I) endeavour, in its sole and reasonable discretion but always subject to the Licensee's obligations under Clause 5.1, to obtain valid patents in the name of CE pursuant to each patent application listed in Schedule 1 so as to secure the broadest monopoly reasonably available including the filing of divisional applications where appropriate including in the jurisdictions set out in Schedule 1; and
  - (II) pay all renewal fees in respect of the Patents as and when due; and
  - (III) ensure that CE receives copies of all correspondence concerning each patent application listed in Schedule 1,

provided that if the Licensee wishes to abandon any such application or not to maintain any patent in the whole of any part of the Territory (or to cease funding such application or patent) it shall give at least [####] prior written notice to CE, specifying the parts of the Territory affected. At any time after the expiry of such notice period CE may notify the Licensee that it is no longer licensed under the relevant patent or patent application for the whole or part of the Territory identified in the notice.
- (b) CE shall grant the Licensee and its agents such powers of attorney and other permissions as the Licensee may reasonably require in order to carry out the filing, prosecution and maintenance of patents and patent applications pursuant to this Clause 6.1. The Licensee shall not be responsible for any acts or omissions relating to the filing, prosecution or maintenance of the Patents prior to the Commencement Date.

6.2 *Specified European Jurisdictions*

In so far as a Patent at the Commencement Date is a European patent and the Licensee elects not to validate the European patent in a contracting state designated by the Licensor prior to the Commencement Date then any Valid Claim of the said European patent shall be deemed to be a Valid Claim in the state(s) where it has not been validated by the Licensee. Licensed Products sold in the state(s) where the said European patent has not been so validated shall therefore incur Royalties due under Clause 4.3 of this Agreement.

6.3 *Infringement of the Patents*

- (a) Each Party shall inform the other Party promptly if it becomes aware of any infringement or potential infringement of any of the Patents in the Field.
- (b) Subject to Clause 6.3(c), the Licensee shall be entitled to take legal or other action against any third party to enforce the Patents at its sole expense. If the alleged infringement is both within and outside the Field, the Parties shall also co-operate with CE's other licensees (if any) in relation to any such action.
- If required by law CE shall agree to be joined in any such legal action (and may elect to take part in the proceedings) subject to being indemnified and secured in a reasonable manner as to any costs, damages, expenses or other liability. CE shall have the right to be separately represented in any legal action by its own counsel at its own expense.
- (c) Before starting legal action in accordance with Clause 6.3(b) or agreeing to any settlement, the Licensee shall consult CE and take its views into account about the advisability of the action or settlement, its effect on the University and CE's reputation and good name, the effect on any other CE licensees of any of the Licensed Technology, the public interest and how the action should be conducted. Any monetary recovery from any legal or other action shall be dealt with as follows:
- (I) Each Party shall be reimbursed any expenses reasonably incurred in securing the sums recovered.
- (II) If the infringer is granted a sub-licence (either under Clause 2.3 or with CE's consent) CE shall receive [#####] of the balance of any upfront payment made in connection with such sub-licence, after reimbursement of expenses, provided however that if, at the time of the sub-licence grant, the royalty stacking provision in Clause 4.4 is operating to reduce the royalty payable [#####], then such lower percentage shall apply.
- (d) In the event that the Licensee is unsuccessful in persuading the alleged infringer to desist or fails to have initiated an infringement action within [#####] of the Licensee first becoming aware of the basis for such action, CE shall have the following rights, at its sole discretion:
- (I) to prosecute such infringement under its sole control and its sole expense, and any recovery obtained shall belong to CE;
- (II) to seek interim relief.

6.4 *Infringement of third party rights*

- (a) If any warning letter or other notice of infringement is received by a Party, or legal action is brought against a Party, alleging infringement of third party rights in the manufacture, use or sale of any Licensed Product or use of any Patents, that Party shall promptly provide full details to the other Party, and the Parties shall discuss the best way to respond.

- (b) The Licensee shall have the right but not the obligation to defend such action and shall have the right to settle with such third party, provided that if any action or proposed settlement involves the making of any statement, express or implied, concerning the validity of any Patent or the confidentiality of the Know-how, the consent of CE must be obtained before taking such action or making such settlement.

## 7. Warranties and liability

### 7.1 Status of Licensed Technology and responsibility for development of Licensed Products

The Licensee acknowledges that the Licensed Technology is at an early stage of development, that it is provided "as is" and specific results cannot be guaranteed. The Licensee shall be exclusively responsible for the technical and commercial development and manufacture of Licensed Products and for incorporating any modifications or developments thereto that may be necessary or desirable and for all Licensed Products sold or supplied. The Parties accept that, given the nature of all scientific research and development work in respect of the Licensed Technology, specific results may not be achievable within the timescales or within the budgets envisaged or at all. As such the Licensee makes no warranty that any or all of the scientific research and development work envisaged will be achieved.

### 7.2 No representations or warranties

- (a) The Licensee acknowledges that CE has not performed any searches or investigations into the existence of any third party rights, which may affect any of the Licensed Technology and that in entering into this Agreement it does not do so in reliance on (and shall have no remedy in respect of) any representation, warranty or other provision, except as expressly provided in this clause, in which case any remedy shall be limited to an action for breach of contract under the terms of this Agreement.
- (b) CE warrants that,
  - (I) with the exception of the rights reserved in Clause 2.5(a), the University, CUH and the Inventors have assigned to CE all their intellectual property rights in the Patents and have licensed to CE the Know-how;
  - (II) having made reasonable enquiries of the University, CUH and the Inventors (and having secured written representations from them), CE is not aware that any third parties have any legal, financial, commercial or other equitable interest in the Licensed Technology through the provision of funding of research that generated the Licensed Technology;
  - (III) the Patents and PCI Know-how have not been licensed to any person, or charged or encumbered;
  - (IV) to the best of its knowledge and belief the Inventors are the only actual devisors of the inventions claimed in the Patents;
  - (V) CE, and as far as CE is aware the University and CUH, do not own or control any other material intellectual property other than the Licensed Technology relating to the use of modified serpins for the treatment of bleeding disorders which is the subject of the inventions claimed in the Patents;
  - (VI) to the best of its knowledge and belief CE is the sole owner of the Patents and has the right and authority to enter into this Agreement;

- (VII) to the best of its knowledge and belief the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of the transactions contemplated hereunder have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate actions;
  - (VIII) to the best of its knowledge and belief the performance by CE of any of its obligations hereunder does not conflict with, or constitute a breach or a violation of any other contractual obligation to which it is a party.
- (c) Except as provided by Clause 7.2(b) CE makes no representations or warranties of any kind, express or implied, concerning the Licensed Technology including
- (I) as to the satisfactory quality or fitness for a particular purpose
  - (II) as to the absence of latent or other defects, whether or not discoverable
  - (III) as to the validity or scope of the Patent or
  - (IV) that the exploitation of the Licensed Technology or any Licensed Product will not infringe any patents or other intellectual property rights of a third party.

All conditions, warranties or other terms implied by statute or common law are excluded from this Agreement to the fullest extent permitted by law.

### 7.3 Liability and indemnity

- (a) The limitations and exclusions in this Agreement shall not apply in respect of claims for personal injury or death caused by negligence of the Indemnitees or in respect of fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.
- (b) In respect of any damages or expenses of whatsoever nature and howsoever arising (including in contract, tort, negligence or for breach of statutory duty or misrepresentation) in connection with any use of the Licensed Technology or the manufacture, use or sale of or any other dealing in the Licensed Products or otherwise in connection with this Agreement or any relationships established by it:
  - (I) the aggregate liability of the Indemnitees and the Licensee shall be limited to [#####], whichever shall be the highest provided however that this limitation (I) shall, in relation to any breach of Clause 3 (Confidentiality), or to any wilful breach of this Agreement, be [#####]; and
  - (II) in no circumstances shall the Indemnitees or the Licensee be liable for any indirect, incidental or consequential damages including any loss of profits, revenue, business opportunity or goodwill.
- (c) Notwithstanding anything else in this Agreement the Licensee shall indemnify the Indemnitees in full against all demands, claims, judgements and liability (howsoever arising and whether in contract, tort, negligence or for breach of statutory duty or misrepresentation) for damages, costs, expenses or any other loss of whatsoever nature including damage to property, financial loss, personal injury and death, which is asserted in any claim or threatened claim by any third party against all or any of the Indemnitees and which relates to or arises
  - (I) from use by the Licensee or any of its Affiliates or any Sub-Licensee or any user of the whole or any part of the Licensed Technology; or
  - (II) in connection with the manufacture, use or sale of or any other dealing in any Licensed Products by the Licensee or any of its Affiliates or any Sub-Licensee.

The indemnity also extends to the Indemnitees' reasonable legal and professional fees and any expenses incurred in dealing with any such third party claim. Nothing in this sub-clause shall prevent the Licensee recovering from CE, subject to the exclusions and limitations set out in this Agreement, damages due to the Licensee for default by CE of any of its contractual obligations under this Agreement.

- (d) If any third party makes a claim, or notifies an intention to make a claim, against an Indemnitee which may reasonably be considered likely to give rise to a liability under the indemnity at Clause 7.3(c) ("Claim");
- (I) the Indemnitee (or CE on behalf of the Indemnitee) shall as soon as reasonably practicable, give written notice of the Claim to the Licensee, specifying the nature of the Claim in reasonable detail;
  - (II) CE hereby agrees that the Licensee shall have full conduct of such Claim provided that the Licensee keeps CE fully informed and consults CE about the conduct of such Claim. For the purposes of this clause "consults" shall mean that the Licensee shall give full consideration to CE's reasonable representations without being bound to follow such representations.
  - (III) The Licensee shall have no right to settle any such Claim without the agreement in writing of CE. In the event that CE does not agree to any settlement of such Claim proposed by the Licensee (such agreement not to be withheld unreasonably), the Licensee's obligation to indemnify CE shall be limited to any amounts incurred and due to CE under the indemnity up to the date of the proposed settlement, together with the amount of any such proposed settlement.
  - (IV) while the Licensee has conduct of any Claim CE shall not seek to settle or make any admission in respect of any such Claim without the prior written consent of the Licensee (such consent not to be unreasonably conditioned, withheld or delayed), provided that the Indemnitee (or CE on behalf of the Indemnitee) may settle the Claim (after giving prior written notice of the terms of settlement, to the extent legally possible, to the Licensee, but without obtaining the Licensee's consent) if the Indemnitee or CE reasonably believe that failure to settle the Claim would be prejudicial to the Indemnitee in any material respect.
  - (V) the Indemnitee (or CE on behalf of the Indemnitee) shall give the Licensee and its professional advisers reasonable access at reasonable times (on reasonable prior notice) to its premises and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives or advisers, and to any relevant assets, accounts, documents and records within the power or control of the Indemnitee, so as to enable the Licensee and its professional advisers to examine them and to take copies (at the Licensee's expense) for the purpose of assessing the Claim; and
  - (VI) subject to the Licensee providing security to the Indemnitee (or CE on behalf of the Indemnitee) to the Indemnitee's or CE's (as applicable) reasonable satisfaction against any claim, liability, costs, expenses, damages or losses which may be incurred, take such action as the Licensee may reasonably request to avoid, dispute, compromise or defend the Claim.

CE shall have the right to take over conduct of any Claim at any time by serving written notice on the Licensee. In the event that CE serves notice to take over conduct of any Claim, the Licensee's obligation to indemnify the Indemnitee shall (in relation to that Claim only) cease to accrue immediately and be limited to any amounts incurred and due to the Indemnitee under the indemnity up to the date CE serves such notice on the Licensee.



**8. Duration and termination**8.1 *Term*

This Agreement, and the licences granted hereunder, shall come into effect on the Commencement Date and, unless terminated earlier in accordance with this Clause 8, shall continue in force until the date on which all the granted Patents have expired or been revoked without a right of further appeal and on such date this Agreement shall terminate automatically, and the licences granted hereunder shall and the Licensee shall be free to use the Know-how without restriction.

8.2 *Early termination by the Licensee*

The Licensee may terminate this Agreement at any time on [#####] notice in writing to CE.

8.3 *Early termination by CE*

CE may terminate this Agreement in either of the following cases:

- (a) forthwith by giving written notice to the Licensee if the Licensee or any of its Affiliates or any Sub-Licensee commence(s) legal proceedings, or assist(s) any third party to commence legal proceedings, to challenge the validity or ownership of any of the Patents;
- (b) as provided in Clause 5.4

8.4 *Early termination by either Party*

Without prejudice to any other right or remedy, either Party may by written notice to the other Party terminate this Agreement at any time by notice in writing to the other Party, if any of the following events occur:

- (a) the other Party has materially breached this Agreement (and for the avoidance of doubt non-payment of any material sum by the Licensee under clause 4 shall be deemed a material breach) and, in case of a remediable breach other than a persistent breach, has failed to remedy that breach within thirty days of the date of service of a written notice from the other Party specifying the breach and requiring that it be remedied;
- (b) the other Party ceases to carry on business, is unable to pay its debts when they fall due, is declared bankrupt, or an order is made or a resolution passed for the winding up of that other Party or for the appointment of an administrator, receiver, liquidator or manager of that other Party; or
- (c) if the force majeure event as defined in Clause 10.1 continues for longer than 6 months, either Party shall have the right to terminate this Agreement by serving written notice on the other.

8.5 *Consequences of termination*

- (a) Upon termination of this Agreement for any reason otherwise than in accordance with Clause 8.1:
  - (I) (except where CE terminates under Clause 8.4) the Licensee, its Affiliates, and Sub-Licensees shall be entitled to sell, use or otherwise dispose of (subject to payment of royalties under Clause 4.3) any unsold or unused stocks of the Licensed Products for a period of [#####] following the date of termination;

- (II) subject to Clause 8.5(a)(1) above, the Licensee shall no longer be licensed to use or otherwise exploit in any way either directly or indirectly any of the Licensed Technology
  - (III) subject to Clause 8.5(a)(1) above, the Licensee shall consent to the cancellation of any formal licence granted to it or of any registration of it in any register in relation to any of the Patents;
  - (IV) each Party shall return to the other (or destroy at the other's request) all Confidential Information disclosed to it by the other and all materials containing any Confidential Information in its possession or control (including, in the case of the Licensee, in the possession or control of its Sub-Licensees); and
  - (V) upon CE's request (if Licensee has not terminated pursuant to Clause 8.4) the Licensee shall (to the extent it is able having regard to obligations to third parties) notify CE of the nature of any materials, details of all technical processes, manufacturing data, improvements, information, know-how and results relating to the Licensed Technology created or developed by the Licensee or sub-contractors or Sub-Licensees that may be reasonably required by CE to arrange for the further exploitation of the Licensed Technology (provided always that the Licensee shall only be required to use reasonable endeavours to seek to incorporate appropriate access and exploitation provisions into its agreements with Sub-Licensees). The Parties shall negotiate in good faith without delay for up to [####] the terms of an agreement between them on reasonable commercial terms to enable CE to arrange for the further exploitation of the Licensed Technology and Licensed Products as they exist at the date of termination.
- (b) If the Parties are unable to agree the terms of an agreement as described in Clause 8.5(a)(V) CE may initiate the procedure in Clause 9.
  - (c) The expiry or termination of this Agreement does not affect any rights or obligations of either Party which have arisen or accrued up to and including the date of expiry or termination including the right to payment under this Agreement.
  - (d) Clauses 2.3(d), 2.4, 2.5, 3.2 to 3.7, 4 (in respect only of payments due on or before termination or under Clause 8.5(a)(1)), 7, 8.5, 9 and 10 survive expiry or termination (for whatever reason).

#### 9. Dispute resolution

The Parties agree that should any dispute arise between them in relation to this Agreement (other than under Clause 5), they shall meet as soon as practicable and negotiate in good faith with a view to resolving the dispute.

If the Parties are unable to settle any dispute by negotiation within [####] (or where Clause 5.3(d) applies, the Parties will attempt to settle it by mediation in accordance with the Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR) Model Mediation Procedure.

To initiate a mediation a Party must give notice in writing to the other Party, requesting a mediation in accordance with this Clause 9.

Nothing in this Clause 9 shall prevent either Party from applying for injunctive relief to restrain any actual or potential breach of this Agreement.

#### 10. General

##### 10.1 Force majeure

- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, no Party need act if it is impossible to act due to force majeure, meaning any cause beyond its control (including war, riot, natural disaster or law taking effect after the date of this Agreement). A Party affected by force majeure agrees to notify the other Party promptly after it determines that it is unable to act.
- (b) A Party has no responsibility or liability for any loss or expense suffered or incurred by the other Party as a result of its not acting for so long as the force majeure under Clause 10.1 continues. However, the non-performing Party agrees to make reasonable efforts to avoid or remove the circumstances giving rise to the force majeure and agrees to continue performance under this Agreement promptly when they are removed.

10.2 *Assignment*

- (a) Save as provided by Clause 10.2(b) and 10.2(c) neither Party may assign, transfer, charge or deal in any other manner with this Agreement nor purport to do so without the prior written consent of the other Party.
- (b) CE may assign the whole or any of its rights and obligations under this Agreement in conjunction with any assignment of the Patents and the licence to the Know-how provided that CE's assignee shall undertake to be bound by and perform CE's obligations under this Agreement. CE shall notify the Licensee of any assignment under this Agreement.
- (c) The Licensee may assign all its rights and obligations under this Agreement where the assignment is connected with the transfer of all or substantially all of the Licensee's assets to a single purchaser and provided such purchaser undertakes to CE to be bound by and perform the obligations of the Licensee under this Agreement and is capable of performing such obligations. The Licensee shall notify CE of any such assignment.

10.3 *Waiver*

A provision of this Agreement or any right created under it cannot be waived or varied except in writing signed by the Parties.

10.4 *Invalid clauses*

If the whole or any part of a provision of this Agreement is void, unenforceable or illegal in a jurisdiction it is severed for that jurisdiction. The remainder of this Agreement has full force and effect and the validity or enforceability of that provision in any other jurisdiction is not affected. This clause has no effect if the severance alters the basic nature of this Agreement or is contrary to public policy.

10.5 *No agency*

Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating any agency, partnership or other form of joint enterprise between the Parties and neither Party has the authority to act for or bind the other Party in any way.

10.6 *Notices*

Any notice to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered by hand, prepaid registered post or facsimile to the other Party at the address or fax number set out below or to such other address or fax number as either Party may specify in writing to the other.

**Notices to CE**

Director, Cambridge Enterprise Ltd,  
University of Cambridge  
Hauser Forum  
3 Charles Babbage Road  
Cambridge  
CB3 0GT  
UK  
Fax number: [#####]

**Notices to Licensee**

Apcintex Limited  
c/o Medicxi  
25 Great Pulteney Street  
London W1F 9LT  
Attention: The Directors  
  
Email: [#####]and  
[#####]  
with a copy to:  
[#####]

Notices are deemed to have been given:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of the delivery unless delivered after 5pm in the place of receipt or on a non-business day, in which case the notice is deemed to have been given at 9am the next business day;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post from within the United Kingdom, three business days after posting (or seven business days if posted from outside the United Kingdom); and
- (c) if sent by facsimile, at the time the facsimile is received shown in the transmission report as the time that the whole facsimile was sent unless received after 5pm in the place of receipt or on a non-business day, in which case the notice is deemed to have been given at 9am the next business day.

10.7 *Law and jurisdiction*

This Agreement and any documents to be entered into pursuant to it shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law and each Party irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England over any claim or matter arising under or in connection with this Agreement and the documents entered into pursuant to it except that a Party may seek an interim injunction for enforcement of intellectual property rights as described in Clause 9 in any court of competent jurisdiction.

10.8 *Further action*

Each Party agrees to execute, acknowledge and deliver such further instruments, and do all further similar acts, as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the purposes and intent of this Agreement.

10.9 *Announcements*

A Party may not make press or other announcements or releases relating to this Agreement or the transactions the subject of this Agreement without the approval of the other Party to the form and manner of the announcement or release unless and to the extent that the announcement or release:

- (a) is required to be made by law or by a stock exchange;
- (b) is made in a report to funders or in an annual report of CE, CUH, the University or one of the University's departments or
- (c) falls within the terms of Clause 3.6(b).

10.10 *Entire agreement*

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the Parties and supersedes all negotiations, understandings or previous agreement between the Parties relating to the subject matter of this Agreement. Nothing in this Agreement, including this Clause and Clause 7.2, shall operate to limit or exclude liability for fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

10.11 *Third party rights*

CUH, the University, any University wholly owned subsidiary, CUH and the University's employees and students, the Inventors and the Principal Investigator may enforce those terms of this Agreement which expressly confer rights on them, subject to and in accordance with the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999. Save as aforesaid no term of this Agreement shall be enforceable under that Act by a person who is not a party to this Agreement, but this shall not affect any right or remedy of any third party which exists or is available other than under that Act. Notwithstanding that any term of this Agreement may be or become enforceable under that Act by a person which is not a party to it, this Agreement may be amended in any respect, or suspended, cancelled or terminated by agreement in writing between the Parties, in each case without the consent of such third party.

10.12 *Export Control Regulations*

- (a) "Export Control Regulations" mean any United Nations trade sanctions or EU or UK legislation or regulation, from time to time in force, which impose arms embargoes or control the export from the United Kingdom of goods, technology or software, including weapons of mass destruction and arms, military, paramilitary and security equipment and dual-use items (items designed for civil use but which can be used for military purposes) and certain drugs and chemicals.
- (b) The Licensee shall ensure that, in using the Licensed Technology and in selling Licensed Products, it shall not and nor shall its employees or sub-contractors or Affiliates or any Sub-Licensee directly or indirectly breach or compromise compliance with any Export Control Regulations.

10.13 *Non-use of names and marking of Licensed Products*

- (a) Consent is not needed to state that CE has granted the Licensee a licence to use the Licensed Technology to make and supply Licensed Products. In all other cases the Licensee shall not use and shall ensure that Sub-Licensees and its Affiliates do not use (including in any advertising, promotional or sales materials) the name, any adaptation of the name, any logo, trademark or other device of
  - (I) the "University of Cambridge" unless it has first obtained in each case the University's prior written consent;
  - (II) "Cambridge Enterprise Limited" or of the Inventors or Principal Investigator unless it has first obtained in each case CE's prior written consent.
- (b) To the extent commercially feasible the Licensee shall mark and cause Sub-Licensees and its Affiliates to mark each product with the number of each issued patent which applies to it.

10.14 *Insurance*

Without prejudice to its obligations under Clause 0 the Licensee shall take out with a reputable insurance company and maintain at all times during the Term public and product liability and professional indemnity insurance including against all loss of and damage to property (whether real personal or intellectual) and injury to persons including death arising out of or in connection with this Agreement and the Licensee's and its Affiliates' and Sub-Licensees' use of the Licensed Technology and use, sale of or any other dealing in any of the Licensed Products. Such insurances shall be at a level which reflects the scale of activity in relation to the Licensed Technology, not exclude litigation in England, and include an indemnity to principals clause in favour of CE, CUH and the University. Subject thereto, cover may be limited in respect of one claim provided that such limit must be at least [#####] for public and product liability and [#####] for Professional indemnity insurance shall continue to be maintained for a further [#####] from the end of the Term.

10.15 *Legal Compliance*

The Licensee shall comply with the following (and any amendment or re-enactment) in all material respects: all statutes, bye laws, regulations, codes of practice, European and other directives and provisions and all professional rules and standards to be observed and performed in connection with the development, manufacture and sale or making available of Licensed Products.

AGREED by the parties through their authorised signatories:-

For and on behalf of  
**CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED**

/s/ J.M. Grimshaw

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Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
J.M Grimshaw  
Print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Head of Physical Sciences  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
7 Dec 2016  
Date

For and on behalf of  
**APCINTEX LIMITED**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Title

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Date

For and on behalf of  
**APCINTEX LIMITED**

/s/ Kevin Johnson  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

Kevin Johnson  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name

Chairman  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



**SCHEDULE 1**

Part A: [###]



**SCHEDULE 2**

Part A: [####]

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**FIRST AMENDMENT TO LICENSE AGREEMENT**

This First Amendment (the "Amendment") to the license agreement (JHU Agreement [####]) with an Effective Date of July 21, 2015 (the "Agreement"), is entered into as of July 22, 2018 ("Amendment Effective Date"), by and among the Johns Hopkins University, a corporation of the State of Maryland, in the United States of America, having a principal place of business at 3400 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21218-2695 (hereinafter "JHU"), the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, a nonprofit corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, in the United States of America, having a principal place of business at 3160 Chestnut Street, Suite 200, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104 (hereinafter "PENN"), and Apcintex Limited, a corporation of England and Wales having a principal place of business at c/o Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, England, W1F 9LT (hereinafter "Company").

**RECITALS**

WHEREAS, on July 21, 2015 ("Effective Date"), JHU, PENN and Serpin Haemostatics Limited ("Serpin" or "Company") entered into a non-exclusive license (the "Agreement") for JHU Ref. C09948 and PENN Ref. H1264 entitled A Mouse Model of Hemophilia A, and

WHEREAS, on or about April 2, 2016, Serpin Haemostatics Limited changed its name to Apcintex Limited ("Apcintex") and all of Serpin's rights, powers, interest and obligations under various agreements with third parties, including this Agreement and this First Amendment are now vested in Apcintex and any reference to Company will name to mean Apcintex; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to amend the Agreement to extend the Term and update Notice and Payment Information.

NOW THEREFORE, based upon the above premises, the parties agree as follows:

**AMENDMENT**

1. **Change of Name.** All references in the Agreement to Serpin Haemostatics Limited ("Serpin") are changed to Apcintex Limited ("Apcintex") and any reference to Company will mean Apcintex.
2. **Terms.** Capitalized terms in this Amendment shall have the same meaning as those in the Agreement, unless specifically defined in this Amendment. All section and paragraph references refer to sections or paragraphs as applicable, in the Agreement. References to the term "Agreement" in the Agreement shall be deemed to include the Amendment.
3. **Interpretation.** Except as expressly modified herein, the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms. To the extent there are any inconsistencies or ambiguities between this Amendment and the Agreement, the terms of this Amendment shall supersede the Agreement.
4. **Amendment Fee.** Company shall pay a non-refundable Amendment Fee of [####] within [####] of the date the last party hereto has executed this First Amendment.

5. **Payment.**

Paragraph 4.2 shall be deleted in total and replaced with:

4.2. All payments under this Agreement shall be made in US Dollars. All non-US taxes related to the transfer of MICE, if any, shall be paid by COMPANY and shall not be deducted from the licensing fee due to JHU. Checks are to be made payable to "The Johns Hopkins University" and sent to:

Executive Director  
Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures  
Johns Hopkins University  
1812 Ashland Avenue, Suite 110  
Baltimore, MD 21205  
Attn: [#####]  
[#####]

Wire transfers may be made through.

**DOMESTIC ACH & WIRE**

[#####]

**INTERNATIONAL FED WIRE**

[#####]

Company shall be responsible for any and all costs associated with wire transfers.

6. Paragraph 6.8 shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following language:

6.8. This Agreement shall expire [#####] from the EFFECTIVE DATE (the "TERM"). Company may extend the term of this Agreement by [#####] by requesting an extension in writing to JHU at least [#####] before the end of the initial term of this Agreement. An extension fee of [#####] shall be payable to JHU within [#####] of such written notice. Upon expiration of this Agreement, COMPANY shall cease to use the MICE and DERIVATIVE MICE, return or sacrifice the MICE and DERIVATIVE MICE and provide evidence of such sacrifice to JHU.

7. Paragraph 6.11 shall be deleted and replaced with the following:

6.11. All notices and/or communications pertaining to this Agreement shall be in writing and sent certified mail, return receipt requested, to the parties at the following addresses or such other address as such party shall have furnished in writing to the other party in accordance with this Paragraph 6.11:

**If to JHU:** Executive Director, Technology Transfer  
Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures  
Johns Hopkins University  
1812 Ashland Ave, Suite 110  
Baltimore, MD 21205  
Phone: [#####]  
Reference: [#####]  
[#####] **If to PENN:** Penn Center for Innovation  
University of Pennsylvania  
3160 Chestnut Street, Suite 200  
Philadelphia, PA 19104-6283  
Attention: Managing Director

**With a copy to:** University of Pennsylvania  
Office of General Counsel  
FMC Tower at Cira Centre South  
2929 Walnut Street, Suite 400  
Philadelphia, PA 19104-5099  
Attention: General Counsel

**If to COMPANY:** Apcintex Limited  
c/o The Cambridge Partnership  
Moneta Building  
Babraham Research Campus  
Babraham  
Cambridge  
CB22 3AT  
t: [#####]  
Attn: [#####]  
[#####]

8. **No Other Amendment.** Except as expressly amended hereby, the provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

9. **Counterparts.** The parties may execute this Amendment in counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which together constitute one and the same agreement. The Amendment may be delivered electronically and the parties hereby agree that any electronic signatures hereto are legal, valid and enforceable as originals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Amendment shall take effect as of the Amendment Effective Date after it has been executed below by the duly authorized representatives of the parties.

THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY

APCINTEX LIMITED

By: /s/ Steve Kousouris

By: /s/ Jim Huntington

Name: Steven L Kousouris

Name: Jim Huntington

Title: Executive Director, Technology  
Transfer Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures

Title: CEO

Date: 12/3/2018 | 1:54 PM EST

Date: 4 Dec 2018

THE TRUSTEES OF THE  
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

By: /s/ John S. Swartley

Name: John S. Swartley, Ph.D.

Title: Associate Vice Provost for  
Research and Managing Director, Penn  
Center for Innovation

Date: 12/3/2018 | 2:01 PM EST



[###] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

Execution Version

**License Agreement**

This Agreement is entered into with effect as of the Effective Date (as defined below)

by and between

**F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd**

with an office and place of business at Grenzacherstrasse 124, 4070 Basel, Switzerland ("Roche Basel")

and

**Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.**

with an office and place of business at 150 Clove Road, Suite 8, Little Falls, New Jersey 07424, U.S.A. ("Roche US"; Roche Basel and Roche US together referred to as "Roche")

on the one hand

and

**PEGA-ONE SAS**

(RCS number 853 093 458 Creteil) with an office and place of business at 1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthe, Villejuif Bio-Park, 94800 Villejuif, France ("PEGA1") on the other hand.

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## License Agreement

WHEREAS, Roche has discovered and has conducted certain research and development related to, and possesses certain intellectual property with respect to the glycoengineered anti-EGFR mAB Imgatuzumab (RO5083945) also referred to as GA201 ("Compound" as further defined below); and

WHEREAS, PEGA1 has the resources and expertise in the development, manufacturing and commercialization of pharmaceutical products; and

WHEREAS, PEGA1 desires to obtain, and Roche is willing to grant to PEGA1 an exclusive, royalty-bearing license to develop, manufacture and commercialize Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory (terms as defined below), subject to the terms and conditions hereof; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises contained in this Agreement and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto, intending to be legally bound, do hereby agree as follows;

### 1. Definitions

As used in this Agreement, the following terms, whether used in the singular or plural, shall have the following meanings:

#### 1.1 Affiliate

The term "Affiliate" shall mean any individual, corporation, association or other business entity that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Party in question. As used in this definition of "Affiliate," the term "control" shall mean the direct or indirect ownership of more than fifty percent (>50%) of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof or the ability to otherwise control the management of the corporation or other business entity whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract, resolution, regulation or otherwise. Anything to the contrary in this paragraph notwithstanding, Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd, a Japanese corporation ("**Chugai**") not be deemed as Affiliate of Roche unless Roche provides written notice to PEGA1 of its desire to include Chugai, and/or their respective subsidiaries (as applicable) as Affiliate(s) of Roche. In respect of PEGA1, Affiliate excludes any investor, venture capital fund, venture capital trust, private equity group, pension fund, investment trust or similar sources of capital.

#### 1.2 Agreement

The term "Agreement" shall mean this document including any and all appendices and amendments to it as may be added and/or amended from time to time in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

### **1.3 Agreement Term**

The term "Agreement Term" shall mean the period of time commencing on the Effective Date and, unless this Agreement is terminated sooner as provided in Article 20, expiring on the date when no royalty or other payment obligations under this Agreement are or will become due.

### **1.4 Applicable Law**

The term "Applicable Law" shall mean any law, statute, ordinance, code, rule or regulation that has been enacted by a government authority (including without limitation, any Regulatory Authority) and is in force as of the Effective Date or comes into force during the Agreement Term, in each case to the extent that the same are applicable to the performance by the Parties of their respective obligations under this Agreement.

### **1.5 Business Day**

The term "Business Day" shall mean 9.00am to 5.00pm local time on a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or bank or other public or federal holiday in Switzerland or France.

### **1.6 Calendar Quarter**

The term "Calendar Quarter" shall mean each period of three (3) consecutive calendar months, ending March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31.

### **1.7 Calendar Year**

The term "Calendar Year" shall mean the period of time beginning on January 1 and ending December 31, except for the first year which shall begin on the Effective Date and end on December 31.

### **1.8 Change of Control**

The term "Change of Control" shall mean, with respect to a Party: (a) the acquisition by one or more Third Parties of beneficial ownership of fifty percent (50%) or more of the then outstanding common shares or voting power of such Party, other than acquisitions by employee benefit plans sponsored or maintained by such Party; (b) the consummation of a business combination involving such Party, unless, following such business combination, the stockholders of such Party that owned directly or indirectly more than fifty percent (50%) of the then outstanding common shares or voting power of the entity immediately prior to such business combination beneficially own directly or indirectly more than fifty percent (50%) of the then outstanding common shares or voting power of the entity resulting from such business combination; or (c) the sale of all or substantially all of such Party's assets or business relating to the subject matter of the Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) the consummation of an IPO by PEGA1 shall not be deemed a Change of Control of PEGA1 and (ii) a Change of Control shall not include a Private Financing.

#### 1.9 Change of Control Group

The term "Change of Control Group" shall mean with respect to a Party, the person or entity, or group of persons or entities, that is the acquirer of, or a successor to, a Party in connection with a Change of Control, together with affiliates of such persons or entities that are not Affiliates of such Party immediately prior to the completion of such Change of Control of such Party.

#### 1.10 Clinical Batch

The term "Clinical Batch" shall mean the first batch of Product, manufactured by or on behalf of PEGA 1, suitable to be used for Clinical Studies according to specifications accepted by Regulatory Authorities.

#### 1.11 Clinical Study

The term "Clinical Study" shall mean a Phase I Study or Phase II Study or Phase III Study, as applicable.

#### 1.12 Closing Date

The term "Closing Date" shall mean the date on which the Condition Precedent has been satisfied.

#### 1.13 Combination Product

The term "Combination Product" shall mean

- a) a single pharmaceutical formulation containing as its active pharmaceutical ingredients both the Compound and one or more other therapeutically or prophylactically active pharmaceutical ingredients, or
- b) a combination therapy comprised of the Compound and one or more other therapeutically or prophylactically active products, priced and sold in a single package containing such multiple products or packaged separately but sold together for a single price,

in each case, including all dosage forms, formulations, presentations, line extensions, and package configurations. All references to Product in this Agreement shall be deemed to include Combination Product.

#### 1.14 Commercially Reasonable Efforts

The term "Commercially Reasonable Efforts" shall mean, with respect to PEGA1's obligation under this Agreement to develop or commercialize Product, the level of efforts required to carry out such obligation in a sustained manner consistent with the efforts a similarly situated biopharmaceutical company or pharmaceutical company, as the case may be, devotes to products of similar stage of development, product life, market potential, profit potential, safety and efficacy, scientific potential and strategic value resulting from its own research efforts, based on conditions then prevailing, taking into consideration the market, exclusivity and other conditions in particular markets of the Territory. However, Commercially Reasonable Efforts does not always require PEGA1 to seek to market Products in every country or seek to obtain Regulatory Approval in every country or for every potential Indication.

#### 1.15 Compound

The term "Compound" shall mean the glycoengineered anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody imgatuzumab also referred to as GA201 or RO5083945 as specified in World Health Organisation Drug Information Vol. 27, No. 1, 2013, pp. 62-63.

#### 1.16 Confidential Information

The term "Confidential Information" shall mean any and all information, data or know-how (including Know-How), whether technical or non-technical, oral or written, that is disclosed by one Party or its Affiliates ("**Disclosing Party**") to the other Party or its Affiliates ("**Receiving Party**"). Confidential Information shall not include any information, data or know-how that:

- (i) was generally available to the public at the time of disclosure, or information that becomes available to the public after disclosure by the Disclosing Party other than through fault (whether by action or inaction) of the Receiving Party or its Affiliates,
- (ii) can be evidenced by written records to have been already known to the Receiving Party or its Affiliates prior to its receipt from the Disclosing Party,
- (iii) is obtained at any time lawfully from a Third Party under circumstances permitting its use or disclosure,
- (iv) is developed independently by the Receiving Party or its Affiliates as evidenced by written records other than through knowledge of Confidential Information,
- (v) is approved in writing by the Disclosing Party for release by the Receiving Party. The terms of this Agreement shall be considered Confidential Information of the Parties.

#### 1.17 Continuation Election Notice

The term "Continuation Election Notice" shall mean the notice Roche provides to PEGA1 under Section 19.8.

#### 1.18 Control

The term "Control" shall mean (as an adjective or as a verb including conjugations and variations such as "Controls" "Controlled" or "Controlling") (a) with respect to Patent Rights and/or Know- How, the possession by a Party of the ability to grant a license or sublicense of such Patent Rights and/or Know-How (i) without violating the terms of any agreement or arrangement between such Party and any other party or (ii) without requiring the payment of any additional consideration from such Party to any other party, and (b) with respect to proprietary materials, the possession by a Party of the ability to supply such proprietary materials to the other Party as provided herein without violating the terms of any agreement or arrangement between such Party and any other party.

**1.19 Cover**

The term "Cover" shall mean (as an adjective or as a verb including conjugations and variations such as "Covered," "Coverage" or "Covering") that the developing, making, using, offering for sale, promoting, selling, exporting or importing of a given compound, formulation or product would infringe a Valid Claim in the absence of a license under the Patent Rights to which such Valid Claim pertains. The determination of whether a compound, formulation, process or product is Covered by a particular Valid Claim shall be made on a country-by-country basis.

**1.20 Data Room**

The term "Data Room" shall mean the due diligence data room containing all material data and information, including but not limited to PEGA1 Patent Rights, Joint Patent Rights, clinical data, regulatory correspondence, and Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls ("CMC") data related to the Compound and/or Products generated by PEGA1 after the Effective Date.

**1.21 Development Plan**

The term "Development Plan" shall mean the plan for the development of the Products as set forth in Section 6.2.

**1.22 Development Program**

The term "Development Program" shall mean the activities undertaken by PEGA1 pursuant to the Development Plan to develop Compound and Products, and such other activities with regard to Compound and Products as the Parties may agree in writing

**1.23 Drug Approval Application**

The term Drug Approval Application shall mean an application for Regulatory Approval for the Products for use in the Field submitted to the FDA, or a foreign equivalent of the FDA.

**1.24 Effective Date**

The term "Effective Date" shall mean the Closing Date.

**1.25 Europe**

The term "Europe" shall mean the organization of member states known as the European Economic Area, as its membership may be altered from time to time, and any successor thereto, and all of its then current member countries and in any event the United Kingdom and Switzerland.

**1.26 Expert**

The term "Expert" shall mean a person with no less than [###] of pharmaceutical industry experience and expertise having occupied at least one senior position within a large pharmaceutical company relating to product commercialization and/or licensing but excluding any current or former employee or consultant of either Party. Such person shall be fluent in the English language.

**1.27 FDA**

The term "FDA" shall mean the Food and Drug Administration of the United States of America or any successor agency thereto.

**1.28 FDCA**

The term "FDCA" shall mean the Food, Drug and Cosmetics Act, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

**1.29 Field**

The term "Field" shall mean all Indications and uses in humans, excluding diagnostic uses.

**1.30 Filing**

The term "Filing" shall mean the filing of an application to the FDA as defined in the FDCA and applicable regulations, or the equivalent application to the equivalent agency in any other country or group of countries, the official approval of which is required before any lawful commercial sale or marketing of Products.

**1.31 First Commercial Sale**

The term "First Commercial Sale" shall mean, with respect to a Product in any country, the first invoiced sale of such Product to a Third Party by PEGA 1 (or, if applicable its Affiliates or Sublicensees) in such country following the receipt of any Regulatory Approval required for the sale of such Product, or if no such Regulatory Approval is required, the date of the first invoiced sale of a Product to a Third Party by PEGA 1 (or, if applicable, its Affiliates or Sublicensees) in such country. For clarity, compassionate use sales will not be considered in determining the First Commercial Sale.

**1.32 GAAP**

The term "GAAP" shall mean Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.

**1.33 Generic Product**

The term "Generic Product" shall mean with respect to a Product in a country in the Territory, any other prescription pharmaceutical product including biosimilar (i) that is introduced in the Territory by a Third Party who did not purchase such product in a chain of distribution that included any of PEGA 1, its Affiliates or Sublicensees, (ii) contains the same active ingredient(s) as such Product, and (iii) for which Regulatory Approval is obtained by an abbreviated Drug Approval Application or other abbreviated pathway not requiring the filing of a complete Drug Approval Application or comparable registration application under Applicable Laws of the FDA or any other applicable Regulatory Authority.

**1.34 Handle**

The term "Handle" shall mean with respect to Patent Rights preparing, filing, prosecuting (including interference and opposition proceedings) and maintaining (including payment or maintenance fees and annuities and overseeing interferences, proceedings, reissue applications and proceedings, re-examination applications and proceedings, post-grant reviews, inter-partes reviews, derivation proceedings and opposition proceedings).

**1.35 Housemark**

The term "Housemark" shall mean the names of Roche or its Affiliates, or variations of the names, and all related logotypes and symbols used by Roche or its Affiliates in connection with its products and/or services.

**1.36 IFRS**

The term "IFRS" shall mean International Financial Reporting Standards.

**1.37 IND**

The term "IND" shall mean an Investigational New Drug application as defined in the FDCA and applicable regulations promulgated by the FDA, or the equivalent application to the equivalent agency in any other country or group of countries, the filing of which is necessary to commence clinical testing of a Product in humans.

**1.38 Indication**

The term "Indication" shall mean any indication classified as a separate block of a three-character category in the Tenth Revision of the International Classifications of Diseases and Related Health Problems ("ICD-10").

**1.39 Initiation**

The term "Initiation" shall mean the date the first human is dosed with the Product in a Clinical Study approved by the respective Regulatory Authority.

**1.40 Insolvency Event**

The term "Insolvency Event" shall mean circumstances under which a Party (i) has a receiver or similar officer appointed by a court of competent jurisdiction or governmental authority over all or a material part of its assets or undertaking; (ii) passes a resolution for winding-up (other than a winding-up for the purpose of, or in connection with, any solvent amalgamation or reconstruction) or a court makes an order to that effect or a court makes an order for administration (or any equivalent order in any jurisdiction); (iii) enters into any composition or arrangement with its creditors (other than relating to a solvent restructuring); (iv) ceases to carry on business; or (v) is unable to pay its debts as they become due in the ordinary course of business.

#### 1.41 Invention

The term "Invention" shall mean an invention that is conceived or reduced to practice in connection with any activity carried out pursuant to this Agreement. Under this definition, an Invention may be made by employees of PEGA 1, including any improvement to the Roche Patent Rights, Roche Know How or a Roche Invention, solely or jointly with a Third Party (a "**PEGA1 Invention**"), by employees of Roche solely or jointly with a Third Party (a "**Roche Invention**"), or jointly by employees of PEGA 1 and Roche with or without a Third Party (a "**Joint Invention**"). This notwithstanding, any improvement to the Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights (as listed in Appendix 1.65) shall be a Roche Invention~

#### 1.42 IPO

The term "IPO" shall mean, with respect to PEGA 1, (i) PEGA 1's first underwritten public offering of its common stock under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, or with respect to any non-US public offering, under any foreign equivalent (a "**Traditional IPO**"), or (ii) a "reverse merger" of PEGA1 prior to its first underwritten public offering with and into a Third Party publicly traded company (a "**Reverse Merger**" and such entity, the "**Public Target**").

#### 1.43 IPO Effective Time

The term "IPO Effective Time" shall mean, with respect to PEGA1's IPO, the time point at which either (i) in the case of a Traditional IPO, PEGA1's registration statement on Form S-1 (or equivalent document) is declared effective by the US Securities and Exchange Commission (or, with respect to any non-US public offering, any equivalent agency or other responsible party) and shares of PEGA1's common stock become available for public trade, or (ii) in the case of a Reverse Merger, the closing of any Reverse Merger occurs.

#### 1.44 Joint Know-How

The term "Joint Know-How" shall mean Know-How that is made jointly by the Parties or their Affiliates or their Sublicensees in connection with any activity carried out pursuant to this Agreement.

#### 1.45 Joint Patent Rights

The term "Joint Patent Rights" shall mean all Patent Rights Covering a Joint Invention.

#### 1.46 Know-How

The term "Know-How" shall mean data, knowledge and information, including materials, samples, chemical manufacturing data, toxicological data, pharmacological data, preclinical data, proprietary assays related to the Compound, platforms, formulations, specifications, quality control testing data, that are necessary for the research, manufacture, development or commercialization of Compound or Products.



#### 1.47 Lanza Agreement

The term "Lanza Agreement" shall mean the restated umbrella research and license agreement between Lanza Sales AG and Roche dated 29 November 2013, as amended now or in the future a copy of which (with reasonable redactions) is attached hereto as Appendix 2.2, and incorporated herein by reference.

#### 1.48 Net Sales

The term "Net Sales" shall mean, for a Product in a particular period, the sum of (i) and (ii):

- (i) the gross invoiced sales at which such Product was sold or otherwise disposed of by PEGA1 and its Affiliates to such Third Parties (excluding sales to any Sublicensees that are not Affiliates of PEGA1, unless these Sublicensees are the final end-user along with any sales for clinical purposes arising before First Commercial Sale, compassionate uses, humanitarian and charitable donations) in such period reduced by gross-to-net deductions, if not previously deducted from such invoiced amount, taken in accordance with the then currently used IFRS or GAAP, as applicable.

By way of example, the gross-to-net deductions taken in accordance with IFRS as of the Effective Date include the following:

- (a) credits, reserves or allowances granted for (i) damaged, outdated, returned, rejected, withdrawn or recalled Product, (ii) wastage replacement and short-shipments; (iii) billing errors and (iv) indigent patient and similar programs (e.g., price capitation);
  - (b) governmental price reductions and government mandated rebates;
  - (c) chargebacks, including those granted to wholesalers, buying groups and retailers;
  - ((d) freight, postage charges, transportation insurance, packing materials for dispatch of goods and custom duties;
  - (e) customer rebates, including cash sales incentives for prompt payment, cash and volume discounts; and
  - (f) taxes and any other governmental charges or levies imposed upon or measured by the use, manufacture or sale of a Product (excluding income or franchise taxes) and other government charges accrued during such period, including, for example, any fees, taxes or other charges that become due in connection with any healthcare reform, change in government pricing or discounting schemes, or other action of a government or regulatory body.
- (ii) for Sublicensees that are not Affiliates of PEGA1 the sales amounts reported to PEGA1 and its Affiliates in accordance with this Agreement and their then-currently used IFRS or GAAP. For purposes of clarity, sales by PEGA1 and its Affiliates to any Sublicensees shall be excluded from "Net Sales" unless the Sublicensees is the final end-user.

In the event that the Compound is sold in any country in the form of a Combination Product, Net sales of such Combination Product shall be adjusted by the fraction  $(A)/(A+B)$  where A is the average invoice price of the Product that is not a Combination Product in such country and B the average invoice price in such country of each product that contains active ingredient(s) other than the Compound. If either the Product that is not a Combination Product or the other product(s) is not sold separately in a particular country, the Parties shall negotiate in good faith a reasonable adjustment to Net Sales in such country that takes into account the medical contribution to the Combination Product of all other factors reasonably relevant to the relative value of, the Compound, on the one hand and all the other active ingredient(s), collectively, on the other hand.

Where any discount or rebate is based on sales of a bundled set of products in which a Product is included, the discount or rebate shall be allocated to such Product on a pro rata basis based on the list sales value (i.e. the unit list price multiplied by the unit volume) of the Product relative to the list sales value contributed by the other products in the bundled set with respect to such sale.

**1.49 Partner**

The term "Partner" shall mean a Third Party with which PEGA1 will enter or has entered (as applicable) a Partner Agreement.

**1.50 Partner Agreement**

The term "Partner Agreement" shall mean any agreement between PEGA1 and a Third Party pursuant to Section 2.4 granting rights to develop (but excluding co-development agreements that do not include commercial rights) and/or commercialize the Compound and/or the Product (including but not limited to a (i) sub-license agreement with a Third Party, (ii) merger, acquisition, sale, transfer or other transaction involving the Compound and/or the Product (but for clarity, excluding a Change of Control), or (iii) an assignment of this Agreement to a Third Party that is not done in connection with a Change of Control) in one or more countries of the Territory, other than a sub-contract pursuant to Section 2.5.

**1.51 Party**

The term "Party" shall mean PEGA1 or Roche, as the case may be, and "Parties" shall mean PEGA1 and Roche collectively.

**1.52 Patent Rights**

The term "Patent Rights" shall mean all rights under any patent or patent application, certificate of invention, application for certificate of invention or priority patent filing in any country of the Territory or under any international convention or treaty, including any patents issuing on such patent application, and further including any substitution, extension or supplementary protection certificate, reissue, reexamination, renewal, division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any of the foregoing.

**1.53 PEGA1 Know How**

The term "PEGA1 Know-How" shall mean the Know-How (other than Joint Know-How) that PEGA1 Controls at the Effective Date and during the Agreement Term.

**1.54 PEG A1 Patent Rights**

The term "PEGA1 Patent Rights" shall mean the Patent Rights (other than the Joint Patent Rights) that PEGA1 Controls, relating to or arising from the research, manufacture, development or commercialization of or Covering a Product.

**1.55 Phase I Study**

The term "Phase I Study" shall mean a human clinical trial in any country that would satisfy the requirements of 21 C.F.R. § 312.21(a) (FDCA), as amended from time to time, and the foreign equivalent thereof.

**1.56 Phase II Study**

The term "Phase II Study" shall mean a human clinical trial, for which the primary endpoints include a determination of dose ranges and/or a preliminary determination of efficacy in patients being studied as described in 21 C.F.R. § 312.21(b) (FDCA), as amended from time to time, and the foreign equivalent thereof.

**1.57 Phase III Study**

The term "Phase III Study" shall mean a human clinical trial that is prospectively designed to demonstrate statistically whether a product is safe and effective for use in humans in a manner sufficient to obtain Regulatory Approval to market such product in patients having the disease or condition being studied as described in 21 C.F.R. § 312.21(c) (FDCA), as amended from time to time, and the foreign equivalent thereof.

**1.58 Pivotal Study**

The term "Pivotal Study" shall mean a human clinical trial that is prospectively designed to demonstrate statistically whether a product is safe and effective for use in humans in a manner sufficient to obtain Regulatory Approval to market such product having the disease or condition being studied. Pivotal Studies include, but are not limited to Phase III Studies.

**1.59 Private Financing**

The term "Private Financing" shall mean, with respect to PEGA1, the issuance and sale of its capital stock, or debt instruments that are convertible into its capital stock, to one or more investors in a *bona fide* transaction for purposes of raising capital to fund development of its programs and/or for other general corporate purposes (e.g. such as the contemplated PEGA1's Series A financing pursuant to the term sheet entered into between, amongst others, PEGA1, BioDiscovery 5 FPCI, and Medicxi Growth I LP (the "**Series A Agreement**")).

#### **1.60 Proceeds**

The term "Proceeds" shall mean the aggregate proceeds from any Strategic Transaction being conveyed in such Strategic Transaction to PEGA1 or its Affiliates or their stockholders, including any option fees, upfront payments, event based milestone payments, royalty payments and all other monetary and non-monetary consideration (with non-monetary consideration being valued at the fair market value thereof) paid or made to PEGA1 or its Affiliates or stockholders, directly or indirectly from any party to a Strategic Transaction.

#### **1.61 Product**

The term "Product" shall mean any product, containing the Compound as pharmaceutically active agent, regardless of their finished forms or formulations or dosages.

#### **1.62 Regulatory Approval**

The term "Regulatory Approval" shall mean any approvals, licenses, registrations or authorizations by Regulatory Authority, necessary for the sale of a Product in the Field in a regulatory jurisdiction in the Territory.

#### **1.63 Regulatory Authority**

The term "Regulatory Authority" shall mean any national, supranational (e.g., the European Commission, the Council of the European Union, the European Medicines Agency), regional, state or local regulatory agency, department, bureau, commission, council or other governmental entity including the FDA, in each country involved in the granting of Regulatory Approval for the Product.

#### **1.64 Regulatory Documentation**

The term "Regulatory Documentation" shall mean all (i) applications (including IND and Drug Approval applications), Regulatory Approvals, regulatory materials, drug dossiers, master files (including Drug Master files); (ii) correspondence, records and reports submitted to or received from Regulatory Authorities and all supporting documents including all adverse event files and complaint files; and (iii) clinical and other data contained or relied upon in any of the foregoing; and (iv) any information that relates to the pharmacology, toxicology, chemistry, manufacturing and controls data, methods, processes and reports, executed batch records, safety and efficacy, and any safety database required to be maintained for Regulatory Authorities relating to the Compound provided that such Regulatory Documentation exists and is reasonably retrievable by Roche.

#### **1.65 Regulatory Exclusivity**

The term "Regulatory Exclusivity" means any exclusive marketing rights or data exclusivity rights conferred by any governmental authority under applicable law with respect to a Product in a country or jurisdiction in the Territory to prevent Third Parties from selling such Product in such country or jurisdiction, other than a Patent Right, including orphan drug exclusivity, pediatric exclusivity, rights conferred in the U.S. under the FD&C Act, in the EU under Directive 2001/83/EC, or rights similar thereto in other countries or regulatory jurisdictions in the Territory.

**1.66 Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights**

The term "Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights" shall mean the Patent Rights as listed in Appendix 1.65.

**1.67 Roche Know-How**

The term "Roche Know-How" shall mean the Know-How Controlled by Roche as of the Effective Date as listed in Appendix 1.66(a) of this Agreement. For purposes of clarity, the Roche Know- How as identified in Appendix 1.66(b) is specifically excluded from the Roche Know-How.

**1.68 Roche Patent Rights**

The term "Roche Patent Rights" shall mean the Patent Rights relating to the Compound or any Product Roche Controls as of the Effective Date as listed in Appendix 1.67.

**1.69 Royalty Term**

The term "Royalty Term" shall mean, with respect to a Product and for a given country, the period of time commencing on the date of First Commercial Sale of such Product in such country and ending on the later of the date that is (a) ten (10) years after the date of the First Commercial Sale of such Product in such country, or (b) the expiration of the last to expire Valid Claim within the Roche Patent Rights, Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights, and/or a Joint Patent Right in such country Covering the use, manufacture, import, offering for sale, or sale of the Product or (c) expiration of the last to expire Regulatory Exclusivity conferred by the applicable Regulatory Authority in such country for such Product.

**1.70 Sublicensees**

The term "Sublicensees" shall mean a person or entity to which PEGA1 has actually or potentially licensed rights pursuant to this Agreement.

**1.71 Strategic Transaction**

The term "Strategic Transaction" shall mean, with respect to PEGA1 (i) a Change of Control, or (ii) the execution of a Partner Agreement. For clarity either of the foregoing occurring (a) after the IPO Effective Time or (b) [#####] or more after First Commercial Sale of a Product in [#####] Country shall not be deemed a Strategic Transaction.

**1.72 Successful Manufacture**

The term "Successful Manufacture" shall mean the successful release of a Clinical Batch.

**1.73 Territory**

The term "Territory" shall mean all countries of the world.

**1.74 Third Party**

The term "Third Party" shall mean a person or entity other than (i) PEGA1 or any of its Affiliates or (ii) Roche or any of its Affiliates.

**1.75 US**

The term "US" shall mean the United States of America and its territories and possessions.

**1.76 US\$**

The term "US\$" shall mean US dollars.

**1.77 Valid Claim**

The term "Valid Claim" shall mean a claim contained in any (i) unexpired, in force and issued Roche Patent Right or Joint Patent Right that has not been disclaimed, revoked or held invalid by a final non-appealable decision of a court of competent jurisdiction or government agency or (ii) pending Roche Patent application or Joint Patent application in any country of the Territory that (a) is on file with the applicable patent office and has shown evidence of reasonably consistent activity to advance to issuance of a patent and (b) which application has been on file with the applicable patent office for no more than [###] from the earliest date to which the patent application claims priority.

**1.78 Additional Definitions**

Each of the following definitions is set forth in the Section of this Agreement indicated below

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Where this Agreement in parenthesis refers to a legal expression in German it is the relevant Swiss nomenclature. In case of a dispute solely such Swiss nomenclature shall be relevant and shall prevail over the English expression.

## **2. Grant of License**

### **2.1 Exclusive License**

Roche hereby grants to PEGA1 an exclusive (subject to Section 2.6 below even as to Roche), sublicensable (subject to Sections 2.3, 2.4 and 2.5 and Article 3) worldwide right and license under Roche Patent Rights, Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights, Roche Know-How, and Roche's interest in Joint Patent Rights and Joint Know-How, to research, have researched, develop, have developed, register, have registered, use, have used, make, have made, import, have imported, export, have exported, market, have marketed, distribute, have distributed, offer for sale, have offered for sale, sell and have sold Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory.

### **2.2 Lonza Sublicense**

Roche hereby grants to PEGA1 an exclusive (even as to Roche) sub-license of the rights licensed to Roche under the Lonza Agreement solely to develop, have developed, commercialize, have commercialized, make, have made, use, have used, sell, have sold, offer for sale, have offered for sale, import and have imported Compound and/or Product in the Field in the Territory. The sublicense granted under this Section 2.2 shall be subject to the rights and obligations and undertakings of Roche, as applicable and consistent with the Lonza Agreement. Roche shall act as the sole direct contact with Lonza Sales AG in relation to the sub-license under this Section 2.2. PEGA1 shall comply with the terms of the Lonza Agreement to the extent such terms are disclosed in the respective Appendix attached hereto.

Roche shall not amend the Lonza Agreement in a manner that affects any such sub-licenses hereunder, shall use commercially reasonable efforts to enforce and maintain such agreements with respect to the Compound and/or the Product, and shall promptly notify PEGA1 in writing of any threatened or actual termination or notice regarding same with respect to such Lonza Agreement with respect to the Compound and/or the Product. Roche shall provide copies (with reasonable redactions) of any amendments to such Lonza Agreement to PEGA1 once executed. If the Lonza Agreement terminates or may terminate, Roche shall use commercially reasonable efforts to maintain the applicable sub-license to PEGA1; if Roche is not able to maintain the applicable sub-license, PEGA1 shall have the right to attempt to cure any breach giving rise to such actual or threatened termination and may credit any amounts paid by PEGA1 to maintain any such sub-license against any amounts owed to Roche hereunder, provided that such amounts credited against any amounts owned to Roche hereunder shall not exceed the amount owed by Roche for the respective license.



### 2.3 Right to Sublicense to Affiliates

PEGA1 shall have the right to grant written sublicenses to its Affiliates under its rights granted under Section 2.1. If PEGA1 grants such a sublicense, PEGA1 shall notify Roche of such sublicense to its Affiliates and shall ensure that all of the applicable terms and conditions of this Agreement shall apply to all such Affiliates to the same extent as they apply to PEGA1 for all purposes. PEGA1 assumes full responsibility for the performance of all obligations and observance of all terms so imposed on such Affiliates and shall itself account to Roche for all payments due under this Agreement by reason of such sublicense.

### 2.4 Right to enter into Partner Agreements

Subject to Roche's rights under Article 3, PEGA1 shall have the right to enter into a Partner Agreement with one or more Partners under its rights granted under Section 2.1, in each case with Roche's prior written consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed).

If PEGA1 grants such rights to the Partner(s), PEGA1 shall ensure that all of the applicable terms and conditions of this Agreement shall apply to the Partner(s) to the same extent as they apply to PEGA1 for all purposes. PEGA1 assumes full responsibility for the performance of all obligations and observance of all terms so imposed on such Partner(s) and shall itself account to Roche for all payments due under this Agreement by reason of such rights granted to Partner(s). The Partners of PEGA1 shall have no right to further sub-license rights to develop and commercialize the Compound or Product to a Third Party without Roche's express prior written consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed).

Subject to Section 10.7.1, Roche (acting reasonably) shall have the right to withhold its consent only if a potential Partner (i) does not have substantially similar compliance standards as PEGA1 and/or (ii) does not have, and is not reasonably likely to obtain, the financial means or the capabilities to perform the obligations under this Agreement to the same extent as PEGA1. Prior to entering into a Partner Agreement, PEGA1 shall provide Roche with a draft term sheet, draft Partner Agreement or any such draft amendment with reasonable redactions allowing such assessment, and following execution, with the fully unredacted copy of such Partner Agreement. Roche shall confirm or withhold its consent in writing within [####] following receipt of a draft term sheet, Partner Agreement or any such amendment. If, after good faith negotiations not to exceed [####], the Parties cannot settle any dispute as to whether Roche has unreasonably withheld its approval of the Partner and/or the terms of the Partner Agreement or amendment, the dispute shall be initially referred to the executive officers of the Parties in accordance with Section 22.2. Should the Parties fail to agree within [####] of such referral, then the dispute shall be determined as set forth in Section 22.1.

Any Partner Agreement shall include the right to disclose a copy of the Partner Agreement and the Partner's confidential information to Roche as necessary for Roche to ensure compliance with the terms of this Agreement.

### 2.5 Sub-Contractors

PEGA1 has the right to sub-contract the work performed under this Agreement. Any sub-contract agreement shall include the right to disclose (i) a copy of the agreement and confidential information to Roche and (ii) the right to assign the agreement to Roche, including the right to transfer of the ownership of data, information and results arising therefrom to Roche to the same extent as to PEGA1.

### 2.6 Retained Rights

Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement, Roche shall retain the right to use the Compounds for internal research purposes (e.g. as a reference model), so long as Roche notifies PEGA1 prior to undertaking in vivo experiments for such internal research purposes with the Compound. If any research under this Section 2.6 is conducted by Roche, any Know-How or Patent Rights related to Compound resulting from such research by Roche shall become part of the Roche Know-How and Roche Patent Rights and shall be added to the Appendices 1.66(a) or 1.67, as applicable.

## 3. Right of First Negotiation

### 3.1 Due Diligence

If PEGA1, at any time during the Agreement Term intends to enter into a Strategic Transaction with respect to Product, PEGA1 shall promptly inform Roche in writing of such plan (“**PEGA1 Notice**”).

In the event that PEGA1 has given Roche a notification pursuant to the first paragraph of this Section 3.1, PEGA1 shall without delay prepare the Data Room and upon such Data Room being available, PEGA1 shall promptly inform Roche in writing thereof and give Roche access to the Data Room and provide Roche with an executive summary report on the development, manufacture and commercialization of the Compound or Product (“**Review Notice**”).

During a [####] period following Roche’s reception of the access to the Data Room (“**Review Period**”), Roche shall have the right to review the Data Room and to perform due diligence. During the Review Period employees of Roche or representatives of Roche (who have a need to access the Confidential Information and who are bound by obligations of confidentiality and use with respect to such Confidential Information that are at least as restrictive as those in this Agreement) shall have at reasonable times the opportunity to ask questions of and receive answers from representatives of PEGA1 related to the Product and the program. PEGA1 shall respond to Roche’s reasonable inquiries in a timely fashion and without delay and shall not withhold any material information from Roche in response to Roche’s inquiries or otherwise in connection with the Product and the program. All information provided to Roche pursuant to this Section 3.1 shall constitute Confidential Information of PEGA1.

### 3.2 Grant of Rights

PEGA1 hereby grants to Roche, upon receipt of the ROFN Exercise Notice pursuant to Section 3.3, the exclusive right to negotiate in good faith the terms and conditions of a proposed transaction (e.g. with respect to an exclusive license or an acquisition) (“**Proposed Transaction**”) in accordance with the terms of this Article 3 (the “**Right of First Negotiation**”). For clarity the Right of First Negotiation shall cease to apply after (i) the IPO Effective Time or (ii) a Change of Control of PEGA1.

If the Strategic Transaction which PEGA1 intends to enter into is a Partner Agreement, such Right of First Negotiation is only applicable in case such Partner Agreement concerns either [#####]. If such Partner Agreement concerns scenario (a), Roche is entitled to exercise its Right of First Negotiation on the Territory as a whole. If such Partner Agreement concerns scenario (b), Roche is entitled to exercise its Right of First Negotiation on the concerned Major Markets, but may request to exercise its Right of First Negotiation on the Territory as a whole and such request shall not be unreasonably declined by PEGA1. If such Partner Agreement concerns scenario (c), Roche is entitled to exercise its Right of First Negotiation on Europe as a whole, but may request to exercise its Right of First Negotiation on the Territory as a whole and such request shall not be unreasonably declined by PEGA1.

If the Strategic Transaction is a Change of Control Roche is entitled to exercise its Right of First Negotiation to obtain the rights as contemplated in such Change of Control.

### 3.3 Process

Roche shall have the right to exercise the Right of First Negotiation at any time during the Review Period by written notice to PEGA1 (the **“ROFN Exercise Notice”**).

Together with the ROFN Exercise Notice, Roche shall provide PEGA1 a written offer for the terms and conditions of the Proposed Transaction in form of a draft term sheet, and the Parties thereafter shall have [#####] to exclusively and in good faith negotiate the terms and conditions of the Proposed Transaction in form of a final term sheet (the **“Term Sheet”**).

Upon finalization of the Term Sheet, the Parties shall have a further period of up to [#####] to exclusively and in good faith negotiate and finalize the respective agreements (the **“Reverse Agreement”**).

The term **“Negotiation Period”** shall mean the period of time commencing on the date of Roche’s ROFN Exercise Notice and ending either (i) [#####] after such exercise in case the Parties fail to execute a mutually agreed upon Term Sheet or (ii) [#####] after such exercise in case the Parties could initially agree on the Term Sheet but fail to reach the Reverse Agreement.

If (i) Roche rejects its interest to access the Data Room, (ii) Roche during the Review Period or the Negotiation Period confirms in writing to PEGA1 that it is not interested in the Proposed Transaction or (iii) the Parties, after good faith discussions during the Negotiation Period, cannot agree on the Term Sheet or the Reverse Agreement, then PEGA 1 shall be free to enter into a Strategic Transaction with a Third Party in the Field in the Territory. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Parties have failed to agree on a Term Sheet or on a Reverse Agreement, during the first [#####] after termination of the negotiations between the Parties, PEGA1 shall not enter into a Strategic Transaction on terms and conditions more favorable for any reason whatsoever to the Partner or the Change of Control Group (as applicable) than those offered to Roche.

If (i) Roche rejects its interest to access the Data Room or (ii) Roche during the Review Period or the Negotiation Period confirms in writing to PEGA1 that it is not interested in the Proposed Transaction and (iii) thereafter PEGA 1 does not enter into a Strategic Transaction, but continues the development and commercialization of the Compound and Products, this entire Article 3 shall apply mutatis mutandis at any time during the Agreement Term, if PEGA1 again intends to enter into a Strategic Transaction with respect to Product and there is additional material clinical data available as compared to the clinical data previously reviewed by Roche in the Data Room.

If (i) Roche rejects its interest to access the Data Room or (ii) Roche during the Review Period or the Negotiation Period confirms in writing to PEGA1 that it is not interested in the Proposed Transaction and (iii) thereafter PEGA 1 enters into a Partner Agreement which includes the rights relating to Products in some countries of the Territory and excludes the rights relating to Products in some other countries of the Territory (the "**Remaining Territory**"), this entire Article 3 shall apply mutatis mutandis at any time during the Agreement Term, if PEGA1 intends to enter into a Partner Agreement with respect to Product in the Remaining Territory.

#### 3.4 Consequences of termination of this Agreement

The Parties shall terminate this Agreement by mutual consent if they enter into a Reverse Agreement and the Parties shall agree therein which of the consequences of termination as set forth in Section 19.8 shall be applicable.

### 4. Alliance Managers and Technology Transfer

#### 4.1 Alliance Managers

Each Party shall designate an "**Alliance Manager**" within after the Effective Date. The Alliance Managers shall facilitate the Roche Know-How transfer and communication between the Parties and are the primary points of contact between the Parties with respect to all matters arising under this Agreement, including inter alia informational requests from PEGA 1 to Roche during the Agreement Term. Each Party may change its Alliance Manager from time to time in its sole discretion.

#### 4.2 Roche Know-How Transfer

Promptly, but not later than [####] after the Effective Date, Roche shall transfer to PEGA1 the Roche Know-How listed in Appendix 1.65, at no cost to PEGA1. Such Roche Know-How transfer shall occur electronically after the Effective Date by granting PEGA1 download rights to the electronic database for a period of at least [####] from the Effective Date and up to a maximum of [####] from the Effective Date subject to the requirements as set forth in this Section 4.2 below.

If PEGA1 identifies a need for additional Know-How of Roche relating to the Compound within [####] from the Effective Date (the "Transfer Period"), Roche shall provide written or verbal answers to reasonable questions relating to the Compound provided that the additionally requested Know-How (I) does not include any general Roche technology containing intellectual property Roche would otherwise license with financial terms, (ii) still exists and (iii) is reasonably retrievable by Roche. Roche provides further support to PEGA1 upon PEGA1's written request during a period of [####] from the expiry of the Transfer Period and Roche will provide such support to PEGA1 at no cost to PEGA1, provided that the additionally requested Know-How (i) does not include any general Roche technology containing intellectual property Roche would otherwise license with financial terms, (ii) still exists and (iii) is reasonably retrievable by Roche.

#### 4.3 Transfer of CMC materials

Roche will transfer the CMC materials as listed in Appendix 4.3 free of charge. Roche shall have no obligation to perform any additional activities (e.g. retesting, analyses) concerning such materials. Upon transfer the CMC materials shall be owned by PEGA1.

Roche will deliver CMC materials to such address as PEGA1 shall notify to Roche in writing.

#### 4.4 Further Obligations

Pursuant to Section 4.2, Roche shall provide information, documentation, and reasonable technical support related to the manufacturing process to enable a qualified contract manufacturer to establish the manufacturing process at approximately the same scale as was practiced at Roche.

#### 5. Diligence

PEGA1 shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to develop and commercialize the Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory.

#### 6. Development

##### 6.1 Responsibility

PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible at its own expense for the non-clinical and clinical development of the Product in the Field in the Territory.

##### 6.2 Development Plan

PEGA1 will conduct the development of the Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory in accordance with a written plan ("**Development Plan**"). PEGA1 shall annually send to Roche a then current version of the Development Plan by the end of December. An initial Development Plan is set forth in Appendix 6.2.

If PEGA1 wishes to change the manufacturing process of the Compound or the Product resulting in a change of the cell bank expressing the Compound, then PEGA1 shall provide written notice to Roche of the nature of such intended work. For clarity: any change of the cell bank resulting in the expression of any compound that is not Compound, including but not limited to modifications of Compound, shall require Roche's prior written approval of such work, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

##### 6.3 Reporting

During the Agreement Term and up to the First Commercial Sale of the Products, PEGA1 shall have the obligation to submit annual reports to Roche describing in sufficient and reasonable detail the development progress of the Products by PEGA1, its Affiliates and Sublicensees, including the Development Plan pursuant to Section 6.2. PEGA1 shall send such annual report at the end of December of each year.

#### **6.4 Right of Reference**

Roche hereby grants to PEGA1 the right, sublicensable, to rely upon and a right to copy, access, and otherwise use, all information and data relating to Compound or Product on file at the Regulatory Authority (including all CMC information and Regulatory Documentation) to obtain Regulatory Approval of the Product and Roche shall, if requested by PEGA1, provide a signed statement that PEGA1 may rely on, and the Regulatory Authority may access in support of PEGA1 's application for such Regulatory Approval, any underlying raw data or information on file at the Regulatory Authority and submitted by Roche to such Regulatory Authority with respect to any Regulatory Approval or Regulatory Documentation controlled by Roche that relates to the Compound.

### **7. Supply**

#### **7.1 Clinical and Non-Clinical Supply of Product**

PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible at its own expense for the manufacture and supply of clinical supplies of the Product. PEGA1 shall supply at its own cost all clinical and non-clinical supply of Product during the Term, either by itself, or through a Third Party.

#### **7.2 Commercial Supply of Product**

PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible at its own expense for the commercial manufacture and commercial supply of Product for sale in the Territory. PEGA1 shall have the right to sub-contract the commercial supply to Third Parties subject to Roche's prior written consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, and if no written response for consent from Roche is received by PEGA1 within [###], such consent shall be deemed given).

### **8. Regulatory**

#### **8.1 Responsibility**

PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible at its own expense for all regulatory affairs related to Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory including the preparation, filing and maintaining of applications for Regulatory Approval, as well as any or all governmental approvals required to develop, have developed, make, have made, use, have used, import, have imported sell and have sold Compound and Products. PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible

25 for pursuing, compiling and submitting all regulatory filing documentation, and for interacting with regulatory agencies, for Compound and Products in all countries in the Territory. PEGA1 shall own and file in its own discretion all regulatory filings and Regulatory Approvals for the Compound and Product in all countries of the Territory. PEGA1 shall supply Roche with a copy of all material communications (including meetings) with Regulatory Authorities and Regulatory

Authority questions or concerns regarding significant issues regarding quality, significant safety findings, significant clinical or nonclinical findings affecting patient safety or significant efficacy or lack of efficacy, all related to Compound or Products, within [####] from receipt of such material communications by PEGA1 to the extent PEGA1 is aware of and have the right to disclose such material communications.

#### **8.2 Informed Consent Forms**

Any Informed Consent forms with study subjects under any PEGA1 study or any of its Partner study containing the Product shall include the right to transfer samples, data and information from such study to Roche.

#### **8.3 Pharmacovigilance Agreement**

Promptly after the Effective Date, PEGA1 and Roche shall negotiate in good faith and enter into a Pharmacovigilance Agreement in accordance with all Applicable Laws which sets forth, among other things, the responsibilities and obligations of the Parties with respect to the procedures and timeframes for compliance with all Applicable Laws (and each of the Party's policies) pertaining to safety reporting and their related activities, with respect to activities related to the Products under this Agreement. The transfer of historical Safety Data together with the responsibility for Pharmacovigilance activities will be part of the Pharmacovigilance Agreement. For clarity, the Pharmacovigilance Agreement shall prevail this Agreement with regard to the subject matter of such Pharmacovigilance Agreement.

### **9. Commercialization**

#### **9.1 Responsibility**

PEGA1 shall be solely and exclusively responsible at its own expense, for the marketing, promotion, sale and distribution of Products in the Territory.

#### **9.2 Reporting and Updates**

After the First Commercial Sale of the Product and until the expiry of the Agreement Term, PEGA1 shall inform Roche in a reasonably detailed annual report regarding the commercialization of Products in the Field in the Territory by PEGA1, its Affiliates and Sublicensees. The first such annual report shall be provided on the first anniversary of the First Commercial Sale. Each subsequent annual report shall be provided on subsequent anniversaries of the First Commercial Sale. Each annual report shall include non-binding forecasted sales, annually for the next [####].

In addition to the foregoing, upon request of Roche, PEGA1 shall update Roche regarding the commercialization of the Product in the Territory in the Field by PEGA1, its Affiliates and Sublicensees. Upon such request of Roche, PEGA1 shall provide an update, in writing and/or through a meeting (face to face/ tele-presence/videoconference or telephone). Roche shall not request an update more frequently than [####] per Calendar Year.

**10. Payment**

**10.1 Upfront Payment**

Within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, PEGA1 shall pay to Roche [#####]. This payment shall be non-refundable.

**10.2 Development Event Payments**

PEGA1 shall pay to Roche up to a total of [#####] in relation to the achievements of development events with respect to a Product achieving such events. The development event payments under this Section 10.2 shall be paid by PEGA1 according to the following schedule of development events and shall be non-refundable.

<u>Development Event</u>	<u>Payment</u>
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]

Each development event payment shall be paid only once the first time the first Product reaches the applicable triggering event, regardless of the number of times such events are reached by the same or another Product.

If for a Product, a development event does not occur or is not required, then PEGA1 shall pay such development event payment with the next development event payment triggered by such Product.

[#####]

Upon reaching development events, PEGA1 shall timely notify Roche and development event payments shall be paid by PEGA1 to Roche within [#####] from occurrence of the applicable event.

**10.3 Sales Based Events**

PEGA1 shall pay to Roche up to a total of US Dollars [#####] based on aggregate Calendar Year Net Sales of a Product in the Territory:



<u>Net Sales Threshold</u>	<u>Payment</u>
Total Calendar Year Net Sales in the Territory of a Product [####]	[####]
Total Calendar Year Net Sales in the Territory of a Product [####]	[####]
Total Calendar Year Net Sales in the Territory of a Product [####]	[####]
Total Calendar Year Net Sales in the Territory of a Product [####]	[####]
Total Calendar Year Net Sales in the Territory of a Product [####]	[####]
TOTAL	[####]

Each of the sales based event payments shall be paid no more than once during the Agreement Term, at first occurrence of the event for the Product in the Territory first reaching the respective Net Sales threshold, irrespective of whether or not the previous sales based event payment was triggered by the same or by a different Product and irrespective of whether the previous threshold was achieved in the same or different Calendar Year, and shall be non-refundable and non-creditable. PEGA1 shall notify Roche of each sales based event timely (but in no event longer than [####] after the respective sales based event occurred). Sales based events payments shall be paid by PEGA1 to Roche along with the royalties due on Net Sales within [####] after the end of the Accounting Period in which the sales based event occurred.

**10.4 Royalty Payments**

**10.4.1 Royalty Term**

Royalties shall be payable by PEGA1 on Net Sales of Products on a Product-by-Product and country-by-country basis until the expiry of the Royalty Term. Thereafter, the licenses with respect to such Product and country shall be fully paid up and non-exclusive.

**10.4.2 Royalty Rates**

The following royalty rates shall apply to the respective tiers of aggregate Calendar Year Net Sales of a Product, on an incremental basis, as follows:

<u>Tier of global Calendar Year Net Sales</u>	<u>Percent (%) of [####]</u>
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]

For example, if Net Sales of a Product in the Territory, for a given Calendar Year, are [#####], then royalties owed to Roche on such Net Sales of such Product for that Calendar Year shall equal [#####] calculated as follows:

[#####] royalty payment

#### 10.4a—Reductions

In the event that:

(i) in any Calendar Quarter at any time during the Royalty Term and after entry of a Generic Product there has been a decline of the Net Sales of the applicable Product in such country greater than [#####] of the level of the Net Sales of such Product achieved in any of the [#####] immediately prior to such entry, then royalties get reduced by [#####].

(ii) PEGA1 is required, or in the exercise of reasonable judgement and with the advice of a patent counsel deems it necessary in order to avoid infringement of the rights of a Third Party, to enter into an agreement with a Third Party in order to obtain a license to a Third Party Patent Right in order to research, have researched, develop, have developed, register, have registered, use, have used, make, have made, import, have imported, export, have exported, market, have marketed, distribute, have distributed, sell, have sold and otherwise exploit the Compound and Products in the Field in the Territory, PEGA1 shall be entitled to deduct from royalties payable to Roche under this Section 10.4 in a given Calendar Year with respect to such Product in such country [#####] of royalties paid to such Third Party in such Calendar Year and under such agreement to the extent directly attributable to such Third Party Patent Right.

(iii) If a court or governmental agency of competent jurisdiction requires PEGA1 or any of its Affiliates or its or their Sublicensees to grant a compulsory license to a Third Party permitting such Third Party to make and sell a Product in a country within the Territory as a condition of PEGA1 or any of its Affiliates being permitted to commercialize such Product in that country, then the royalties due to Roche shall be reduced by a percentage as necessary to match to rate that the compulsory licensee pays to PEGA1 in that country.

In no events shall the amounts payable to Roche under 10.4.2 be reduced by more than [#####] of what would otherwise be due by operation of section 10.4.2 before application of section 10.4a.

#### 10.5 Combination Product

If PEGA1 or its Affiliates or Sublicensees intend to sell a Combination Product, then the Parties shall apply the process such as described under the Net Sales definition to determine an appropriate adjustment to Net Sales to reflect the relative commercial value contributed by the components of the Combination Product (the "**Relative Commercial Value**"). If such process requires good faith negotiations and where, after such good faith negotiations not to exceed [#####], the Parties cannot agree to an appropriate adjustment, the dispute shall be initially referred to the executive officers of the Parties in accordance with Section 22.2. Should the Parties fail to agree within [#####] of such referral, then the Relative Commercial Value shall be determined by an Expert Committee under the procedures of Section 10.6.

#### 10.6 Expert Committee

If the Parties are unable to agree on the Relative Commercial Value under Section 10.5, then Roche will select one (1) individual who would qualify as an Expert, PEGA1 will select (1) individual who would qualify as an Expert, and those two (2) individuals shall select one (1) individual who would qualify as an Expert and who shall be chairman of a committee of the three Experts (the “Expert Committee”), each with a single deciding vote. The Expert Committee will promptly hold a meeting to review the issue under review, at which it will consider memoranda submitted by each Party at least [####] before the meeting, as well as reasonable presentations that each Party may present at the meeting. The determination of the Expert Committee as to the issue under review will be binding on both Parties. The Parties will share equally the costs of the Expert Committee. Unless otherwise agreed to by the Parties, the Expert Committee may not decide on issues outside the scope mandated under terms of this Agreement.

#### 10.7 Strategic Transaction

##### 10.7.1 Payments under Proceeds

If, prior to the IPO Effective Time or [####] after the First Commercial Sale of a Product in the US or a Major EU5 Country whichever occurs earlier, PEGA1 executes one or more Strategic Transactions, PEGA1 shall, on an incremental basis, pay to Roche the following amounts of any Proceeds:

- a) [####] of Proceeds if, at the time of the Strategic Transaction, the aggregate capital raised by PEGA1 in one or more Private Financings is equal to or less than the [####] stipulated in PEGA1’s Series A Agreement, and
- b) [####] of Proceeds if, at the time of the Strategic Transaction, the aggregate capital raised by PEGA1 in one or more Private Financings is more than [####];

((a) and (b) together “Strategic Transaction Revenues”). For clarity, Strategic Transaction Revenues received after (i) the IPO Effective Time, or (ii) [####] after the First Commercial Sale in [####] shall be owed to Roche even if a portion or all of the proceeds associated with such Strategic Transaction are conveyed to PEGA1 or its Affiliates after either of the foregoing.

For the avoidance of doubt, should PEGA1 enter into multiple Strategic Transactions, then the Proceeds of all such Strategic Transactions shall be considered on an aggregate basis for the purpose of calculating Strategic Transaction Revenues pursuant to this Section 10.7.1. Any payment to Roche under this Section 10.7.1 shall be made before any payments are made to any shareholders and any other person under the shareholder agreement.

A Strategic Transaction shall not be structured with the intent to avoid payments to Roche otherwise due to Roche under this Section 10.7.1. As such PEGA1 shall endeavor to avoid structuring Strategic Transactions in the following ways without first having consulted with Roche and having obtained Roche’s prior written consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, and if no written response for consent from Roche is received by PEGA1 within [####], such consent shall be deemed given):

(i) PEGA1 accepting any direct or indirect investment of a Partner or a Partner's Affiliates' in PEGA1's or its Affiliates' equity securities during the Agreement Term. PEGA1 or its Affiliates investing in a Partner's or Partner's Affiliates' equity securities during the Agreement Term; and

(ii) PEGA1 or its Affiliates accepting any non-monetary consideration from a Partner or a Partner's Affiliates under a Partner Agreement or (b) granting rights to a Partner or a Partner's Affiliates under a Partner Agreement with respect to any products or services other than the Compound or Product and services relating thereto.

Considerations that Roche receives pursuant to this Section 10.7.1 are in addition to all payments made by PEGA1 pursuant to Sections 10.1, 10.2, 10.3 and 10.4 above with no right to offset.

#### **10.7.2 Timing**

PEGA1 shall calculate the Strategic Transaction Revenues owed under Section 10.7.1 for each Calendar Quarter and shall make such payments within [####] after the end of each Calendar Quarter in which such Proceeds occur according to the terms and conditions of the Strategic Transaction.

#### **10.7.3 Value of Proceeds**

If at the time of the completion of a Strategic Transaction PEGA1 owns or controls (whether through a license or otherwise) other assets or rights in addition to the Compound or Product rights that are subject of the Strategic Transaction, then the Parties shall negotiate and agree in good faith the value of the Proceeds, exclusive of the value attributed to the PEGA1's other assets. If after good faith negotiations, the Parties cannot agree on an allocation of value among the PEGA1's assets within [####] after the completion of a Strategic Transaction, then the dispute shall be initially referred to the executive officers of the Parties in accordance with Section 21.2. Should the Parties fail to agree within [####] of such referral, then Roche shall select a nationally recognized investment banking, accounting or valuation firm (independent of either party) having expertise in the pharmaceutical industry and reasonably acceptable to PEGA1 ("**Valuation Firm**") to perform an independent valuation of the relevant assets of PEGA1, which determination shall be final and binding on the Parties. The Valuation Firm shall be requested to determine the allocation of the value between the PEGA1's assets within [####] of its appointment and to notify the Parties in writing of its determination. The fees and expenses of such Valuation Firm shall be paid by Roche, however, if such determination of the value of the Proceeds by the Valuation Firm is more than PEGA1's last written offer pursuant to the good faith negotiations under this Section 10.7.3, the fees and expenses of such Valuation Firm shall be paid by PEGA1.

If PEGA1 completes the Strategic Transaction and the Compound and Products are the only assets in clinical development Controlled by PEGA 1 at the time of the Strategic Transaction, the minimum value to be allocated to Compound and Products is [####].

This Section 10.7.3 does not apply if PEGA 1 completes the Strategic Transaction and the Compound and Products are the only assets Controlled by PEGA1 at the time of the Strategic Transaction. In such case, the value associated with the Compound and Products is [####].

**10.8.1 Shares issued to Roche**

Immediately upon the IPO Effective Time, provided that PEGA1 has not, as of the IPO Effective Time, entered into a Strategic Transaction involving the sale, license, transfer or other disposition of all rights relating to Compound and Products in all countries of the Territory and the entire Field, PEGA 1 shall issue a number of its shares of common stock to Roche or its Affiliates as follows:

(i) If the IPO Effective Time occurs before PEGA 1 has raised Private Financing in addition to the [####] stipulated in PEGA1's Series A Agreement, immediately prior to the IPO (and conditional upon the IPO actually proceeding) Roche shall be granted a number of shares of PEGA1's common stock such that Roche shall own [####] of the fully diluted share capital of PEGA 1 immediately prior to the completion of the IPO (i.e., such that Roche's fully diluted ownership of PEGA1 shall be [####] prior to the sale of shares to the general public pursuant to an IPO).

(ii) If the IPO Effective Time occurs after PEGA1 has raised Private Financing in addition to the [####] stipulated in PEGA1's Series A Agreement, immediately prior to the IPO (and conditional upon the IPO actually proceeding) Roche shall be granted a number of shares of PEGA1's common stock such that Roche shall own [####] of the fully diluted share capital of PEGA1 immediately prior to the completion of the IPO (i.e., such that Roche's fully diluted ownership of PEGA1 shall be [####] prior to the sale of shares to the general public pursuant to an IPO).

The issuance of shares to Roche in an IPO pursuant to this Section 10.8.1 is in addition to all payments made by PEGA 1 pursuant to Sections 10.1, 10.2, 10.3 and 10.4 above with no right to offset.

No issuance of shares to Roche in an IPO shall be due if PEGA1 completes a Strategic Transaction involving the sale, license, transfer or other disposition of all rights relating to Compound and Products in all countries of the Territory and the entire Field prior to the IPO Effective Time.

**10.8.2 Other assets or rights owned or controlled by PEGA1**

If at the IPO Effective Time, PEGA1 owns or controls (whether through a license or otherwise) other assets or rights (related to other pharmaceutical development candidates or products) in addition to rights in the Compound or Products, then the Parties shall negotiate and agree in good faith the value contribution of Compound or Products to the IPO market capitalization in order to determine a potential reduction of the percentage of Roche shares in PEGA1.

This notwithstanding, if Compound and Products are the only assets in clinical development Controlled by PEGA1 at the IPO Effective Time, the minimum value to be allocated to Compound and Products is.

This Section 10.8.2 does not apply if PEGA1 does an IPO and the Compound and Products are the only assets Controlled by PEGA1 at the time of the IPO. In such case, the value associated with the Compound and Products is [####].

#### 10.9 Third Party Payments

Following the Effective Date, PEGA1 shall be responsible for and pay or have paid any and all consideration owed to any Third Party in relation to Third Party intellectual property rights related to any Compound or Product and Roche confirms it has paid all consideration to any Third Party in relation to Third Party intellectual property rights related to any Compound or Products which became payable prior to the Effective Date. For clarity, PEGA1 shall have no right of offset to any payments under Section 10 except as set out in clause 10.4a (Reductions).

### 11. Accounting and reporting

#### 11.1 Timing of Payments

PEGA1 shall calculate royalties on Net Sales quarterly as of March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31 (each being the last day of an "Accounting Period") and shall pay royalties on Net Sales within [###] after the end of each Accounting Period in which such Net Sales occur.

#### 11.2 Late Payment

Any payment under this Agreement that is not paid after a first formal notice shall bear interest, to the extent permitted by Applicable Law, at an annual rate of [###] above the average [###] Euro Interbank Offered Rate (EURIBOR), as reported by Reuters from time to time, calculated on the number of days such payment is overdue.

#### 11.3 Method of Payment

Royalties on Net Sales and all other amounts payable by PEGA1 hereunder shall be paid by PEGA1 in US Dollars (the "Payment Currency") to account(s) designated by Roche.

#### 11.4 Currency Conversion

When calculating the Sales of any royalty-bearing Product that occur in currencies other than the Payment Currency, PEGA1 shall convert the amount of such sales into the Payment Currency using the rate published by the European Central Bank.

#### 11.5 Reporting

With each payment PEGA1 shall provide Roche in writing for the relevant Calendar Quarter on a Product-by-Product basis the following information:

- (a) Invoiced sales in local currency on a country-by-country basis;
- (b) Net Sales in local currency on a country-by-country basis;
- (c) Net Sales in USD on a country-by-country basis;
- (d) adjustments made pursuant to Section 10.5 (Combination Product);
- (e) Net Sales in USD after adjustments made pursuant to Section 10.5 (Combination Product);
- (g) exchange rate used for the conversion of Net Sales from local currency to USD pursuant to Section 11.4
- (i) royalty rate pursuant to Section 10.4;
- (j) deductions made pursuant to Section 10.4a and
- (k) total royalty payable in USD.

## 12. Taxes

It is specified that all amounts set forth in this Agreement whatever the applicable currency are excluding VAT.

Roche shall pay all sales, turnover, income, revenue, value added, and other taxes levied on account of any payments accruing or made to Roche under this Agreement.

If provision is made in law or regulation of any country for withholding of taxes of any type, levies or other charges with respect to any royalty or other amounts payable under this Agreement to Roche, then PEGA1 shall promptly pay such tax, levy or charge for and on behalf of Roche to the proper governmental authority, and shall promptly furnish Roche with receipt of payment. PEGA1 shall be entitled to deduct any such tax, levy or charge actually paid from royalty or other payment due to Roche or be promptly reimbursed by Roche if no further payments are due to Roche. Each Party agrees to reasonably assist the other Party in claiming exemption from such deductions or withholdings under double taxation or similar agreement or treaty from time to time in force and in minimizing the amount required to be so withheld or deducted.

## 13. Auditing

### 13.1 Roche Right to Audit

PEGA1 shall keep, and shall require its Affiliates and Sublicensees to keep, full, true and accurate books of account containing all particulars that may be necessary for the purpose of calculating all (i) Net Sales and royalties, (ii) Proceeds and Strategic Transaction Revenues and (iii) any other payment made under this Agreement. Such books of accounts shall be kept at their principal place of business. At the expense of Roche, Roche has the right to appoint one of the major public accountant firms to perform, on behalf of Roche an audit of such books and records of PEGA1 and its Affiliates and Sublicensees, that are deemed necessary by the major public accountant firm to report on all (i) Net Sales and royalties, (ii) Proceeds and Strategic Transaction Revenues and (iii) any other payment made under this Agreement.

Upon at least [#####] prior written notice from Roche, such audit shall be conducted in the countries specifically requested by Roche, during regular business hours in such a manner as to not unnecessarily interfere with PEGA1's or its Sublicensees normal business activities, and shall be limited to results in the [#####] prior to audit notification.

Such audit shall not be performed more frequently than once per Calendar Year nor more frequently than once with respect to records covering any specific period of time.

All information, data documents and abstracts herein referred to shall be used only for the purpose of calculating (i) Net Sales and royalties, (ii) Proceeds and Strategic Transaction Revenues and (iii) any other payment made under this Agreement, and shall all be treated as PEGA1's Confidential Information subject to the obligations of this Agreement and need neither be retained more than [#####] after completion of an audit hereof, if an audit has been requested; nor more than [#####] from the end of the Calendar Year to which each shall pertain; nor more than [#####] after the date of termination of this Agreement.

### 13.2 Audit Reports

The auditors shall only state factual findings in the audit reports and shall not interpret the agreement. The final audit report shall be shared with PEGA1 at the same time it is shared with Roche.

### 13.3 Over-or Underpayment

If the audit reveals an overpayment, Roche shall reimburse PEGA1 for the amount of the overpayment within [#####]. If the audit reveals an underpayment, PEGA1 shall pay Roche for such underpayment within [#####]. PEGA1 shall pay for the audit costs if the underpayment of PEGA1 exceeds [#####] of the aggregate amount of royalty payments owed with regard to the royalty statements or other payments subject of the audit. Section 11.2 (Late Payment) shall apply to this Section 13.3.

## 14. Intellectual Property

### 14.1 Ownership of Inventions and Know-How

PEGA1 shall own all PEGA1 Inventions. Roche shall own all Roche Inventions. Joint Inventions shall be jointly owned in equal undivided shares. PEGA1 and Roche each shall require all of its employees to assign all inventions related to Products made by them to Roche and PEGA1, as the case may be.

The determination of inventorship for Inventions shall be in accordance with US inventorship laws.

As for Joint Inventions, both Parties shall consult each other and agree as to filing for patent protection on such invention as set forth above in their names.

Subject to the licenses granted under this Agreement, each Party shall be free to exploit Joint Inventions, Joint Patent Rights and Joint Know-How without the consent of, or any duty to account to, the other Party, save for that Roche in relation to the Compound may only use such Joint Patent Rights and Joint Know-How for research purposes in accordance with clause 2.6 or outside the Field.

Roche shall notify PEGA1 of any Roche Inventions as and when generated during the Agreement Term by Roche, and in sufficient detail to enable PEGA1 to assess the Roche Invention. Roche hereby grants to PEGA1 an option ("**Option**") exercisable at any time during [#####] from the date of proper notification of the Roche Invention in question ("**Option Period**") to commence negotiation for the grant by Roche to PEGA1 of a license to Roche Inventions ("**Roche Invention License**").



In the event that PEGA1 decides to exercise the Option the following provisions shall apply: (i) PEGA1 shall serve on Roche a written notice to be received by Roche within the Option Period and the Parties shall enter into bona fide negotiations to enter into the Roche Invention License which shall be faithful to the principles as set forth in this Agreement; (ii) the Parties will use their best endeavours to ensure that such negotiations shall be completed and the Roche Invention License shall be executed within [###] ("**Negotiation Period**"); and (iii) if PEGA1 does not exercise its option during the Option Period or if PEGA1 and Roche are unable to agree the full terms of the Roche Invention License within the Negotiation Period the Option shall lapse.

For the duration of the Option Period and any Negotiation Period Roche shall not assign, transfer, grant licenses of or permit use by any third party of Roche Inventions.

Except as specifically set forth herein, this Agreement shall not be construed as (i) giving any of the Parties any license, right, title, interest in or ownership to the Confidential Information; (ii) granting any license or right under any intellectual property rights; or (iii) representing any commitment by either Party to enter into any additional agreement, by implication or otherwise.

#### **14.2 German Statute on Employee's Inventions**

If the German Statute on Employees' Inventions applies, e.g. if a Party or its Affiliate is organized under German Law, each Party agrees to claim the unlimited use of any Invention conceived, reduced to practice, developed, made or created in the performance of, or as a result of, any research by employees of said Party or its Affiliate or any other person acting on its behalf. For the avoidance of doubt, said Party or its Affiliate is responsible for fulfilling the obligations towards their employees under the German Statute of Employee's Inventions.

#### **14.3 Trademarks**

PEGA1 shall have the right to determine the trademark(s) for the Products and shall own all trademarks used on or in connection with Products in the Territory, and shall, at its sole cost, be responsible for procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of all trademarks used on or in connection with Products in the Territory.

PEGA1 shall not use the Housemark(s) of Roche for any purposes.

#### **14.4 Prosecution of Roche Patent Rights**

Roche shall Handle all Roche Patent Rights. Roche shall consult with PEGA1 as to the Handling of Roche Patent Rights, shall allow reasonable time for such consultation and have regard to all reasonable comments of PEGA1. PEGA1 shall pay the costs for the Handling of Roche Patent Rights.

For the avoidance of doubt, Roche shall Handle Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights and Patent Rights in Roche Inventions within its sole discretion and at its own cost.

Both parties shall inform each other on a regular basis on the status of Roche Patent Rights, Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights, Patent Rights in Roche Inventions, PEGA1 Patent Rights, Patent Rights in PEGA1 Inventions or Joint Patent Rights, as the case may be.

#### 14.5 Prosecution of PEGA1 Patent Rights and Joint Patent Rights

PEGA1 shall, at its own expense and discretion, Handle all PEGA 1 Patent Rights, Patent Rights in PEGA1 Inventions and Joint Patent Rights. PEGA1 shall consult with Roche as to the Handling of Joint Patent Rights, shall allow reasonable time for such consultation and have regard to all reasonable comments of Roche.

#### 14.6 Patent Coordination Team

Where the Parties need to consult with each other on the Handling of Patent Rights, the Parties shall establish a patent coordination team and shall adopt procedures for interacting on patent matters.

#### 14.7 Abandonment of Patent Rights

Should Roche decide that it does not desire to Handle any Roche Patent Right under the Agreement, it shall promptly advise PEGA1 thereof and cease any payments relating to the Handling of such Patent Right after two months following such advice. At the written request of PEGA1, Roche shall, at no cost to Roche, assign such patent in such country or countries in the Territory to PEGA1, and PEGA1 may thereafter Handle the same at PEGA1's own cost, to the extent that PEGA1 desires to do so. All Patent Rights so assigned from Roche to PEGA1 shall no longer be treated as Roche Patents for purposes of determining the Royalty Term.

Should PEGA1 decide that it does not desire to Handle a PEGA1 Patent Right, a Joint Patent Right, or a Patent Right in a PEGA1 Invention, it shall promptly advise Roche thereof. At the written request of Roche, PEGA1 shall then, at no cost to PEGA1, assign such patent in such country or countries in the Territory to Roche, and Roche may thereafter Handle the same at Roche's own cost, to the extent that Roche's desires to do so.

#### 14.8 Infringement

Each Party shall promptly provide written notice to the other Party during the Agreement Term of any (i) known infringement or suspected infringement by a Third Party of any Roche Patent Rights, PEGA1 Patent Rights or Joint Patent Rights, or (ii) known or suspected unauthorized use or misappropriation by a Third Party of any Roche Know-How, PEGA1 Know-How or Joint Know- How, and shall provide the other Party with all evidence in its possession supporting such infringement or unauthorized use or misappropriation.

Within [####]after PEGA1 provides or receives such written notice ("**Decision Period**"), PEGA1, in its sole discretion, shall decide whether or not to initiate such suit or action in the Territory and shall notify Roche in writing of its decision ("**Suit Notice**").

If PEGA1 decides to bring a suit or take action, once PEGA1 provides Suit Notice, PEGA1 may immediately commence such suit or take such action. In the event that PEGA1 (i) does not in writing advise Roche within the Decision Period that PEGA1 will commence suit or take action, or (ii) fails to commence suit or take action within a reasonable time after providing Suit Notice, Roche shall thereafter have the right to commence suit or take action in the Territory and shall provide written notice to PEGA1 of any such suit commenced or action taken by Roche.

Notwithstanding the above, in relation to Roche Patent Rights PEGA1's right to bring a suit or take action shall depend upon Roche's prior written approval, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed (and if no written response for consent from Roche is received by PEGA1 within [#####], such consent shall be deemed given).

Upon written request, the Party bringing suit or taking action ("**Initiating Party**") shall keep the other Party informed of the status of any such suit or action and shall provide the other Party with copies, to the extent the Initiating Party is lawfully permitted to do so, of all substantive documents or communications filed in such suit or action. The Initiating Party shall have the sole and exclusive right to select counsel for any such suit or action.

The Initiating Party shall, except as provided below, pay all expenses of the suit or action, including the Initiating Party's attorneys' fees and court costs and damages owed to Third Parties.

Any damages, settlement fees or other consideration received as a result of such suit or action shall be allocated as follows:

- (a) First, to reimburse the Initiating Party for its costs and, if any remains, to the other Party for any advisory counsel fees and costs; and
- (b) Second, the balance, if any, shall be allocated to the Initiating Party.

If the Initiating Party believes it is reasonably necessary or desirable to obtain an effective remedy, upon written request the other Party agrees to be joined as a party to the suit or action but shall be under no obligation to participate except to the extent that such participation is required as the result of its being a named party to the suit or action. At the Initiating Party's written request, the other Party shall offer reasonable assistance to the Initiating Party in connection therewith at no charge to the Initiating Party except for reimbursement of reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the other Party in rendering such assistance. The other Party shall have the right to participate and be represented in any such suit or action by its own counsel at its own expense.

The Initiating Party may settle, consent judgment or otherwise voluntarily dispose of the suit or action ("**Settlement**") without the written consent of the other Party but only if such Settlement can be achieved without adversely affecting the other Party (including any of its Patent Rights). If a Settlement could adversely affect the other Party, then the written consent of the other Party would be required, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

For any PEGA1 Patent Rights, PEGA1, in its sole discretion, shall decide whether or not to initiate any suit or action in the Territory. PEGA1 shall have full discretion as to how it wishes to handle such suit or action and may reach Settlement and retain all damages, settlement fees or other consideration under any terms and conditions it desires and retain whatever. Only if a Settlement could adversely affect Roche shall the written consent of Roche be required, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

For clarity, this Section 14.8 shall not apply to the Lonza Agreement.

#### 14.9 Defense

If a Third Party asserts that Patent Rights owned by or licensed to it are infringed by the development, manufacture, use, importation, offer for sale or sale of Products, or that its trade secrets were misappropriated in connection with such activity, then PEGA1 shall have the exclusive right and responsibility to resolve any such claim, whether by obtaining a license from such Third Party, by defending against such Third Party's claims or otherwise, and shall be solely responsible for the defense of any such action, any and all costs incurred in connection with such action (including, without limitation, attorneys' and expert fees) and all liabilities incurred in connection therewith. Notwithstanding the above, PEGA1 shall not enter into any settlement of any such claim without the prior written consent of Roche if such settlement would require Roche to be subject to an injunction or to make any monetary payment to PEGA1 or any Third Party, or admit any wrongful conduct by Roche or its Affiliates, or would limit or restrict the claims of or admit any invalidity and/or unenforceability of any of the Patent Rights Controlled by Roche, or have any impact on activities outside the Field. Such Roche consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. .

#### 14.10 Common Interest Disclosures

With regard to any information or opinions disclosed pursuant to this Agreement by one Party to the other regarding intellectual property and/or technology owned by Third Parties, the Parties agree that they have a common legal interest in determining whether, and to what extent, Third Party intellectual property rights may affect Compounds and/or Products, and have a further common legal interest in defending against any actual or prospective Third Party claims based on allegations of misuse or infringement of intellectual property rights relating to the Compounds and/or Products. Accordingly, the Parties agree that all such information and materials obtained by PEGA1 and Roche from each other will be used solely for purposes of the Parties' common legal interests with respect to the conduct of the Agreement. All information and materials will be treated as protected by the attorney-client privilege, the attorney-work product privilege, and any other privilege or immunity that may otherwise be applicable. By sharing any such information and materials, neither Party intends to waive or limit any privilege or immunity that may apply to the shared information and materials. Neither Party shall have the authority to waive any privilege or immunity on behalf of the other Party without such other Party's prior written consent, nor shall the waiver of privilege or immunity resulting from the conduct of one Party be deemed to apply against any other Party.

PEGA1 is responsible to perform due diligence and to secure its own freedom to operate study or opinion in connection with the manufacture, use, sale, offer for sale and importation of the Compound and Products from counsel of PEGA1's choice.

#### 14.11 Patent Term Extensions

The Parties shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to obtain all available patent term extensions, adjustments or restorations, or supplementary protection certificates with respect to **any** Patent Rights Covering the Compound or Products ("SPCs", and together with patent term extensions, adjustments and restorations, "**Patent Term Extensions**"). Both Parties shall consult each other and agree as to filing for such Patent Term Extensions .. Notwithstanding the above,

filings for Patent Term Extension of Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights shall be made by Roche at Roche's discretion. Each Party shall execute such authorizations and other documents and take such other actions as may be reasonably requested by the other Party to obtain such extensions. The Parties shall cooperate with each other in gaining patent term restorations, extensions and/or SPCs wherever applicable to Roche Patent Rights.

## **15. Representations and Warranties (Zugesicherte Eigenschaften)**

### **15.1 Mutual representations and warranties**

Each Party represents and warrants to the other that, as of the Effective Date: (a) it is duly organized and validly existing under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation or formation, and has full corporate or other power and authority to enter into this Agreement and to carry out the provisions hereof; (b) it is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder, and the person or persons executing this Agreement on its behalf has been duly authorized to do so by all requisite corporate or partnership action; and (c) this Agreement is legally binding upon it, enforceable in accordance with its terms, and does not conflict with any agreement, instrument or understanding, oral or written, to which it is a party or by which it may be bound, nor violate any material law or regulation of any court, governmental body or administrative or other agency having jurisdiction over it.

### **15.2 PEGA1 representations and warranties**

PEGA1 represents and warrants that for the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by Roche and PEGA1, PEGA 1 complies with internationally recognized human rights (including, as a minimum, the International Covenants on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights [ICESCR] I and II and the eight core conventions of the International Labour Organization [ILO]) and environmental standards (including for example the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, the International Finance Corporation [IFC]'s Environmental and Social Performance Standards or standards developed by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO)) ("**International Standards**") and shall ensure that such International Standards shall apply to its Affiliates, Sublicensees and subcontractors. Roche reserves the right to conduct corresponding audits at the facilities of PEGA1, its Affiliates, its Sublicensees or its subcontractors as applicable and PEGA1 shall use its best endeavours to ensure that Roche is entitled to conduct such audits at such facilities.

### **15.3 Roche Representations and Warranties**

Roche represents and warrants to PEGA1 that, as of the Effective Date: (a) Roche has not received written notice from any Third Party claiming that the manufacture, use or sale of Compound or Product infringes any Patent Right of any Third Party; (b) Roche is not a party to any legal action, suit or proceeding relating to Compound or Product; (c) Roche has the full right, power and authority to grant all of the right, title and interest in the sub-licenses and other rights granted to PEGA1 under this Agreement; (d) Roche has Control of all the Roche Patent Rights, Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights, Roche Know-How licensed to PEGA1 under this Agreement; and (e) the Lonza Agreement is in full force and effect.

#### 15.4 Disclaimer

Except as expressly set forth herein and elsewhere in this Agreement, the intellectual property rights provided by each party hereunder are provided "as is" and each party expressly disclaims any and all warranties of any kind, express or implied, including without limitation the warranties of design, merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, non-infringement of the intellectual property rights of third parties, or arising from a course of dealing, usage or trade practices.

### 16. Indemnification

#### 16.1 Roche indemnification

Roche shall indemnify and defend PEGA1 and its Affiliates and its respective officers, directors, employees, consultants and agents ("**PEGA1 Indemnitees**") from and against any and all losses, damages, liabilities, expenses and costs, including reasonable legal expense and attorneys' fees ("**Indemnified Losses**"), to which any such PEGA1 Indemnitee may become subject as a result of any claim, demand, action or other proceeding by any Third Party to the extent such Indemnified Losses arise out of the breach by Roche of any obligation, representation, warranty, covenant or agreement made by it under this Agreement, except to the extent such Indemnified Losses result from the negligence or willful misconduct of any PEGA1 Indemnitee (including without limitation any item subject to indemnification by PEGA1 under Section 16.2).

#### 16.2 PEGA1 indemnification

PEGA1 shall indemnify and defend Roche and its Affiliates and its respective officers, directors, employees, consultants and agents ("**Roche Indemnitees**") from and against any and all Indemnified Losses, to which any such Roche Indemnitee may become subject as a result of any claim, demand, action or other proceeding by any Third Party to the extent such Indemnified Losses arise out of (i) the breach by PEGA1 of any obligation, representation, warranty, covenant or agreement made by it under this Agreement, or (ii) the development, manufacture, use, handling, storage, sale or other disposition of the Compound and/or any Products by PEGA1 or any of its Affiliates or Partners (including but not limited to (1) Product liability claims, (2) infringement of Third Party Patent Rights, other than those for this clause (3) Patents sub-licensed to PEGA1 by Roche under the Lonza Agreement, provided that PEGA1 has complied with the applicable terms of this Agreement), except to the extent such Indemnified Losses result from the negligence or willful misconduct of any Roche Indemnitee (including without limitation any item subject to indemnification by Roche under Section 16.1).

#### 16.3 Procedure

In the event any PEGA1 Indemnitee or Roche Indemnitee (as the case may be) seeks indemnification under Section 16.1 or 16.2, it shall inform the other Party (the "**Indemnifying Party**") of a claim as soon as reasonably practicable after it receives notice of the claim, shall permit the Indemnifying Party to assume direction and control of the defense of the claim (including the right to settle the claim solely for monetary consideration), and shall cooperate as requested (at the expense of the Indemnifying Party) in the defense of the claim, provided that the Indemnifying Party shall not settle any such claim without the prior written consent of any affected Roche Indemnitee or PEGA1 Indemnitee (as the case may be), if such settlement contains any admission of fault of such PEGA1 Indemnitee or Roche Indemnitee (as the case may be).

## **17. Liability**

### **17.1 Disclaimer**

The foregoing representations and warranties are in lieu of all other representations and warranties not expressly set forth herein. PEGA1 and Roche disclaim all other warranties, whether express or implied, with respect to each of their research, development and commercialization efforts hereunder, including, without limitation, whether the products can be successfully developed or marketed, the accuracy, performance, utility, reliability, technological or commercial value, comprehensiveness, merchantability or fitness for any particular purpose whatsoever of the products.

### **17.2 Limitation of Liability**

Each party's total aggregate liability to the other under or in connection with this Agreement including the warranty liability and indemnification/hold harmless liability (whether in contract, tort including negligence, breach of statutory duty, restitution or otherwise) in respect of all and any loss or damage howsoever caused will be limited to the amount paid under this Agreement.

In no event shall either party be liable for indirect damages (Indirekte Schäden/weitere Schäden als Schäden mit langem Kausalzusammenhang), consequential damages (Mangelfolgeschaden) including lost revenues or profits (entgangener Gewinn), irrespective of the legal basis for such claims. This limitation of liability shall not apply in the event of damages caused by gross negligence or willful misconduct of the damaging party.

## **18. Obligation Not to Disclose Confidential Information**

### **18.1 Non-Use and Non-Disclosure**

During the Agreement Term and for [####] thereafter, a Party receiving Confidential Information ("**Receiving Party**") shall (i) treat Confidential Information provided by Disclosing Party as it would treat its own information of a similar nature, (ii) take all reasonable precautions not to disclose such Confidential Information to Third Parties, without the Disclosing Party's prior written consent, and (iii) not use such Confidential Information other than for fulfilling its obligations under this Agreement. PEGA1 shall be permitted to disclose Confidential Information to its Affiliates so long as such Affiliate is bound by obligations of confidentiality in respect of the Confidential Information.

### **18.2 Permitted Disclosure**

Notwithstanding the obligation of non-use and non-disclosure set forth in Section 18.1, the Parties recognize the need for certain exceptions to this obligation, specifically set forth below, with respect to press releases, Patent Rights, publications, and certain commercial considerations.

### 18.3 Press Releases

Either Party may issue a press release announcing the existence and selected key non-financial terms of this Agreement, upon prior approval by the other Party.

Either Party shall provide the other Party with a copy of any draft press release related to the activities contemplated by this Agreement at least [####] prior to its intended publication for review. Either Party may provide the other Party with suggested modification to the draft press release.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, Roche may issue press releases consistent with its internal policies.

### 18.4 Publications

During the Agreement Term, the following restrictions shall apply with respect to disclosure by any Party of Confidential Information relating to the Compound and Products in any publication or presentation:

A Party ("**Publishing Party**") shall provide the other Party with a copy of any proposed publication or presentation at least [####] (or at least [####] in the case of oral presentations) prior to submission for publication so as to provide such other Party with an opportunity to recommend any changes it reasonably believes are necessary to continue to maintain the Confidential Information disclosed by the other Party to the Publishing Party in accordance with the requirements of this Agreement. The incorporation of such recommended changes shall not be unreasonably refused; and if such other Party notifies ("**Publishing Notice**") the Publishing Party in writing, within [####] days after receipt of the copy of the proposed publication or presentation (or at least [####] days in the case of oral presentations), that such publication or presentation in its reasonable judgment (i) contains an invention, solely or jointly conceived and/or reduced to practice by the other Party, for which the other Party reasonably desires to obtain patent protection or (ii) could be expected to have a material adverse effect on the commercial value of any Confidential Information disclosed by the other Party to the Publishing Party, the Publishing Party shall prevent such publication or delay such publication for a mutually agreeable period of time. In the case of inventions, a delay shall be for a period reasonably sufficient to permit the timely preparation and filing of a patent application(s) on such invention, and in no event less than [####] from the date of the Publishing Notice.

### 18.5 Commercial Considerations

Nothing in this Agreement shall prevent PEGA1 or its Affiliates from disclosing Confidential Information of Roche to (i) governmental agencies to the extent required or desirable to secure government approval for the development, manufacture or sale of Products in the Territory, (ii) Third Parties acting on behalf of PEGA1, to the extent necessary for the development, manufacture or sale of Products in the Territory, (iii) Third Parties to the extent necessary to market any Product in the Territory, (iv) Third Parties to the extent necessary in connection with a prospective or actual Partner Agreement, (v) Third Parties to the extent necessary to otherwise carry out its obligations or exercise its rights under this Agreement, (vi) with a prospective or actual financing, investment in or Change of Control of PEGA1, provided that any such disclosures are subject to confidentiality obligations at least as onerous as those set forth in this Agreement or (vii) Third Parties in connection with any IPO of PEGA1, to the extent PEGA1 deems such disclosure necessary.



The Receiving Party may disclose Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party to the extent that such Confidential Information is required to be disclosed by the Receiving Party to comply with Applicable Law, to defend or prosecute litigation or to comply with governmental regulations or applicable regulations of a stock exchange, provided that the Receiving Party provides prior written notice of such disclosure to the Disclosing Party and, to the extent practicable, takes reasonable and lawful actions to minimize the degree of such disclosure and to ensure such disclosed Confidential Information is treated confidentially.

## **19. Term and Termination**

### **19.1 Commencement and Term**

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and continue for the Agreement Term.

### **19.2 Termination**

#### **19.3 Termination for Breach**

A Party ("**Non-Breaching Party**") shall have the right to terminate this Agreement in its entirety in the event the other Party ("**Breaching Party**") is in breach of any of its material obligations (relating to for example a breach of diligence, payments and / or compliance obligations) under this Agreement. The Non-Breaching Party shall provide written notice to the Breaching Party, which notice shall identify the breach. The Breaching Party shall have a period of [#####] after such written notice is provided ("**Peremptory Notice Period**") to cure such breach. If the Breaching Party has a *bona fide* dispute as to whether such breach occurred or has been cured, it will so notify the Non-Breaching Party together with an explanation for the basis of its dispute, and the expiration of the Peremptory Notice Period shall be tolled until such dispute is resolved pursuant to Section 22.2. Upon a determination of breach or failure to cure, the Breaching Party may have the remainder of the Peremptory Notice Period to cure such breach. If such breach is not cured within the Peremptory Notice Period, then absent withdrawal of the Non-Breaching Party's request for termination, this Agreement shall terminate effective as of the expiration of the Peremptory Notice Period.

#### **19.4 Termination for Insolvency Event**

A Party shall have the right to terminate this Agreement in its entirety, if the other Party incurs an Insolvency Event; provided, however, in the case of any involuntary bankruptcy proceeding, such right to terminate shall only become effective if the Party that incurs the Insolvency Event consents to the involuntary bankruptcy or such proceeding is not dismissed within [#####] after the filing thereof.

#### **19.5 Termination by PEGA1 without a Cause**

PEGA1 shall have the right to terminate this Agreement at any time in its entirety or on a Product-by-Product basis upon [#####] prior written notice before First Commercial Sale of the Product or upon [#####] prior written notice after the First Commercial Sale of the Product. The effective date of termination under this Section 20.5 shall be the date [#####] as the case may be after PEGA1 provides such written notice to Roche.

#### 19.6 Consequences of Termination

##### 19.7 Termination by PEGA1 for Breach by Roche or Roche Insolvency

Upon breach by Roche or Roche's Insolvency, PEGA1 shall have the right to terminate this Agreement in accordance with Section 20.3 or Section 20.4, as applicable. Upon any termination by PEGA1 for breach by Roche or Roche Insolvency, the rights and licenses granted by one Party to the other Party under this Agreement shall terminate in their entirety or on a Product-by-Product basis, as applicable, on the effective date of termination.

##### 19.8 Termination by PEGA1 without cause, termination by Roche for Breach by PEGA1, PEGA1 Insolvency or PEGA1 Debarment

Upon any termination by PEGA1 without cause, termination by Roche for Breach by PEGA1 (PEGA1 Insolvency or PEGA1 debarment, the rights and licenses granted by Roche to PEGA1 under this Agreement shall terminate in their entirety, or on a Product-by Product basis, as applicable, on the effective date of termination.

If Roche desires to continue development and/or commercialization of Product(s), Roche shall give PEGA1 the Continuation Election Notice within [###] of receipt by Roche of PEGA1's notice of termination. If PEGA1 receives such a timely Continuation Election Notice, and to the extent reasonably requested by Roche:

- (a) After the date of notice of termination PEGA1 shall, to the extent PEGA1 has the right to do so, transfer to Roche all regulatory filings and approvals, all final pre-clinical, non-clinical and clinical study reports and clinical study protocols, trademarks, and all data, including clinical data, materials and information, in PEGA1's possession and control related to Product(s) necessary or useful for Roche to continue to develop and commercialize the Product(s).
- (b) PEGA1 shall assign all clinical study agreements, pre-clinical and non-clinical study agreements, CMC study agreements, free of charge;
- (c) Roche shall, upon transfer, have the right to disclose such filings, approvals and data to (i) governmental agencies to the extent required or desirable to secure government approval for the development, manufacture or sale of Product(s); (ii) Third Parties acting on behalf of Roche or its Affiliates PEGA1 for the development, manufacture, or sale of Product(s), or (iii) Third Parties to the extent reasonably necessary to market Product(s).
- (d) If the effective date of termination is prior to completion of the Phase II Study (conducted as proof of concept study or Pivotal Study, as the case may be) of the first Product, Roche shall have a fully-paid up, royalty-free, worldwide, exclusive, sublicensable, transferable license under the PEGA1 Patent Rights, PEGA1 Know-How and PEGA1's interest in the Joint Patent Rights including any rights useful or necessary to allow Roche, its Affiliates or licensees to research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, use, offer to sell, sell, promote, export and import the applicable Compound and Products.

- (e) If the effective date of termination is after completion of the Phase II Study (conducted as proof of concept study or Pivotal Study, as the case may be) of the first Product but prior to first Regulatory Approval of the first Product, Roche shall have a worldwide, exclusive, sublicensable, transferable license under the PEGA1 Patent Rights, PEGA1 Know-How and PEGA1's interest in the Joint Patent Rights including any rights useful or necessary to allow Roche, its Affiliates or PEGA1 licensees to research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, use, offer to sell, sell, promote, export and import the applicable Compound and Products. Roche shall pay to PEGA1 a royalty of [####] of net sales of Product for [####] after the First Commercial Sale of the Product on a country-by- country basis.
- (f) If the effective date of termination is after the first Regulatory Approval of the first Product, Roche shall have a worldwide, exclusive, sublicensable, transferable license under the PEGA1 Patent Rights, PEGA1 Know-How and PEGA1 's interest in the Joint Patent Rights including any rights useful or necessary to allow Roche, its Affiliates or PEGA1 licensees to research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, use, offer to sell, sell, promote, export and import the applicable Compound and Products. Roche shall pay to PEGA1 a royalty of [####] of net sales of Product for [####] after the First Commercial Sale of the Product on a country-by-country basis. For example if the Product is transferred to Roche after [####] following the First Commercial Sale of the Product in the US, then Roche shall pay to PEGA1 a royalty in the US for [####].

#### 19.9 Obligations Related to Ongoing Activities

If Roche does not provide timely Continuation Election Notice, then PEGA1 (a) shall have the right to cancel all cancellable ongoing obligations and (b) shall complete all non-cancellable obligations at its own expense.

If Roche provides such timely Continuation Election Notice, then from the date of notice of termination until the effective date of termination, PEGA1 shall continue activities ongoing as of the date of notice of termination at its own expense.

After the effective date of termination, PEGA1 shall not have any obligation to perform and/or complete any activities or to make any payments for performing or completing any activities under this Agreement, except as expressly stated herein.

#### 19.10 Obligations Related to Manufacturing

- (a) Clinical Supplies

In the case of termination by Roche according to Sections 20.3, 20.4 or 22.5 or by PEGA1 under Section 20.3 or 20.5, if Roche elects to develop the Product(s), upon the request of Roche, PEGA1 shall transfer all existing and available clinical material to Roche and Roche shall reimburse PEGA1 for this material at PEGA1's fully burdened manufacturing cost, provided however that PEGA1 shall procure the supply for the ongoing study(ies) until the transfer of the respective study and/or supply has been completed. PEGA1 shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to transfer the manufacturing and supply processes and technologies to Roche or a Third Party defined by Roche as soon as possible after the effective date of termination at PEGA1 cost and provide Roche corresponding support free of charge until such processes and technologies have been fully established at Roche or at the Third Party defined by Roche.

(b) Commercial Supplies

In the case of termination by Roche according to Sections 20.3, 20.4 or 22.5 or by PEGA1 under Section 20.3 or 20.5, if a Product is marketed or filed for Regulatory Approval in any country of Territory on the date of the notice of termination of this Agreement, upon the request of Roche, PEGA1 shall manufacture and supply such Product to Roche for a period that shall not exceed [###] from the effective date of the termination of this Agreement and Roche shall reimburse PEGA1 for this material at PEGA1's fully burdened manufacturing cost. PEGA1 shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to transfer the manufacturing and supply processes and technologies to Roche or a Third Party defined by Roche as soon as possible after the effective date of termination at PEGA1's cost and provide Roche corresponding support until such processes and technologies have been fully established at Roche or at the Third Party defined by Roche.

**19.11 Ancillary Agreements**

Unless otherwise agreed by the Parties, the termination of this Agreement shall cause the automatic termination of all ancillary agreements related hereto.

**19.12 Direct License**

Irrespective of anything to the contrary in this Agreement, any existing, permitted sublicense granted to a Sublicensee shall, upon the written request of PEGA1 and Sublicensee within [###] following the effective date of termination, remain in full force and effect until [###] from the effective date of termination of this Agreement ("Transition Period"), provided that (i) such Sublicensee is not then in breach of its sublicense agreement, and in the case of termination by Roche for breach by PEGA1, that such Sublicensee did not cause the breach that gave rise to the termination by Roche. During such Transition Period, Roche shall cooperate with such Sublicensee to enter into a direct license agreement, whereby such Sublicensee agrees in writing to be bound to Roche under the same terms and conditions of this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any sublicense granted by PEGA1 under Section 2.2 of this Agreement to its Affiliates shall terminate upon effective date of the termination of this Agreement.

**19.13 Royalty and Payment Obligations**

Termination of this Agreement by a Party, for any reason, shall not release PEGA1 from any obligation to pay royalties or make any other payments to Roche that are due and payable or accrued prior to the effective date of termination.

**19.14 Survival**

Article 16 (Indemnification), Article 18 (Obligation Not to Disclose Confidential Information), Article 19 (Term and Termination) and Sections 14.1 (Ownership of Inventions and Know-How), 14.2 (German Statute on Employee's Inventions), 21.1 (Governing Law and Jurisdiction) shall survive any expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason.

## 20. Bankruptcy

All licenses (and to the extent applicable rights) granted under or pursuant to this Agreement by Roche to PEGA1 are, and shall otherwise be deemed to be, for purposes of Section 365(n) of Title 11, US Code (the “**Bankruptcy Code**”) licenses of rights to “intellectual property” as defined under Section 101(60) of the Bankruptcy Code. Unless PEGA1 elects to terminate this Agreement, the Parties agree that PEGA1 as a PEGA1 or Sublicensees of such rights under this Agreement, shall retain and may fully exercise all of its rights and elections under the Bankruptcy Code, subject to the continued performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

## 21. Miscellaneous

### 21.1 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Switzerland, without reference to its conflict of laws principles, and shall not be governed by the United Nations Convention of International Contracts on the Sale of Goods (the Vienna Convention) (“**Governing Law**”). The competent courts of Basel City shall have the exclusive jurisdiction.

### 21.2 Disputes

Unless otherwise set forth in this Agreement, in the event of any dispute in connection with this Agreement, such dispute shall be, by written notice (“**Escalation Notice**”) referred to the respective executive officers of the Parties designated below or their designees, for good faith negotiations attempting to resolve the dispute. The designated executive officers are as follows:

For PEGA1: CEO  
For Roche: Head of Roche Pharma Partnering

### 21.3 Insurance

PEGA1 shall purchase and maintain throughout the Agreement Term insurance or indemnity protection that is co-equal with its indemnity obligations. This shall include, but not be limited to broad form commercial general liability insurance (including product liability). The limit of liability for such coverage shall be no less than US Dollars [####] per claim/occurrence in the aggregate. PEGA1 shall also maintain workers’ compensation insurance. PEGA1 shall provide Roche with written evidence of such insurances after the Effective Date and thereafter on yearly basis.

### 21.4 Assignment

PEGA1 may not assign its rights or obligations under this Agreement absent the prior written consent of Roche, except that each Party may assign this Agreement without such consent to any of its Affiliates or, however, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, in the context of a merger, acquisition, sale or other transaction involving all or substantially all of the assets of PEGA1, in which case PEGA1 in its sole discretion may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement. Any permitted assignment shall be binding on the successors of PEGA1,

#### **21.5 Debarment**

PEGA1 represents and warrants that it has never been debarred under 21 U.S.C. §335a, disqualified under 21 C.F.R. §312.70 or §812.119, sanctioned by a Federal Health Care Program (as defined in 42 U.S.C §1320 a-7b(f)), including without limitation the federal Medicare or a state Medicaid program, or debarred, suspended, excluded or otherwise declared ineligible from any other similar Federal or state agency or program. In the event PEGA1 receives notice of debarment, suspension, sanction, exclusion, ineligibility or disqualification under the above-referenced statutes, PEGA1 shall immediately notify Roche in writing and Roche shall have the right, but not the obligation, to terminate this Agreement, effective, at Roche's option, immediately or at a specified future date, with the consequences set forth in Section 19.8.

#### **21.6 Independent Contractor**

No employee or representative of either Party shall have any authority to bind or obligate the other Party to this Agreement for any sum or in any manner whatsoever or to create or impose any contractual or other liability on the other Party without said Party's prior written approval. For all purposes, and notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, PEG A1 legal relationship to Roche under this Agreement shall be that of independent contractor.

#### **21.7 Unenforceable Provisions and Severability**

If any of the provisions of this Agreement are held to be void or unenforceable, then such void or unenforceable provisions shall be replaced by valid and enforceable provisions that will achieve as far as possible the economic business intentions of the Parties. However the remainder of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect, provided that the material interests of the Parties are not affected, i.e. the Parties would presumably have concluded this Agreement without the unenforceable provisions.

#### **21.8 Waiver**

The failure by either Party to require strict performance and/or observance of any obligation, term, provision or condition under this Agreement will neither constitute a waiver thereof nor affect in any way the right of the respective Party to require such performance and/or observance. The waiver by either Party of a breach of any obligation, term, provision or condition hereunder shall not constitute a waiver of any subsequent breach thereof or of any other obligation, term, provision or condition.

#### **21.9 Appendices**

All Appendices to this Agreement shall form an integral part to this Agreement.

#### 21.10 Interpretation

Except where the context expressly requires otherwise, (a) the use of any gender herein shall be deemed to encompass references to either or both genders, and the use of the singular shall be deemed to include the plural (and vice versa), (b) the words "include", "includes" and "including" shall be deemed to be followed by the phrase "without limitation", (c) the word "will" shall be construed to have the same meaning and effect as the word "shall", (d) any definition of or reference to any agreement, instrument or other document herein shall be construed as referring to such agreement, instrument or other document as from time to time amended, supplemented or otherwise modified (subject to any restrictions on such amendments, supplements or modifications set forth herein), (e) any reference herein to any Party or Third Party or person shall be construed to include the Party's or Third Party's or person's successors and assigns, (f) the words "herein", "hereof" and "hereunder", and words of similar import, shall be construed to refer to this Agreement in its entirety and not to any particular provision hereof, (g) all references herein to Articles, Sections or Appendices shall be construed to refer to Articles, Sections or Appendices of this Agreement, and references to this Agreement include all Appendices hereto, (h) the word "notice" means notice in writing (whether or not specifically stated) and shall include notices, consents, approvals and other written communications contemplated under this Agreement, (i) provisions that require that a Party, the Parties or any Committee hereunder "agree", "consent" or "approve" or the like shall require that such agreement, consent or approval be specific and in writing, whether by written agreement, letter, approved minutes or otherwise (but excluding instant messaging), (j) references to any specific law, rule or regulation, or article, section or other division thereof, shall be deemed to include the then-current amendments thereto or any replacement or successor law, rule or regulation thereof, and (k) the term "or" shall be interpreted in the inclusive sense commonly associated with the term "and/or."

#### 21.11 Invoices

All invoices that are required or permitted hereunder shall be in writing and sent by Roche to PEGA1 at the following address or other address as PEGA1 may later provide:

PEGA-ONE SAS  
For the attention of the CEO  
1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthe,  
Villejuif Bio-Park,  
94800 Villejuif  
France

#### 21.12 Notice

All notices that are required or permitted hereunder shall be in writing and sufficient if delivered personally, sent by facsimile (and promptly confirmed by personal delivery, registered or certified mail or overnight courier), sent by nationally recognized overnight courier or sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, addressed as follows:

if to PEGA1, to: PEGA-ONE SAS  
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1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthe,  
Villejuif Bio-Park,  
94800 Villejuif France

if to Roche, to: F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd  
Grenzacherstrasse 124  
4070 Basel  
Switzerland  
Attn: Legal Department  
Facsimile No.: [#####]  
and: Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.  
150 Clove Road, Suite 8  
Little Falls  
New Jersey 07424, U.S.A.  
Attn. Corporate Secretary  
Facsimile No.: [#####]

or to such other address as the Party to whom notice is to be given may have furnished to the other Party in writing in accordance herewith.

**21.13 Condition Precedent**

This Agreement is subject to the closing of a Private Financing pursuant to the Series A First Tranche of the Series A Agreement ("Condition Precedent").

PEGA1 shall use Commercially Reasonable Efforts to take, or cause to be taken, all reasonable actions and to do, or cause to be done, all things necessary and appropriate to satisfy the Condition Precedent. No Party shall be entitled to refuse or delay the consummation of any of the transactions contemplated hereunder for any reason other than the non-satisfaction of any Condition Precedent. If (i) the Condition Precedent is not satisfied within [#####] after the signature of this Agreement, and (ii) the [#####] period is not extended by Roche, this Agreement is null and void ab initio. If the Agreement would become null and void ab initio, neither Party shall have any rights against the other in respect thereof, except with respect to the payment of the Upfront Payment pursuant to Section 10.1 which shall remain non-refundable, and provided that the confidentiality provisions in Section 18 be deemed to have been in effect throughout the aforementioned period and remain in force for [#####] thereafter.

*[Signature Page Follows]*



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**F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd**

/s/ Vikas Kabra  
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Name: Vikas Kabra  
Title: Head of Transaction Excellence

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Name: Barbara Schroeder  
Title: Legal Counsel

**Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.**

/s/ John Parise  
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Name: John P. Parise  
Title: Authorized Signatory

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**BETWEEN**

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**AND**

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## RESTATED UMBRELLA RESEARCH AND LICENSE AGREEMENT

This RESTATED UMBRELLA RESEARCH AND LICENSE AGREEMENT (this “**Agreement**”) is made and entered into as of the 29th day of November, 2013, (the “**Effective Date**”) by and between Lonza Sales AG, Münchensteinerstrasse 38, CH-4002 Basel, Switzerland (“**Lonza**”) and Genentech, Inc., a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at 1 DNA Way, South San Francisco, California, USA 94080 (“**Genentech**”) and F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, Grenzacherstrasse 124, CH4070 Basel Switzerland and Hoffmann-La Roche Inc. 340 Kingsland Street, Nutley New Jersey 07110, USA (“**Roche**”)

### BACKGROUND

**WHEREAS**, Lonza owns or has rights in certain patents, patent applications and know-how covering certain vectors, cell lines and media useful in the manufacture of biopharmaceutical products, as described below;

**WHEREAS**, Lonza and Genentech entered into that certain license titled “**License and Option Agreement**” effective as of the 16th of December 2005, as amended the 30th of March 2007 (the “**License and Option Agreement**”);

**WHEREAS**, Lonza and Roche entered into that certain license titled “**Umbrella Research and License Agreement**” effective as of the 27th of October 2006, as amended (the “**Umbrella Research and License Agreement**”); and

**WHEREAS**, Lonza, Roche and Chugai have entered into the 1st Amendment to the Umbrella Research and License Agreement on April 24, 2009 to include Chugai as an Affiliate under the Umbrella Research and License Agreement;

Lonza, Roche and Genentech now wish to amend and restate certain terms of the Umbrella Research and License Agreement and the License and Option Agreement

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants, agreements representations and warranties set forth herein, the Parties agree as follows:

### ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

1.1 “**Affiliate**” means, as to any person or entity, any other person or entity, which controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such person or entity. A person or entity shall be regarded as in control of another entity only if it owns or controls, directly or indirectly, (i) in the case of corporate entities at least fifty percent (50%) (or the maximum ownership interest permitted by law) of the equity securities in the subject entity entitled to vote in the election of directors and. (ii) in the case of an entity that is not a corporation, at least fifty percent (50%) (or the maximum ownership interest permitted by law) of the equity securities or other ownership interests with the power to direct the management and policies of such subject entity or entitled to elect the corresponding management authority, or such other relationship as, in fact, constitutes actual control. Notwithstanding the foregoing, unless expressly specified otherwise, for the purposes of this Agreement, Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd, 1-1 Nihonbashi-Muromachi 2-Chome, Chuo-ku Tokyo 103-8324, Japan, and all entities controlled by it (collectively, “**Chugai**”), shall not be considered an Affiliate of Licensee unless and until Licensee provides written notice to Lonza specifying Chugai as an Affiliate of Licensee and paying to Lonza the fee set forth in Section 4.1.2.

1.2 “**Agreement**” is defined in the Introduction.

1.3 “**Back-up Formulation Product**” is defined in Section 4.5.4.

1.4 “**Back-up GS Product**” is defined in Section 4.3.4

1.5 [Intentionally left blank].

1.6 “**BLA**” means a Biologies License Application and amendments thereto filed pursuant to the requirements of the FDA, as defined in 21 CFR. § 600 et seq. for FDA approval of a Licensed Product and “**sBLA**” means a supplemental BLA.

1.7 “**Combination**” is defined in Section 1.45.

1.8 “**Confidential Information**” means all materials, Know How or other information, whether or not patentable, regarding a Party’s technology, products business information or objectives, which is designated as confidential in writing by the disclosing Party, whether by letter or by use of an appropriate stamp or legend, prior to or at the time any such material, Know-How or other information is disclosed by the disclosing Party to the receiving Party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, materials, Know-How or other information that is orally, electronically or visually disclosed by a disclosing Party, or is disclosed in writing without an appropriate letter, stamp or legend, shall constitute Confidential Information of the disclosing Party, if within thirty (30) days after such disclosure, the disclosing Party delivers to the receiving Party a written document or documents describing the materials, Know How or other information as confidential and referencing the place and date of such oral electronic, visual or written disclosure and the names of the persons to whom such disclosure was made. In addition to the foregoing Lonza Confidential Information shall only include that information of Lonza disclosed to Licensee in accordance with Section 3.1 or 3.2, or at Licensee’s written request and in accordance with Section 3.3.

1.9 “**Control**” or “**Controlled**” means with respect to intellectual property assets, that a party has the right to grant a license or sublicense to such assets as provided herein without violating the terms of any written agreement with any Third Party.

1.10 “**Covers**” (including variations such as “**Covered**”, “**Covering**” and the like), means, with respect to a particular Patent and in reference to a particular compound or product (whether alone or in combination with one or more other ingredients) that the manufacture, use, sale, offer for sale or importation of such compound or product in a country is claimed by a Valid Claim of such Patent in that country

1.11 “**Customer Cell Line**” means any cell line developed by Licensee which (a) incorporates any GS Know-How, Customer Modifications or subject matter claimed in a Patent within the GS Patents, or (b) is derived by Licensee from a Host Cell Line.

- 1.12 “**Customer Modifications**” means CMV Expression Vector(s) and GS Expression Vector(s)
- 1.13 “**Discontinued Formulation Product**” is defined in Section 4.2.4.
- 1.14 “**Discontinued GS Product**” is defined in Section 4.2.4.
- 1.15 “**Discontinued PFM Product**” is defined in Section 4.3.5.
- 1.16 “**Dispute**” is defined in Section 11.1.
- 1.17 “**Effective Date**” is defined in the Introduction.
- 1.18 “**EMA**” means the European Medicines Agency and any successor agency.
- 1.19 “**Exchange**” is defined in Section 6.1.
- 1.20 “**FDA**” means the United States Food and Drug Administration and any successor agency.
- 1.21 “**First Commercial Sale**” means for each royalty bearing product, the first commercial sale in any country as part of a nationwide introduction by Licensee or its Sublicensees. Sales for test marketing, clinical trial purposes or compassionate or similar use shall not be considered to constitute a First Commercial Sale.
- 1.22 “**Formulation Know-How**” means that [#####], as such Know-How existed as of September 1, 2006.
- 1.23 “**Formulation Product**” means any product (including without limitation any GS Product or PFM Product) researched, developed and/or commercialized by Licensee that contains a protein produced using the Formulation Know-How (including any modification by Licensee to the Formulation Know-How).
- 1.24 “**GMP**” means the regulatory requirements for current good manufacturing practices promulgated by the FDA under the FD&C Act, 21 C.F.R. §§ 210, 211 and 600 *et seq.* and under the PHS Act, 21 C.F.R. §§ 600-610, as the same may be amended from time to time and with respect to the Licensed Product, the corresponding or similar laws, rules and regulations of (those jurisdictions in which the Licensed Product is sold).
- 1.25 “**GS Product**” means any product researched, developed and/or commercialized by Licensee that contains a protein produced by Licensee’s use of GS System.
- 1.26 “**GS System**” means the following owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates) as of the 16th of December 2005 or during the Term: the (a) GS Standard Vectors, (b) Host Cell Lines, (c) GS Know-How contained in (i) manuals of operating procedures for the GS Standard Vectors and the Host Cell Lines, (ii) regulatory information on CD-ROM and (iii) vector nucleotide sequences, (d) GS Patents and (e) GS Updates, used either in combination or individually, as further described upon delivery by Lonza to Licensee of the materials specified in Section 3.1 and/or as disclosed in the GS Patents

1.26.1 “**GS Know-How**” means the Know-How owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates) as of the 6th of December 2005 or during the Term, that relate to the GS System. GS Know How shall not include any Protein-Free Know-How

1.26.2 “**GS Patents**” means (a) those patents and patent applications listed on Exhibit 28 and any Patents corresponding thereto, owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), as of the 16th of December 2005 or during the Term, (b) any Patents owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), as of the 16th of December 2005 or during the Term, that relate to [#####], and/or GS Updates, and (c) any Patents owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), as of the Effective Dale or during the Term, that are necessary or otherwise useful to make, have made, use sell, offer for sale, and/or import a GS Product GS Patents do not include any Protein-Free Patents.

1.26.3 “**GS Standard Vectors**” mean the following proprietary Lonza vectors [#####] provided by Lonza to Licensee in accordance with Article 3.

1.26.4 “**GS Updates**” means any updates and information relating thereto (including without limitation modifications, derivatives or improvements) to the GS Standard Vectors Host Cell Lines and/or other Know How owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates) that are generally made available by Lonza to its other licensees of the GS Know-How for no financial consideration

1.26.5 “**Host Cell Lines**” means Lonza s proprietary cell lines originating from Lonza’s GMP cell banks provided to Licensee by Lonza in accordance with Article 3, including, but not limited to Lonza’s proprietary [#####] cell line.

1.27 “**IFRS**” shall mean International Financial Reporting Standards

1.28 “**Indemnitee**” is defined in Section 9.3.

1.29 “**Indemnitor**” is defined in Section 9.3

1.30 “**Joint Inventions**” is defined in Section 7.1.

1.31 “**Know-How**” means information or biological materials, including, without limitation, cells, cell lines, genes, gene fragments, gene sequences, probes, DNA, RNA, cDNA libraries, proteins, peptides, polypeptides, plasmids, vectors, expression systems, organisms, biological substances, and any constituents, progeny or replications thereof or therefrom, reagents, chemical compounds, inventions whether or not patentable, improvements, practices, formulae, trade secrets, techniques, methods, procedures, knowledge, skill, experience, results, test data (including, without limitation, pharmacological, toxicological and clinical test data), analytical and quality control data and any information regarding marketing, pricing, distribution, cost, sales or manufacturing Know-How shall not include any Patents.

1.32 “**Liabilities**” is defined in Section 9.1.

1.33 “**Licensed Product**” means a GS Product, a PFM Product or a Formulation Product.

- 1.34 "**Licensee**" means Roche, Genentech and/or its Affiliates (subject to Section 1.1)
- 1.35 "**Licensee Indemnitee**" is defined in Section 9.1.
- 1.36 "**Lonza**" is defined in the Introduction.
- 1.37 "**Lonza Indemnitee**" is defined in Section 9.2.
- 1.38 "**Marketing Approval Application**" or "**MAA**" means BLA, sBLA, NDA, sNDA and any equivalent thereof in the United States or any other country or jurisdiction in the Territory.
- 1.39 "**Materials**" is defined in Section 3.4.
- 1.40 "**Model Vector [#####]**" means the double gene vector comprising the GS Standard Vectors [#####]product gene, provided to Licensee by Lonza accordance with Article 3.
- 1.41 "**Multi-Product Commercial License**" is defined in Section 2.1.2.
- 1.42 "**NDA**" means a New Drug Application and amendments thereto filed pursuant to the requirements of the FDA, as defined in 21 C.F.R. § 314 et seq., for FDA approval of a Licensed Product and "**sNDA**" means a supplemental NDA.
- 1.43 [#####]
- (a)
- (b) **Licensed Products Sold in Combinations.**
- (i) In the event that a Licensed Product is sold in combination (in the same package, including as a co-formulation) with one or more other active ingredients that are not the subject of this Agreement (for purposes of this Section 1.45(c), a "**Combination**"), the gross amount invoiced for such Licensed Product shall be calculated by multiplying (he gross amount invoiced for such Combination by the fraction  $A/(A+B)$ , where "A" is the gross amount invoiced for such Licensed Product sold separately and "B" is the gross amount invoiced for such other active ingredient(s) sold separately.
- (ii) In the event that such other active ingredient(s) are not sold separately (but such Licensed Product is), the gross amount invoiced for such Licensed Product shall be calculated by multiplying the gross amount invoiced for such Combination by the fraction  $A/C$ , where "A" is the gross invoice amount for such Licensed Product, and "C" is the gross invoice amount for the Combination.
- (iii) In the event that such Licensed Product is not sold separately, Net Sales for royalty calculations shall be determined by the Parties in good faith.
- 1.44 "**Party**" shall mean Licensee or Lonza and when used in the plural, shall mean Licensee and Lonza.

1.45 **“Patent(s)”** mean (a) a US and corresponding foreign patent application (including provisional application, division, refiling, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and reexamination thereof); and (b) any patent (including without limitation, any substitution, extension, reissue, renewal, reexamination, patent of addition, supplementary protection certificate and inventors’ certificate) that has issued or may issue in the future from any patent application described in Subsection (a)

1.46 **“PFM Product”** means any product (including without limitation any GS Products) researched, developed and/or commercialized by Licensee that contains a protein produced using the Formulation Know-How, the PFM System, the Protein-Free Know-How and/or Protein Free Patents, including without limitation PFM Know-How Products and PFM Patent Products, but excluding the use of any modification by Licensee to the Formulation Know-How.

1.46.1 **“PFM Know-How Product”** means any PFM Product, which is not a PFM Patent Product, but which was manufactured as a result of Licensee’s material use of Protein- Free KnowHow which Protein Free Know-How was Confidential information of Lonza prior to and in (he calendar year in which such PFM Know-How Product achieved a particular event set forth in Section 4.3.1.

1.46.2 **“PFM Patent Product”** means any PFM Product which the making, using, selling, offering for sale or importing would, but for the license from Lonza, infringe a Valid Claim of any Patents within the Protein-Free Patents Controlled by Lonza.

1.47 **“PFM System”** means the Protein-Free Feeds, Protein-Free Media, Protein Free Base Powders, Protein-Free Patents, Protein-Free Know-How, PFM Updates and the Supplements used either in combination oi individually, and the Tropolone Patent, as further described upon delivery by Lonza to Licensee of the materials specified in Article 3 and/or as disclosed in the Protein-Free Patents, as further described in Exhibit 1.49.

1.47.1 **“Protein-Free Base Powders”** means the powders set out in Exhibit 1.49.

1.47.2 **“Protein-Free Feeds”** means the concentrated nutrient solutions used in order to maintain the growth and productivity of mammalian cells, as more fully set out in Exhibit 1.49

1.47.3 **“Protein-Free Know-How”** means Know-How owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates) as [#####], that relate to the PFM System.

1.47.4 **“Protein-Free Media”** means the solutions of nutrients used in mammalian cell culture, as more fully set out in Exhibit 1.49.

1.47.5 **“Protein-Free Patents”** means (a) those patents and patent applications listed on Exhibit 1.49 and any Patents corresponding thereto, owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), as of the Effective Date or during the Term, and (b) any Patents owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), as of the Effective Date or during the Term, that directly relate io the Lonza Protein Free System and are generally made available by Lonza to its other licensees of the Lonza PFM Technology for no financial consideration.

1.47.6 “**PFM Updates**” means any updates (including without limitation modifications, derivatives or improvements) to the PFM System and/or other Know-How relating thereto owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates) that are generally made available by Lonza to its other licensees of the Protein-Free Know-How for no financial consideration.

1.47.7 “**Supplements**” means the supplement solutions, as further described in Exhibit 1.49.

1.47.8 [#####]

1.48 “**Phase II Clinical Trial**” means a human clinical trial, for which the primary endpoints include a determination of dose ranges and/or a preliminary determination of efficacy of a Licensed Product in patients being studied as described in 21 C.F.R. §312.21, or similar clinical study in a country other than the United States

1.49 “**Phase III Clinical Trial**” means human clinical trial(s), the principal purpose of which is to establish safety and efficacy in patients with (he disease being studied as required in 21 C.F.R §312.21(c) or similar clinical study in a country other than the United States. Phase III shall also include any other human clinical trial intended as a pivotal trial for regulatory approval purposes whether or not such trial is a traditional Phase III trial.

1.50 “**Research License**” is defined in Section 2.1.1.

1.51 [#####].

1.52 “**sBLA**” is defined in Section 1.6.

1.53 “**sNDA**” is defined in Section 1.44.

1.54 “**Sublicensee**” means an entity to which Licensee has licensed rights pursuant to this Agreement

1.55 “**Term**” is defined in Section 10.1.

1.56 “**Territory**” means worldwide.

1.57 “**Third Party**” means any entity other than Lonza or Licensee or their respective Affiliates.

1.58 “**Third Party Collaborator**” means a Third Party that has entered into a written agreement with Licensee to conduct research, development, manufacture, and/or commercialization of a Licensed Product with, or on behalf of Licensee

1.59 “**Third Party Contractor**” means a Third Party that has entered into a written agreement with Licensee to conduct research, development and/or manufacturing of a product (including without limitation GS Products and/or PFM Products) on behalf of Licensee.

1.60 “**Third Party Licensee**” means a Third Party that has entered into a written agreement with Licensee, under which agreement Licensee out-licensed a Licensed Product to such Third Party, which out-license includes the right of such Third Party to conduct research, development, manufacture, and commercialization of such Licensed Product in one or more territories of the world.

1.61 “**Third Party-Lonza Agreement**” is defined in Section 2.5.

1.62 “**Transfection Medium System**” means the Transfection Base Powder, the Transfection Medium, Transfection Medium Patents and Transfection Medium Know-How used either in combination or individually, as more fully set out in Exhibit 1.64.

1.62.1 “**Transfection Base Powder**” means the powder referred to in Exhibit 1.64.

1.62.2 “**Transfection Medium**” means the solutions of nutrients used in mammalian cell culture.

1.62.3 “**Transfection Medium Know-How**” means any Know-How specifically relating to the Transfection Medium.

1.62.4 “**Transfection Medium Patents**” means any Patents owned or Controlled by Lonza (or its Affiliates), [#####], that directly relate to the Lonza Transfection Medium System and are generally made available by Lonza to its other licensees.

1.63 “**Valid Claim**” means an issued and unexpired claim of a Patent that has not been canceled, withdrawn or rejected and has not lapsed or become abandoned or been declared invalid or unenforceable or been revoked by a court or agency of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be or has been taken

## ARTICLE 2. LICENSE

### 2.1 Licenses.

2.1.1 **Research License Grant.** Lonza hereby grants to Licensee a non-exclusive, royalty-free, worldwide right and license under the GS System, the PFM System and the Transfection Medium System (whether individually or in combination) to make, use, and import (but not to sell or offer for sale) products and processes solely for research and development purposes (including without limitation pre-clinical research and development of Licensed Products) (the “**Research License**”)

2.1.2 **Multi-Product Commercial License Grant.** Lonza hereby grants to Licensee a non-exclusive, sublicensable worldwide right and license under the GS System, the PFM System and the Transfection Medium System (whether individually or in combination) to make, use, import, sell and offer for sale licensed Products (the “**Multi-Product Commercial License**”)

### 2.2 Sublicensing and Subcontracting.

2.2.1 **Sublicenses.** In accordance with this section 2.2, Licensee may grant sublicenses of its rights under its license in Section 2.1 to their respective



(a) Third Party Collaborators with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, manufactured, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of, Licensee; and

(b) Third Party Licensees with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, manufactured, developed and commercialized by or on behalf of such Third Party Licensee.

Licensee shall remain responsible for the activities conducted by its Third Party Collaborators and Third Party Licensees under such sublicenses

2.2.2 **Certain Terms.** The grant of any such sublicense by Licensee shall be subject to the following:

(a) Licensee shall ensure such sublicensee's use of the GS System, the PFM System and the Transfection Medium System is undertaken solely for the purpose of establishing a manufacturing process for Product, or producing Product, for Roche its Affiliates or the sublicensee' and

(b) The sublicensee shall not, by virtue of this Agreement, be granted any right or licence, either express or implied, under any patent or proprietary right vested in Lonza or otherwise, to use the GS System, the PFM System and the Transfection Medium System other than for the purposes of establishing a manufacturing Process for Product or producing Product for Roche, its Affiliates or the sublicensee and Roche and/or its Affiliates agree to ensure that such sublicensee shall not assign, transfer, further sublicense or otherwise make over the benefit or the burden of the rights granted to it pursuant to this Agreement; and

(c) Any sublicense granted shall be expressly subject and subordinate to the terms of this Agreement, and it shall be Licensee's responsibility to ensure the strict adherence by any sublicensee hereunder to the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and

(d) Licensee shall not disclose the Formulation Know-How in its entirety to sublicensees. On certain occasions, however, a sublicensee will require access to elements of the Formulation Know-How for specific purposes. By way of illustration, a sublicensee may require details of the actual components within the Formulation Know-How, but not the concentrations of those components, for the preparation of a regulatory Filing, or may require details of (he method of applying the Formulation Know-How, but not each individual element and/or their concentrations, for technical development purposes. In such individual cases as and when the need arises, and only upon the sublicensee's written request specifically identifying the person or persons to whom such disclosure is to be made, Licensee shall be permitted to provide to such persons, and only to such persons, such elements of the Formulation Know-How as are required to meet the particular need identified in the request.

(e) After the grant of any sublicense pursuant to this Section 2 Licensee shall inform Lonza of the grant of such sublicense, including details of any occasion where an element of the Formulation Know-How has been disclosed to a sublicensee.

2.2.3 **Subcontracting.** Subject to Sections 2.4 and 3.4, the rights granted under Section 2.1 shall include the right to have such activities conducted by Third Party Contractors on behalf of Licensee, its Affiliates and their respective Third Party Collaborators and Third Party Licensees. Licensee shall remain responsible for the activities conducted by all Third Party Contractors under such subcontracts

2.2.4 **Survival of Sublicenses.** In the event of termination of this Agreement, with respect to those sublicenses granted by Licensee to its Third Party Collaborators and/or Third Party Licensees under the GS System, the PFM System and/or the Transfection Medium System pursuant to Section 2.1, such sublicenses shall survive; provided, (a) such sublicense is consistent with the terms of this Agreement, and (b) the respective Sublicensee is not in material breach of such sublicense on the effective date of termination of this Agreement Within [#####]of such termination, Licensee and Lonza shall agree as to whether (i) Licensee shall continue to be responsible for each such sublicense, or (ii) such sublicense shall be novated to Lonza after an agreed date.

### 2.3 Model Vector [#####].

2.3.1 **Grant.** Lonza hereby grants to Licensee a non-exclusive, royalty-free, worldwide right and license under its rights in the Model Vector [#####] to use the Model Vector [#####] in connection with Licensee's exercise of the Research License, but for the sole purpose of enabling Licensee to compare transfection efficiencies and expression levels achieved using the Model Vector [#####] with transfection efficiencies and expression levels achieved using Licensee's genes and vectors of interest.

2.3.2 **Sublicenses.** Licensee is specifically prohibited from granting a sublicense of its rights under its license in Section 2.3.1 to Third Parties.

2.4 **Certain Terms.** For purposes of clarity, the rights granted under this Article 2 do not include the right to individually transfer the GS System (e.g., GS Standard Vectors, Host Cell Lines and/or any GS Updates), Customer Modifications and Formulation Know-Flow (except as provided in Section 3.4.2(c)) to a Sublicensee or a Third Party Contractor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Customer Cell Line (including without limitation Customer Cell Lines encompassing one or more of GS Standard Vectors, Customer Modifications and/or Host Cell Lines) may be transferred to Sublicensees and Third Party Contractors under this Article 2.

2.5 **Third Party Licenses to the GS System, PFM System, Transfection Medium System and/or Model Vector [#####].** With respect to any product acquired by Licensee from a Third Party (whether by in-license, purchase, or other form of acquisition), to the extent such product was researched, developed or commercialized by such Third Party under a license from Lonza to the GS System, PFM System, Transfection Medium System and/or Model Vector [#####] (a "**Third Party-Lonza Agreement**"), such product shall be governed by the terms of such Third Party-Lonza Agreement in relation to its financial terms, but shall otherwise be governed by the terms of this Agreement. For clarity, as used in the preceding sentence, financial terms means those amounts specified as being due upon the achievement of a milestone and/or sale of a product, including any milestone or royalty term applicable thereto; all other financial terms pertaining thereto (including those set forth in Section 1.45, 1.53 and Sections 4.7.6 through 4.7.11 of this Agreement) shall be governed by the terms of this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, relation to the products known as [#####], the development, manufacture and sale of such products by Licensee (but not by [#####], as the case may be), shall be governed by the terms of this Agreement.

For the avoidance of doubt, if Licensee acquired from a Third Party (a) worldwide rights to develop and commercialize such product, the terms of this Agreement (and not the Third Party- Lonza Agreement) shall apply worldwide with respect to such product; (b) rights to a specific territory to develop and commercialize such product, but such rights also include worldwide rights to manufacture such product, the terms of (his Agreement (and not the Third Party-Lonza Agreement) shall apply worldwide with respect to such product, and (c) rights to a specific territory only, the terms of this Agreement (and not the Third Party-Lonza Agreement) shall apply only to such territory with respect to such product. In addition, in no event shall Lonza be entitled to simultaneously collect a payment for a particular product achieving a particular activity under a Third Party-Lonza Agreement for which Lonza is or tied to collect a payment for the same product achieving the same activity under this Agreement. Finally, to the extent there is a conflict between the terms of this Agreement and such Third Party-Lonza Agreement with respect to a product and territory the terms of this Agreement shall prevail

### ARTICLE 3. TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

3.1 **Technology Transfer.** It is understood and agreed by the Parties, that Lonza transferred the GS System, PFM System, Transfection Medium System and Model Vector [#####] either to Genentech under the License and Option Agreement, or to Roche under the Umbrella Research and License Agreement, prior to the Effective Date. Subject to Article 5, it is further understood and agreed that such GS System, PFM System, Transfection Medium System and Model Vector [#####] shall be deemed Confidential Information of Lonza as of the effective date of such transfer.

3.2 **Additional Technology Transfers (Updates).** Following the initial transfer, Lonza shall provide written notice to Licensee if and when any GS Update or PFM Update becomes available. At Licensee's written request, Lonza shall provide, at Lonza's expense, copies of such GS Update or PFM Update, as specified in such written request, to Licensee.

3.3 **Form and Control of Transfers.** All transfers by Lonza to Licensee hereunder shall be made in a format proposed by Lonza and reasonably acceptable to Licensee and only to those persons designated in writing by Licensee as authorized to receive such material's. As of the Effective Date, such authorized persons are:

(a) for Genentech [#####],

(b) for Roche: [#####]

3.4 **Licensee Rights of Use.** With respect to the GS System, PFM System and Transfection Medium System provided by Lonza to Licensee in accordance with this Article 3 (collectively, the "Materials"), and always subject to Section 2.2 above, the following shall apply:

#### 3.4.1 GS System.

(a) it is understood and agreed that Licensee shall have the right to make and lest modifications to the GS Standard Vectors, Host Cell Lines and GS Updates thereto, including but not limited to, changing promoters and/or enhancers, using different iniron sequences and/or modifying untranslated regions of the vectors;

(b) GS Standard Vectors, Customer Modifications and the Host Cell Lines may not be individually transferred to Third Parties;

(c) Under the Research License, Customer Cell Lines may be transferred to (i) Sublicensees solely to manufacture, use and import products and processes that are being researched or developed (including without limitation pre-clinical research and development of Licensed Products) by Licensee (including research or development by a Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of Licensee); and (ii) Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development or manufacture (for research or development) of such products and processes (including without limitation pre-clinical research, development and manufacture of such GS Products) on behalf of Licensee or a Third Party Collaborator,

(d) Under the Multi-Product Commercial License, Customer Cell Lines may be transferred to (i) Third Party Collaborators with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of, Licensee; and (ii) Third Party Licensees with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, developed and commercialized by such Third Party Licensee; and (iii) Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development and/or manufacture with respect to a Licensed Product on behalf of Licensee, a Third Party Collaborator or a Third Party Licensee;

#### 3.4.2 PFM System.

(a) Under the Research License, the PFM System may be transferred io Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development and manufacture of products and processes (including without limitation pre-clinical research, development and manufacture (for research or development) of PFM Products) on behalf of Licensee, its Affiliate or their respective Third Party Collaborator or Third Party Licensee; and.

(b) Under the Multi-Product Commercial License, the PFM System may be transferred to (i) Third Party Collaborators with respect to PFM Products that are being researched, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of, Licensee; (ii) Third Party Licensees with respect to PFM Products that are being researched, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Licensee; and (iii) Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development and/or manufacture with respect to a PFM Product on behalf of Licensee, its Affiliate or their respective Third Party Collaborator or Third Party Licensee

(c) Notwithstanding Section 3.4.2(a) and (b), Licensee, shall not disclose the Formulation Know-How (as part of the PFM System) in ns entirety io Sublicensees. On certain occasions, however, a Sublicensee will require access to elements of the Formulation Know-How for specific purposes by way of illustration a Sublicensee may require details of the actual components within the Formulation Know-How, but not the concentrations of those components,

for the preparation of a regulatory filing, or may require details of the method of applying the Formulation Know How, but not each individual element and/or their concentrations, for technical development purposes In such individual cases as and when the need arises, and only upon the Sublicensee's written request specifically identifying the person or persons to whom such disclosure is to be made, Licensee shall have the right to provide such persons, and only to such persons, such elements of the Formulation Know-How as are required to meet the particular need identified in such request

(d) For the avoidance of doubt, the license grant in use the Formulation Know-How (as part of the PFM System) shall not prevent Licensee from conducting its own research and development into media and feeds generally. In addition, since the Formulation Know-How relates to the overall composition of the Protein-Free Feeds and Protein-Free Media rather than the identification of individual ingredients Licensee are not prevented from using certain ingredients, simply because those ingredients are contained in the list of ingredients contained within the Formulation Know-How Licensee has no obligation to disclose their own proprietary feeds or components thereof to Lonza Licensee shall provide details of any occasion where an element of the Formulation Know-How has been disclosed to a Sublicensee

#### 3.4.3 Transfection Medium System.

(a) Under the Research License the Transfection Medium System may be transferred to (i) Sublicensees solely to manufacture, use and import products and processes that are being researched or developed (including without limitation pre-clinical research and development of Licensed Products) by Licensee (including research or development by a Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of, Licensee), and (ii) Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development or manufacture (for research or development) of such products and processes (including without limitation pre-clinical research, development and manufacture of such Licensed Products) on behalf of Licensee or a Third Party Collaborator; and

(b) Under the Multi-Product Commercial License, the Transfection Medium System may be transferred to (i) Third Party Collaborators with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Collaborator with, or on behalf of, Licensee; (ii) Third Party Licensees with respect to Licensed Products that are being researched, developed and/or commercialized by such Third Party Licensee; and (iii) Third Party Contractors solely to conduct research, development and/or manufacture with respect to a Licensed Product on behalf of Licensee, its Affiliate or their respective Third Party Collaborator or Third Party Licensee.

**3.5 Lonza Retained Rights.** Subject to the foregoing, all such Materials delivered by Lonza to Licensee under this Agreement (a) shall remain the sole property of Lonza; (b) shall be used by Licensee only in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; (c) shall not be used or delivered by Licensee to or for the benefit of any Third Party except as expressly provided for herein, and (d) shall be used by Licensee in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations

3.6 **Reports to Lonza.** Commencing upon the Effective Date [#####], Licensee shall provide Lonza, [#####], an annual written report summarizing any Customer (Modifications conceived and reduced to practice by Licensee in the preceding year during the Agreement, which Licensee determines using its reasonable diligence and judgment, (a) materially incorporates any GS Know-How (which GS Know-How was Confidential Information of Loma at the time of such reduction to practice) and/or (b) are claimed in or infringe a Valid Claim of a Patent within the GS Patents. To the extent no such Customer Modifications are made during a particular calendar year, Licensee shall have no obligation to provide a report to Lonza thereto. Any such reports shall be sent to the attention of the Head of Licensing (as of the Effective Date, [#####]) at Lonza.

3.7 **Lonza Access to Customer Modifications.** At Lonza's written request at any time during the Term, Lonza shall have the right to discuss in good faith with Licensee the terms under which Licensee may grant Lonza the right to obtain access to such Customer Modifications disclosed to Lonza under Section 3.6.

**ARTICLE 4.  
CONSIDERATION**

4.1 [#####].

4.2 **Initial License Fee.** In consideration of the rights granted by Lonza to Licensee under Article 2 and (he technology transferred by Lonza to Licensee under Article 3, Licensee shall pay to Lonza [#####] Licensee shall pay Lonza the respective accrued and payable event payment within thirty (30) days of receipt of an invoice from Lonza with respect thereto.

**4.3 GS Products Event Payments under the Multi-Product Commercial License.**

4.3.1 **Event Payments.** Subject to Sections 4.3.2 through 4.3.5, Licensee shall pay to Lonza with respect to each GS Product the following one tune amounts following the first achievement of the following events for such GS Product.

<u>Event</u>	<u>Payment</u>
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]

4.3.2 **GS Products Subject To Event Payments.** It is understood and agreed that, unless otherwise stated only the following GS Products shall be subject to the event payments under Section 4.3.1:

- (a) [#####] or
- (b) [#####].

4.3.3 **Multiple GS Products; Multiple Indications for a GS Product.** It is understood and agreed that the payments under Section 4.3.1 shall be due separately for each event bearing GS Product to meet each such specific event; accordingly, if a second or subsequent event bearing GS Product is developed, a further full set of event payments will become due and payable at the time(s) set forth in Section 4.3.1 for such second or subsequent event bearing GS Product to meet each such specific event. It is also understood, however, that once a particular event payment under Section 4.3.1 has been paid with respect to a particular GS Product, that event payment will not be due again with respect to the same GS Product achieving the same event. [#####]

4.3.4 **Credit for Discontinued GS Products.** If Licensee (or its designee) ceases clinical development of a particular GS Product prior to the first approval of an MAA for such GS Product (the "**Discontinued GS Product**") after having made the payments due under Section 4.3.1(a) above [#####]. As used herein, "**Back-up GS Product**" means a GS Product that binds (o the same target and has or produces a therapeutic effect similar to such Discontinued GS Product.

4.3.5 **Notice of Achievement; Timing of Payments.** With respect to each event referred to in Section 4.3.1, Licensee (or its Sublicensee) shall promptly inform Lonza following the achievement of such event. Licensee shall pay Lonza the respective accrued and payable event payment within thirty (30) days of receipt of an invoice from Lonza with respect thereto.

4.4 **PFM Product Events Payments under the Multi-Product Commercial License.**

4.4.1 **Event Payments.** Subject to Sections 4.4.2 through 4.4.6, Licensee shall pay to Lonza the following [#####]:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Payment</u>
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]

4.4.2 **PFM Products Subject To Event Payments.** It is understood and agreed that only [#####]. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent such PFM Product is a Formulation Product for which payments were made under Section 4.5, such PFM Product shall not be subject to an event payment under Section 4.4.1.

In addition, only those quantities of an event bearing PFM Product (i.e., the PFM Patent Product or PFM Know-How Product) forecasted to be manufactured within the first calendar year following such First Commercial Sale shall be used for determining how much of such PFM Product Lonza was contractually obligated to manufacture at the time of such First Commercial Sale Licensee shall provide written notice to Lonza no later than the First Commercial Sale of each such milestone bearing PFM Product.

4.4.3 **PFM Products vs. GS Products.** For the avoidance of doubt it is understood and agreed that to the extent a PFM Product is also a GS Product, such product may be subject to the event payments set forth in Sections 4.2 and 4.3 and this Section 4.4 and the royalty payments set forth in Section 4.7.

4.4.4 **Notice of Achievement; Timing of Payments.** With respect to each event referred to in Section 4.4.1, Licensee (or its Sublicensee) shall promptly inform Lonza following the achievement of such event. Licensee shall pay Lonza the respective accrued and payable event payment [####]with respect thereto.

4.5 **Formulation Products Event Payments under the Multi-Product Commercial License.**

4.5.1 **Event Payments.** Subject to Sections 4.5.2 through 4.5.5, Licensee shall pay to Lonza the following [####].

<u>Clinical Event</u>	<u>Payment for 1st Formulation Product</u>
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]

4.5.2 **Formulation Products Subject To Event Payments.** Subject to Section 4.5.4, it is understood and agreed that since different quantitative compositions of the Formulation Know-How can be used (a) only the first two (2) Formulation Products made using the same quantitative composition of the Formulation Know-How shall be subject to an event payment under Section 4.5.1, and (b) any subsequent Formulation Product made using the same particular quantitative composition of the Formulation Know-How shall not be subject to an event payment under Section 4.5.1. [####]

4.5.3 **Multiple Indications for a Formulation Product.** It is understood and agreed that once a particular event payment under this Section 4.5.1 has been paid with respect to a particular Formulation Product, that event payment will not be due again with respect to the same Formulation Product achieving the same event. [####].

4.5.4 **Credit for Discontinued Formulation Products.** If Licensee (or its designee) ceases clinical development of a particular Formulation Product (the “**Discontinued Formulation Product**”) after having made the payments due under Section 4.5.1 above, then there shall be no payment due upon the accomplishment of that same event with respect to any Back-up Formulation Product to achieve such event As used herein. “**Back-up Formulation Product**” means a Formulation Product that binds to the same target and has or produces a therapeutic effect similar to such Discontinued Formulation Product



4.5.5 **Notice of Achievement; Timing of Payments.** With respect to each event referred to in Section 4.5.1, Licensee (or us Sublicensee) shall promptly inform Lonza following the achievement of such event. Licensee shall pay Lonza the respective accrued and payable event payment [#####]with respect thereto.

4.6 **Event Payment Terms.** Roche's obligation to make event payments for Licensed Products under Section 4.2, 4.3, 4.4 and 4.5 shall expire [#####]. Upon expiration of its payment obligation hereunder with respect to a Licensed Product in a country, the licenses in Article 2 shall be fully paid-up in respect of that Licensed Product in that country with respect to such milestone payments

**4.7 Royalties.**

4.7.1 [#####]**Royalties on** . Subject to Section 4.7.4 through 4.7.7, [#####], Licensee will [#####]

(a) [#####]is Covered by a Valid Claim of any Patents within the GS Patents Controlled by Lonza

[#####],

[#####].

(b) If the [#####]:

(i) [#####], or

(ii) [#####].

Licensee shall [#####]in which such sale will be made,

For clarity, in the case of a GS Product for which a Valid Claim expires [#####], and if Licensee has [#####].

4.7.2 **Royalties on** [#####]. With respect to [#####].

4.7.3 **Royalties on** [#####]. Subject to Section 4.7.5 through 4.7.7, on a [#####]

4.7.4 **Single Royalty.** With respect to [#####].

4.7.5 **Royalty Term.**

(a) [#####]. The royalty obligations set forth in Section 4.7.1 above will [#####],

(b) [#####]. The royalty obligations set forth in Section 4.7.3 above will [#####].

4.7.6 **Rights Following Expiration of Royalty Term** [#####]. Upon expiration of its payment obligation hereunder [#####].

4.7.7 **Timing of Royalty Payment; Payments; Reports.**

(a) For clarity, for purposes of determining when a sale of a Licensed Product occurs, the sale shall be deemed to occur on the date of the invoice issued by Licensee (or its Sublicensee, as applicable) to the purchaser of the Licensed Product

(b) To the extent Licensee has elected [#####] in which the sale was made.

(c) To the extent Licensee has elected [#####]. Concurrent with such payment, Licensee shall provide Lonza with a report setting forth

(i) [#####];

(ii) [#####].

(iii) the exchange rate used to convert [#####]from [#####]to British Pounds; and

(iv) the [#####].

If Licensee is reporting Net Sales for more than one Licensed Product, the foregoing information shall be reported on a Licensed Product-by-Licensed Product basis.

4.8 **Payment Method.** All payments hereunder shall be made in British Pounds by bank wire transfer in immediately available funds to the account designated below or such account as Lonza shall designate before such payment is due. If Licensee is required to withhold and remit any tax to the tax authorities in any regard to any amount payable to the Lonza, such amount shall be withheld and paid to such tax authority. And in case the withholding tax is not deducted from the payment to Lonza and if no further payments are due by Licensee, Lonza shall promptly reimburse the withholding taxes to Licensee. In such event, Licensee shall notify Lonza and promptly furnish Lonza with copies of any documentation evidencing such withholding.

Lonza's Designated Bank:

Name:	UBS AG
Address:	CH-8098 Zurich
BIC (SWIFT):	[#####]
IBAN:	[#####]

**4.9 Currency Conversion.** For sales of any royalty [#####], Net Sales shall first be determined in the [#####] in British Pounds. As of the Effective Date, such currency conversion shall be based on year to date average rate as reported by Reuters. If at any time legal restrictions prevent the prompt remittance of part or all of the royalties with respect to any country where the Licensed Product is sold, payment shall be made through such lawful means or methods as Licensee reasonably determines to a local bank as designated by Lonza.

**4.10 Taxes.** Lonza shall pay all sales, turnover, income, revenue, value added, and other taxes levied on any payments accruing or made to Lonza under this Agreement, if provision is made in law or regulation of any country for withholding of taxes of any type, levies or other charges with respect to any royalty or other amounts payable under this Agreement to Lonza, then Licensee shall promptly pay such tax, levy or charge for and on behalf of Lonza to the proper governmental authority, and shall promptly furnish Lonza with receipt of payment. Licensee shall be entitled to deduct any such tax, levy or charge actually paid from royalty or other payment due to Lonza or be promptly reimbursed by Lonza if no further payments are due to Lonza. Each Party agrees to reasonably assist the other Party in claiming exemption from such deductions or withholdings under double taxation or similar agreement or treaty from time to time in force and in minimizing the amount required to be so withheld or deducted.

**4.11 Records; Inspection.** Licensee agrees to keep, [#####], records of all sales of royalty bearing Licensed Products in sufficient detail, including reports received from its Sublicensees hereunder, to permit Lonza to confirm the accuracy of Licensee's royalty calculations. Once a year, at the request and expense of Lonza, upon at least [#####] prior written notice, and during business hours and at such time as is reasonably acceptable to Licensee, Licensee shall permit a nationally recognized, independent, certified public accountant appointed by Lonza and acceptable to Licensee, to examine these records solely to the extent necessary to verify such calculations, provided that such accountant has entered into a confidentiality agreement with Licensee substantially similar to the confidentiality provisions typically entered into with its own accountants, limiting the use and disclosure of such information to purposes germane hereto. Audits shall be limited to results of the same subject matter in the [#####] prior to such notification that have not been previously audited by Lonza. Results of any such examination shall be made available first to Licensee, and, following redaction of any proprietary information of Licensee not germane to the calculation of royalties hereunder, then to Lonza. If such examination reveals an underpayment of royalties [#####]. Licensee shall pay all costs of such examination. In the event such accountant concludes that additional royalties were owed, Licensee shall [#####] to have such conclusions reviewed by its own accountants, and if they concur, the additional royalties shall be paid within [#####] of the date of such concurrence, in this event that Licensee's accountants do not concur with the conclusions of the accountants retained by Lonza, the Parties agree to negotiate in good faith to resolve such disagreement as soon as reasonable. In the event that there was an overpayment by Licensee hereunder, Lonza shall promptly (but in no event later than [#####] after Lonza's receipt of the independent auditor's report so correctly concluding) refund to Licensee the excess amount.

**ARTICLE 5.**  
**CONFIDENTIALITY**

5.1 **Confidentiality Obligations.** During the Term, and [####], the receiving Party shall keep confidential and shall not publish or otherwise disclose or use for any purpose other than as expressly permitted under this Agreement any Confidential Information of the disclosing Party, except on a need-to-know basis to the receiving Party's directors, officers, employees, agents, consultants, subcontractors, attorneys and accountants, and in addition, with respect to Licensee to its collaborators, licensees and others on a need to know basis, in each case, to the extent such disclosure is reasonably necessary in connection with the receiving Party's activities or exercise of rights under this Agreement. To the extent that disclosure to any person other than a regulatory authority or other governmental body or entity is authorized by this Agreement, prior to disclosure, a Party shall obtain written agreement of such person to hold in confidence and not disclose or use the Confidential Information of the disclosing Party, which agreement shall contain obligations of confidentiality and non-use no less restrictive than those set forth in this Article 5. The receiving Party shall notify the disclosing Party promptly upon discovery of any unauthorized use or disclosure of the disclosing Party's Confidential Information.

5.2 **Exclusions.** Notwithstanding anything set forth in this Article 5 to the contrary, the obligations of Section 5.1 shall not apply to the extent that the Confidential Information of the other Party (as determined by competent documentation)

(a) was known or used by the receiving Party prior to its date of receipt by the receiving Party or

(b) either before or after the date of the disclosure to the receiving Party is lawfully disclosed to the receiving Party by independent sources rightfully in possession of such information, or

(c) either before or after the date of the disclosure to the receiving Party becomes published or generally known to the public through no fault or omission on the part of the receiving Party or its Sublicensees; or

(d) is independently developed by or for the receiving Party without reference to or reliance upon the Confidential information.

5.3 **Authorized Disclosure.** The confidentiality obligations under this Article 5 shall not apply to the extent that a Party is required to disclose information by applicable law, regulation or order of a governmental agency or a court of competent jurisdiction; provided, however, that such Party shall (to the extent permitted by law) provide written notice thereof to the other Party, consult with the other Party with respect to such disclosure and provide the other Party a reasonable opportunity to object to any such disclosure or to request confidential treatment thereof.

5.4 **Terms of Agreement.** The Parties agree that this Agreement and the terms hereof will be considered Confidential Information of both Parties.

5.5 **No License.** As between the Parties, Confidential Information disclosed hereunder shall remain the property of the disclosing Party. Disclosure of Confidential Information to the other Party shall not constitute any grant, option or license to the other Party, beyond those licenses and options expressly granted under Article 2, under any patent, trade secret or other rights now or hereinafter held by the disclosing Party.

**ARTICLE 6.**  
**PUBLICITY AND PUBLICATIONS**

6.1 **Publicity.** If a Party desires to issue a press release or other public statement or announcement concerning this Agreement, the subject matter hereof, or the research, development or commercial results of the products hereunder, it must first obtain the other Party's written approval of the proposed release or announcement; provided that such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld if required pursuant to the disclosure requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") or the national securities exchange or other stock market on which such Party's securities are traded ("Exchange"). All press releases and other publicity will conform to the publicity strategy and policy developed by the Parties Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each Party agrees that the other Party will have no less than [####] review and provide comment regarding any such proposed press release or publicity, unless a shorter review time is agreed to by both Parties or required by law or rules, of such an Exchange. In the event that one Party reasonably concludes that a given disclosure is required by law and the other Party would prefer not to make such disclosure, then the Party seeking such disclosure shall either (i) limit said disclosure to address the concerns of the other Party, or (ii) provide a written opinion from counsel stating that such disclosure is required by law. With respect to complying with the disclosure requirements of the SEC in connection with any required SEC filing of this Agreement, the filing Party shall seek confidential treatment of portions of this Agreement from the SEC and shall provide the other Party with the opportunity, for least fifteen (15) days, to review any such proposed filing Each Party agrees that it will obtain its own legal advice with regard to its compliance with securities laws and regulations, and will not rely on any statements made by the other Party relating to such securities laws and regulations.

6.2 **Publication.** Notwithstanding Section 6.1, both Parties recognize that the publication or disclosure of papers, presentations, abstracts or any other written or oral presentations regarding results of and other information regarding research and development activities conducted using the GS System, PFM System and for Transfection Medium Systems may be beneficial to both Parties, *provided* that such publications or presentations are subject to reasonable controls to protect Confidential Information and the patentability of inventions. Accordingly, the following shall apply with respect to papers and presentations proposed for disclosure by either Party.

(a) with respect to any paper or presentation proposed for disclosure by Licensee which utilizes information generated from the use of the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System (including without limitation any Customer Cell Lines, Customer Modifications, GS Products or PFM Products), so long as such paper or presentation does not include any Confidential Information of Lonza. Licensee shall be free to make, publish and disclose such papers and presentations at its discretion so long as Licensee provides written notice to Lonza of such publication at least [####] prior to the date of such proposed publication,

(b) with respect to any paper or presentation proposed for disclosure by Lonza which utilizes information generated by Lonza from the use of the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System, so long as such paper or presentation does not include any Confidential Information of Licensee (including without limitation any Customer Cell Lines, Customer Modifications, GS Products or PFM Products). Lonza shall be free to make, publish and disclose such papers and presentations at its discretion;

(c) with respect to all other publications utilizing information generated from the use of the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System, including without limitation any publications containing Confidential information of the other Party, each Party shall have the right to review and approve any such paper or presentation proposed for disclosure by the other Party Before any such paper or presentation is disclosed, the Party proposing disclosure shall deliver a complete copy to the other Party at least [####] prior to submitting the paper to a publisher or making the presentation to a Third Party. The other Party shall review any such paper or presentation and shall inform the submitting Party with in [####] of its receipt of such paper or presentation if the proposed disclosure contains any Confidential Information of the other Party or any patentable subject matter. The submitting Party shall comply with any request to delete references to Confidential Information of the other Party in any such paper or presentation, and, if so requested by the other Party, shall delay such proposed disclosure for a period of [####] or such longer period of time as is reasonable to permit the timely preparation of a patent application by the other Party.

**ARTICLE 7.**  
**INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

**7.1 Ownership of Inventions and Know-How.** Ownership of all inventions and Know-How conceived or made in the course of activities performed under this Agreement shall be determined in accordance with the laws of inventorship of the United States. Subject to the foregoing, and the licenses granted to Licensee in Article 2, such inventions and Know-How that are conceived or made (i) solely by employees of a Party shall, as between the Parties, be solely owned by such Party, and (ii) jointly by employees of Licensee and employees of Lonza will be owned jointly by Licensee and Lonza (“**Joint Inventions**”).

**7.2 Disclosure.** Each Party shall promptly disclose to the other any invention disclosure submitted in the normal course of business which disclose a Joint Invention [####] after the Party determines that a Joint Invention has been made.

**7.3 Prosecution of Joint Inventions.** In the event of a Joint Invention, the Parties shall discuss and agree upon which Party shall be responsible for the preparation, filing, prosecution and maintenance of any Patent covering such Joint Invention,

**7.4 Ownership of Licensee Improvements; Licensee grant to Lonza.**

7.4.1 Licensee shall own the Licensee Improvements. However, Licensee may only use the Licensee Improvements for the purposes of its own and its Affiliates’ internal research and in connection with the development, commercialisation and manufacture of Licensed Products. Licensee or its Affiliates may not licence the Licensee Improvements to any third party, except to the extent necessary in connection with the out-licensing of a Licensed Product to a third party. Licensee hereby grants to Lonza a non-exclusive, royalty-free, worldwide right and license (including the right to sublicense) under the Licensee Improvements (whether patented or unpatented) in the development, manufacture and sale of products.

7.4.2 As used herein, “**Licensee Improvements**” means any improvement, enhancement, invention or other modification (other than Customer Modifications) made by Licensee to any element of the GS System, PFM System or the Formulation Know How, that materially incorporates GS Know-How, Protein-Free Know-How or infringes a Valid Claim of a GS Patent or PFM Patent, and which were made and filed for patent protection (if applicable) by Licensee on or prior to the earlier of the (i) last to expire Valid Claim of a Patent within the GS Patents or PFM Patent (as applicable) or (ii) [#####]. For the avoidance of doubt, Licensee must always obtain the prior written consent of Lonza should Licensee wish to include any Lonza Confidential Information within a patent application.

7.4.3 For the avoidance of doubt, any improvement, enhancement, invention or other modification made by Licensee to any element of the GS System, PFM System or the Formulation Know-How after expiration of Licensee’s applicable royalty obligation under Section 4.7 shall not be considered a Licensee Improvement.

## **ARTICLE 8. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

### **8.1 Lonza Warranty.**

8.1.1 As of the Effective Date, Lonza represents and warrants that: (a) it is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of Switzerland; (b) all necessary consents, approvals and authorizations of all governmental authorities and other persons or entities required to be obtained by Lonza in connection with this Agreement have been obtained; (c) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate action on the part of Lonza; and (d) this Agreement is a legal and valid obligation binding upon Lonza and enforceable in accordance with its terms.

8.1.2 Lonza also represents and warrants that; (a) it is the sole and exclusive owner or exclusive licensee of all right, title and interest in the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System existing prior to and/or as of the Effective Date; (b) it has the right to grant the rights and licenses granted herein; (c) the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System are free and clear of any lien or security interest; (d) as of the Effective Date, the GS Updates and PFM Updates are generally made available by Lonza to its licensees of the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System, as applicable, for no financial consideration, (e) it has not previously granted any right, license or interest in or to the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System, or any portion thereof, inconsistent with the rights and licenses granted to Licensee herein; (f) to its knowledge (without duty of inquiry) as of the Effective Date it has not received notice of any threatened or pending actions, lawsuits, claims or arbitration proceedings in any way relating to the GS System, PFM System and/or Transfection Medium System, and (g) to its knowledge (without duty of inquiry) as of the Effective Date, no Third Party Patents would be infringed by the practice of the rights granted under Article 2, including without limitation the manufacture, use, sale, offer for sale or import of (i) any product or process claimed or described in the Patents within the GS Patents and/or Protein-Free Patents, or (ii) any Licensed Product

8.2 **Licensee Warranty.** As of the Effective Date Licensee represents and warrants that; (a) it is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of Switzerland, (b) all necessary consents, approvals and authorizations of all governmental authorities and other persons or entities required to be obtained by Licensee in connection with this Agreement have been obtained; (c) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate action on the part of Licensee, and (d) this Agreement is a legal and valid obligation binding upon Licensee and enforceable in accordance with its terms

8.3 **Effect of Representations and Warranties.** It is understood that if the representations and warranties made by a Party under this Article 8 are not true and accurate and the other Party incurs damages, liabilities, costs or other expenses as a result, the Party making such representations and warranties shall indemnify and hold the other Party harmless from and against any such damages liabilities, costs or other expenses incurred as a result, in accordance with the terms of Article 9 below.

#### **ARTICLE 9. INDEMNIFICATION**

9.1 **Indemnification by Lonza.** Subject to Sections 9.3 and 12.8, Lonza shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless each of Licensee and its directors, officers, and employees of Licensee and the successors and assigns of any of the foregoing (each a "**Licensee Indemnitee**") from and against any and all liabilities, damages, settlements, penalties, fines, costs or expenses (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and other expenses of litigation) (collectively, "**Liabilities**") arising, directly or indirectly out of or in connection with Third Party claims, suits, actions, demands or judgments, relating to (a) the activities performed by or on behalf of Lonza under Article 3, (b) breach of the representations and warranties under Section 8.1, or (c) Lonza gross negligence or willful misconduct, except, in each case, to the extent caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of Licensee

9.2 **Indemnification by Licensee.** Subject to Sections 9.3 and 12.8, Licensee shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless each of Lonza and its directors, officers, and employees of Lonza and the successors and assigns of any of the foregoing (each a "**Lonza Indemnitee**") from and against any and all Liabilities arising directly or indirectly out of or in connection with Third Party claims, suits, actions, demands or judgments, relating to (a) the activities performed by or on behalf of Licensee or its Sublicensees hereunder in connection with the exercise of its licenses and rights hereunder, (b) breach of the representations and warranties under Section 8.2, or (c) Licensee's gross negligence or willful misconduct, except, in each case, to the extent caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of Lonza.

9.3 **Procedure.** If a Lonza Indemnitee or Licensee Indemnitee (the "**Indemnitee**") intends to claim indemnification under this Article 9, it shall promptly notify the other Party (the "**Indemnitor**") in writing of such alleged Liability. The Indemnitor shall have the right to control the defense thereof with counsel of its choice as long as such counsel is reasonably acceptable to Indemnitee; provided, however, that any Indemnitee shall have the right to retain its own counsel at its own expense, for any reason, including if representation of any Indemnitee by the counsel retained by the Indemnitor would be inappropriate due to actual or potential differing interests



between such Indemnitee and any other Party reasonably represented by such counsel in such proceeding. The Indemnitee, its employees and agents, shall reasonably cooperate with the Indemnitor and its legal representatives in the investigation of any Liability covered by this Article 9. The obligations of this Section 9.3 shall not apply to amounts paid in settlement of any claim, demand, action or other proceeding if such settlement is effected without the consent of the Indemnitor, which consent shall not be withheld or delayed unreasonably. The failure to deliver written notice to the indemnitor within a reasonable time after the commencement of any such action, if prejudicial to its ability to defend such action, shall relieve the Indemnitor of any obligation to the Indemnitee under this Section 9.3. It is understood that only Lonza or Licensee may claim indemnity under this Article 9 (on its own behalf or on behalf of its Indemnitees), and other Indemnitees may not directly claim indemnity hereunder.

#### **ARTICLE 10. TERM AND TERMINATION**

**10.1 Term of Agreement.** The term of this Agreement (the “**Term**”) shall commence on the Effective Date, and unless earlier terminated as provided in this Article 10, shall continue in full force and effect [#####], Licensee shall have a non-exclusive, royalty-free, fully-paid up, perpetual, worldwide license, with the right to grant and authorize sublicenses under the GS System, PFM System and Transfection Medium System.

**10.2 Termination for Cause.** If a Party is in material breach of this Agreement, the other Party may elect to give the Party in breach written notice describing the alleged breach. If the breaching Party has not cured such breach within [#####]after receipt of such notice, the notifying Party shall be entitled, in addition to any other rights it may have under this Agreement, to terminate this Agreement effective immediately. However, if such Party alleged to be in breach disputes in good faith such breach by written notice to the other Party within such [#####]period, the matter will be submitted to arbitration as provided in Article II. In such event, such notifying Party shall not have the right to terminate this Agreement until it has been determined in such arbitration proceeding that the Party alleged to be in breach is in material breach of this Agreement. With respect to breaches by Licensee to pay any amounts due and payable by Licensee to Lonza hereunder, the effective date of such termination shall be deemed to be the date that is [#####]after Licensee’s receipt of notice of such breach, and (ii) with respect to all other breaches by either Party, such Party in breach further fails to cure such breach within [#####]after the conclusion of such arbitration proceeding.

**10.3 Permissive Termination.** Licensee shall have the right to terminate this Agreement in its entirety or on a license by license basis, in its sole discretion, upon [#####]written notice to Lonza.

10.4 [#####].

#### **10.5 Effect of Termination.**

**10.5.1 Accrued Rights and Obligations.** Termination of this Agreement for any reason shall not release either Party hereto from any liability which, at the time of such termination, has already accrued to the other Party or which is attributable to a period prior to such termination, nor preclude either Party from pursuing any rights and remedies it may have hereunder or at law or in equity which accrued or are based upon any event occurring prior to such termination.

10.5.2 **Return of Confidential Information.** Upon any termination of this Agreement, each Party shall promptly return (or destroy and provide written certification thereof) to the other Party all Confidential Information received from the other Party, including any copies thereof (except one copy of which may be retained for archival purposes solely to ensure compliance with the terms of this Agreement)

10.6 **Survival.** This Section 10.6 and Articles 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 (with respect to those acts or omissions that occurred prior to the effective date of expiration or termination of this Agreement which gave rise to such indemnification obligations) 11 and 12 of this Agreement shall survive expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason.

#### **ARTICLE 11. DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

11.1 **Exclusions.** Section 11.2 below shall not apply to any disputes arising under Article 5 (Confidentiality) and each Party shall be entitled to exercise all available remedies and actions with respect thereto, without any restriction, delay, condition or waiting period,

##### **11.2 Dispute Resolution.**

11.2.1 **Disputes.** The Parties recognize that a bona fide dispute as to certain matters may from time to time arise during the Term that relates to a Party's rights and/or obligations under this Agreement. Unless otherwise specifically recited in this Agreement, disputes among the Parties will be resolved as recited in this Section 11.2. If such a dispute occurs, any Party may, by written notice to the other Party, have such dispute referred to their respective officers designated below, or their respective designees, for attempted resolution by good faith negotiations within [####] after such notice is received. Such designated officers are as follows:

- (a) For Licensee—Head of Roche Partnering
- (b) For Lonza—Head of Pharma & Biotech

If the designated officers, or their respective designees, are not able to resolve, such dispute within such [####] period, or such other period of time as the Parties may mutually agree in writing, either Party may, by written notice to the other, invoke the following provisions of this Section.

11.3 **Jurisdiction.** This Agreement shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of Switzerland, without reference to its conflict of laws principles. The Parties agree that the competent courts of Basel-City, Switzerland, shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement (including a dispute regarding the existence, validity or termination of this Agreement).

11.4 **Determination of Patents and Other Intellectual Property.** Notwithstanding the foregoing, any dispute relating to the determination of validity of a Party's Patents or other issues relating to a Party's intellectual property shall be submitted to a court of competent jurisdiction (a) selected by Licensee, in the case of any such dispute involving any patent or other intellectual property of Licensee, and (b) selected by Lonza, in the case of any such dispute involving any patent or other intellectual property of Lonza.

11.5 **Injunctive Relief.** This Article 11 shall not be construed to prohibit either Party from seeking preliminary or permanent injunctive relief, restraining orders or specific performance from any court of competent jurisdiction to the extent not otherwise expressly prohibited under this Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, such equitable remedies shall be cumulative and not exclusive and are in addition to any other remedies which either Party may have under this Agreement or applicable law.

## ARTICLE 12. MISCELLANEOUS

12.1 **Governing Law.** This Agreement, and any proceeding subject to Article II, shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Switzerland, without reference to principles of conflicts of laws.

12.2 **Independent Contractors.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended or shall be deemed to constitute a partnership, agency, distributorship, employer-employee relationship or joint venture relationship between the Parties. Each Party hereby expressly disclaims that this Agreement creates any fiduciary relationship between the Parties. No Party shall incur any debts or make any commitments for the other Party, except to the extent specifically provided herein.

12.3 **Assignment.** This Agreement shall be binding upon the successors and assigns of the Parties and the name of a Party appearing herein shall be deemed to include the names of its successors and assigns. Neither Party may assign its interest under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other Party; provided however, either Party may assign its interest under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other, loan Affiliate, or to a successor of that Party's business by reason of merger, sale of all or substantially all of its assets or other form of acquisition. Any purported assignment without a required consent shall be void. No assignment shall relieve any Party of responsibility for the performance of any obligation that accrued prior to the effective date of such assignment.

12.4 **Further Actions.** Each Party agrees to execute, acknowledge and deliver such further instruments and to do all such other acts as may be necessary or appropriate in order to carry out the purposes and intent of this Agreement.

12.5 **Notices and Deliveries.** Any notice, requests, delivery, approval or consent required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given if delivered in person, transmitted by commercial overnight courier, or transmitted by facsimile to the Party to whom it is directed at the address shown below or at such other address as such Party shall have last given by notice to the other Party:

If to Lonza	Lonza Sales AG Milchensteinerstrasse 38 CH-4002 Basel Switzerland Fax: +[#####] Phone: +[#####]
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with a copy to: Lonza Biologies plc  
Head of Legal Services  
228 Bath Road  
Slough, Berkshire, SL1 4DX, England  
Fax: + [#####]  
Phone: +[#####]

If to : F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd  
Grenzacherstrasse 124  
CH-4070 Basel  
Switzerland  
Attention: Legal Department  
Facsimile [#####]

Genentech, Inc.  
Attn: Vice President, Genentech Partnering  
1 DNA Way  
South San Francisco, CA 94080  
U.S.A.  
Fax. [#####]

**12.6 Force Majeure.** Neither Party shall lose any rights hereunder or be liable to the other Party for damages or losses (except for payment obligations) on account of failure of performance by the defaulting Party if the failure is occasioned by war, strike, fire, Act of God, earthquake, flood, lockout, embargo, governmental acts or orders or restrictions, failure of suppliers, prevention from or hindrance in obtaining energy or other utilities, a market shortage of raw materials or necessary components, contamination of Licensee's (or its Sublicensee's) facility that was used for the clinical or commercial manufacture of the GS Product, or any other reason where failure to perform is beyond the reasonable control and not caused by the negligence, intentional conduct or misconduct of the nonperforming Party and such Party has exerted all reasonable efforts to avoid or remedy such force majeure, provided, however, that in no event shall a Party be required to settle any labor dispute or disturbance.

**12.7 Advice of Counsel.** Lonza and Licensee have each consulted counsel of their choice regarding this Agreement, and each acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement shall not be deemed to have been drafted by one Party or another and will be construed accordingly.

**12.8 Limitation of Liability.** NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY OR ANY THIRD PARTY FOR ANY SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, EXEMPLARY OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES (INCLUDING LOST OR ANTICIPATED REVENUES OR PROFITS RELATING TO THE SAME). ARISING FROM ANY CLAIM RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT. WHETHER SUCH CLAIM IS BASED ON CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE) OR OTHERWISE, EVEN IF AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF SUCH PARTY IS ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OR LIKELIHOOD OF SAME.

12.9 **Severability; Waiver.** If any one or more of the provisions of this Agreement should for any reason be held by any court or authority having jurisdiction over this Agreement or either of the Parties to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, such provision or provisions shall be validly reformed to as nearly as possible approximate the intent of the Parties and, if unreformable shall be divisible and deleted in such jurisdiction, elsewhere, this Agreement shall not be affected so long as the Parties are still able to realize the principal benefits bargained for in this Agreement.

12.10 **Prior Agreements; Modification.** Except with respect to Chugai, this Agreement, together with the Exhibits hereto, supersedes the License and Option Agreement and Umbrella Research and License Agreement. No waiver, modification or amendment of any provision of this Agreement shall be valid or effective unless made in writing and signed by a duly authorized officer of each of the Parties.

12.11 **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in two counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and which together shall constitute one instrument.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Loan and Licensee, intending to be legally bound, have executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date by their respective duly authorized representatives.

**LONZA SALES AG**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**F. HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE LTD**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE INC.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENENTECH, INC.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Amendment No 1 to the License Agreement

THIS AMENDMENT NO 1, acknowledged and executed as of the last signature (“**Amendment Date**”), by and between F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, with an office and place of business at Grenzacherstrasse 124, 4070 Basel, Switzerland ( **Roche Basel** ) and Hoffmann-La Roche Inc. with an office and place of business at 150 Clove Road, Suite 8, Little Falls, New Jersey 07424, U.S.A. (“**Roche US**”; Roche Basel and Roche US together referred to as “**Roche**”) on the one hand and PEGA-ONE SAS (RCS number 853 093 458 Creteil) with an office and place of business at 1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthé, Villejuif Bio-Park, 94800 Villejuif, France (“**PEGA1**”) on the other hand (Roche and PEGA1 collectively referred to as the “**Parties**”),

WHEREAS PEGA 1 and Roche have executed a License Agreement (“**Agreement**”) on January 2, 2020 (“**Signature Date**”), not yet entered into effect, and as rectified by Corrigendum No 1 entered into by PEGA 1 and Roche on March 30, 2020,

WHEREAS PEGA 1 and Roche wish to clarify certain matters relating to the relationship between F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd and the registered owner of the Roche Patent Rights and Roche Glycoengineering Technology Patent Rights, namely Roche Glycart AG;

WHEREAS PEGA1 and Roche wish to make certain amendments to the Agreement in order to clarify such matters;

NOW, THEREFORE, the PEGA 1 and Roche acknowledge **and** agree as follows:

1. Section 15.3 of the Agreement **shall** be amended by the addition of the following sentence at the end of that Section 15.3:  
“Roche covenants to PEGA 1 that during the Agreement Term and if applicable, it shall cause Roche Glycart AG, , to do all such acts and enter into all such documents as may in each case be reasonably necessary in order for Roche to carry out its obligations and to provide PEGA 1 with the rights and benefits, under this Agreement.”
2. A new Section 2.2 entitled “Non-exclusive License” shall be added after Section 2.1:  
“Upon Pega 1’s request, the Parties shall in good faith negotiate [####] as existing at that time (“**Additional Roche Patent Rights**”, provided Pega 1 can reasonably demonstrate that such license grant is required for the development of the Product. For the avoidance of doubt, Roche shall have no obligation to maintain Additional Roche Patent Rights and Pega 1 will not be granted any rights to any Roche compounds (nor any other intellectual property relating to or covering such compounds) other than GA201.”
3. The following shall be added to the table in Section 1.78 of the Agreement:

Additional Roche Patent Rights

2.2

4. Save as set out in this Amendment Agreement, nothing shall vary, or be construed to vary the Agreement. The terms of the Agreement shall enter into or shall remain in full force and effect as set forth in Section 21.13 of the Agreement.

*[Signature Page Follows]*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Amendment No 1 to be executed as of the Amendment Date by their duly authorized representatives.

**PEGA-ONE SAS**

/s/ Denetriaw Kydoniews \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Denetriaw Kydoniews  
Title: Board Member and acting CEO  
Date : March 31, 2020

**F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:  
Date:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:  
Date:

**Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:  
Date:

To:

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd,  
Grenzacherstrasse 124,  
4070 Basel,  
Switzerland

Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.  
150 Clove Road,  
Suite 8, Little Falls,  
New Jersey 07424,  
U.S.A

(together referred to as "**Roche**")

12 January 2021

Dear [#####]

**License Agreement dated 2 January 2020**

Roche and PEGA 1 (collectively referred to as the "**Parties**") executed a License Agreement ("**Agreement**") on January 2, 2020 which was effective as of April 1, 2020. The Agreement was rectified by Corrigendum No 1 entered into by the Parties on March 30, 2020, and amended by Amendment No 1 entered into by the Parties on April 1, 2020.

Capitalised terms used in this letter agreement shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Agreement unless otherwise defined in this letter agreement.

PEGA 1 and Roche wish to clarify certain matters relating to: (a) the proposed acquisition of [#####] ordinary shares of PEGA 1 and [#####] series A ordinary shares of a nominal value of EUR 0.01 by Medicxi (MG1) S.à.r.l. ("**Medicxi**") from Pegascy and FPCI Biodiscovery 5; (b) the proposed acquisition of the entire issued share capital of PEGA 1 by United Medicines Biopharma Limited ("**UMED**") by way of a share for share exchange ("**UMED Acquisition**"); (c) the proposed acquisition of the entire issued share capital of PEGA 1 by United Medicines Biopharma (Midco) Limited (a wholly owned subsidiary of UMED) ("**Midco**"); (d) the subsequent fundraising by UMED; and (e) the initial public offering by UMED (together the "**Proposed UM Transactions**").

On 31 December 2020, PEGA 1 notified Roche of the Proposed UM Transactions and provided Roche with a Review Notice ("**ROFN Notice**").

The Parties agree that:

1. the Proposed UM Transactions shall be treated as a Change of Control, and accordingly shall together constitute a single Strategic Transaction;
2. Roche hereby confirms that it is not exercising its Right of First Negotiation set out in Section 3 of the Agreement with respect to the Proposed UM Transactions and responds to the ROFN Notice as such;
3. Notwithstanding paragraph 2 above, Roche's rights in respect of the Right of First Negotiation in Section 3 of the Agreement shall continue to apply for the period commencing on the completion of the UMED Acquisition, and shall cease to apply on the earlier of (i) the third anniversary of the UMED Acquisition and (ii) the first Change of Control following the Proposed UMED Transactions;
4. in consideration for Roche agreeing the matters set out in paragraphs 1 to 3 above and acknowledging the Proposed UM Transactions, PEGA 1 shall procure that UMED issues Roche ordinary shares in UMED worth EUR [####] (i.e. such number of shares having a value equal to [####] of the net asset value attributed to PEGA 1 in accordance with the UMED Acquisition) (the "**Roche Shares**");
5. following the issue of the Roche Shares by UMED, Roche shall be due no further Strategic Transaction payments in relation to the Proposed UM Transactions; and
6. following completion of the UMED Acquisition, all amounts of funding received by PEGA 1 from UMED and/or any of its subsidiary undertakings, shall constitute Private Financings for the purposes of the Agreement.

The Parties agree that the Agreement shall be construed subject to and in accordance with this letter agreement, but that save as set out in this letter agreement, nothing shall vary, or be construed to vary the Agreement.

The Parties agree that the existence and the contents of this letter and any communications or information relating to the same that have been, or after the date of this letter are, shared between the parties shall each be treated as confidential and as "Confidential Information" as defined in the Agreement.

This letter and the documents referred to or incorporated in it constitute the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject matter of this letter agreement and supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between the parties in relation to the subject matter of this letter.

This letter agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this letter agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission in PDF format or otherwise shall be sufficient to bind the parties to the terms and conditions of this letter agreement and no exchange of originals is necessary.

This letter agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party other than the parties to this letter agreement and any successors-in-interest thereto.

Yours faithfully

/s/ Demetrios Kydonieus

Signed by Demetrios Kydonieus on behalf of PEGA-ONE SAS

We agree the above:

Signature: /s/ Joerg Kazenwadel  
on behalf F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd  
Name of signatory: Joerg Kazenwadel  
Title: Head of R&D Out-Licensing  
Date: 12 January 2021

/s/ Felix Kobel

Felix Kobel  
Senior Legal Counsel

Signature: /s/ Gerald Bohn on behalf Hoffmann-La Roche  
Inc.  
Name of signatory: Gerald Bohn  
Title: Assistant Secretary  
Date: 12 January 2021



**Amendment No 2 to the License Agreement**

THIS AMENDMENT NO 2, acknowledged and executed as of the last signature ("**Amendment Date**"), by and between F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, with an office and place of business at Grenzacherstrasse 124, 4070 Basel, Switzerland ("**Roche Basel**") and Hoffmann-La Roche Inc. with an office and place of business at 150 Clove Road, Suite 8, Little Falls, New Jersey 07424, U.S.A. ("**Roche US**"; Roche Basel and Roche US together referred to as "**Roche**") on the one hand and PEGA-ONE SAS (RCS number 853 093 458 Creteil) with an office and place of business at 1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthé, Villejuif Bio-Park, 94800 Villejuif, France ("**PEGA 1**") on the other hand (Roche and PEGA1 collectively referred to as the "**Parties**").

WHEREAS PEGA 1 and Roche have executed a license agreement on January 2, 2020 ("**Signature Date**"), as rectified by Corrigendum No 1 of March 30, 2020 and subsequently amended by AMENDMENT NO 1 entered into by PEGA1 and Roche on April 1, 2020 (all together referred to as the "**Agreement**"), granting PEGA 1 certain rights to the compound GA201 ("**Compound**").

WHEREAS Roche has entered into a license agreement with NantKwest, Inc. (formerly Conkwest, Inc.) ("**NantKwest Agreement**") on November 1, 2010, granting Roche certain rights to use the NK92 cell line ("**NK92 Cell Line**"), and Roche has developed a cell-based potency assay for Compound ("**Assay**") based on NK92 Cell Line.

WHEREAS PEGA 1 and Roche wish to grant to PEGA1 a sublicense under the NantKwest Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, PEGA 1 and Roche acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. A new Section 2.2.a entitled "Non-exclusive NantKwest Sublicense" shall be added after Section 2.2: "Roche hereby grants to PEGA1 a non-exclusive sublicense under the NantKwest Agreement (a copy of which, with reasonable redactions, is herewith attached to the Agreement as Appendix 2.2.a) solely for the purpose of allowing PEGA1 to perform Assay as a release assay for Compound, and solely as required to perform PEGA1 's rights under Agreement.

The sublicense granted under this Section 2.2 shall be subject to the rights and obligations and undertakings of Roche, as applicable and consistent with the NantKwest Agreement. Roche shall act as the sole direct contact with NantKwest, Inc. in relation to the sub-license under this Section 2.2.a.

PEGA1 shall comply with the terms of the NantKwest Agreement to the extent such terms are disclosed in the respective Appendix attached hereto.

Roche shall not amend the NantKwest Agreement in a manner that affects any such sub-licenses hereunder, shall use commercially reasonable efforts to enforce and maintain such agreements with respect to the Compound and/or the Product, and shall promptly notify PEGA1 in writing of any threatened or actual termination or

notice regarding same with respect to such NantKWest Agreement with respect to the Compound and/or the Product. Roche shall provide copies (with reasonable redactions) of any amendments to such NantKWest Agreement to PEGA1 once executed. If the NantKWest Agreement terminates or may terminate, Roche shall use commercially reasonable efforts to maintain the applicable sub-license to PEGA1; if Roche is not able to maintain the applicable sub-license, PEGA1 shall have the right to attempt to cure any breach giving rise to such actual or threatened termination and may credit any amounts paid by PEGA1 to maintain any such sub-license against any amounts owed to Roche hereunder, provided that such amounts credited against any amounts owned to Roche hereunder shall not exceed the amount owed by Roche for the respective license.

2. The following shall be added to the list of CMC materials in Appendix 4.3:

<u>Cell line</u>	<u>Cell Line Description</u>	<u>Shipment</u>
[#####]	[#####]	[#####]

3. Save as set out in this AMENDMENT NO 2, nothing shall vary, or be construed to vary the Agreement. The terms of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. All terms not otherwise defined in this AMENDMENT NO 2 shall have the meaning given to them in the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Amendment No 2 to be executed as of the Amendment Date by their duly authorized representatives.

**PEGA-ONE SAS**

/s/ Jignesh Shah

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Jignesh Shah

Title: Head of Supply Chain and Quality

Date: 31st August 2020

**F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd**

/s/ Timothy Steven

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Tim Steven

Title: Global R&D Out Licensing Director

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> August 2020

/s/ Barbara Schroeder

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Name: Barbara Schroeder

Title: Legal Counsel

**Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.**

/s/ John Parise

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Name: John Parise

Title: Authorized Signatory

Date: August 28, 2020



**NON EXCLUSIVE LICENSE AGREEMENT**

This Non-Exclusive License Agreement (this "**Agreement**"), dated and effective as of November 1, 2010 ("Effective Date"), is between F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, a Swiss corporation with offices at Grenzacherstrasse 124, 4070 Basel, Switzerland ("**ROCHE**"), and CONKWEST INC. ("**Conkwest**"), an Illinois corporation having an office and place of business at 3790 Via De La Valle, Ste. 205, San Diego, Ca 92014, USA.

**PREAMBLE**

A. Conkwest is the owner of, and/or controls the rights in, certain Intellectual Property (as defined herein) and Cell Lines (as defined herein) and has the right to grant licenses thereto.

B. ROCHE desires to obtain a license to use the Intellectual Property and Cell Lines upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the above premises and the mutual covenants contained herein, ROCHE and Conkwest agree as follows:

**AGREEMENT**

1. Definitions. For the purposes hereof, the following words and phrases shall have the following meanings:

"**Affiliate**" means:

- (a) an organization which directly or indirectly controls a party to this Agreement;
- (b) an organization, which is directly or indirectly controlled by a party to this Agreement;
- (c) an organization, which is controlled, directly or indirectly, by the ultimate parent company of a party;

"Control" as per a) to c) is defined as owning more than fifty percent of the voting stock of a company or having otherwise the power to govern the financial and the operating policies or to appoint the management of an organization.

With respect to ROCHE the term Affiliate shall not include Chugai Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., 1-1, Nihonbashi-Muromachi 2-chome, Chuo-ku Tokyo, 103-8324, Japan ("Chugai"), unless ROCHE opts for such inclusion of Chugai by giving written notice to Conkwest, provided that Chugai qualifies as an Affiliate pursuant to this section.

“**Antibody Products**” means any (i) antibody, or (ii) protein comprising at least one complementarity determining region (CDR) (including bispecific antibodies, single chain antibodies, domain antibodies and immunoconjugated antibodies), and/or (iii) protein comprising a domain available for binding to an Fc receptor, whether human, humanized, chimeric, murine, synthetic or from any other source that is controlled by ROCHE or its Affiliates.

“**Biological Material**” means a culture of any of the Cell Lines that is provided to ROCHE by Conkwest pursuant to this Agreement (as set forth in Appendix B hereto) and all progeny thereof.

“**Cell Lines**” means: [####]

“**Commercial Product**” means a product that has been granted marketing and regulatory approval wherein: (i) the batch or quality control assays for release of the product utilizes or is derived from the Cell Lines; and/or (ii) the use of the batch or quality control assays for release of the product would, but for the license granted herein, infringe a Valid Claim of the Patents.

“**Confidential Information**” means:

- (i) in the case of ROCHE, the Know How and other information disclosed by Conkwest or its Affiliates to ROCHE or its Affiliates pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; and
- (ii) in the case of Conkwest, the information disclosed by ROCHE or its Affiliates to Conkwest or its Affiliates pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; and
- (iii) for both Parties:
  - a. trade secrets or information relating to the business affairs or finances of the other of third parties and disclosed to them or coming into their possession for the performance of this Agreement; and
  - b. the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

“**First Commercial Sale**” shall mean the first invoiced sale of a Commercial Product to a third party by Roche, its Affiliates or permitted sublicensees following the receipt of any Regulatory Approval required for the sale of such Commercial Product, if any.

“**Force Majeure**” shall mean in relation to either Party, any event or circumstance (other than lack of funds) which is beyond the reasonable control of that Party which event or circumstance that Party could not reasonably be expected to have taken into account at the date of this Agreement and which results in or causes the failure of that Party to perform any or all of its obligations under this Agreement including act of God, lightning, fire, storm, flood, earthquake, accumulation of snow or ice, lack of water arising from weather or environmental problems, strike, lockout or other industrial or student disturbance, act of the public enemy, war declared or undeclared, threat of war, terrorist act, blockade, revolution, not, insurrection, civil commotion,

public demonstration, sabotage, act of vandalism, prevention from or hindrance in obtaining in any way materials, energy or other supplies, explosion, fault or failure of plant or machinery (which could not have been prevented by good industry practice), or legal requirement governing either Party'.

“**Intellectual Property**” means the Patents and Know How controlled by Conkwest (with the right to permit access to ROCHE), owned by Conkwest as of the Effective Date or licensed to Conkwest (with the right to permit access to ROCHE) during the Term (as hereinafter defined).

“**Indemnitees**” means agents, directors, officers and employees, and their respective successors, assigns, administrators, executors and/or heirs,

“**Know How**” means the know how that relates to the Cell Lines, as set out in Appendix B, that is owned or controlled by Conkwest or its Affiliates as of the date of this Agreement.

“**Patents**” means all patents and patent applications owned or controlled by Conkwest which relate directly to the Cell Lines including those listed in Appendix A and any provisional patent applications, non-provisional applications, divisionals, continuations, continuation-in-part applications, continued prosecution, patents granted on such applications, reissues, renewals, substitutions, supplementary protection certificates and the like, and patents of addition, reexaminations, extensions; and all foreign counterparts thereof.

“**Party**” or “**Parties**” means Conkwest, ROCHE, or both, depending on the context.

“**Purpose**” means research, development, manufacture, commercialization, sale, use or other disposal of Antibody Products by ROCHE and its Affiliates, including without limitation the following:

- (i) Cell-based assays for use in discovery of Antibody Products;
- (ii) High through-put screening of Antibody Products;
- (iii) Characterization of one or more Antibody Products, commercial or otherwise;
- (iv) Batch or quality control release assays for one or more Antibody Products;
- (v) Stability assay for one or more Antibody Products;
- (vi) In vitro assays for detecting neutralizing antibodies against one or more Antibody Products, and/or
- (vii) Other research and development purposes pertaining to Antibody Products.

For the avoidance of doubt, this definition and the licenses granted herein do not include sale of the Cell Lines either alone or as part of a kit.

“**Tax**” means all charges, duties, fees, levies or other assessments imposed by any tax authority, including but not limited to income, excise, property, sales, use, value added, profit, license, payroll, employment, net worth, capital gains, transfer, stamp, social security, environmental, occupation and franchise taxes, and includes any interest, penalties and additions on these payments.

“**Term**” shall have the meaning ascribed to it in Section 8.

“**Valid Claim**” means a claim of any issued or pending Patent whose enforceability has not been affected by one or more of any of the following: (i) irrevocable lapse, revocation or abandonment and/or (ii) holding of unenforceability or invalidity by a decision of a court or other appropriate body of competent jurisdiction, unappealable or unappealed within the time allowed for appeal, and/or (iii) disclaimer or admission of invalidity or unenforceability through reissue or re-examination or opposition, nullity action or invalidation suit response or otherwise.

2. Grant of Rights.

(a) License Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Conkwest hereby grants to ROCHE and its Affiliates during the Term, for the Purpose, a worldwide, non-exclusive, license, with the limited right to sublicense;

- (i) under the Patents;
- (ii) under the Know How; and/or
- (iii) under the Cell Lines.

(b) Sublicense Rights. For purposes of clarity, ROCHE or its Affiliates are only entitled to sublicense the rights granted herein (including the right to distribute the Cell Lines) to:

- (i) third parties that are performing contract services for and on behalf of ROCHE or its Affiliates in relation to its Antibody Products to the extent necessary to perform such contract services and consistent with the Purpose; and
- (ii) third parties who have acquired or licensed the Antibody Products from ROCHE and/or its Affiliates to the extent necessary to utilize such acquired or licensed products and consistent with the Purpose.

(c) Transfer of Biological Material and Know How. As set forth in Section 4(d) hereto, Conkwest shall make available to ROCHE the Biological Material and the Know How as enumerated in Appendix B. Conkwest shall be responsible for the cost of transferring Know How and Biological Material to ROCHE.



(d) Licensee and Sublicensee Compliance. ROCHE will and will undertake that its sublicensees will comply with all laws, rules, regulations and guidelines which apply to the use of the Biological Material and the Know How, including without limitation, those promulgated by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (or the foreign local equivalent), and those relating to the export and import of the Biological Material and the Know How,

3. Payments.

(a) Upfront Fee. Following execution of the Agreement, ROCHE shall pay Conkwest an Upfront Fee of [####] within [####] from receipt of a correct invoice from Conkwest.

(b) Research License Fee. During the Term, ROCHE will additionally pay Conkwest a research license fee of [####] on each anniversary of the Effective Date. Such amount is payable within [####] days after receipt of a correct invoice from Conkwest. The research license fee is only payable until sale of the first Commercial Product.

(c) Commercial License Fee. If a Commercial Product reaches a First Commercial Sale in the US or in the EU, then ROCHE shall pay Conkwest [####] within [####] from receipt of a correct invoice.

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(d) Method of Payment. All payments to Conkwest hereunder shall be made payable to Conkwest and sent to the address identified in Section 10 or remitted to Conkwest's account at a bank to be designated by Conkwest in writing and sent to ROCHE in advance of such payment.

(e) Third Party Payments. Conkwest is responsible for all payments to third parties that are owed as a result of the licenses granted by Conkwest under Section 2(a) for the unmodified Cell Lines. For the avoidance of doubt, Conkwest is only responsible to provide the licenses, granted herein to ROCHE, free and clear of third party payment obligations. Notwithstanding the foregoing, ROCHE is responsible for obtaining, at its expense, any third party licenses required to develop and commercialize its products, including the Commercial Products.

(f) Payments in U.S. Dollars. All payments due hereunder are payable in United States dollars.

(g) Taxes:

(i) All payments due hereunder are inclusive of indirect Taxes subject however to Section 3(g)(ii) below. If any indirect Taxes are chargeable in respect of any payments, ROCHE shall pay such indirect Taxes at the applicable rate in respect of any such payments following the receipt, where applicable, of an indirect Taxes invoice in the appropriate form issued by Conkwest in respect of those payments. The indirect Taxes shall be payable on the due date of the payment to which such indirect Taxes relate.

- (ii) ROCHE may deduct withholding Taxes from the payment it owes Conkwest under this Agreement. ROCHE will, on behalf of Conkwest, pay the withheld Tax to the appropriate authority and provide Conkwest with proof of payment and evidence of the tax obligation. ROCHE will at Conkwest's request and expense provide Conkwest reasonable assistance in recovering these withholding taxes.

(h) Notification of Commercialization of Products. ROCHE shall notify Conkwest [###] of the number of Commercial Products that are subject to the Commercial License Fees under Section 3(c). For clarity, an omission of ROCHE to notify Conkwest does not constitute material breach of this Agreement.

#### 4. Ownership and Results.

(a) ROCHE acknowledges that subject to the licenses granted hereunder, all right, title and interest in the Biological Material and Know How provided to ROCHE under this Agreement shall remain the sole property of Conkwest. ROCHE further agrees that it shall not modify or improve the Biological Material in any way, inclusive of genetic modification and manipulation, and that it shall not use the Biological Material for anything other than the Purpose. Furthermore, Roche shall ensure that its Affiliates and permitted sublicensees are likewise subject to the restrictions stated in this section 4(a).

(b) Subject to the limitations set forth in Section 4(a) hereto, all right, title, and interest in any results, data, information, inventions, intellectual property, know-how and all other industrial or intellectual property rights of any nature whatsoever (collectively, "Results") arising in any part of the world developed by ROCHE (by itself and its Affiliates or in collaboration with Third Parties) as a result of its use of the Biological Material and Know How for the Purpose shall be the exclusive property of ROCHE, and Conkwest shall have no rights therein. In case of exploitation of the Results by ROCHE or its Affiliates, Conkwest and/or any of its employees and/or collaborators shall not be entitled to any royalties, or other rights of compensation whatsoever. With respect to Results, ROCHE shall be entitled to file in its own name relevant patent applications and resultant patent rights shall also be owned by ROCHE. Conkwest shall execute any instruments which ROCHE shall deem necessary to apply for and obtain letters of patent and ROCHE shall compensate Conkwest for the time devoted to said activities and reimburse Conkwest for any reasonable expense incurred.

ROCHE shall have the unrestricted right to publish or otherwise disclose Results obtained by the practice of the rights granted ROCHE under this Agreement provided such disclosure does not include the Confidential Information of Conkwest. The name of Conkwest shall be given proper recognition in such publication(s) as scientifically appropriate.

(c) ROCHE shall have no obligation whatsoever to share such Results with Conkwest and ROCHE shall be entitled to deal with, protect, exploit and dispose of such rights in its sole discretion and in any manner.

(d) Conkwest shall transfer the Biological Material in satisfactory condition to ROCHE, without charge for handling and delivery therefore, within [####] following receipt of Upfront Fee. At the time of the provision of the Biological Material to ROCHE, Conkwest shall provide ROCHE a report (the "Conkwest Report") containing Know How related to the Biological Material as set forth in Appendix B. The Conkwest Report shall be regarded (at all times) as Conkwest Confidential Information. The Biological Material and Conkwest Report shall be sent to:

[####]

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd

[####]

Grenzacherstrasse 124 4070 Basel, Switzerland

(e) Except as provided in this Agreement, ROCHE shall not sell, transfer, assign or otherwise provide any third party access to the Biological Material or Know How.

5. Representations and Warranties.

(a) Each Party hereby represents and warrants to the other Party as of the Effective Date that:

- (i) it is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction in which it is incorporated;
- (ii) it has the corporate power and authority and the legal right to enter into this Agreement free from any conflicting right owed to a third party and to perform its obligations hereunder;
- (iii) it has taken all necessary corporate action on its part to authorize the execution and delivery of this /Agreement and the performance of its obligations hereunder and that this Agreement has been duly executed and delivered on behalf of each Party, and constitutes a legal, valid, binding obligation, enforceable against such Party in accordance with its terms;
- (iv) all necessary consents, approvals and authorizations of all applicable competent authorities and other persons required to be obtained by such Party in order to execute this Agreement on behalf of such Party have been obtained; and

- (v) the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of such Party's obligations do not constitute a default or require any consent under any other contractual obligation of such Party.
- (b) Conkwest hereby represents and warrants to ROCHE that as of the Effective Date:
- (i) Conkwest owns or otherwise controls the Intellectual Property and the Cell Lines free of any third party rights, claims or encumbrances,
  - (ii) Conkwest has the right to grant to ROCHE the licenses set out in this Agreement;
  - (iii) I here has not been in the past and is not as of the Effective Date any challenge to the Intellectual Property and/or the Cell Lines by any third party for which actual notice has been received by Conkwest;
  - (iv) The Cell Lines do not contain any trade secrets or other rights or property of any third party;
  - (v) There are no claims, judgments or settlements with respect to the Intellectual Property and Cell Lines and no claim or litigation has been brought or, to Conkwest's knowledge, threatened by any person alleging so and Conkwest is not aware of any possible claim, whether or not asserted, that the Cell Lines or the use or exploitation thereof infringes, conflicts or interferes with any intellectual property or proprietary right of any third party; and
  - (vi) Conkwest has not previously entered into any agreement, whether written or oral, with respect to the Cell Lines or the Intellectual Property which conflicts with the rights granted to ROCHE hereunder and Conkwest will not enter into any such agreement during the term of this Agreement.

6. Indemnification.

(a) ROCHE shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Conkwest and its Indemnitees from and against any and all claims, losses, demands, liabilities, judgments, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses, of any type or kind (including reasonable attorneys' fees) (collectively "Claims"), brought by a third party, if the Claims:

- (i) result from the breach by ROCHE of the Agreement;
- (ii) result from the development, commercialization, sale, distribution or use of a Commercial Product by ROCHE or its Affiliates or permitted sublicensees; or

(iii) result from any use of the Cell Lines for the Purpose by ROCHE or its Affiliates or permitted sublicensees;

provided, however, that ROCHE shall not be obliged to indemnify Conkwest and its Indemnitees under this Section 6(a) to the extent the Claims are a result of negligence or willful misconduct of Conkwest or its Affiliates or its Indemnitees.

(b) Conkwest shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless ROCHE and its Indemnitees from and against any and all Claims brought by a third party, if the Claims:

(i) result from a breach of Conkwest's warranties under Section 5 hereinabove; or

(ii) result from the breach by Conkwest of the Agreement; provided, however, that Conkwest shall not be obliged to indemnify ROCHE and its Indemnitees under this Section 6(b) to the extent the Claims are a result of negligence or willful misconduct of ROCHE or its Affiliates or its Indemnitees.

(c) Disclaimer of Warranties. EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY STATED IN SECTION 5 ABOVE, CONKWEST MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS AND EXTENDS NO WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED. WARRANTIES DISCLAIMED INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, ANY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF DESIGN, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE; OR ARISING FROM A COURSE OF DEALING, USAGE OR TRADE PRACTICE.

(d) Limitations of Liability. IN NO EVENT WILL EITHER PARTY BE LIABLE FOR ANY LOST REVENUES, LOST PROFITS, OR OTHER INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, INDIRECT OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ITS BREACH, EVEN IF THEY HAVE BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, DIRECT FINANCIAL OR OTHER LOSSES, INCLUDING LOSSES RESULTING FROM ROCHE'S BREACH OF THE SCOPE OF THE LICENSE THAT HAS NOT BEEN CURED BY ROCHE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF NOTIFICATION BY CONKWEST, ARE EXCLUDED FROM THIS PROVISION.

(e) The provisions of this Section survive termination.

7. Confidentiality

(a) Each Party may with respect to the other party's Confidential Information

(i) only use the Confidential Information for the purposes envisaged under this Agreement;

(ii) ensure that only those of its officers and employees who are directly concerned with the carrying out of this Agreement have access to the Confidential Information on a strictly applied "need to know" basis and are informed of the secret and confidential nature of it;

- (iii) keep the Confidential Information secret and confidential and not directly or indirectly disclose or permit to be disclosed, make available or permit to be made available the same to any third party for any reason without the prior written consent of the disclosing Party;
  - (iv) ensure that the Confidential Information is not covered by any fixed or floating charge entered into at any time by it and not otherwise to establish a lien over or in any other way encumber the same; and
  - (v) not copy, reproduce or otherwise replicate for any purpose or in any manner whatsoever any documents containing the Confidential Information, except that each party may retain one copy of the Confidential Information for purposes of ensuring its compliance with this Agreement
- (b) The obligations of confidence referred to in Section 7(a) shall not extend to any Confidential Information which:
- (i) is or becomes generally available to the public otherwise than by reason of breach by a recipient Party of the provisions of this Section;
  - (ii) is known to the recipient Party and is at its free disposal (having been generated independently by the recipient Party or a third party in circumstances where it has not been derived directly or indirectly from the disclosing Party's Confidential Information) prior to its receipt from the disclosing party provided that evidence of such knowledge is proven by competent written records;
  - (iii) is subsequently disclosed to the recipient Party without obligations of confidence by a third party owing no such obligations to the disclosing Party in respect of that Confidential Information; or (iv) is required by law to be disclosed (including, without limitation, as part of any regulatory submission or approval process); however, the Party seeking such disclosure shall provide prompt written notice of this requirement to the disclosing Party so that it may, if so advised, seek appropriate relief to prevent such disclosure provided always that in such circumstances such disclosure shall be only to the extent so required and shall be subject to prior consultation with the disclosing Party with a view to agreeing timing and content of such disclosure.

(c) All Confidential Information owned by and disclosed by the disclosing Party to the recipient Party shall remain the property of the disclosing Party. In the event that a court or competent authority assumes partial or complete or complete control over the assets of recipient party based on the insolvency or bankruptcy of that Party, the recipient Party shall promptly notify such court or Competent Authority that (i) Confidential Information received from the disclosing Party under this Agreement remains the property of the disclosing Party, and (ii) of the confidential obligations under this Agreement; end to the extent permitted by law, take all steps necessary or desirable to maintain the confidentiality and security of the disclosing Party's Confidential Information and to ensure that the court or competent authority maintains that Confidential Information in confidence in accordance with this Agreement

(d) The obligations of the Parties under Section 7 shall last for a period of [####] after disclosure the Confidential Information The requirement under Section 7(b)(iv) to notify the disclosing Party when Confidential Information is required to be disclosed by law shall not apply when such disclosure is required as part of any regulatory submission or approval process.

8. Term Termination

(a) This Agreement shall come into force on the Effective Date and remain in full force and effect, unless earlier terminated as herein provided, until [####]. After the term of this Agreement pursuant to this Section 8(a), the license granted under Section 2 shall be fully paid-up, perpetual and irrevocable.

(b) Termination for Insolvency.

- (i) If voluntary or involuntary proceedings by or against a Party are instituted in bankruptcy under any insolvency law, or a receiver or custodian is appointed for such Party, or proceedings are instituted by or against such Party, in each of the foregoing cases only if it is for dissolution of such Party, which proceedings, if involuntary, shall not have been dismissed within [####] after the date of filing, then this Agreement may be terminated by the other Party.
- (ii) All rights and licenses granted under this Agreement are, and shall be deemed to be, for purposes of Section 365(n) of the United States Bankruptcy Code, licenses of rights to "intellectual property" as defined under Section 101(56) of the United States Bankruptcy Code. If the commencement of a bankruptcy proceeding by or against Conk west under the United States Bankruptcy Code, ROCHE shall be entitled to complete access to any such intellectual property, and all embodiments of such intellectual property, pertaining to the rights granted in the licenses hereunder of Conkwest by or against whom a bankruptcy proceeding has been commenced, subject, however, to payment of the fees, set forth in this Agreement through the effective date of any termination hereunder.

(c) Conkwest has the right, upon [####] prior written notice to ROCHE, to terminate this Agreement, including all licenses hereunder if ROCHE fails to comply materially with any of the terms and conditions hereof; provided, that during such [####] notice period, ROCHE shall be permitted to cure any such default occurring hereunder.

(d) If Conkwest is in material breach of the Agreement, then in addition to any rights or remedies available to ROCHE, ROCHE may terminate this Agreement upon [####] prior written notice unless Conkwest cures the breach within the [####] time period. Following termination under this subsection, ROCHE will have a fully paid up, perpetual and irrevocable licence as set out in Section 2 above.

(e) ROCHE shall have the right, upon [####] prior written notice to Conkwest to terminate the Agreement for any reason in ROCHE's sole discretion.

(f) In the event of termination of this Agreement under subsections (c) or (e) above (or due to ROCHE's insolvency or bankruptcy under subsection (c) above), the licenses granted hereunder shall terminate ROCHE will destroy the Cell Lines and return all Confidential Information within [####] following termination under such subsection, and ROCHE specifically agrees no further use of the Cell Lines or Know How for any purpose.

9. Assignment. This Agreement including the rights and privileges granted hereunder may not be assigned by either Party without the prior written consent of the other Party; provided, however, that either Party may, without the other Party's consent, assign this Agreement and its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate or in connection with the transfer or sale of all or substantially all of its business, or in the event of its merger, consolidation, change in control or other similar transaction. This Agreement is binding upon and will inure to the benefit of the Parties, its successors and permitted assigns.

10. Notice Address. Any payment, notice or other communication pursuant hereto shall be sufficiently made or given on the date of receipt if sent to the other Party, certified or registered mail postage prepaid, addressed to it at its address below or at such other address as a Party may later designate by written change of address notice given to the other Party:

Conkwest Inc.  
3790 Via De La Valle, Ste. 205  
San Diego, Ca 92014  
Attention: [####]  
President & CEO  
Telephone: [####]  
Facsimile: [####]  
E-mail: [####]

With copies to:

F. I Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd Grenzacherstrasse  
124,  
4070 Basel, Switzerland  
Attention: Head of Technical Development  
Biologics Europe

With copies to:

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd Grenzacherstrasse  
124,



Cohen & Grigsby, P.C.  
Dominion Tower  
625 Liberty Avenue  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222-3152

4070 Basel, Switzerland  
Attention: General Counsel

Attention: [####].

Telephone: [####]

Facsimile: [####]

E-mail: [####]

11. Headings. All headings are for convenience only and shall not affect the meaning of any provision hereof.

12. Force majeure. If a Party (the "**Non-Performing Party**") is, unable to carry out any of its obligations under this Agreement due to Force Majeure, this Agreement shall remain in effect but the Non-Performing Party's relevant obligations under this Agreement and the corresponding obligations of the other Party (the "**Innocent Party**") under this Agreement, shall be suspended for a period equal to the circumstance of Force Majeure, provided that:

- (a) the suspension of performance is of no greater scope than is required by the Force Majeure;
- (b) the Non-Performing Party gives the Innocent Party prompt written notice describing the circumstance of Force Majeure, including the nature of the occurrence and its expected duration, and continues to furnish regular reports during the period of Force Majeure;
- (c) the Non-Performing Party uses all reasonable efforts to remedy its inability to perform and to mitigate the effects of the circumstance of Force Majeure; and
- (d) as soon as practicable after the event which constitutes Force Majeure the Parties discuss how best to continue their operations as far as possible in accordance with this Agreement

13. Entire Agreement. This Agreement contains the entire understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter herein and supersedes all previous agreements and undertakings with respect thereto.

14. Miscellaneous. This Agreement may be amended only by a writing signed by each of the parties

15. Survival: The following provisions of the Agreement shall survive expiry or termination of the Agreement; Sections 4, 6, 7, 8, 15, 16 and 17

16. Governing Law and Jurisdiction. All disputes between the Parties arising out of the circumstances and relationships contemplated by this Agreement including disputes relating to the validity, construction or interpretation of this Agreement are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey except for disputes relating to patent validity which shall be determined by the relevant national court.

17. Severance of Terms: If the whole or any part of this Agreement is or becomes or is declared illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction for any reason (including both by reason of the provisions of any legislation and also by reason of any decision of any court or competent authority which either has jurisdiction over this Agreement or has jurisdiction over any of the Parties)

(a) in the case of the illegality, invalidity or unenforceability of the whole of this Agreement it shall terminate in relation to the jurisdiction in question; or

(b) in the case of the illegality, invalidity or unenforceability of part of this Agreement that part shall be severed from this Agreement in the jurisdiction in question and that illegality, invalidity or unenforceability shall not in any way whatsoever prejudice or affect the remaining parts of this Agreement which shall continue in full force and effect.

18. Waiver: The waiver by a party of any breach or violation of any provision hereof shall not operate or be construed a waiver of any subsequent breach or violation hereof.

19. Export: It is understood that the Cell Lines and Know How provided or made available by Conkwest under this Agreement are subject to applicable laws and regulations controlling the export and import of technical data, biological materials, laboratory prototypes, and other information or materials that may require a license from the applicable agency of the United States Government or foreign government, and ROCHE and its Affiliates will comply with all such laws and regulations. Conkwest neither represents that a license will not be required nor does Conkwest represent that if a license is required, it will be issued.

20. No Additional Rights: Nothing contained herein shall be construed to confer any rights upon either Party by implication, estoppel, or otherwise as to any technology or patent rights of the other Party other than the Intellectual Property' and the Cell Lines and only as expressly set forth herein.

21. Reservation of Rights. All rights not specifically granted to ROCHE and its Affiliates herein are expressly reserved by Conkwest.

22. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts with the same effect as if both Parties had signed the same document All such counterparts will be deemed an original, will be construed together and will constitute one and the same instrument. Signature pages of this Agreement may be exchanged by facsimile or other electronic means without affecting the validity thereof.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

**CONKWEST INC.:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Barry J. Simon, M.D.  
Title: President and CEO  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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[#####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

DATED 2015

CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED (1)  
("CE")

and

Z FACTOR LIMITED (2)  
("Licensee")

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LICENCE AGREEMENT

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Case No: [#####]

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(1) **CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED** ("CE"), a company incorporated in England and Wales (registered number 1069886) whose registered address is at The Old Schools, Trinity Lane, Cambridge CB2 1TN, UK;

and

(2) **Z FACTOR LIMITED** (the "Licensee"), a company incorporated in England and Wales (registered number 09274181) whose registered office is at c/o Index Venture Management LLP, 3 Burlington Gardens, Mayfair, London, England W1S 3EP.

**RECITALS:**

- (A) CE is a company wholly owned by the University (as defined below).
- (B) The University creators as specified in Schedule 1 have developed certain technology relating to small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin, including the Licensed Technology.
- (C) The University and Creators have each licensed their interest in the Licensed Technology to CE.
- (D) CE owns certain data related to the technology as a result of work it has commissioned with third parties.
- (E) The Licensee wishes to acquire rights in relation to the technology to enable the development and commercialisation of small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1- antitrypsin in the Field and in the Territory (all as defined below), and CE is willing to grant such rights, all in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

IT IS AGREED as follows:

1. **Definitions and Interpretations**

1.1 *Definitions*

In this Agreement, the following words shall have the following meanings:

<b>Affiliate</b>	In relation to a Party, means any entity or person which controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with that Party including, without limitation, any general partner, managing member, officer or director of the Party or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, the Party. For the purposes of this definition, "control" shall mean direct or indirect holding or control of a majority of either voting rights or rights to distribution of profit attaching to the share capital, stock or other participating interest (or, outside a Party's home territory, such lesser percentage as is the maximum, permitted level of foreign investment).
<b>Agreement</b>	This document, including its Schedules.
<b>Anniversary</b>	An anniversary of the Commencement Date.
<b>CE Data</b>	The deliverables of services commissioned by CE and owned by CE listed in Schedule 1.

<b>Commencement Date</b>	The date of this Agreement.
<b>Confidential Information</b>	(a) the terms of this Agreement; (b) the Know-how; and (c) any other information marked confidential (or otherwise designated to show expressly that it is imparted in confidence,) obtained directly or indirectly by one Party from the other Party;
<b>Creators</b>	The creators listed in Schedule 1.
<b>Development Plan</b>	The plan provided by the Licensee in Schedule 4
<b>Field</b>	The development of small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin.
<b>Improvements</b>	Any and all improvements, modifications, revisions, new applications and other developments to or of the Licensed Technology or the Technical Know-how arising during the Term of this Agreement
<b>Indemnitees</b>	CE, the University, the University's employees and students, and the Creators and Principal Investigator.
<b>Know-how</b>	The Technical Information of CE, and the Creators in the Field which exists at the Commencement Date and which relates directly to exploitation in the Field and Territory of the Licensed Technology or Technical Know-how. Know-how includes the Specific Know-how, and the Technical Know-how.
<b>Licensable Improvement</b>	Any Improvement which: (a) has been made or generated by or under the supervision of the Principal Investigator; (b) has been disclosed within [####] of the Commencement Date to CE; (c) is owned and controlled by the University; and (d) has been assigned or licensed to CE, and that CE is free to license.
<b>Licensed Technology</b>	(a) the Materials; (b) the Specific Know-how; and (c) the CE Data. as specified in Schedule 1.
<b>Materials</b>	Means the materials identified in Schedule 1
<b>Milestone</b>	An event specified in clause 4.2 where the achievement of the event is in any way dependent upon or deploys or validates any of the Licensed Technology.
<b>Parties</b>	CE and the Licensee, and "Party" shall mean either of them.

<b>Payment Period</b>	The payment periods specified in Schedule 3.
<b>Principal Investigator</b>	[####]
<b>Specific Know-how</b>	That part of the Know-how that is summarised in Schedule 1, being Know-how which is held solely by the Creators and relates specifically to the development of the Licensed Technology in the Field which is not generally known to the public, and which is in the possession or control of CE at the Commencement Date.
<b>Sub-Licensee</b>	Any third party granted a sub-licence of the rights in clause 2.1 by the Licensee, whether directly by the Licensee or through multiple levels of sub-licensing.
<b>Technical Information</b>	All knowledge, experience, materials, data and similar technical or regulatory information which might reasonably be of commercial interest to the Licensee in the research, development, design, manufacture, supply, importation or use of the Licensed Technology.
<b>Technical Know-how</b>	Any and all further know-how which is in the possession or control of CE at the Commencement Date, other than the Specific Know-how, and which is relevant or useful for the development or commercial exploitation by the Licensee or its Sub-Licensee of the Licensed Technology in the Field; including technical information, data, knowledge, methods, techniques, processes, systems, algorithms, calculations, formulae, results of experimentation, designs, statistics, records and all confidential information and data developed by the Creators as employees of the University.
<b>Term</b>	The period specified in clause 8.1.
<b>Territory</b>	Worldwide.
<b>University</b>	The Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Cambridge.

## 1.2 Interpretation

In this Agreement (except where the context otherwise requires):

- (a) any reference to a clause or schedule is to the relevant clause or schedule to this Agreement and any reference to a sub-clause or paragraph is to the relevant sub-clause or paragraph of the clause or schedule in which it appears;
- (b) the clause and schedule headings are included for convenience only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement;
- (c) any reference to "person" or "persons" includes natural persons, firms, partnerships, companies, corporations, associations, organisations, governments, states, foundations and trusts (in each case whether or not having separate legal personality);
- (d) the singular includes the plural and vice versa; and
- (e) words preceding "include", "includes", "including" and "included" shall be construed without limitation by the words which follow those words.

1.3 *Schedules*

The schedules form part of this Agreement. If a provision of a schedule is inconsistent with a provision of this Agreement, the latter prevails.

2. **Grant of rights**

2.1 *Licences*

In consideration of the payments specified in clause 4 CE hereby grants to the Licensee subject to the provisions of this Agreement:

- (a) an exclusive licence under the Licensed Technology (with the right to sub-license, subject to clause 2.3 below) to use, research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, market, sell, supply, offer for sale, distribute, import and export small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin only in the Field in the Territory; and
- (b) a non-exclusive licence to use the Technical Know-how (with the right to sub-license, subject to clause 2.3 below), to use, research, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, market, sell, supply offer for sale, distribute, import and export small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin only in the Field in the Territory.

2.2 *Formal licences*

The Parties shall execute such formal licences as may be necessary or appropriate for registration with relevant authorities in particular territories. In the event of any conflict in meaning between any such licence and the provisions of this Agreement, the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail. Prior to the execution of formal licences (if any) referred to in this clause, the Parties shall as far as possible have the same rights and obligations towards one another as if such licences had been granted. The Parties shall use reasonable endeavours to ensure that, to the extent permitted by relevant authorities, this Agreement shall not form part of any public record.

2.3 *Sub-licensing*

The Licensee shall be entitled to grant sub-licences of its rights under this Agreement (and to permit multiple levels of sub-licensing by Sub-Licensees), provided that:

- (a) each sub-licence shall
  - (I) include terms which are equivalent to the obligations and limitations imposed on the Licensee under this Agreement (including insurance obligations, the limitation of the Indemnitees' liability and an indemnity to the Indemnitees); and
  - (II) not exclude the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 in respect of any of the Indemnitees;
- (b) each sub-licence shall terminate automatically on the termination of this Agreement for any reason subject to the right for Licensee to require CE to agree that if the Licensee so requests CE shall immediately upon termination grant to the Sub-Licensee a new licence on terms identical to the terms of this Agreement (the "Step-in right"). The Step-in Right shall not arise: if this Agreement terminates (i) by effluxion of time; or (ii) due to a breach of the sublicense by the Sub-Licensee causing the Licensee to be in breach of this Agreement, as a result of which CE terminated the Agreement;
- (c) within [####] of the grant of any sub-licence the Licensee shall provide to CE a true copy of it, redacted, to the extent required by any Sub-licensee, in respect of any financial provisions and without limiting the Licensee's obligations under clauses 4.4 and 4.5;

- (d) the Licensee shall, subject to clause 7.3(b) be responsible for Sub-Licensees' conduct and any breach of a sub-licence as if it had been a breach by the Licensee under this Agreement and the Licensee shall indemnify CE against any loss, damages, costs, claims or expenses which are awarded against or suffered by CE as a result; and
- (e) for the avoidance of doubt, all Sub-Licensees shall be treated as sub-licensees of the Licensee for the purposes of this Agreement, whether the rights are granted directly by the Licensee or by any Sub-Licensee.

#### 2.4 *Reservation of rights*

- (a) There is reserved for the University and the Creators an irrevocable, world-wide, royalty-free, right to use the Licensed Technology in the Field for
  - (I) academic publication and teaching;
  - (II) academic research; and
  - (III) as background intellectual property for any academic research project.

For the avoidance of doubt no licence is granted to or reserved by this clause 2.4(a) for any commercial use or exploitation of the Licensed Technology.

- (b) For the avoidance of doubt, academic research includes use of the Licensed Technology in the Field
  - (I) for research into clinical patient care;
  - (II) to investigate, develop and provide biological materials for research purposes; and
  - (III) as background intellectual property for any research pursuant to EC or other government, public or charitable research funding, and applications for the same.
- (c) Except for the rights expressly set out in this Agreement, no licence is granted in respect of the Licensed Technology or any other technology or patents of CE regardless of whether such technology or patents are dominant or subordinate to the Licensed Technology and all rights, title and interest in and to the Licensed Technology throughout the world now or hereafter are and shall remain the exclusive property of CE, the Creators and/or the University.

#### 2.5 *Licensing of Improvements*

- (a) Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, CE shall forthwith upon its creation give Licensee a written notice describing the Licensable Improvement and shall grant the Licensee (if the Licensee so requests) a licence in respect of the Licensable Improvements with the right to sub-licence, subject to clause 2.3, to use, develop, manufacture, have manufactured, sell, supply and make available small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin only in the Field in the Territory.
- (b) Any licence to a Licensable Improvement under this clause shall:
  - (I) be exclusive with respect to any patents or patent applications or CE Data and non-exclusive with respect to any know-how;
  - (II) require that the Licensable Improvement be subject to the obligations set out in clause 3.2 with respect to any Improvements to Know-how;

- (III) establish the responsibility of the Licensee for determining the scope and nature of any patent or other intellectual property protection, such protection to be obtained at the Licensees cost; and
- (IV) be effective automatically on the written acknowledgement by the Licensee to CE of a notice describing the Licensable Improvement from CE.
- (c) CE has procured written agreement from the Principal Investigator that, during the period of [####] of the Commencement Date (i) he shall notify CE of his plans to conduct or supervise any research that may lead to the development of a Licensable Improvement and (ii) he shall assist CE in making reasonable endeavours to procure such rights as will be required for the Improvement to become a Licensable Improvement in accordance with the agreement.

### 3. Confidentiality

#### 3.1 Provision of Know-how

Upon the Licensee's reasonable request, CE shall

- (a) Arrange for the Principal Investigator to supply the Licensee with all Know-how in his possession and that has not previously been disclosed to the Licensee and which is reasonably necessary or desirable to enable the Licensee to exercise its rights under clause 2.1. The method of such supply shall be agreed between the Principal Investigator and the Licensee and shall fall under a consultancy agreement to be entered into between the Principal Investigator and the Licensee.
- (b) Deliver up to Licensee copies (in hard copy or electronic format) of relevant documents, material or other information related to the Licensed Technology; and
- (c) Deliver to the Licensee the CE Data.

#### 3.2 Parties to treat Know-how as confidential

- (a) The Licensee receives the Know-how as Confidential Information, whether or not marked confidential. The Licensee shall not use the Know-how for any purpose except as expressly licensed hereby and in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. The Licensee shall observe the provisions of clauses 3.3 to 3.5, 3.7 and 8.5(a)(IV) in relation to the Know-how.
- (b) The Licensee recognises the right of the Creators to publish academically information relating to the Know-how. CE has procured an undertaking from the Creators that neither will make any academic publication (including the publication of an abstract, article or paper in a journal or an electronic repository, or its presentation at a conference or seminar) (each a "Publication") relating to the Licensed Technology:
  - (I) within [####] of the Commencement Date [####]; and
  - (II) subject to 3.2(b)(I), unless he gives the Licensee written notice of not less than [####] together with an advanced draft of the proposed publication. CE will consider in good faith any reasonable request of the Licensee to exclude from publication any information which, having regard to the Licensee's commercialisation obligations under this Agreement, could be damaging to the commercial interests of the Licensee. If the Licensee makes no such request, the Principal Investigator may proceed with the Publication. Nothing in this clause 3.2(b) gives the Principal Investigator the right to disclose any Confidential Information of the Licensee in a Publication.

- (c) CE acknowledges that the secrecy of the Specific Know-how is of importance, in consequence of which it places obligations of confidentiality on the Licensee as set out in this clause 3. Accordingly CE shall, and has obtained an undertaking that the Principal Investigator shall, subject to the right of publication set out in clause 3.2(b), also treat the Specific Know-how as Confidential Information, whether or not marked confidential.
- (d) CE and the Licensee recognise that a proposed publication may contain academic research results generated using funding received under specific terms and conditions. Funders terms and conditions may conflict with the publication delay provided in clause 3.2(b)(1). The Parties agree that in the event that conflict arises between clause 3.2(b)(1) and the terms and conditions of funders of the academic research, the latter prevail.

### 3.3 Confidentiality

The Parties agree that:

- (a) Specific Know-how may not be disclosed by either Party (irrespective of which Party is the discloser) except as expressly provided for in clause 3.2(b);
- (b) no other Confidential Information disclosed by one Party ("Disclosing Party") to the other Party ("Recipient Party") under this Agreement may be disclosed by the Recipient Party to any person; and
- (c) clauses 3.3(a) and (b) shall not apply to Confidential Information disclosed;
  - (I) to employees, officers, directors, auditors, or subcontractors of the Party or the University requiring the Confidential Information for the purposes of this Agreement or for activities set out in clause 2.4;
  - (II) by the Recipient Party with the prior written consent of the Disclosing Party, which consent may be given or withheld in its absolute discretion;
  - (III) by the Licensee to actual or potential investors in the Licensee;
  - (IV) by the Licensee or Sub-Licensees to actual or potential customers or sub-licensees in so far as such disclosure is necessary to promote the sale of use of small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z-alpha-1-antitrypsin (or, as applicable, the sub-licensing of the Licensed Technology);
  - (V) if the Recipient Party is advised it is required to do so by law (including the Freedom of Information Act 2000 or Environmental Information Regulations) or stock exchange provided that CE shall use reasonable endeavours to give the Licensee advance notice of any such requirement;
  - (VI) by the Licensee or Sub-Licensees as may be necessary in connection with any filing, application or request for a regulatory approval; provided, however, that reasonable measures shall be taken to assure confidential treatment of such information, to the extent such protection is available;
  - (VII) by the Licensee or Sub-Licensees as may be necessary or useful for purposes of obtaining or enforcing a patent provided, however, that reasonable measures shall be taken to assure confidential treatment of such information, to the extent such protection is available; or
  - (VIII) if the Recipient Party is required to do so in connection with legal proceedings relating to this Agreement.

3.4 *Use of Confidential Information*

No Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party may be used by the Recipient Party for any purpose other than the performance of the Recipient Party's obligations or the exercise of the Recipient Party's rights under this Agreement.

3.5 *Disclosing Confidential Information*

Any Party disclosing Confidential Information under clause 3.3(c)(I), (II), (III) or (IV) must use all reasonable endeavours to ensure that persons receiving Confidential Information from it

- (a) do not disclose or use the Confidential Information except in the circumstances permitted in clauses 3.3 and 3.4; and
- (b) sign a written confidentiality undertaking on terms as least as restrictive as that binding the Recipient Party.

3.6 *Exceptions to confidentiality obligations*

- (a) Clauses 3.3, 3.4 and 3.5 do not apply to Confidential Information which:
  - (I) is in or becomes part of the public domain other than through breach of this Agreement or an obligation of confidence owed to the Disclosing Party;
  - (II) the Recipient Party can prove by contemporaneous written documentation was already known to it at the time of disclosure by the Disclosing Party (unless that knowledge arose from disclosure of information in breach of an obligation of confidence);
  - (III) the Recipient Party acquires from a source other than the Disclosing Party or any employees, officers, directors, auditors, licensees, sub-licensees, or subcontractors of the Disclosing Party where that source is entitled to disclose it; or
  - (IV) is independently developed by any employee or officer of the Recipient Party who had no access to the Confidential Information and where the independent development can be proven by contemporaneous written documentation.
- (b) For the avoidance of doubt the Licensee acknowledges that
  - (I) CE is required to inform the Creators and any others entitled to a share in CE receipts under this Agreement (including persons other than CE employees) of the basis of CE's calculation of the share due; and
  - (II) for the purpose of academic publication any Creators and any others who contributed to the creation or development of the Licensed Technology may have to declare to the publisher and in publications that the Licensee is licensed in respect of the Licensed Technology and that income from exploitation of the Licensed Technology has or may be received.

If a disclosure described in this clause 3.6(b)(I) or 3.6(b)(II) includes Confidential Information, CE and the academic disclosing will be deemed to have permission to make such disclosure.

3.7 *Return of Confidential Information and survival of confidentiality obligations*

- (a) The Recipient Party must return promptly to the Disclosing Party if so requested all documents or other materials containing or referring to Confidential Information which are in the Recipient Party's possession, power or control or in the possession, power or control of persons who have received Confidential Information from the Recipient Party under clause 3.3(c)(I), (II), (III) or (IV). This clause 3.7(a) shall not apply to Know-how unless termination occurs in accordance with clauses 8.2, 8.3 or 8.4.



- (b) The provisions of clauses 3.2 to 3.7 inclusive will survive the expiry or earlier termination (for whatever reason) of this Agreement for a period of five years.

#### 4. Payments

##### 4.1 Initial payment and reimbursement of costs

The Licensee shall pay to CE

- (a) the non-refundable, non-deductible sum of [####]; and
- (b) the sum of [####] (excluding VAT) in reimbursement of external receipted costs of CE in connection with developing the Licensed Technology prior to the Commencement Date; provided however that all other fees and expenses of the Indemnitees (including legal fees) incurred prior to the Commencement Date or incidental to the preparation, negotiation, or execution of this Agreement shall not be the responsibility of, or payable by, the Licensee (save as otherwise agreed by the Parties).

##### 4.2 Milestone payments

The Licensee shall pay CE the milestone payment(s) set out in the table below when the relevant Milestone is achieved.

Milestone	Payment
[####]	[####]
[####]	[####]

For clarity, each Milestone shall only be payable once under this Agreement; for example, there shall not be Milestone payments for different indications requiring different INDs. In addition, CE may only invoice for a Milestone payment where the Milestone was achieved before the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

##### 4.3 Payment terms

- (a) Payments shall be made in accordance with Schedule 3 Part A upon receipt by Licensee of a proper invoice.
- (b) The Licensee shall be responsible for collecting and paying to CE all payments due to CE in respect of sub-licensing.
- (c) All consideration and any other monies due under this Agreement are exclusive of Value Added Tax which where applicable shall be paid by the Licensee to CE. All payments shall:
  - (I) be made in pounds sterling by telegraphic transfer to the account of Cambridge Enterprise Ltd at [####];
  - (II) in the event of a change in the national currency of the United Kingdom, be converted from pounds sterling into the new national currency of the United Kingdom at the buying rate of such new currency as quoted by Barclays Bank plc in London on the day when such currency change comes into force;
  - (III) be made by the due date, failing which CE may charge reasonable debt recovery costs together with interest on any outstanding amount on a daily basis, compounded quarterly, from the day after the due date until payment at the statutory rate in force on the due date under the Late Payment of Commercial Debts (Interest) Act 1998; and

- (IV) be made in full without deduction of taxes, charges or duties, including bank charges or income tax except insofar as Licensee is required to deduct the same to comply with applicable laws. The Parties shall co-operate and take all steps reasonably and lawfully available to them to avoid deducting such taxes and to obtain double taxation relief. If Licensee or Sub-Licensee is required to make any such deduction, it shall provide CE with such certificates or other documents as it can reasonably obtain to enable CE to obtain appropriate relief from double taxation of the payment in question.

#### 4.4 Financial Reports

- (a) Each payment shall be accompanied by a financial report in the form set out in Schedule 3 Part B. Such reports shall include details of payments due in respect of sub-licensing.

#### 4.5 Records

- (a) The Licensee shall keep at its normal place of business and cause Sub-Licensees similarly to keep all information used to calculate payments due to CE under this Agreement. The Licensee shall keep these records separate or otherwise make them extractable easily from its other business records and shall not dispose of them until after the sixth anniversary of their creation.
- (b) The Licensee shall make such information available, on reasonable notice, for audit during business hours by CE's duly authorised representative for the purpose of verifying the accuracy of any report given by the Licensee to CE under this clause 4. The representative shall be required to keep confidential all information learnt during any such inspection, and to disclose to CE only such details as may be necessary to report on the accuracy of the Licensee's financial reports. CE shall be responsible for the representative's professional charges unless the representative certifies that there is an inaccuracy of more than [####] in any financial statement, in which case the Licensee shall pay the charges in respect of that inspection. The Licensee shall pay any underpayment reported by the representative within [####] of receipt of a GE's invoice requiring payment for the same.
- (c) The Licensee shall ensure that CE has the same rights as those set out in this clause 4.5 in any sub-licence of any of the Licensed Technology granted pursuant to this Agreement. The parties shall cooperate in relation to inspection of information with Sub-Licensees and shall nominate the same independent accountant to carry out such inspection.

#### 4.6 Responsibility for discharging out of payments

CE and the University shall be responsible for discharging out of Milestone payments it receives or its own equity share in the Licensee any and all obligations under profit share, revenue share, reward to creators and inventors or similar schemes for staff engaged in technology development.

#### 4.7 Equity

- (a) On or before the Commencement Date, and in consideration of the licences granted by CE pursuant to this Agreement, the Licensee shall issue and shall deliver to CE evidence of ownership of a total of [####] of its ordinary shares (the "Shares") in the name of CE. Clause 2.1 (the grant of the Licence) shall not become effective until CE has received a duly executed share certificate in respect of the Shares and also payment of the sums specified under clause 4.1.

- (b) The Licensee undertakes to CE that, at the Commencement Date, the aggregate number of the Shares will be not less than [####] of Licensee's issued share capital calculated on a "Fully Diluted Basis". For purposes of this clause "Fully Diluted Basis" shall mean that the total number of issued shares shall be calculated to include conversion of all securities which are convertible into ordinary shares, the issue of shares to be allocated to the Principal Investigator, the exercise of all the outstanding options and warrants to purchase shares (including the options to be granted to the Principal Investigator), whether or not then exercisable, and shall assume the issuance or grant of all shares reserved for issuance pursuant to any company share option plan in effect on the date of the calculation.
- (c) The Licensee shall provide promptly such information as CE may reasonably request from time to time to enable CE to assess and monitor the development of the Licensee company (and any subsidiaries) and the value of CE's shareholding. This is likely to include an annual request of the following information for the [####] prior to the request:
  - (I) the most recently audited company accounts (and where they are more than [####] old the most recent management accounts also);
  - (II) shares, securities and options issued to University employees; and
  - (III) where CE shareholding is [####] or more of the issued share capital on a Fully Diluted Basis the most recent version of the share capitalisation table, including the impact of options for management and funders.

## 5. Commercialisation obligations and reports

### 5.1 Commercialisation

The Licensee shall, having regard to clause 7.1:

- (a) proceed diligently and in good faith to develop and commercially exploit the Licensed Technology;
- (b) use diligent efforts to execute the Development Plan (as may be amended or replaced by the Licensee from time to time); and
- (c) use all reasonable endeavours to comply with project dates and activities contemplated in the commercialisation report submitted in accordance with clause 5.2.

### 5.2 Commercialisation Reports

Without prejudice to the generality of the Licensee's obligations under clause 5.1, the Licensee shall send CE within [####] of each Anniversary an updated, written commercialisation report, (which constitutes Licensee Confidential Information), covering as a minimum the [####] preceding the Anniversary and the [####] following it. The report shall include:

- (a) all activities conducted under this Agreement since the Commencement Date or the date of the previous Commercialisation Report provided under this clause 5.2;
- (b) milestone progression (dates for projected and achieved Milestones);
- (c) all past, current and projected activities taken or to be taken by the Licensee to exploit the Licensed Technology;
- (d) details of any sub-licences granted or rights granted to Affiliates under the Licensed Technology during the period covered by the report;
- (e) details of the commercial and public benefit which the Licensed Technology has created or stimulated; and

(f) details of certification of insurance cover maintained (types and levels).

CE's receipt or approval of any such report shall not be taken to waive or qualify the Licensee's obligations under clause 5.1.

5.3 *Independent Expert - Reference*

If CE considers at any time during the Term that the Licensee has without legitimate reason failed to proceed diligently to develop and commercially exploit the Licensed Technology, CE shall be entitled to refer to an independent expert the following questions:

- (a) whether the Licensee has acted diligently in accordance with the criteria set out in this clause 5; and if not
- (b) what specific action the Licensee should have taken ("Specific Action") in order to have acted diligently.

5.4 *Independent Expert- appointment and decision*

The independent expert shall be appointed in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 2 and his decision shall be final and binding on the Parties.

5.5 *GE's right to terminate*

If the expert determines that the Licensee has failed to comply with its obligations under this clause 5, and if the Licensee fails to take the Specific Action within [#####] of the expert giving his decision in accordance with Schedule 2, CE shall be entitled, by giving, at any time within [#####] after the end of that [#####] period, not less than [#####] notice to terminate this Agreement and the licences granted to the Licensee under clause 2. Termination in accordance with this clause 5.5 shall be CE's sole remedy in respect of the Licensee's breach of this clause 5.

6. **Intellectual property**

6.1 *Patent protection*

The Licensee shall at its own cost and expense manage the filing, prosecution and maintenance of patents relating to small molecule chaperones to correct the folding of Z- alpha-1-antitrypsin or otherwise arising from the Licensee's exploitation of the Licensed Technology in the Field pursuant to this Agreement (the "Licensee Patents").

CE shall cooperate fully with Licensee, at the Licensee's expense, in the preparation, filing and prosecution of the patent applications, executing all papers and instruments or requiring inventors to execute such papers and instruments so as to enable the Licensee to apply for, to prosecute and to maintain the Licensee Patents.

6.2 *Infringement of the Licensee Patents*

- (a) Each Party shall inform the other Party promptly if it becomes aware of any infringement or potential infringement of any of the Licensee Patents in the Field.
- (b) Subject to clause 6.2(c), the Licensee shall be entitled to take legal or other action against any third party to enforce the Licensee Patents at its sole expense.
- (c) Before starting legal action in accordance with sub-clause 6.2(b), the Licensee shall consult CE and take its views into account about the advisability of the action or settlement, its effect on the University and CE's reputation and good name, the public interest and how the action should be conducted.

6.3 *Infringement of third party rights*

- (a) If any warning letter or other notice of infringement is received by a Party, or legal action is brought against a Party, alleging infringement of third party rights in the use of the Licensed Technology, that Party shall promptly provide full details to the other Party, and the Parties shall discuss the best way to respond.
- (b) The Licensee shall have the right but not the obligation to defend such action and shall have the right to settle with such third party, provided that if any action or proposed settlement involves the making of any statement, express or implied, concerning the confidentiality of the Know-how, the consent of CE (not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned) must be obtained before taking such action or making such settlement.

7. **Warranties and liability**

7.1 *Status of Licensed Technology*

The Licensee acknowledges that the Licensed Technology is at an early stage of development, that it is provided "as is" and specific results cannot be guaranteed. The Licensee shall be exclusively responsible for the technical and commercial development of the Licensed Technology. The Parties accept that, given the nature of all scientific research and development work in respect of the Licensed Technology, the Development Plan set out in Schedule 4 may not be achievable within the timescales or within the budgets envisaged or at all. As such the Licensee makes no warranty that any or all of the scientific research and development work envisaged will be achieved.

7.2 *No representations or warranties*

- (a) The Licensee acknowledges that CE has not performed any searches or investigations into the existence of any third party rights, which may affect any of the Licensed Technology and that in entering into this Agreement it does not do so in reliance on (and shall have no remedy in respect of) any representation, warranty or other provision, except as expressly provided in this clause, in which case any remedy shall be limited to an action for breach of contract under the terms of this Agreement.
- (b) CE warrants that:
  - (I) with the exception of the rights reserved in clause 2.4(a), the University and the Creators have granted a licence to their rights to CE in the Know-how as required for CE to license said Know-how to the Licensee in accordance with this Agreement;
  - (II) under the terms and conditions of the service agreement with [####], CE owns the CE Data;
  - (III) the Licensed Technology has not been licensed to any person, charged or encumbered;
  - (IV) to the best of its knowledge and belief the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of the transactions contemplated hereunder have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate actions; and
  - (V) to the best of its knowledge and belief the performance by CE of any of its obligations hereunder does not conflict with, or constitute a breach or a violation of any other contractual obligation to which it is a party.

- (c) Except as provided by clause 7.2(b) CE makes no representations or warranties of any kind, express or implied, concerning the Licensed Technology including:
  - (I) as to the satisfactory quality or fitness for a particular purpose; or
  - (II) as to the absence of latent or other defects, whether or not discoverable; or
  - (III) that the exploitation of the Licensed Technology or any Licensed Product will not infringe any patents or other intellectual property rights of a third party.

All conditions, warranties or other terms implied by statute or common law are excluded from this Agreement to the fullest extent permitted by law.

### 7.3 *Liability and indemnity*

- (a) The limitations and exclusions in this Agreement shall not apply in respect of claims for personal injury or death caused by negligence of the Indemnitees or the Licensee or in respect of fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.
- (b) In respect of any damages or expenses of whatsoever nature and howsoever arising (including in contract, tort, negligence or for breach of statutory duty or misrepresentation) in connection with any use of the Licensed Technology or otherwise in connection with this Agreement or any relationships established by it:
  - (I) the aggregate liability of the Indemnitees and the Licensee shall be limited to the total income which CE has received from the Licensee during the [####] preceding the year of the Term in which the liability arises or [####] whichever shall be the higher; and
  - (II) in no circumstances shall the Indemnitees or Licensee be under any liability to each other (whether in contract, tort (including negligence), breach of statutory duty, restitution or otherwise) for any indirect, incidental or consequential losses including:
    - I) pure economic loss, loss of profits, loss of business, loss of revenue, loss of contract, loss or depletion of goodwill and/or business opportunity, loss of anticipated earnings or savings or like loss; or
    - II) loss of use or value of any data or software; or
    - III) wasted management, operational or other time; or
    - IV) any special, indirect or consequential losses.
- (c) Notwithstanding anything else in this Agreement the Licensee shall indemnify the Indemnitees in full against all demands, claims, judgements and liability (howsoever arising and whether in contract, tort, negligence or for breach of statutory duty or misrepresentation) for damages, costs, expenses or any other loss of whatsoever nature including damage to property, financial loss, personal injury and death, which is asserted in any claim or threatened claim by any third party (that is to say not any of the Indemnitees) against all or any of the Indemnitees and which relates to or arises from use by the Licensee or any Sub-Licensee or any end user of the whole or any part of the Licensed Technology.

The indemnity also extends to the Indemnitees' reasonable legal and professional fees and any reasonable expenses incurred in dealing with any such third party claim. Nothing in this sub-clause shall prevent the Licensee recovering from CE, (or setting off against sums otherwise due to CE under this Agreement), subject to the exclusions and limitations set out this Agreement, damages awarded by a competent court to the Licensee for default by CE of any of its contractual obligations under this Agreement.

## 8. Duration and termination

### 8.1 Term

This Agreement, and the licences granted hereunder, shall come into effect on the Commencement Date and, unless terminated earlier in accordance with this clause 8, shall continue in force for 20 years (the "Term") and on such date this Agreement and the licences granted hereunder shall terminate automatically by expiry and the Licensee shall be free to use the Know-how without restriction.

### 8.2 Early termination by the Licensee

The Licensee may terminate this Agreement at any time on [#####] notice in writing to CE.

### 8.3 Early termination by CE

CE may terminate this Agreement in either of the following cases as provided in clause 5.5.

### 8.4 Early termination by either Party

Without prejudice to any other right or remedy, either Party may by written notice to the other Party terminate this Agreement at any time, if any of the following events occur:

- (a) the other Party has materially breached this Agreement (and for the avoidance of doubt non-payment without proper cause by the Licensee under clause 4 shall be deemed a material breach) and, in case of a remediable breach other than a persistent breach, has failed to remedy that breach within [#####] of the date of service of a written notice from the other Party specifying the breach and requiring that it be remedied;
- (b) the other Party ceases to carry on business, is unable to pay its debts when they fall due, is declared bankrupt, or an order is made or a resolution passed for the winding up of that other Party or for the appointment of an administrator, receiver, liquidator or manager of that other Party; or
- (c) if the force majeure event as defined in clause 10.1 continues for longer than [#####].

### 8.5 Consequences of termination

- (a) Upon termination of this Agreement for any reason otherwise than in accordance with clause 8.1:
  - (I) the Licensee and Sub-Licensees shall be entitled to sell, use or otherwise dispose of any unsold or unused stocks of products developed under the Licensed Technology for a period of [#####] following the date of termination;
  - (II) subject to paragraph 8.5(a)(I) above, the Licensee shall no longer be licensed to use or otherwise exploit in any way either directly or indirectly any of the Licensed Technology;
  - (III) subject to paragraph 8.5(a)(I) above, the Licensee shall consent to the cancellation of any formal licence granted to it or of any registration of it in any register in relation to any of the Licensed Technology;
  - (IV) each Party shall return to the other (or destroy at the other's request) all Confidential Information disclosed to it by the other and all materials containing any Confidential Information in its possession or control (including, in the case of the Licensee, in the possession or control of its Sub-Licensees); and

- (V) upon CE's request (if Licensee has not terminated pursuant to clause 8.4) the Licensee shall (to the extent it is able having regard to obligations to third parties) notify CE of the nature of any materials, details of all technical processes, manufacturing data, improvements, information, know-how and results relating to the Licensed Technology created or developed by the Licensee or sub-contractors or Sub-Licensees that may be reasonably required by CE to arrange for the further exploitation of the Licensed Technology. The Parties shall negotiate in good faith without delay for up to [####] the terms of an agreement between them on reasonable commercial terms to enable CE to arrange for the further exploitation of the Licensed Technology including any patents as they exist at the date of termination.
- (b) If the Parties are unable to agree the terms of an agreement as described in clause 8.5(a)(V) CE may initiate the procedure in clause 9.
- (c) The expiry or termination of this Agreement does not affect any rights or obligations of either Party which have arisen or accrued up to and including the date of expiry or termination including the right to payment under this Agreement.
- (d) Clauses 2.3(d), 2.4, 3.2(a), 3.3 to 3.7, 4 (in respect of payments due on or before termination or under clause 8.5(a)(I)), 7, 8.5, 9 and 10 survive expiry or termination (for whatever reason).

**9. Dispute resolution**

The Parties agree that should any dispute arise between them in relation to this Agreement (other than under clause 5), they shall meet as soon as practicable and negotiate in good faith with a view to resolving the dispute.

If the Parties are unable to settle any dispute by negotiation within [####] the Parties will attempt to settle it by mediation in accordance with the Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR) Model Mediation Procedure.

To initiate a mediation a Party must give notice in writing to the other Party, requesting a mediation in accordance with this clause 9.

Nothing in this clause 9 shall prevent either Party from applying for injunctive relief to restrain any actual or potential breach of this Agreement.

**10. General**

**10.1 Force majeure**

- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, no Party need act if it is impossible to act due to force majeure, meaning any cause beyond its control (including war, riot, natural disaster or law taking effect after the date of this Agreement). A Party affected by force majeure agrees to notify the other Party promptly after it determines that it is unable to act.
- (b) A Party has no responsibility or liability for any loss or expense suffered or incurred by the other Party as a result of its not acting for so long as the force majeure under clause 10.1 continues. However, the non-performing Party agrees to make reasonable efforts to avoid or remove the circumstances giving rise to the force majeure and agrees to continue performance under this Agreement promptly when they are removed.



10.2 *Assignment*

- (a) Save as provided by clause 10.2(b) and 10.2(c) neither Party may assign, transfer, charge or deal in any other manner with this Agreement nor purport to do so without the prior written consent of the other Party.
- (b) CE may assign the whole or any of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to any person responsible for the management of the University's intellectual property provided that (i) consent of the Licensee shall be required, not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, to any assignment to an entity not wholly owned or controlled by the University, and (ii) CE's assignee shall undertake to be bound by and perform CE's obligations under this Agreement. CE shall notify the Licensee of any assignment under this Agreement.
- (c) The Licensee may assign all its rights and obligations under this Agreement where the assignment is connected with the transfer of all or substantially all of the Licensee's assets to a single purchaser and provided such purchaser undertakes to CE to be bound by and perform the obligations of the Licensee under this Agreement and is capable of performing such obligations. The Licensee shall notify CE of any such assignment.

10.3 *Waiver*

A provision of this Agreement or any right created under it cannot be waived or varied except in writing signed by the Parties.

10.4 *Invalid clauses*

If the whole or any part of a provision of this Agreement is void, unenforceable or illegal in a jurisdiction it is severed for that jurisdiction. The remainder of this Agreement has full force and effect and the validity or enforceability of that provision in any other jurisdiction is not affected. This clause has no effect if the severance alters the basic nature of this Agreement or is contrary to public policy.

10.5 *No agency*

Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating any agency, partnership or other form of joint enterprise between the Parties and neither Party has the authority to act for or bind the other Party in any way.

10.6 *Notices*

Any notice to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered by hand, prepaid registered post to the other Party at the address set out below or to such other address as either Party may specify in writing to the other.

**Notices to CE**

Director, Cambridge Enterprise Ltd,  
University of Cambridge  
Hauser Forum  
3 Charles Babbage Road  
Cambridge  
CB3 0GT  
UK  
Fax number: [#####]

**Notices to Licensee**

Director, Z Factor Ltd  
3 Burlington Gardens  
London  
W1S 3EP  
UK

Notices are deemed to have been given:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of the delivery unless delivered after 5pm in the place of receipt or on a non-business day, in which case the notice is deemed to have been given at 9am the next business day; and

- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post from within the United Kingdom, three business days after posting (or seven business days if posted from outside the United Kingdom).

#### 10.7 *Law and jurisdiction*

This Agreement and any documents to be entered into pursuant to it shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law and each Party irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England over any claim or matter arising under or in connection with this Agreement and the documents entered into pursuant to it except that a Party may seek an interim injunction for enforcement of intellectual property rights as described in clause 9 in any court of competent jurisdiction.

#### 10.8 *Further action*

Each Party (at the cost of the requesting Party) agrees to execute, acknowledge and deliver such further instruments, and do all further similar acts, as may be reasonably necessary or reasonably appropriate to carry out the purposes and intent of this Agreement.

#### 10.9 *Announcements*

A Party may not make press or other announcements or releases relating to this Agreement or the transactions the subject of this Agreement without the approval of the other Party to the form and manner of the announcement or release unless and to the extent that the announcement or release:

- (a) is required to be made by law or by a stock exchange;
- (b) is made in a report to funders or in an annual report of CE and does not disclose Confidential Information; or
- (c) falls within the terms of clause 3.6(b).

#### 10.10 *Entire agreement*

This Agreement the other agreements relating to access to intellectual property and collaboration entered into on Commencement Date constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the Parties and supersedes all negotiations, understandings or previous agreement between the Parties relating to the subject matter of this Agreement. Nothing in this Agreement, including this clause and clause 7.2, shall operate to limit or exclude liability for fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

#### 10.11 *Third party rights*

The University, any University wholly owned subsidiary, the University's employees and students, the Creators and the Principal Investigator may enforce those terms of this Agreement which expressly confer rights on them, subject to and in accordance with the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999. Save as aforesaid no term of this Agreement shall be enforceable under that Act by a person who is not a party to this Agreement, but this shall not affect any right or remedy of any third party which exists or is available other than under that Act. Notwithstanding that any term of this Agreement may be or become enforceable under that Act by a person which is not a party to it, this Agreement may be amended in any respect, or suspended, cancelled or terminated by agreement in writing between the Parties, in each case without the consent of such third party.

#### 10.12 *Export Control Regulations*

- (a) "Export Control Regulations" mean any United Nations trade sanctions or EU or UK legislation or regulation, from time to time in force, which impose arms embargoes or control the export from the United Kingdom of goods, technology or software, including weapons of mass destruction and arms, military, paramilitary and security equipment and dual-use items (items designed for civil use but which can be used for military purposes) and certain drugs and chemicals.

- (b) The Licensee shall ensure that, in using the Licensed Technology, it shall not and nor shall its employees or sub-contractors or any Sub-Licensee directly or indirectly breach or compromise compliance with any Export Control Regulations.

10.13 *Non-use of names and marking of Licensed Products*

- (a) Consent is not needed to state that CE has granted the Licensee a licence to use the Licensed Technology to make and supply Licensed Products. In all other cases the Licensee shall not use and shall ensure that Sub-Licensees do not use (including in any advertising, promotional or sales materials) the name, any adaptation of the name, any logo, trademark or other device of
  - (I) the “University of Cambridge” unless it has first obtained in each case the University’s prior written consent;
  - (II) “Cambridge Enterprise Limited” or of the Creators or Principal Investigator unless it has first obtained in each case CE’s prior written consent.

10.14 *Insurance*

Without prejudice to its obligations under clause 7.3(c) the Licensee shall take out with a reputable insurance company within [####] of the Commencement Date and maintain at all times during the Term public and product liability and professional indemnity insurance including against all loss of and damage to property (whether real personal or intellectual) and injury to persons including death arising out of or in connection with this Agreement and the Licensee’s and Sub-Licensees’ use of the Licensed Technology and use, sale of or any other dealing in any of the Licensed Products. Such insurances shall be at a level which reflects the scale of activity in relation to the Licensed Technology, not exclude litigation in England, and include an indemnity to principals clause in favour of CE and the University. Subject thereto, cover may be limited in respect of one claim provided that such limit must be at least [####] for public and product liability and [####] for professional indemnity insurance. Professional indemnity insurance shall continue to be maintained for a further [####] from the end of the Term.

10.15 *Counterparts*

This Agreement may be signed in counterparts and each counterpart shall constitute an original of the Agreement.

10.16 *Legal Compliance*

The Licensee shall comply with the following (and any amendment or re-enactment): all statutes, bye laws, regulations, codes of practice, European and other directives and provisions and all professional rules and standards to be observed and performed in connection with the exploitation of the Licensed Technology.

AGREED by the parties through their authorised signatories:-

For and on behalf of  
**CAMBRIDGE ENTERPRISE LIMITED**

/s/J.M Grimshaw  
Signed

J.M. Grimshaw  
Print name

Head of Physical Sciences  
Title

3 Feb 2015  
Date

For and on behalf of  
**Z FACTOR LIMITED**

/s/ Francesco De Rubertis  
Signed

Francesco De Rubertis  
Print name

Director  
Title

04/02/15  
Date





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Director  
Z Factor Limited  
Moneta Building Babraham Research Campus  
Babraham  
Cambridge  
CB22 3AT

2017

**Variation of the terms of the Licence between Z Factor Limited (“ZF”) and Cambridge Enterprise Limited (“CE”), with an effective date of 4th February 2015, (the “Agreement”).**

**CE Reference: A10157**

ZF and CE wish to vary the terms of the Agreement, a copy of which is attached to Schedule 1 of this letter, as follows:

Clause 4.2 of the Agreement will be deleted and replaced with the following:

*4.2 Milestone payments*

The Licensee shall pay CE the milestone payment(s) set out in the table below when the relevant Milestone is achieved.

Milestone	Payment
[###]	[###]
[###]	[###]
[###]	[###]

For clarity, each Milestone shall only be payable once under this Agreement; for example, there shall not be Milestone payments for different indications requiring different INDS. In addition, CE may only invoice for a Milestone payment where the Milestone was achieved before the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

Save as amended in this Letter of Variation, all other terms, obligations and rights of the parties under the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

This Letter of Variation shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law and the parties hereto irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England over any claim or matter arising under or in connection with this Letter of Variation.

This Letter of Variation may be signed in counterparts exchanged in pdf format and each counterpart shall constitute an original of this Letter of Variation and all counterparts together shall constitute one agreement.

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Signed by: /s/ P. Seabright

Name: Dr. P. Seabright

Position: Deputy Director

On behalf of Cambridge Enterprise Limited

Date: 2 March 2017

Signed by: /s/ D.J. Grainger

Name: Dr. DJ Grainger

Position: Director

On behalf of Cambridge Enterprise Limited

Date: 2 March 2017



## EXHIBIT C

## Contingent Value Rights Agreement

This CONTINGENT VALUE RIGHTS AGREEMENT, dated as of January 23, 2021 (this “**Agreement**”), is entered into by and among Palladio Biosciences, Inc., a Delaware corporation (“**Palladio**”), Sriniv Akkaraju, solely in his capacity as the representative of the holders of the CVRs (the “**Holder Representative**”), and United Medicines Biopharma Limited, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England (“**UM**”).

## RECITALS

WHEREAS, on January 23, 2021, Palladio, UM and a subsidiary of UM entered into that certain Agreement and Plan of Reorganization (as amended, the “**Merger Agreement**”), pursuant to which Palladio became a wholly-owned subsidiary of UM.

WHEREAS, it was a condition to the Closing for the parties hereto to execute and deliver this Agreement to the other parties hereto.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Merger Agreement, the CVRs were to be allocated to the Holders as provided for in the Merger Agreement.

## AGREEMENT

The parties to this Agreement, for and in consideration of the premises and the consummation of the transactions referred to above, intending to be legally bound, hereby mutually covenant and agree, for the equal and proportionate benefit of all Holders, as follows:

## SECTION 1 DEFINITIONS

**1.1 Definitions.** Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Merger Agreement. The following terms shall have the meanings ascribed to them below:

“**Approval**” or “**Approved**” means, with respect to the Milestone Product in any regulatory jurisdiction, approval from the applicable Regulatory Authority sufficient to manufacture, distribute, use (including in clinical trials) and sell the Milestone Product in such regulatory jurisdiction in accordance with laws including receipt of pricing and reimbursement approvals, where applicable.

“**Business Day**” means a day which is not a Saturday or Sunday or on which banks generally are required to be closed in New York, New York.

“**CVR Register**” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.3(b).

“**CVR Share Payment**” means a number of UM B Ordinary Shares equal to the quotient determined by dividing (i) the Milestone Payment by (ii) Per Ordinary Share Price.

“**CVRs**” means the rights of Holders to receive a contingent payment pursuant to this Agreement.

“**Divestiture**” (and other correlative terms) means any transaction in which the Milestone Product and the corresponding intellectual property assets related to the same are divested or otherwise transferred by way of merger, consolidation, asset acquisition, sale or other similar transfer, including through the transfer by UM of a majority of the voting equity of Palladio.

“**Holder**” means, at the relevant time, a Person in whose name a CVR is registered in the CVR Register.

“**Holder Representative**” means the Holder Representative named in the first paragraph of this Agreement, until written notice of a successor Holder Representative has been provided to UM following its appointment by the Holders.

“**Major Market Country**” means United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, the United Kingdom and Japan.

“**Milestone Payment**” means \$39,679,834.70.

“**Milestone Period**” means the period starting on the date hereof and ending on the earliest of (i) the date, if any, upon which the Milestone Payment has been paid by Palladio as required by this Agreement and (ii) the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) anniversary of the Closing Date.

“**Milestone Product**” means Lixivaptan for the treatment of Polycystic Kidney Disease.

“**Milestone Trigger**” means the commencement of the first Phase 3 Clinical Trial in any Major Market Country.

“**Payment Date**” means the date of the Milestone Payment’s payment to the Holders pursuant to Section 2.5.

“**Per Ordinary Share Price**” means, as of the date of the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger: (i) if the UM B Ordinary Shares are traded on a securities exchange, then the average of the Volume Weighted Average Price of a UM B Ordinary Share over a five (5) day trading period ending on the date of the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger; (ii) if the UM B Ordinary Shares are traded over-the-counter, then the average of the closing bid and asked prices of a UM B Ordinary Share quoted on the NASDAQ system (or similar system) over the five (5) day period ending on the date of the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger; or (iii) if on such date the UM B Ordinary Shares are not listed on any securities exchange or quoted in the NASDAQ National Market or the over-the-counter market, then the price per share of a UM B Ordinary Share as determined in good faith by the Board of Directors of UM or, if requested by the Holder Representative, the price per share determined by a mutually agreed independent third party appraiser.

“**Percentage**” means, with respect to a Holder, a percentage equal to (a) the number of CVRs held by such Holder (as indicated on the CVR Register), divided by (b) the total number of CVRs held by all Holders (other than Palladio with respect to the Abandoned CVRs).

“**Permitted Assignment**” means a transfer of one or more CVRs: (a) upon death by will or intestacy; (b) by instrument to an inter vivos or testamentary trust in which the CVRs are to be passed to beneficiaries upon the death of the trustee; (c) pursuant to a court order; (d) by operation of law (including by consolidation or merger) or without consideration in connection with the dissolution, liquidation or termination of any corporation, limited liability company, partnership or other entity; or (e) as provided in Section 2.8.

“**Phase 3 Clinical Trial**” means a human clinical trial of the Milestone Product on sufficient numbers of patients that is designed to establish that such product is safe and efficacious for its intended use, to evaluate the risk-benefit relationship of the product, and to define warnings, precautions and adverse reactions that



are associated with such product in the dosage range to be prescribed, as described in 21 C.F.R. 312.21(c) (as amended or any replacement thereof), and that is intended to support Regulatory Authorization of such product or label expansion of such product, or a similar clinical study prescribed by the Regulatory Authorities. For purposes of this Agreement, "commencement" of a Phase 3 Clinical Trial for the Milestone Product means the first dosing of the Milestone Product in a human in a Phase 3 Clinical Trial for the Milestone Product.

"**Regulatory Authority**" means any national or supranational Governmental Authority in any Major Market Country that holds responsibility for development and commercialization of, and the granting of regulatory approval or marketing approval for, a biological or pharmaceutical product, as applicable, in such Major Market Country.

"**Regulatory Authorization**" means any Approval granted by any Regulatory Authority.

"**Rights Agent**" means the Rights Agent appointed pursuant to the applicable provisions of this Agreement (including any successor thereto).

"**Volume Weighted Average Price**" for any security as of any trading day means (a) the volume weighted average sale price of such security on the principal securities exchange on which such security is traded as reported by Bloomberg Financial Markets or an equivalent, reliable reporting service mutually acceptable to and hereinafter designated by UM ("**Bloomberg**"), or (b) if no volume weighted average sale price is reported for such security, then the closing price per share of such security as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no closing price per share is reported for such security by Bloomberg, the average of the last bid and last ask price (or if more than one in either case, the average of the average last bid and average last ask prices) on such trading day as reported in the composite transactions for the principal U.S. national or regional securities exchange on which such security is traded.

## SECTION 2 CONTINGENT VALUE RIGHTS

### 2.1 CVRs; Appointment of Rights Agent.

(a) Each Holder shall be entitled to a number of CVRs, if any, calculated as set forth in Section 2.2 and Section 2.3 of the Merger Agreement.

(b) If UM decides to appoint a Rights Agent following the date hereof, UM shall provide the Holder Representative with written notice of such decision and the identity of a proposed Rights Agent; provided, that the Holder Representative may reasonably object to such proposed Rights Agent within five (5) Business Days of such notice and UM shall be required to select a different Rights Agent that is reasonably acceptable to the Holder Representative (such acceptance not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed). Thereafter, UM and Palladio shall appoint such Rights Agent to act as rights agent for UM and Palladio in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, and the Rights Agent shall accept such appointment by executing and delivering a counterpart to this Agreement. If no Rights Agent is appointed, Palladio or UM, as appropriate, shall take the required actions of the Rights Agent hereunder until a Rights Agent is appointed (including to maintain the CVR Register and pay the Milestone Payments contemplated under Section 2.5).

(c) The parties acknowledge and agree that in the event it is determined that the CVRs are subject to registration under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, the Rights Agent shall be permitted to resign and shall be held harmless for all liabilities in connection therewith.

**2.2 Nontransferable.** The CVRs shall not be sold, assigned, transferred, pledged, encumbered or in any other manner transferred or disposed of, in whole or in part, other than pursuant to a Permitted Assignment.

**2.3 No Certificate; Registration; Registration of Transfer; Change of Address.**

(a) The CVRs shall not be evidenced by a certificate or other instrument.

(b) The Rights Agent shall keep a register (the “**CVR Register**”) for the purposes of (i) identifying the Holders of CVRs and (ii) registering CVRs and each Permitted Assignment thereof. The Rights Agent shall promptly update the CVR Register to reflect updated mailing addresses, telephone numbers or email addresses of Holders provided by Palladio or the Holder Representative. The Holder Representative shall promptly update the Rights Agent and Palladio of any changes to the mailing addresses, telephone numbers or email addresses of any Holder if provided to the Holder Representative by such Holder. The Rights Agent shall promptly provide a copy of the CVR Register to the Holder Representative upon its written request.

(c) Subject to the restrictions on transferability set forth in Section 2.2, every request made to transfer a CVR must be in writing and accompanied by a written instrument of transfer and other requested documentation in form reasonably satisfactory to the Rights Agent, duly executed by the Holder or Holders thereof, or by the duly appointed legal representative, personal representative or survivor of such Holder or Holders, setting forth in reasonable detail the circumstances relating to the transfer. Upon receipt of such written notice, the Rights Agent shall, subject to its reasonable determination that the transfer instrument is in proper form and the transfer otherwise complies with the other terms and conditions of this Agreement (including the provisions of Section 2.2), register the transfer of the applicable CVRs in the CVR Register. All duly transferred CVRs registered in the CVR Register shall be the valid obligations of Palladio or UM, as applicable, evidencing the same right, and shall entitle the transferee to the same benefits and rights under this Agreement, as those held by the transferor. No transfer of a CVR shall be valid until registered in the CVR Register, and any transfer not duly registered in the CVR Register will be void ab initio. Any transfer or assignment of the CVRs shall be without charge (other than the cost of any transfer tax) to the applicable Holder.

(d) A Holder may make a written request to the Rights Agent to change such Holder’s address of record in the CVR Register. The written request must be duly executed by the Holder. Upon receipt of such written notice, the Rights Agent shall promptly record the change of address in the CVR Register.

**2.4 Notice and Payment.** No later than thirty (30) days after the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger, Palladio shall provide written notice to the Holder Representative and the Rights Agent of the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger (a “**Milestone Statement**”), and thereafter UM or Palladio shall deliver to the Rights Agent UM B Ordinary Shares or cash, respectively, in the aggregate amount of the Milestone Payment in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section 2.5. Palladio shall pay interest on any payments that are not paid on or before the date such payments are due under this Section 2.5 at an annual rate equal to ten percent (10%) (which shall be added and deemed a part of the Milestone Payment), calculated on the total number of days the payment is delinquent, other than any such payments that are the subject of a dispute between Palladio, on the one hand, and the Holder Representative or any Holder, on the other hand.

## 2.5 Payment Procedures.

(a) No later than thirty (30) days following the delivery of the Milestone Statement, the Rights Agent will send a copy of the current CVR Register to the Holder Representative, which the Holder Representative shall use to determine the Percentage for each Holder and the amount to be paid (in UM B Ordinary Shares or cash, as applicable) to each Holder in respect of the Milestone Payment. Such amounts shall be reflected in a statement that will promptly be delivered to the Rights Agent, UM and Palladio (the "**Payment Statement**"). Within ten (10) Business Days of the delivery of the Payment Statement, on the terms and conditions of this Agreement:

(i) if UM has not Divested Palladio prior to the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger, UM will make appropriate arrangements with the Rights Agent for UM B Ordinary Shares represented by book-entry shares to be issued as the CVR Share Payment. Upon receipt of the book-entry shares referred to in the foregoing sentence, the Rights Agent shall promptly (and in any event, within ten (10) Business Days) distribute to each Holder by book-entry an amount of UM B Ordinary Shares equal to such Holder's Percentage multiplied by the CVR Share Payment; provided, that in lieu of receive a fractional UM B Ordinary Share, such Holder shall be entitled to receive from UM a cash payment equal to such fraction multiplied by the Per Ordinary Share Price; or

(ii) if UM has Divested Palladio prior to the occurrence of the Milestone Trigger, Palladio shall pay an amount equal to the Milestone Payment in immediately available funds to the Rights Agent. The Rights Agent shall pay each Holder the amount set forth next to such Holder's name on the Payment Statement relating to the Milestone Payment as promptly as practicable, but in any event within ten (10) Business Days of receipt of the Milestone Payment. Payments to be made by Palladio to the Rights Agent hereunder shall be made in U.S. dollars and shall be paid by wire transfer in immediately available funds. Unless otherwise provided for by the Holder Representative, any payment to a Holder of its portion of the Milestone Payment owed hereunder shall be payable by check to the order of such Person as his, her or its name appears on the CVR Register at the address listed for such Person in the CVR Register, or at the Right Agent's election, if such Holder provides wire instructions, by wire transfer.

The Rights Agent shall promptly, and in any event within ten (10) Business Days after receipt of the Payment Statement under this Section 2.5(a), send each Holder at its registered address a copy of the Payment Statement. Without limiting any of the rights of the Rights Agent under this Agreement, UM and Palladio shall have no further liability in respect of the CVR Share Payment upon delivery instructions to the Rights Agents of such CVR Share Payment in accordance with this Section 2.5(a) and the satisfaction of UM's and Palladio's obligations set forth in this Section 2.5(a), provided that Palladio shall be responsible for any failure of the Rights Agents to take, or refrain from taking, any action that the Rights Agents is expected to take, or refrain from taking, to effect the intent of this Section 2.5. For the avoidance of doubt, the Rights Agent shall not be required at any time to determine the size of any payment to any Holder hereunder and shall be entitled to rely on the Payment Statement in respect of carrying out its obligations hereunder

(b) The Rights Agent shall promptly send each Holder at its address set forth in the CVR Register a copy of any notice required to be delivered by Palladio hereunder, including any notice required pursuant to Section 2.5.

(c) Except to the extent any portion of the Milestone Payment is required to be treated as imputed interest pursuant to applicable law or otherwise required by applicable law, the Holders and the parties hereto intend to treat the CVRs and all payments hereunder for all U.S. federal, state, and local income tax purposes as additional consideration furnished in connection with the Merger. The parties agree, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, to treat cash payments, if any, made pursuant to the CVRs and this Agreement as transfers described in Section 351(b) of the Code.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, Palladio, UM, and the Rights Agent shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from any consideration payable or otherwise deliverable pursuant to this Agreement, such amounts as may be required to be deducted or withheld therefrom under any provision of applicable law. To the extent such amounts are so deducted or withheld and paid over to the applicable Governmental Authority, such amounts shall be treated for all purposes under this Agreement as having been paid to the Person to whom such amounts would otherwise have been paid.

(e) Any portion of any payment of the Milestone Payment that remains undistributed to the Holders for two (2) years after the Payment Date shall be delivered by the Rights Agent to Palladio or UM, as applicable, upon demand.

(f) Neither Palladio nor UM nor the Rights Agent shall be liable to any Person in respect of a payment of any portion of the Milestone Payment delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar legal requirement under applicable law. If any such payment (or portion thereof) made by Palladio, UM to the Rights Agent remains unclaimed by a Holder two years after the Payment Date (or immediately prior to such earlier date on which such payment would otherwise escheat to or become the property of any Governmental Authority), any such payment (or portion thereof) shall, to the extent permitted by applicable law, become the property of Palladio or UM, free and clear of all claims or interest of any Person previously entitled thereto.

(g) The Milestone Payment shall be payable one (1) time only and no amounts shall be due for subsequent or repeated achievements of the Milestone Trigger.

**2.6 No Voting, Dividends or Interest; No Equity or Ownership Interest in Palladio or UM.**

(a) Except for those associated with an actual CVR Share Payment, the CVRs shall not have any voting or dividend rights, and interest shall not accrue on any amounts payable in respect of the CVRs.

(b) Except for those associated with an actual CVR Share Payment, the CVRs shall not represent any equity or ownership interest in Palladio, UM or any of their respective Affiliates.

**2.7 Ability To Abandon The CVR.** The Holder of a CVR may at any time, at such Holder's option, abandon all of such Holder's remaining rights in a CVR by transferring such CVR to Palladio without consideration therefor (the "**Abandoned CVRs**"). Nothing in this Agreement is intended to prohibit Palladio from offering to acquire CVRs for consideration in its sole discretion.

**2.8 Registration on Form S-8.** Prior to or concurrently with the issuance of UM B Ordinary Shares on account of a CVR Share Payment under Section 2.5(a)(i) (or as soon as practicable after it is eligible to do so), if the UM B Ordinary Shares are then traded on a securities exchange, UM shall register on Form S-8 (or equivalent form) all such UM B Ordinary Shares issuable to the Holders who received CVRs pursuant to Section 2.3(a) to the extent such UM B Ordinary Shares are registrable under Form S-8 under the Securities Act and subject to applicable state blue sky laws ("**Covered UM Shares**"). UM shall also take such reasonable action as is permitted by applicable law and necessary to ensure such Covered

UM Shares are free from any sale restrictions arising under any lock-up or market standoff or similar agreement and, to the extent required to satisfy any withholding obligations of UM (or the applicable payor), facilitate a "sell to cover" arrangement with respect to such Covered UM Shares.

**2.9 Changes in UM B Ordinary Shares.** If, as a result of any reorganization, recapitalization, reclassification, or other similar change in UM's capital stock, the outstanding UM B Ordinary Shares are exchanged for a different kind, class or series of shares or other securities of UM, an appropriate adjustment to the kind, class or series of shares or other securities subject to the CVRs and this Agreement shall be made.

### **SECTION 3 THE RIGHTS AGENT**

#### **3.1 Certain Duties And Responsibilities.**

(a) The Rights Agent shall not have any liability for any actions taken or not taken in connection with this Agreement, except to the extent of its willful misconduct, bad faith or gross negligence.

(b) The Rights Agent shall be under no obligation to institute any action, suit or proceeding, or to take any other action likely to result in the incurrence of material expenses by the Rights Agent, unless Palladio shall furnish the Rights Agent with reasonable security and indemnity for any costs and expenses that may be incurred.

#### **3.2 Certain Rights of Rights Agent.**

(a) The Rights Agent undertakes to perform such duties and only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Agreement, and no implied covenants or obligations shall be read into this Agreement against the Rights Agent.

(b) The Rights Agent may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order or other paper or document believed by it in good faith to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties.

(c) Whenever the Rights Agent shall deem it desirable that a matter be proved or established prior to taking, suffering or omitting any action hereunder, the Rights Agent may, in the absence of bad faith, gross negligence or willful misconduct on its part, rely upon written instructions from Palladio, UM and the Holder Representative.

(d) The Rights Agent may engage and consult with counsel of its selection and the written advice or opinion of such counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken, suffered or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon.

(e) Any permissive rights of the Rights Agent hereunder shall not be construed as a duty.

(f) The Rights Agent shall not be required to give any note or surety in respect of the execution of such powers or otherwise in respect of the premises.

(g) Palladio agrees (i) to pay the fees and expenses of the Rights Agent in connection with the Rights Agent's performance of its obligations hereunder, as agreed upon in writing by Rights Agent and Palladio on or prior to the date of this Agreement, and (ii) to reimburse the Rights Agent promptly upon demand for all reasonable and documented out-of-pocket expenses, including all taxes (other than income, receipt, franchise or similar taxes) and governmental charges, incurred by the Rights Agent in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

### 3.3 Resignation and Removal; Appointment of Successor.

(a) The Rights Agent may resign at any time by giving written notice thereof to UM, Palladio and the Holder Representative specifying a date when such resignation shall take effect, which notice shall be sent at least 30 days prior to the date so specified (or, if earlier, the appointment of the successor Rights Agent).

(b) UM shall have the right to remove the Rights Agent at any time by written instruction signed by an officer of UM specifying a date when such removal shall take effect. Notice of such removal shall be given by UM to Rights Agent and the Holder Representative, which notice shall be sent at least 60 days prior to the date so specified (or, if earlier, the appointment of the successor Rights Agent).

(c) If the Rights Agent shall resign, be removed or become incapable of acting, UM shall, with the prior written consent of the Holder Representative (not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed), promptly appoint a successor Rights Agent. The successor Rights Agent so appointed shall, forthwith upon its acceptance of such appointment in accordance with this Section 3.3(c) and Section 3.4, become the successor Rights Agent for all purposes hereunder.

(d) Any Person into which the Rights Agent may be merged or with which it may be consolidated, or any Person resulting from any merger, conversion or consolidation to which the Rights Agent shall be a party, or any Person succeeding to the payments business of the Rights Agent, shall be the successor to the Rights Agent under this Agreement without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto.

(e) Palladio shall give notice of each resignation or removal of the Rights Agent and each appointment of a successor Rights Agent by mailing written notice of such event by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the Holder Representative. Each notice shall include the name and address of the successor Rights Agent. If Palladio fails to send such notice within ten (10) Business Days after acceptance of appointment by a successor Rights Agent, the successor Rights Agent shall cause the notice to be mailed at the expense of Palladio.

(f) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 3.3, unless consented to in writing by the Holder Representative, UM shall not appoint as a successor Rights Agent any Person that is not a paying agent of national reputation.

**3.4 Acceptance of Appointment By Successor.** Every successor Rights Agent appointed hereunder shall, at or prior to such appointment, execute, acknowledge and deliver to UM, Palladio, the Holder Representative and to the retiring Rights Agent an instrument accepting such appointment and a counterpart of this Agreement, and thereupon such successor Rights Agent, without any further act, deed or conveyance, shall become vested with all the rights, powers, trusts and duties of the retiring Rights Agent; provided, that upon the request of UM, Palladio, the Holder Representative or the successor Rights Agent, such resigning or removed Rights Agent shall execute and deliver an instrument transferring to such successor Rights Agent all the rights, powers and trusts of such resigning or removed Rights Agent.

#### SECTION 4 COVENANTS

**4.1 List of Holders; Delivery of Closing Date Allocation Schedule.** As of the date hereof, Palladio has furnished or caused to be furnished to the Rights Agent the Allocation Schedule. The Allocation Schedule shall set forth the allocation of the CVRs issued under the Merger Agreement.

**4.2 Payment of Milestone Payment.** UM or Palladio, as applicable, shall duly and promptly deposit with the Rights Agent for payment to the Holders, the Milestone Payment, if any, in the manner provided for in Section 2.5 and in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

**4.3 Status Meetings.** During the Milestone Period, upon the written request of the Holder Representative, Palladio agrees to meet with the Holder Representative, or its designee(s), at a mutually convenient time during normal business hours for the purpose of discussing the status of development activities toward achievement of the Milestone Trigger; provided, however, that the Holder Representative shall not request such meetings, and Palladio shall have no obligation to attend any such meetings, more than two times during any calendar year. Each such meeting shall be held either telephonically, by video conference or at Palladio's offices.

**4.4 Divestitures.** If at any time after the Closing, (a) Palladio Divests the Milestone Product to a Person that is not an Affiliate of UM and the corresponding intellectual property (collectively, the "Divested Assets" and the party acquiring the Divested Assets or Palladio, the "Transferee"), Palladio shall make provision for the Transferee to assume and succeed to the obligations of Palladio set forth in this Agreement, or (b) UM Divests Palladio to a Transferee, notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein, UM shall have no further obligations hereunder (including to issue the CVR Share Payment) and all obligations hereunder shall be fulfilled by such Transferee (or Palladio in the case of a Divestiture of Palladio) and the Milestone Payment shall be payable in cash (rather than the CVR Share Payment). The Transferee shall properly complete and deliver to the Rights Agent any know-your-customer or similar documentation required under applicable laws and regulations.

**4.5 Milestone Trigger Disputes.** UM shall, and shall cause Palladio to, promptly provide such information as may reasonably be requested by the Holder Representative from time to time to assess whether the Milestone Trigger has occurred. If the Holder Representative believes that the Milestone Trigger has occurred, or that the Milestone Statement is inaccurate in whole or in part, then the Holder Representative shall deliver to Palladio written notice thereof (a "Milestone Dispute Notice"), in reasonable detail. During the thirty (30) days following the delivery of a Milestone Dispute Notice, Palladio and the Holder Representative shall attempt in good faith to resolve any dispute as to whether the Milestone Trigger has occurred and whether the Milestone Payment is payable. If Palladio and the Holder Representative do not reach agreement with respect to any dispute relating to any such matter within thirty (30) days after a Milestone Dispute Notice is delivered to Palladio by the Holder Representative, the parties shall submit for arbitration all matters that remain in dispute and that were properly included in the Milestone Dispute Notice to a disinterested individual who has appropriate scientific, technical and regulatory expertise (as relevant) to resolve any disputes referred to him or her under this Agreement who is mutually agreed to by Palladio and the Holder Representative (a "Scientific Expert"); provided, however, that such Scientific Expert shall not be or have been at any time within the previous five (5) years an Affiliate, employee, consultant, officer or director of UM, the Holder Representative, Palladio, any Holder or any of their respective Affiliates. If Palladio and the Holder Representative cannot agree on a mutually acceptable Scientific Expert within thirty (30) days after either party has determined that the parties cannot reach agreement with respect to a dispute, then within five (5) Business Days after the expiration of such thirty (30) day period, each of Palladio and the Holder Representative shall appoint one Scientific Expert who shall jointly select a third Scientific Expert within five (5) Business Days after the last to occur of their respective appointments to arbitrate the referred matter. The Scientific Expert mutually

agreed by the parties or, if the parties cannot agree, the third Scientific Expert selected by the party-appointed Scientific Experts is referred to as the “**Selected Scientific Expert**”. Palladio and the Holder Representative shall instruct the Selected Scientific Expert to determine as promptly as practicable but in no event later than thirty (30) days after such person’s appointment (the “**Determination Period**”) whether the disputed Milestone Trigger has occurred. The Selected Scientific Expert’s determination shall be made based on the submission of documents and evidence by the parties (including any such documentation or evidence reasonably requested by the Selected Scientific Expert, which the Holder Representative or Palladio shall provide upon request) and, upon the Selected Scientific Expert’s request, by third parties, unless the Selected Scientific Expert determines that an oral hearing is necessary. The Selected Scientific Expert shall determine deadlines (which Palladio and the Holder Representative shall deem to be fair and appropriate) within the Determination Period for submitting documents and dates, if any, of oral hearings. Each of Palladio and the Holder Representative (on behalf of the Holders) shall pay its own expenses of arbitration, and the fees, costs and expenses of the Selected Scientific Expert initially shall be equally shared between Palladio and the Holder Representative (on behalf of the Holders), provided that the prevailing party’s out-of-pocket expenses in such dispute (including its share of the arbitration, its attorneys’ fees, costs and expenses actually incurred, and the fees, costs and expenses of the Selected Scientific Expert) shall be reimbursed by the other party. Any decision rendered by the Selected Scientific Expert shall be final and binding upon the parties. All proceedings conducted by the Selected Scientific Expert shall take place in New York, New York. Any underpayments of Milestone Payments shall be paid by Palladio to the Rights Agent within fifteen (15) Business Days of notification of the final determination of the Milestone Dispute Notice in accordance with this Agreement (and the Rights Agent shall subsequently make all payments required by and in accordance with Section 2.5(a) hereof).

**4.6 Post-Closing Development.** Notwithstanding anything contained herein or in the Merger Agreement, subject to the Portfolio Company Agreement and UM’s obligation to fund and support Palladio in accordance with the terms contained therein, following the date hereof, (i) Palladio shall have the right to own, operate, use, license, develop and otherwise commercialize its assets, including the Milestone Product and its related intellectual property, in any way that Palladio deems appropriate, in its sole discretion, (ii) Palladio shall not have any obligation to own, operate, use, license, develop or otherwise commercialize its assets, including the Milestone Product and its related intellectual property, in order to maximize or expedite the Milestone Payment, (iii) Palladio shall have the exclusive right to determine the terms and conditions of the development and commercialization of its assets, including the Milestone Product, and any and all sales of the Milestone Product, including the determination of whether to develop or commercialize or whether to terminate the development of the Milestone Product, or the indications for which the Milestone Product may be developed or commercialized, (iv) there is no assurance that the Holders will receive the Milestone Payment, (v) Palladio has not, prior to, or after the date hereof, promised or projected any amounts to be received by the Holders in respect of the Milestone Payment, and neither the Rights Agent nor any Holder has, prior to or after the Closing Date, relied on any statements or information provided by or on behalf of Palladio or UM with respect to the potential sales or value of the Milestone Product and (vi) the parties and the Holders intend the express provisions of this Agreement to govern their contractual relationship and to supersede any standard of efforts or implied covenant of good faith and fair dealing that might otherwise be imposed by any court or other Governmental Authority or otherwise; provided that UM shall not, and shall cause Palladio not to, take any action, or refrain from taking any action the sole purpose of which is to frustrate the ability to achieve the Milestone Trigger or the Milestone Payment.

**4.7 Lock Up.** Each Holder (and any UM Ordinary Shares issued on account of a CVR Share Payment under Section 2.5(a)(i)) shall be subject to the lock up and related obligations contemplated by Clause 41 of the UM Articles as if they were Shareholders (as defined in the UM Articles), subject to Section 2.8 in the case of the Covered UM Shares.



## SECTION 5 AMENDMENTS

### 5.1 Amendments Without Consent of Holders or Rights Agent.

(a) UM and Palladio, at any time and from time to time, may unilaterally enter into one or more amendments hereto, for any of the following purposes, without the consent of any of the Holders (including the Holder Representative) or the Rights Agent, so long as, in the cases of clauses (ii) through (iv), such amendments do not adversely affect the interests of the Holders:

(i) to evidence the appointment of another Person as a successor Rights Agent and the assumption by any successor Rights Agent of the covenants and obligations of the Rights Agent herein in accordance with the provisions hereof;

(ii) to add to the covenants of Palladio such further covenants, restrictions, conditions or provisions as Palladio shall determine to be for the protection of the Holders;

(iii) to cure any ambiguity, to correct or supplement any provision herein that may be defective or inconsistent with any other provision herein, or to make any other provisions with respect to matters or questions arising under this Agreement; or

(iv) as may be necessary to ensure that the CVRs are not subject to registration under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.

(b) Promptly after the execution by Palladio of any amendment pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5.1, Palladio shall mail (or cause the Rights Agent to mail) a notice thereof by first class mail to the Holders at their addresses as they shall appear on the CVR Register and to the Holder Representative, setting forth in general terms the substance of such amendment.

### 5.2 Amendments With Consent of Holders.

(a) In addition to any amendments to this Agreement that may be made by UM and Palladio without the consent of any Holder (or the Holder Representative) or the Rights Agent pursuant to Section 5.1, UM, Palladio, the Holder Representative and the Rights Agent may enter into one or more amendments hereto for the purpose of adding, eliminating or changing any provisions of this Agreement, even if such addition, elimination or change is adverse to the interests of the Holders.

(b) Promptly after the execution by UM, Palladio, the Holder Representative and the Rights Agent of any amendment pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5.2, Palladio shall mail (or cause the Rights Agent to mail) a notice thereof by first class mail to the Holders at their addresses as they shall appear on the CVR Register, setting forth in general terms the substance of such amendment.

**5.3 Execution of Amendments.** In executing any amendment permitted by this Section 5, the Rights Agent shall be entitled to receive, and shall be fully protected by Palladio in relying upon, an opinion of counsel selected by Palladio stating that the execution of such amendment is authorized or permitted by this Agreement. The Rights Agent may, but is not obligated to, enter into any such amendment that affects the Rights Agent's own rights, privileges, covenants or duties under this Agreement or otherwise.

**5.4 Effect of Amendments.** Upon the execution of any amendment under this Section 5, this Agreement shall be modified in accordance therewith, such amendment shall form a part of this Agreement for all purposes and every Holder shall be bound thereby.

## SECTION 6 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

**6.1 Entire Agreement; Counterparts.** This Agreement, the other Transaction Documents and all other agreements contemplated hereby sets forth the entire understanding of the parties hereto with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby. Any and all previous agreements and understandings between or among the parties regarding the subject matter hereof, whether written or oral, are superseded by this Agreement. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, delivered by original, facsimile signature or emailed .PDF attachment, all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each of the parties hereto and delivered to the other parties hereto; it being understood that all parties hereto need not sign the same counterpart.

**6.2 Notices To Rights Agent, Holder Representative, UM and Palladio.** All notices and other communications given or made pursuant hereto shall be in writing and shall be deemed effectively given: (i) upon personal delivery to the party to be notified, (ii) when sent by electronic mail if sent during normal business hours of the recipient, if not during normal business hours, then on the next day, (iii) five (5) days after having been sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, or (iv) one (1) day after deposit with a nationally recognized overnight courier, specifying next day delivery, with written verification of receipt. All communications shall be sent to the respective parties at the following addresses (or at such other addresses as shall be specified by notice given in accordance with this Section 6.2):

If to Palladio or UM:

United Medicines Biopharma Limited  
The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus  
Cambridge, UK CB22 3FH  
Attention: Saurabh Saha, CEO

with a copy (which shall not constitute notice to):

GOODWIN PROCTER LLP  
100 Northern Avenue  
Boston, Massachusetts 02210  
Attention: Mitch Bloom  
Email: mbloom@goodwinlaw.com

If to the Holder Representative:

628 Middlefield Road  
Palo Alto, CA 94301  
Attention: Srinivas Akkaraju, MD, PhD  
Email: srini@samsaracap.com

**6.3 Notice To Holders.** Where this Agreement provides for notice to Holders, such notice shall be sufficiently given (unless otherwise herein expressly provided) if in writing and mailed, first-class postage prepaid, to each Holder affected by such event, at his, her or its address as it appears in the CVR Register, not later than the latest date, and not earlier than the earliest date, prescribed for the giving of such notice. In any case where notice to Holders is given by mail, neither the failure to mail such notice, nor any defect in any notice so mailed, to any particular Holder shall affect the sufficiency of such notice with respect to other Holders.

**6.4 Successors and Assigns; Assignability.** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure solely to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns. The Rights Agent may not assign this Agreement without Palladio's prior written consent. Except in connection with a Divestiture as contemplated by Section 4.6, neither Palladio nor UM may assign or transfer this Agreement or any of its rights and obligations hereunder, in whole or in part (whether by operation of law or otherwise), without the prior written consent of the Holder Representative. Any attempted assignment of this Agreement or any of such rights in violation of this Section 6.4 or Section 2.2 shall be void and of no effect.

**6.5 Benefits of Agreement.** Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, shall give to any Person (other than the parties hereto, the Holders and their permitted successors and assigns hereunder) any rights, remedies, benefits, obligations, liabilities or claims under this Agreement or under any covenant or provision herein contained, all such covenants and provisions being for the sole benefit of the parties hereto, the Holders and their permitted successors and assigns. The rights of Holders with respect to the CVRs are limited to those expressly provided in this Agreement.

**6.6 Governing Law; Jurisdiction.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware, regardless of the laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof. Subject to Section 4.5 of this Agreement, Section 6.8 of the Merger Agreement is hereby incorporated herein *mutatis mutandis*.

**6.7 WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.** EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY AND ALL RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LEGAL PROCEEDING BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT.

**6.8 Legal Holidays.** In the event that the Payment Date shall not be a Business Day, then, notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, any payment required to be made in respect of the CVRs on such date need not be made on such date, but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the Payment Date.

**6.9 Severability.** If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, the other provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. The parties further agree that if any provision contained herein is, to any extent, held invalid or unenforceable in any respect under the laws governing this Agreement, they shall take any actions necessary to render the remaining provisions of this Agreement valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law and, to the extent necessary, shall amend or otherwise modify this Agreement to replace any provision contained herein that is held invalid or unenforceable with a valid and enforceable provision giving effect to the intent of the parties.

**6.10 Termination.** This Agreement shall be terminated and of no force or effect, the parties hereto shall have no liability hereunder, and no payments shall be required to be made, upon the earliest to occur of (a) payment of the Milestone Payment to the Holders under the terms of this Agreement, and (b) the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) anniversary of the Closing Date. The termination of this Agreement shall not affect or limit the right to receive any payment of the Milestone Payment hereunder to the extent earned prior to termination of this Agreement and the provisions applicable thereto shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

This Agreement shall automatically terminate upon the termination of the Framework Agreement in accordance with clause 10.2 thereof, with the consequences of such termination to be as exclusively set forth in clause 10.3 thereof.

**6.11 Construction; Guaranty.** Section 6.10 of the Merger Agreement is hereby incorporated herein *mutatis mutandis*. UM guarantees to the Holders the due and punctual payment of Palladio's payment obligations under this Agreement until a Divestiture in accordance with Section 4.6 (after which, this sentence shall automatically terminate upon the consummation of such Divestiture).

**6.12 Holder Representative.** Sринi Akkaraju is hereby appointed as of the date hereof as the agent and attorney in fact of the Holders as the Holder Representative for and on behalf of the Holders to give and receive notices and communications in connection with this Agreement and related matters and to agree to, negotiate, and enter into settlements, adjustments and compromises of, and make and defend claims and comply with orders of courts and awards with respect to such claims, and to take all other actions that are either (i) necessary or appropriate in the judgment of the Holder Representative for the accomplishment of the foregoing or (ii) permitted by the terms of this Agreement. Such agency may be changed by the Holders from time to time upon not less than ten (10) days prior written notice to the other parties hereto; provided, that the Holder Representative may not be removed unless Holders holding a majority of the CVRs agree in writing to such removal and to the identity of the substituted agent. A vacancy in the position of the Holder Representative may be filled by written appointment by Holders holding a majority of the CVRs. No bond shall be required of the Holder Representative. Notices or communications to or from the Holder Representative shall constitute notice to or from the Holders. A decision, act, consent or instruction of the Holder Representative shall constitute a decision of all or any portion of the Holders and shall be final, binding and conclusive upon each of them. The other parties hereto are entitled to rely upon any notice provided to or communication with any such party and any such decision, act, consent or instruction of the Holder Representative as being the decision, act, consent or instruction of all or any portion of the Holders. The other parties hereto are hereby relieved from any liability to any Person for any acts done by such party in accordance with such decision, act, consent or instruction of the Holder Representative.

**6.13 Section 409A.** The Parties acknowledge that payments pursuant to any the CVRs granted in respect of any Palladio Options as contemplated hereunder shall be deemed to be subject to a "substantial risk of forfeiture" within the meaning of Section 409A of the Code as of the date hereof, and all provisions regarding all payments to be made hereunder shall be interpreted in such a manner consistent with such intent. Further, all payments with respect to any CVRs held by the former holders of Palladio Options shall be made no later than March 15 of the calendar year following the calendar year in which such substantial risk of forfeiture lapses.

**[Signature Page Follows]**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties has caused this Agreement to be executed on its behalf by its duly authorized officers as of the day and year first above written.

PALLADIO BIOSCIENCES, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

SRINI AKKARAJU, solely in his capacity as the Holder  
Representative

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:

UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

[####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

*Private & Confidential*

**Dated** 23 January 2021

**APCINTEX LIMITED**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **APCINTEX LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09088717 with its registered office at C/O Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, London, England, W1F 9LT (the "**Company**");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),  
  
(each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term " <b>control</b> " (including, the correlative meanings, " <b>controlled by</b> " and " <b>under common control with</b> ") means: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or</li><li>(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;</li></ol>
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;



<b>A Preference Shares</b>	means A preference shares of £0.0001 each in the share capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;
<b>B Preference Shares</b>	means B preference shares of £0.0001 each in the share capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of a new therapy for haemophilia, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by the Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);

<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means:
	(a) the shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 7 October 2020 entered into between the Company and the Shareholders (as defined therein); and
	(b) the investment agreement relating to the Company dated 7 October 2020 entered into between (i) Medicxi Secondary, (ii) Medicxi Co-Invest, (iii) IP2IPO, (iv) the Founders (each as defined therein), and (v) the Company;
<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means:
	(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);
	(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and
	(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and " <b>Group Company</b> " shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

<b>Key Persons</b>	[####]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose shares in the Company on the date of this Agreement include A Preference Shares or B Preference Shares;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[####] [####] [####];
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means James Huntington, Trevor Baglin, Kevin Johnson and IP2IPO Services Limited;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 90% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;

<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): (a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and (b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;

- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
  - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms "**including**", "**include**", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and

(s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "**Contribution**"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
- (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with  
UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

**3. COMPLETION**

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,
- be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

**4. CONDITION**

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:

- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

**5. UM WARRANTIES**

- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;



- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## **6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES**

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or

- (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

**7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY**

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.

- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
- (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:

- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
  - (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
  - (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

#### **11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- 11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.
- 11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:
- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
    - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
    - (iv) any court order.

**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.
- 12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

- 14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 2 November 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docusign.com](http://www.docusign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

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**SCHEDULE 2: COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of the Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to the Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (iv) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
    - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
    - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
  - (v) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;

- (i) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (vi) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company;
  - (vii) amend the accounting reference date to 31 December; and
  - (viii) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (ix) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iii) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (iv) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (x) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller and Cambridge Enterprise Limited) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (h) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (i) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (j) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (k) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

**SCHEDULE 3: WARRANTIES**

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 30 June 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar

or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li><li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li></ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

1. **Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

2. **Information**

2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

3. **Business Plan**

- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

4. **Accounts**

- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
- 4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:
- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
  - (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
  - (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.



4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;

- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**7. Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.

- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a **"readily convertible asset"** as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

**8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.

- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
9. **Properties**
- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.
10. **Intellectual Property**
- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

**13. Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the “**Employment Agreements**”) are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the “**Incentive Plans**”) for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the “**Benefit Plans**” and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the “**Employee Plans**”) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.

- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a "relevant transfer" for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the "**Confidential Information Agreements**"). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person's Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any "parachute payment" as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).
- 14. Statutory and legal requirements**
- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any



conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.

- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

- (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
- 15. Records and registers**
- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
- 16. Insurance**
- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.
- 17. Group structure**
- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.
- 18. Agreements and capital commitments**
- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;

- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.





**SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY**

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	09088717
<b>Registered office:</b>	C/O Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, London, England, W1F 9LT
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	The Cambridge Partnership Limited
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	30 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	HBB Audit Limited
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£428.5574, consisting of 4,285,574 ordinary shares of £0.0001
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM



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for and on behalf of )  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED** ) /s/ Richard Lee  
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[####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

*Private & Confidential*

Dated 23 January 2021

CAPELLA BIOSCIENCE LTD AND  
THE SELLERS AND  
UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED  
CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **CAPELLA BIOSCIENCE LTD** a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09301325 with its registered office at 158 – 160 North Gower Street, London, NW1 2ND (the "**Company**");
  - (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
  - (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),
- (each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term " <b>control</b> " (including, the correlative meanings, " <b>controlled by</b> " and " <b>under common control with</b> ") means: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or</li><li>(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;</li></ol>
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;

<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of therapeutic monoclonal antibodies to treat autoimmune and inflammatory disease, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and (3);
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means:

	(a) the fourth investment agreement relating to the Company entered into on 24 September 2020 by the Sellers and the Company; and
	(b) the Management Rights Letter, entered into by (1) the Company, (2) Medicxi Secondary I LP, and (3) Medicxi Secondary Co-Invest I LP in connection with the fourth investment agreement;
<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and “ <b>Group Company</b> ” shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Person</b>	[####]

<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Sale Shares consist of A shares of £0.001 each in the capital of the Company, B shares of £0.001 each in the capital of the Company or seed preference ordinary shares of £0.001 each in the capital of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[####]
<b>Required Consents</b>	means all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of, and all necessary notices to, any parties to any Material Contract as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such Material Contracts to remain in full force and effect (including to obtain waivers of any termination rights that are triggered as a result of entering into this Agreement or the Completion), as the case may be, so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, such Material Contract from and after the Completion for the benefit of UM and the Company;
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means each of Dr Steve Holmes, Dr Kevin Johnson and Dr Rajesh Parekh;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;



<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 75% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion, provided such majority includes [####];
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders'
<b>Documents</b>	Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): (a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and (b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means the Key Person, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);

- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
  - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms "including", "include", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;

- (r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
- (s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "**Contribution**"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
  - (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and

- (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

### 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
  - (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
  - (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

### 4. CONDITION

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
  - (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
  - (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and

- (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).
- 5. UM WARRANTIES**
- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or

(iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
- (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.

5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## **6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES**

6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;

- (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,
- and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
  - (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
  - (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
  - (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

**7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY**

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.



- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:

(a) any Confidential Information; and

- (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
  - (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
  - (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

## 11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.
- 11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:
- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;

- (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
- (iv) any court order.

**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.
- 12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

- 14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 16 December 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.

- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.
- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., www.docusign.com) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

- (a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or
- (b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender, except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*

SCHEDULE 1: SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (€)
[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]
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**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) [####] shall exercise his existing options to subscribe for [####] ordinary shares of £0.001 in the capital of the Company and pay the aggregate issue price for such shares to the Company, and, subject to receipt of the aggregate issue price, the Company shall issue such shares to [####]
- (b) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (c) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (d) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to each Group Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the relevant Group Company (in the agreed form);
- (e) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (f) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of the Required Consents and the circulation of these to those parties to such Required Consents;
  - (iii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iv) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (v) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;

- (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
- (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
- (vi) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;
- (vii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
- (viii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company; and
- (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;

- (i) the Company shall provide copies of each of the Required Consents to UM, which shall have been obtained, not repudiated, in full force and effect and in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to UM;
- (j) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (k) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (l) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar

or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term “personal data” under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li> <li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li> </ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

1. **Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

2. **Information**

2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

3. **Business Plan**

- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

4. **Accounts**

- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
- 4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:
- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
  - (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
  - (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;



- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**7. Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.

- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a "readily convertible asset" as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

## **8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.

- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor the Key Person nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
9. **Properties**
- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.
10. **Intellectual Property**
- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between the Key Person and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between the Key Person and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

**13. Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the “**Employment Agreements**”) are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the “**Incentive Plans**”) for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the “**Benefit Plans**” and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the “**Employee Plans**”) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.

- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a "relevant transfer" for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the "Confidential Information Agreements"). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person's Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any "parachute payment" as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

14. **Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any

conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.



- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

- (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
15. **Records and registers**
- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
16. **Insurance**
- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.
17. **Group structure**
- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.
18. **Agreements and capital commitments**
- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;

- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.





SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

**Country of Incorporation:** England & Wales  
**Registered number:** 09301325  
**Registered office:** 158 – 160 North Gower Street, London, NW1 2ND  
**Directors:** Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell  
**Secretary:** None  
**Accounting reference date:** 31 December  
**Charges:** None  
**Auditors:** Rawlinson & Hunter Audit LLP  
**Issued share capital:** £11,305,994, consisting of 11,305,994 ordinary shares of £0.001 each  
**Shareholder:** UM

This Agreement has been entered into on the date inserted on the first page of this Agreement:

Executed by <u>Richard Lee</u>	)
for and on behalf of	)
<b>UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED</b>	) /s/ Richard Lee
	Signature
Executed by <u>Steve Holmes</u>	)
for and on behalf of	)
<b>CAPELLA BIOSCIENCE LTD</b>	) /s/ Dr. Steve Holmes
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*Private & Confidential*

Dated

23 January 2021

**INEXIA LIMITED**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **INEXIA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 11607985 with its registered office at 24 Chiswell St, London, United Kingdom, EC1Y 4YX (the "Company");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "Sellers", and each a "Seller"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("UM"),  
  
(each a "Party" and together, the "Parties").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term " <b>control</b> " (including, the correlative meanings, " <b>controlled by</b> " and " <b>under common control with</b> ") means: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or</li><li>(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;</li></ol>
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;

<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of intranasal orexin receptor agonists and positive modulators, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by the Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means:

- (a) the subscription and shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 31 January 2019 entered into between the Investors, the Manager, the Other Shareholder (each as defined therein) and the Company; and
- (b) the Management Rights Letter, dated 31 January 2019, entered into by (1) the Company, and (2) Medixi Ventures I LP;

<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and "Group Company" shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Person</b>	means [####]

<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Sale Shares include series A shares of €0.0001 each in the capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Required Consents</b>	means all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of, and all necessary notices to, any parties to any Material Contract as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such Material Contracts to remain in full force and effect (including to obtain waivers of any termination rights that are triggered as a result of entering into this Agreement or the Completion), as the case may be, so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, such Material Contract from and after the Completion for the benefit of UM and the Company;
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means each of Francesco De Rubertis, Mario Alberto Accardi, Remy Luthringer and Emiliangelo Ratti;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 92.5% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;

<b>Share Restriction Deeds</b>	means the share restriction deeds to be entered into at Completion by the Company and each Unvested Seller (each in the agreed form);
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Unvested Sellers</b>	[####]
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means the Key Person, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "Person" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);



- (b) references to a “company” shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
  - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents “in **the agreed form**” are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms “including”, “include”, in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to “writing” and “written” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to “shall” and “will” are to be interpreted the same;

- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) “€” or “euros” denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
- (s) “£” or “pounds sterling” denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company’s Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller’s name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the “Contribution”). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company’s Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements, the Company’s Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers’ obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM’s liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM’s Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
  - (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM’s Constitution;

- (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
- (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

### 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
  - (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
  - (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

### 4. CONDITION

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
  - (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (Confidentiality) and clause 12 (Announcements)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.

- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

**5. UM WARRANTIES**

- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates,and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or

(iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;

- (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,
- and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
  - (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
  - (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
  - (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

## 7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor.

- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor)

or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.

- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

#### **9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

#### **10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
  - (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.



10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:

- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
- (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
- (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
- (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.

10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

#### **11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.

11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:

- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
- (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
  - (i) applicable law;
  - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
  - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or

## **12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.
- 12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

## **13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

## **14. COSTS**

- 14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

## **15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

## **16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

## **17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docuSign.com](http://www.docuSign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

- (a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or
- (b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1, or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender, except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*





**SCHEDULE 2 : COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of the Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to the Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of the Required Consents and the circulation of these to those parties to such Required Consents;
  - (iii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iv) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (v) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
    - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
    - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;

- (vi) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;
  - (vii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (viii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company; and
  - (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement, the Share Restriction Deeds and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller and Heptares Therapeutics Limited) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) UM shall sign the Share Restriction Deeds and deliver the relevant Share Restriction Deed to each Unvested Seller, and each Unvested Seller shall sign and deliver their relevant Share Restriction Deed to the Company;
- (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (i) the Company shall provide copies of each of the Required Consents to UM, which shall have been obtained, not repudiated, in full force and effect and in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to UM;



- (j) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (k) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (l) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (m) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

**SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES**

**For the purposes of this Schedule:**

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the fifteen (15) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date, a statement of changes in equity and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar

or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

**ITEPA**

means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;

**Management Accounts**

means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;

**Management Accounts Date**

means 30 November 2020;

**Personal Data**

has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;

**Properties**

means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;

**Securities Act**

means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;

**Social Obligations**

means:

- (a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and
- (b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;

**Tax Return**

means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;

**VAT**

means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;

**VATA**

means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and

**Workers**

has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

**1. Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 [Intentionally left blank.]
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor.
- The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 [Intentionally left blank.]
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

2. **Information**

2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

3. **Business Plan**

3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.

3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.

3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.

3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.

3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.

3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

4. **Accounts**

4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.

4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
- (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;

- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

7. **Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.

- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a "readily convertible asset" as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

**8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.



- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor the Key Person nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
9. **Properties**
- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.
10. **Intellectual Property**
- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between the Key Person and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between the Key Person and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 The Key Person nor any person connected with the Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

13. **Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "Employment **Agreements**") are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the "Benefit Plans" and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the "Employee **Plans**") in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an "associate" of or "connected" with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.

- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a "relevant transfer" for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the "Confidential Information Agreements"). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person's Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any "parachute payment" as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

**14. Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any

conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.

- 14.5 The Key Person has not:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

- (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
15. **Records and registers**
- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
16. **Insurance**
- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.
17. **Group structure**
- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.
18. **Agreements and capital commitments**
- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;



- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.





SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	11607985
<b>Registered office:</b>	24 Chiswell St, London, United Kingdom, EC1Y 4YX
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£579.0599, consisting of 5,790,599 Ordinary Shares
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM

This Agreement has been entered into on the date inserted on the first page of this Agreement:

Executed by Richard Lee )  
for and on behalf of )  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED** ) /s/ Richard Lee  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Executed by [####] ) [####]  
for and on behalf of ) [####]  
**INEXIA LIMITED** ) [####]  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Executed by [####] )  
for and on behalf of )  
[####] ) [####]  
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Director

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Director

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Dated

23 January

2021

**JANPIX LIMITED**  
**AND**  
**THE SELLERS**  
**AND**  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**  
**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**





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THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT (this “Agreement”) is made on 23 January 2021

**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **JANPIX LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 08709519 with its registered office at C/o Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, London, England, W1F 9LT (the “Company”);
  - (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the “Sellers”, and each a “Seller” ); and
  - (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (“UM”),
- (each a “Party” and together, the “Parties”).

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will and transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller’s name in column (4) of Schedule 1, UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

- Act** means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
- Affiliate** means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term “control” (including, the correlative meanings, “controlled by” and “under common control with” ) means:
- (a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or
  - (b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;
- Applicable Law(s)** means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
- Board** means the board of directors of UM;
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<b>Business</b>	means the business of research, development and commercialisation of modulators of STAT 3 and/or STAT 5 proteins and uses in relation to human diseases, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);

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<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means:  (a) the Subscription and shareholders' Agreement, dated 5 October 2020, entered into by (1) the Investors, (2) Roman Fleck, (3) the Inventors, (4) the University, (5) the Other Shareholders (in each case as defined therein) and (6) the Company; and  (b) the Management Rights Letter, dated 23 September 2020, entered into by (1) the Company, (2) Medicixi Secondary I LP and (3) Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), L.P.;
<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means:  (a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);  (b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and  (c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time (being Janpix Holdings as at Completion) and "Group Company" shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

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<b>Janpix Holdings</b>	means Janpix Holdings, Inc., a Delaware incorporated company with company number 001296600 with its registered office at CIC / 14 <sup>th</sup> Floor One Broadway Cambridge 02142 MA USA;
<b>Key Persons</b>	[#####]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Sale Shares consist of preferred shares of €0.0001 each in the share capital of the company, series A preferred shares of €0.0001 each in the company or series B preferred shares of 0.0001 each in the share capital of the company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[#####]
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means each of Roman Fleck, Giovanni Mariggi and Sanford Zweifach;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than seventy five per cent (75%) of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;

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<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
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- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
  - (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
  - (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
    - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
    - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
    - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
  - (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
  - (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
  - (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
  - (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
  - (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
  - (l) references to documents “**in the agreed form**” are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
  - (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
  - (n) any phrase introduced by the terms “**including**”, “**include**”, in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
  - (o) references to “**writing**” and “**written**” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
  - (p) references “**shall**” and “**will**” are to be interpreted the same;
  - (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
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(r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and

(s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the Contribution). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.

2.2 Each Seller hereby:

(a) waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the company's Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements, the company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever; and

(b) agrees that the transactions contemplated under this Agreement shall not be treated as a "Share Sale" under the company's Constitution,

and each of the preferred sellers waives any entitlement they would otherwise be entitled to pursuant to article 5 and 6 of the company's articles of association if the transactions contemplated under this agreement were treated as a 'Share Sale' under the Company's Constitution.

2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1. Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).

2.4 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.

2.5 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:

(a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;

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- (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
- (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
- (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

### 3. COMPLETION

3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).

3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.

3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.

3.4 If:

- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
- (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Seller's Majority shall,

be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:

- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
- (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
- (iii) terminate this Agreement.

### 4. CONDITION

4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.

4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.

4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:

- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
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(b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.

4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:

- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
- (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

#### 5. **UM WARRANTIES**

5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates,

and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;

- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
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- (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
- (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
- (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
- (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.

5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
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- (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,
- and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
- (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.
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**7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY**

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.
- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purpose of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

**8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
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- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim from issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable), and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under the law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

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**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:

- (a) any Confidential Information; and
- (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.

10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:

- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
- (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
- (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
- (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.

10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

**11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.

11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:

- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
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- (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
  - (i) applicable law;
  - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
  - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
  - (iv) any court order.

**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.

12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between

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any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.

- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.
- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Seller's Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a Permitted Assignee means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
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21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., www.docuSign.com) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non- contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

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26. **JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

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SCHEDULE 1 : SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (#####)
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## SCHEDULE 2: COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

### 1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to each Group Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the relevant Group Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

### 2. AT COMPLETION

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
  - (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
    - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
    - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
    - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
    - (iv) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
      - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
      - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
      - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
    - (v) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;
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- (vi) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (vii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company;
  - (viii) amend the accounting reference date to 31 December; and
  - (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the board of directors of Janpix Holdings shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of Janpix Holdings shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which Janpix Holdings shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the shareholder resolutions and the certificate of incorporation to be adopted on or before Completion by Janpix Holdings and the circulation of these to the Company;
  - (ii) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of Janpix Holdings;
  - (iii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Indemnity Deed with each New Director;
  - (iv) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of Janpix Holdings; and
  - (v) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of Janpix Holdings under this Agreement;
- (d) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (e) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
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- (f) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
  - (g) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
  - (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
  - (i) the Company and Janpix Holdings shall make all filings with Companies House as may be required by the actions set out in this Agreement;
  - (j) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
  - (k) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement; and
  - (l) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.
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### SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) in respect of the Company, the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto; and</li><li>(b) in respect of Janpix Holdings, the financial statements of Janpix Holdings for the twelve (12) month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form;</li></ul>
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) in respect of the Company, 30 September 2019; and</li><li>(b) in respect of Janpix Holdings, 30 June 2019;</li></ul>
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	Means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statement of material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central,

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state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;

**Information Commissioner**

has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;

**Intellectual Property**

means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

**ITEPA**

means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;

**Management Accounts**

means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;

**Management Accounts Date**

means 30 November 2020;

**Personal Data**

has the same meaning as the term "personal Data" under the Data Protection Legislation;

**Properties**

means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;

**Securities Act**

means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;

**Social Obligations**

means:

- (a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and
- (b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;

**Tax Return**

means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;

**VAT**

means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar

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nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;

**VATA**

means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and

**Workers**

has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

**1. Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
  - 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
  - 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
  - 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
  - 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
  - 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
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- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreement, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.
2. **Information**
- 2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) - (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.
3. **Business Plan**
- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.
4. **Accounts**
- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
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4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
- (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
  - (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
  - (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
  - (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
  - (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
  - (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
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- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;
- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

7. **Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
  - 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
  - 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
  - 7.4 All documents to which the company is a part or which from part of the company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
  - 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
  - 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
  - 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
  - 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group,
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(ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.

- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.
- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any in securities or interests in securities in a from which is or could be treated as "readily convertible asset" as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under section 83 (b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected person and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.
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8. **Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

9. **Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

10. **Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on
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behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.

10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:

- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
- (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.

10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:

- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
- (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.

10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:

- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
- (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
- (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.

10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.

10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any such Intellectual Property.

10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.

10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.

10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade

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secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.

10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.

10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

11. **Assets, debts and stock**

11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.

11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.

11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

12. **Contracts with connected persons**

12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.

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- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or shareholders and /or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.
- 12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.
13. **Employment and consultancy arrangements**
- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "Employment Agreements") are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plan (the "Benefit Plan" and collectively with the Employment Agreement and the Incentive Plan, the "Employee Plan") in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to
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provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.

- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any parachute payment as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).
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14. **Statutory and legal requirements**

14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:

- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's Knowledge, any of its contractors or agent has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;
  - (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official there of or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary
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disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.

- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more “critical technologies” within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of “covered investment critical infrastructure” within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly of “sensitive personal data” of U.S. citizen within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.
- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar
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applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and

(f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.

14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:

(a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.

(b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:

(i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and

(ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

(c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.

14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.

15. **Records and registers**

15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.

15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceeding to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's person with significant control ("PSC" register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.

16. **Insurance**

16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:

(a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;

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(b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and

(c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.

16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

17. **Group structure**

17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

18. **Agreements and capital commitments**

18.1 The Company:

(a) has no material capital commitments;

(b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;

(c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;

(d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;

(e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;

(f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;

(g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;

(h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;

(i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;

(j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;

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(k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;

(l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or

(m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.

18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to **that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis**.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.

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SCHEDULE 4 : UM CAPITALISATION TABLE

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SCHEDULE 5: PARTICULARS OF THE GROUP COMPANIES

Particulars of the Company

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	08709519
<b>Registered office:</b>	C/o Medicxi, 25 Great Pulteney Street, London, England, W1F 9LT
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	The Cambridge Partnership Limited
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	HBB Audit Limited
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	€34.018, consisting of 340,180 ordinary shares of €0.0001
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM

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**Particulars of Janpix Holdings**

**Country of Incorporation:** Delaware (US)

**Registered number:** 001296600 (MA); EIN 82-2445916

**Registered office:** CIC / 14th Floor One Broadway Cambridge 02142 MA USA

**Directors / Officers:** Saurabh Saha  
Iqbal Hussain  
Marella Thorell

**Agent:** C T Corporation System

**Accounting reference date:** 31 December

**Charges:** None

**Auditors:** None

**Issued share capital:** \$0.50, consisting of 5,000 common shares of \$0.0001 each

**Shareholder:** The Company

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This Agreement has been entered into on the date inserted on the first page of this Agreement:

Executed by Richard Lee )  
for and on behalf of )  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED** )

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Dated

23 January 2021

LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LTD

AND

THE SELLERS

AND

UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT



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THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT (this “Agreement”) is made on 23 January 2021

**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LTD (formerly known as Ultrahuman Six Limited)**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 10650186 with its registered office at C/O Kreston Reeves LLP, Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF (the “Company”);
  - (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the “Sellers”, and each a “Seller”); and
  - (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (“UM”),
- (each a “Party” and together, the “Parties”).

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller’s name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

**Act** means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;

**Affiliate** means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term “control” (including, the correlative meanings, “controlled by” and “under common control with”) means:

- (a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or
- (b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;

**Applicable Law(s)** means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;

**Board** means the board of directors of UM;

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<b>Business</b>	means the business of research and development of novel therapeutic antibodies, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the subscription and shareholders' agreement relating to the Company entered into on 6 April 2017 between the</li> </ul>

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Investors, the Founders and the Company (each as defined therein); and  
(b) the ERISA Rights Letter, entered into by (1) the Company, and (2) Index Ventures Life VI (Jersey), L.P. in connection with the subscription and shareholders' agreement;

**Financing** has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;

**Framework Agreement** means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;

**Fully Diluted Share Capital** means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis):(a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);

**Fundamental Warranty** means:

(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);

(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and

(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;

**Fundamental Warranty Claim** means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;

**Governmental Authority** means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;

**Group Companies** means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time (being Ultrahuman Two and Ultrahuman Four at Completion), and "Group Company" shall mean any one of them;

**HMRC** means HM Revenue & Customs;

**IPO** means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

**Key Persons** [####]

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<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose shares in the Company on the date of this Agreement include series A shares of £0.00001 each in the capital of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means James Coleman, William Finlay, Francesco De Rubertis and Kevin Johnson;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 100% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;

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<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>Ultrahuman Four</b>	means Ultrahuman Four Limited, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 10650089 with its registered office at C/O Kreston Reeves LLP, Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF;
<b>Ultrahuman Two</b>	means Ultrahuman Two Limited, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 10645698 with its registered office at C/O Kreston Reeves LLP, Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
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- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
  - (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
  - (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
    - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
    - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
    - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
  - (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
  - (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
  - (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
  - (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
  - (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
  - (l) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
  - (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
  - (n) any phrase introduced by the terms "**including**", "**include**", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
  - (o) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
  - (p) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
  - (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
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(r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and

(s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "**Contribution**"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
- (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.
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**3. COMPLETION**

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,

be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:

- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
- (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
- (iii) terminate this Agreement.

**4. CONDITION**

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
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- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
- (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

#### 5. UM WARRANTIES

5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates,and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,
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in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
- (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.

5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
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- (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

## 7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor.
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- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from
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proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.

- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
- (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
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- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
- (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
- (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
- (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.

10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

## 11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.

11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:

- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
    - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
    - (iv) any court order.
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**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.

12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.

17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.

17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

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17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.

17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.

17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

#### **18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

#### **19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

#### **20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.

20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.

20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

#### **21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

#### **22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docusign.com](http://www.docusign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient

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to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

- (a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or
- (b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*

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SCHEDULE 1 : SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (€)
[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]
[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]	[#####]
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## SCHEDULE 2 : COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

### 1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to each Group Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the relevant Group Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

### 2. AT COMPLETION

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
  - (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
    - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
    - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
    - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
    - (iv) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
      - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
      - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
      - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
    - (v) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;
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- (vi) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (vii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company; and
  - (viii) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) the Company shall procure a meeting of the board of directors of Ultrahuman Two shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of Ultrahuman Two shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which Ultrahuman Two shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the shareholder resolutions and the new articles of association to be adopted on or before Completion by Ultrahuman Two and the circulation of these to the Company;
  - (ii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (iii) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Ultrahuman Two;
  - (iv) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Ultrahuman Two; and
  - (v) pass any such other resolutions as may be required;
- (d) the Company shall procure a meeting of the board of directors of Ultrahuman Four shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of Ultrahuman Four shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which Ultrahuman Four shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the shareholder resolutions and the new articles of association to be adopted on or before Completion by Ultrahuman Four and the circulation of these to the Company;
  - (ii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (iii) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Ultrahuman Four;
  - (iv) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Ultrahuman Four; and
  - (v) pass any such other resolutions as may be required;
- (e) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
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- (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
  - (f) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
  - (g) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
  - (h) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
  - (i) the Company, Ultrahuman Two and Ultrahuman Four shall make all filings with Companies House as may be required by the actions set out in this Agreement;
  - (j) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
  - (k) each Group Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to each Group Company;
  - (l) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement; and
  - (m) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.
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### SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) in respect of the Company, the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date, a statement of changes in equity and the notes thereto;</li><li>(b) in respect of Ultrahuman Two Limited, the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date, a statement of changes in equity and the notes thereto;</li><li>(c) in respect of Ultrahuman Four Limited, the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date, a statement of changes in equity and the notes thereto;</li></ul>
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;

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<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;
<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li> <li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li> </ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any

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schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;

VAT

means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;

VATA

means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and

Workers

has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

1. **Share capital and authority**

1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.

1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*

1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.

1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*

1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.

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- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.
2. **Information**
- 2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.
3. **Business Plan**
- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.
4. **Accounts**
- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as
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the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.

4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
- (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
  - (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
  - (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
  - (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
  - (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
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- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;
- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

7. **Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
  - 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
  - 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
  - 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
  - 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
  - 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
  - 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
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- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.
- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a “**readily convertible asset**” as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company’s knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm’s length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
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7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

8. **Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

9. **Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

10. **Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
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- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.
- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
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- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.
- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.
11. **Assets, debts and stock**
- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.
12. **Contracts with connected persons**
- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
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- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.
- 12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.
13. **Employment and consultancy arrangements**
- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "**Employment Agreements**") are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the "Benefit Plans" and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the "**Employee Plans**") in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements
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have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.

- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).
14. **Statutory and legal requirements**
- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with,
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and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:

- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;
  - (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
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- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more “critical technologies” within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of “covered investment critical infrastructure” within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of “sensitive personal data” of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.
- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware
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there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and

(f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.

14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:

(a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.

(b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:

(i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and

(ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

(c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.

14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.

15. **Records and registers**

15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.

15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.

16. **Insurance**

16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:

(a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;

(b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and

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(c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.

16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

17. **Group structure**

17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

18. **Agreements and capital commitments**

18.1 The Company:

- (a) has no material capital commitments;
  - (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
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(m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.

18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.

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SCHEDULE 4 : UM CAPITALISATION TABLE

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SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	10650186
<b>Registered office:</b>	C/O Kreston Reeves LLP Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£20.88276, consisting of 2,088,276 ordinary shares of £0.00001
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM

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SCHEDULE 6 : PARTICULARS OF ULTRAHUMAN FOUR

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	10650089
<b>Registered office:</b>	C/O Kreston Reeves LLP Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£10, consisting of 1,000,000 Ordinary Shares of £0.00001 each
<b>Shareholder:</b>	Company

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SCHEDULE 7 : PARTICULARS OF ULTRAHUMAN TWO

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	10650186
<b>Registered office:</b>	C/O Kreston Reeves LLP Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£10, consisting of 1,000,000 Ordinary Shares of £0.00001 each
<b>Shareholder:</b>	Company

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This Agreement has been entered into on the date inserted on the first page of this Agreement:

Executed by Richard Lee )  
for and on behalf of )  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED** )

*Richard Lee*  
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Signature

Executed by \_\_\_\_\_ )  
for and on behalf of )  
**LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LIMITED** )

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Signature

Executed by \_\_\_\_\_ )  
for and on behalf of )  
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Executed by )  
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Acting by: )  
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Executed by )  
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Executed by )  
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Signature



[#####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both  
(i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

**Exhibit 10.18**

*Private & Confidential*

**Dated 23 January 2021**

**MORPHOGEN-IX LIMITED**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **MORPHOGEN-IX LIMITED** a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09686738 with its registered office at C/O The Cambridge Partnership Ltd, The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (the "**Company**");
  - (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
  - (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**").
- (each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

- Act** means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
- Affiliate** means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term "**control**" (including, the correlative meanings, "**controlled by**" and "**under common control with**") means:
- (a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or
  - (b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;
- Applicable Law(s)** means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
- Board** means the board of directors of UM;

<b>Business</b>	means the business of research, development and commercialisation of Bone Morphogenetic Protein 9 and 10 and variants of Bone Morphogenetic Protein 9 and 10 for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension and other disorders, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreement;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);



<b>Existing Agreement</b>	means the subscription and shareholders' agreement relating to the Company entered into on 14 December 2018 by the Investors, the Founders, the Other Shareholder and the Company (each as defined therein);
<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and " <b>Group Company</b> " shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depositary interests, American depositary receipts, American depositary shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);

<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose shares in the Company on the date of this Agreement include series A shares of £0.01 each in the capital of the Company and/or series B shares of £0.01 each in the capital of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means Dr Anne Dobree, Dr David Grainger, Dr Kevin Johnson, Professor Nicholas Morrell and Dr Robert Tansley;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 93% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;

<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;

- (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
- (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms "**including**", "**include**", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
- (s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto,

the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "Contribution"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.

- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreement or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreement, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
- (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

### 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.

- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,
- be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.
- 4. CONDITION**
- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

5. **UM WARRANTIES**

5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;

- (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

**6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES**

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;



(ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or

(iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

## 7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY

7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.

7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.

7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.

- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.

- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
- (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
  - (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect

shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);

- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

## **11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.

11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:

- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
- (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
  - (i) applicable law;
  - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
  - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
  - (iv) any court order.

## **12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.

12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

- 13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**
- The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.
- 14. COSTS**
- 14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.
- 15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**
- The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.
- 16. WAIVER**
- The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.
- 17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**
- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.
- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.

- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.
- 18. VARIATION**  
Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.
- 19. NO PARTNERSHIP**  
Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.
- 20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**
- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.
- 21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**
- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.
- 22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**  
This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docuSign.com](http://www.docuSign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.
- 23. NOTICES**
- 23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:
- (a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

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SCHEDULE 1 : SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (6)
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**SCHEDULE 2: COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to each Group Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the relevant Group Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (iv) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
    - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
    - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
  - (v) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;

- (vi) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
- (vii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company;
- (viii) amend the accounting reference date to 31 December; and
- (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (x) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iii) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (iv) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (xi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller and Cambridge Enterprise Limited) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (i) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (j) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (k) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

SCHEDULE 3: WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 July 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term “Data Protection Principles” under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA’s “Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities” policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the

foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li><li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li></ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

**1. Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

2. **Information**
- 2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.
3. **Business Plan**
- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.
4. **Accounts**
- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
- 4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:
- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
  - (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
  - (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.

- 4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.
5. **Management Accounts**
- 5.1 The Management Accounts:
- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
  - (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
  - (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.
- 5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.
6. **Events since the Accounts Date**
- Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):
- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
  - (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
  - (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
  - (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
  - (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
  - (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
  - (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
  - (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
  - (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;

- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

7. **Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.



- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a “**readily convertible asset**” as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company’s knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm’s length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.
8. **Litigation**
- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.

- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
9. **Properties**
- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.
10. **Intellectual Property**
- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees

- (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.
- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.
11. **Assets, debts and stock**
- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.
12. **Contracts with connected persons**
- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

- 12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.
13. **Employment and consultancy arrangements**
- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "**Employment Agreements**") are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the "Benefit Plans" and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the "**Employee Plans**") in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an "associate" of or "connected" with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous

employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.

- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).
14. **Statutory and legal requirements**
- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company’s knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any

conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.

- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.



- (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
15. **Records and registers**
- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
16. **Insurance**
- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.
17. **Group structure**
- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.
18. **Agreements and capital commitments**
- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;

- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.





SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

**Country of Incorporation:** England & Wales  
**Registered number:** 09686738  
**Registered office:** C/O The Cambridge Partnership Ltd, The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH  
**Directors:** Saurabh Saha  
Iqbal Hussain  
Marella Thorell  
**Secretary:** The Cambridge Partnership Limited  
**Accounting reference date:** 31 December  
**Charges:** None  
**Auditors:** HBB Audit Limited  
**Issued share capital:** £35,469.22, consisting of 3,546,922 ordinary shares of £0.01  
**Shareholder:** UM

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Dated 23 January 2021

OREXIA LIMITED

AND

THE SELLERS

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UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **OREXIA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 11607013 with its registered office at 24 Chiswell St, London, United Kingdom, EC1Y 4YX (the "**Company**");
  - (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
  - (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),
- (each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term " <b>control</b> " (including, the correlative meanings, " <b>controlled by</b> " and " <b>under common control with</b> ") means: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or</li><li>(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;</li></ol>
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;

<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of oral orexin receptor agonists and positive modulators, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreement;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by the Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreement</b>	means the subscription and shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 2 January 2019 entered into between the Investors, the Manager, the Other Shareholder (each as defined therein) and the Company as amended pursuant to a deed of variation dated 17 December 2019;

<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and “ <b>Group Company</b> ” shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Person</b>	[#####]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);

<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Sale Shares include series A shares of €0.0001 each in the capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Required Consents</b>	means all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of, and all necessary notices to, any parties to any Material Contract as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such Material Contracts to remain in full force and effect (including to obtain waivers of any termination rights that are triggered as a result of entering into this Agreement or the Completion), as the case may be, so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, such Material Contract from and after the Completion for the benefit of UM and the Company;
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means each of Francesco De Rubertis, Mario Alberto Accardi, Remy Luthringer and Emiliangelo Ratti;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 92.5% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Share Restriction Deeds</b>	means the share restriction deeds to be entered into at Completion by the Company and each Unvested Seller (each in the agreed form);
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;

<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): (a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and (b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Unvested Sellers</b>	[####]
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means the Key Person, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;

- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
  - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms "**including**", "**include**", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (Warranties and Liability) and 10 (Confidentiality) and schedule 3 (Warranties) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and

(s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "**Contribution**"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreement or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreement, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
- (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

**3. COMPLETION**

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall, be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
    - (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
    - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
    - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

**4. CONDITION**

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:



- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

**5. UM WARRANTIES**

- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or

- (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,
- and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
  - (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
  - (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
  - (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

## 7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor.

- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.

- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

9. **TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

10. **CONFIDENTIALITY**

10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:

- (a) any Confidential Information; and
- (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.

- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
  - (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
  - (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

## **11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- 11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.
- 11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:
- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
    - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
    - (iv) any court order.

**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.
- 12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

- 14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docusign.com](http://www.docusign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.



**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*

**SCHEDULE 1: SELLERS**

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (€)
[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]	[####]
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**SCHEDULE 2 : COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of the Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to the Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of the Required Consents and the circulation of these to those parties to such Required Consents;
  - (iii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iv) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (v) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
    - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
    - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;

- (vi) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;
  - (vii) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
  - (viii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company; and
  - (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
- (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement, the Share Restriction Deeds and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller and Heptares Therapeutics Limited) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) UM shall sign the Share Restriction Deeds and deliver the relevant Share Restriction Deed to each Unvested Seller, and each Unvested Seller shall sign and deliver their relevant Share Restriction Deed to the Company;
- (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (i) the Company shall provide copies of each of the Required Consents to UM, which shall have been obtained, not repudiated, in full force and effect and in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to UM;

- (j) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (k) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (l) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (m) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the fifteen (15) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date, a statement of changes in equity and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar



or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term “personal data” under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li><li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li></ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

1. **Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

2. **Information**

2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

3. **Business Plan**

3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.

3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.

3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.

3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.

3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.

3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

4. **Accounts**

4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.

4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
- (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;

- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

7. **Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.

- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a "readily convertible asset" as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

**8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.

- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor the Key Person nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

**9. Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

**10. Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees



(or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between the Key Person and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between the Key Person and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 The Key Person nor any person connected with the Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

**13. Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the “**Employment Agreements**”) are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the “**Incentive Plans**”) for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the “**Benefit Plans**” and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the “**Employee Plans**”) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous

employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.

- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

14. **Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
  - (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company’s knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any

conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.

- 14.5 The Key Person has not:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.

- (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
15. **Records and registers**
- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
16. **Insurance**
- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.
17. **Group structure**
- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.
18. **Agreements and capital commitments**
- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;

- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

19. **Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

20. **Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.







SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	England & Wales
<b>Registered number:</b>	11607013
<b>Registered office:</b>	24 Chiswell St, London, United Kingdom, EC1Y 4YX
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	£608.0131, consisting of 6,080,131 ordinary shares of £0.0001
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM

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for and on behalf of )  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED** ) /s/ Richard Lee  
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[#####] Certain information in this document has been omitted from this exhibit because it is both (i) not material and (ii) would be competitively harmful if publicly disclosed.

**Exhibit 10.20**

*Private & Confidential*

**Dated 23 January 2021**

**Z FACTOR LIMITED**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**





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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **Z FACTOR LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09274181 with its registered office at C/O The Cambridge Partnership Limited The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3AT (the "**Company**");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"), (each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Sale Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Sale Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

- 1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term " <b>control</b> " (including, the correlative meanings, " <b>controlled by</b> " and " <b>under common control with</b> ") means: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or</li><li>(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;</li></ol>
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;

<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of therapeutic agents to treat alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Company Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of the Company by written resolution in order to adopt the New Articles;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and (3);
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreement;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreement</b>	means the amended and restated subscription and shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 2 March 2017 entered into between the Investors, the Founder, the Other Shareholders (each as defined therein) and the Company;

<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and “ <b>Group Company</b> ” shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);

<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose shares in the Company on the date of this Agreement include Series Seed Shares or Series A Shares;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[#####] [#####]
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means each of Francesco De Rubertis, David Grainger, James Huntington and Christine Martin;
<b>Sale Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than 90% of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Series A Shares</b>	means series A shares with a nominal value of £0.01 each in the share capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Series Seed Shares</b>	means series seed shares with a nominal value of £0.01 each in the share capital of the Company having the rights given to them in the articles of association of the Company;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;

<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Sale Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Voting Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable voting power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of UM;
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular "Warranty" being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;

- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
  - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
- (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
- (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
- (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
- (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
- (l) references to documents “**in the agreed form**” are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
- (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms “**including**”, “**include**”, in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to “**writing**” and “**written**” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to “**shall**” and “**will**” are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (*Definitions and Interpretation*) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (*Warranties and Liability*) and 10 (*Confidentiality*) and schedule 3 (*Warranties*) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) “€” or “euros” denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
- (s) “£” or “pounds sterling” denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) shall sell, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company's Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Sale Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM shall purchase such Sale Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "**Contribution**"). Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Sale Shares, whether conferred by the Company's Constitution, the Existing Agreement or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreement, the Company's Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.
- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Sale Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
  - (a) hold such Sale Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Sale Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Sale Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Sale Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any general meeting of the Company.

## 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).



- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Sale Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Sale Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall,
- be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

#### 4. CONDITION

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

**5. UM WARRANTIES**

5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:

- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;

- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Sale Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;
- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Sale Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

## 7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.
- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.

- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

#### **8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date

falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.

- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

#### **9. TAX**

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

#### **10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
  - (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
  - (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);

- (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
  - (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

## 11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.
- 11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:
- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
    - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
    - (iv) any court order.

## 12. FURTHER ASSURANCE

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.

12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 2 November 2020.

17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.

17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.



- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docuSign.com](http://www.docuSign.com)) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*

SCHEDULE 1 : SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Sale Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (€)
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## SCHEDULE 2 : COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

### 1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

At or prior to Completion:

- (a) each of the Sellers shall deliver to UM:
  - (i) stock transfer forms in the agreed form in respect of the Sale Shares set out against its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1, duly executed by such Seller in favour of UM; and
  - (ii) share certificate(s) in respect of the Sale Shares (or, if required, an indemnity for lost share certificate(s) in a form reasonably acceptable to UM);
- (b) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date;
- (c) UM shall procure that each of the New Directors shall deliver to each Group Company a letter pursuant to which he expresses his willingness to act as a director of the relevant Group Company (in the agreed form);
- (d) the Company Resolutions shall be passed by the Sellers; and
- (e) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

### 2. AT COMPLETION

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) each Seller shall release their stock transfer form(s) and transfer the Sale Shares to UM;
- (b) a meeting of the board of directors of the Company shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of the Company shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which the Company shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the Company Resolutions and the New Articles and the circulation of these to the Sellers;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into each of the documents to be entered into by the Company which are referred to herein as being in agreed form;
  - (iv) subject to receipt of the stock transfer forms in relation to the Sale Shares duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated:
    - (A) register the transfer of the Sale Shares from the Sellers to UM;
    - (B) cancel the share certificates held by the Sellers in respect of the Sale Shares; and
    - (C) execute and deliver share certificate(s) to UM for the Sale Shares;
  - (v) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as directors of the Company;

- (vi) approve the form of and entry into the Director Deed of Indemnity with each New Director;
- (vii) approve the appointment of the New Directors as directors of the Company;
- (viii) amend the accounting reference date to 31 December; and
- (ix) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of the Company under this Agreement;
- (c) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (x) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iii) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (iv) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (xi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (d) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller and Cambridge Enterprise Limited) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (e) each Seller shall enter into and deliver to UM a Voting Power of Attorney;
- (f) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (g) UM shall deliver a notice to the Company confirming that it is a registrable relevant legal entity (within the meaning of section 790C of the Act) in relation to the Company;
- (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (i) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (j) the Company shall make all filings with Companies House as made be required by the actions set out in this Agreement; and
- (k) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made, including submitting stock transfer forms for stamping.

SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 October 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar



or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li><li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li></ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

1. **Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

**2. Information**

2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

**3. Business Plan**

3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.

3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.

3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.

3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.

3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.

3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

**4. Accounts**

4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.

4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
- (d) all Taxation.

4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

5. **Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

6. **Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;

- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**7. Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.

- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a “readily convertible asset” as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company’s knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm’s length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

## **8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.

- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

**9. Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

**10. Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.

- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.



- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

13. **Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the “**Employment Agreements**”) are included in the Disclosure Letter.
- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the “**Incentive Plans**”) for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the “**Benefit Plans**” and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the “**Employee Plans**”) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.

- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a "relevant transfer" for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the "Confidential Information Agreements"). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person's Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any "parachute payment" as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

**14. Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any

conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.

- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.
  - (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.

14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.

**15. Records and registers**

15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.

15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.

**16. Insurance**

16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:

- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
- (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
- (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.

16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

**17. Group structure**

17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

**18. Agreements and capital commitments**

18.1 The Company:

- (a) has no material capital commitments;

- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
  - (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

**19. Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

**20. Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

21. **Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.







SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

**Country of Incorporation:** England & Wales  
**Registered number:** 09274181  
**Registered office:** C/O The Cambridge Partnership Limited The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3AT  
**Directors:** Saurabh Saha  
Iqbal Hussain  
Marella Thorell  
**Secretary:** The Cambridge Partnership Limited  
**Accounting reference date:** 31 December  
**Charges:** None  
**Auditors:** HBB Audit Limited  
**Issued share capital:** £31,787.11, consisting of 3,178,711 ordinary shares of £0.01  
**Shareholder:** UM

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**Dated 23 January 2021**

**THE SELLERS**  
**AND**  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**  
**IN THE PRESENCE OF**  
**PEGA-ONE S.A.S.**  
  
**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns (1) and (2) of Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (2) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),  
  
(each a "**Party**" and together with the Company (as defined below), the "**Parties**").

**IN THE PRESENCE OF:**

- (3) **PEGA-ONE S.A.S.**, a French *société par actions simplifiée*, registered with the French *registre du commerce et des sociétés* under number 853 093 458 RCS Créteil and with its registered office at 1, Mail du Professeur Georges Mathé – Villejuif Bio Park – 94800 Villejuif (France) (the "**Company**").

**WHEREAS:**

- (A) In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree that each Seller will transfer to UM the Contribution Shares set opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers all such Contribution Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares (as defined below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of Schedule 1.
- (B) [###]
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**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

**Act** means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;

**Affiliate** means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term "**control**" (including, the correlative meanings, "**controlled by**" and "**under common control with**") means:

	(a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or
	(b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;
<b>Business</b>	means the business of the research and development of Imgatuzumab an Anti EGFR antibody to be used alone and in combination in the treatment of cancer, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in any of the following locations) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England) and Paris (France);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the agreed form and attached to the Portfolio Company Agreement;
<b>Call Option Agreement</b>	means the call option agreement to be entered into on or before Completion by the Company with each of the Unvested Sellers (in the agreed form) in respect of such portion of their UM Shares as is set out in such agreement;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for Loss as a result of any breach of Warranty;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Contribution Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Condition</b>	means the delivery of the UM Confirmation (as defined in the Framework Agreement) to the Company in accordance with the Framework Agreement;
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in section 17 of the Act;
<b>Contribution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>Contribution Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by each Group Company with each New Director;



<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter in the agreed form from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before the date of this Agreement;
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>Existing Agreement</b>	means the investment agreement relating to the Company entered into on 31 March 2020 among Pegascy S.A.S., FCPI Biodiscovery 5, Medicxi (MG1) S.a.r.l. and the Company;
<b>Financing</b>	has the meaning given in the Framework Agreement;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of this Agreement between, inter alia, the Company and UM;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>
<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and “ <b>Group Company</b> ” shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American

	depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);
<b>Key Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 5 February 2021 (or such later date as provided for in the Framework Agreement);
<b>Loss</b>	means the diminution in the value of the Sale Shares or UM Shares (as applicable);
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);
<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Initial Leadership Team (as defined therein), in the agreed form;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Contribution Shares consist of A Shares of €0.01 each in the capital of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Required Consents</b>	means all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of, and all necessary notices to, any parties to any Material Contract as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such Material Contracts to remain in full force and effect (including to obtain waivers of any termination rights that are triggered as a result of entering into

	this Agreement or the Completion), as the case may be, so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, such Material Contract from and after the Completion for the benefit of UM and the Company;
<b>Resigning Directors</b>	means Jean-Pierre Sommadossi, Jean-Pierre Armand, Sofia Ioannidou, Michele Ollier, Biotech Value Advisors represented by Mr. Demetrios Kydonieus and Thierry Hercend;
<b>Seller</b>	means, for the avoidance of doubt, the contributors who shall contribute the Contribution Shares exclusively in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares;
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means Sellers representing not less than ninety per cent (90%) of the total voting rights of the Company immediately prior to Completion;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world and any interest, fines, penalties, assessments or additions to tax imposed with respect thereto;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Termination Agreement</b>	means the termination agreement (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreement;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the UM Shareholders' Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Contribution Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion (in the agreed form);
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion, in the form agreed between UM and those Sellers that are required to enter into such agreement at Completion;
<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>Unvested Sellers</b>	[#####]
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular "Warranty" being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

- 1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:
- (a) references to a “**Person**” shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (b) references to a “**company**” shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
  - (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
  - (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
  - (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
  - (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
    - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
    - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and
    - (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
  - (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
  - (h) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
  - (i) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
  - (j) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
  - (k) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
  - (l) references to documents “**in the agreed form**” are documents in the form agreed by or on behalf of the Company and UM;
  - (m) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;

- (n) any phrase introduced by the terms “including”, “include”, in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
- (o) references to “writing” and “written” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words;
- (p) references to “shall” and “will” are to be interpreted the same;
- (q) references in clause 1 (Definitions and Interpretation) (in so far as they are used in the clauses and schedules referred to in this clause), clauses 7 (Warranties and Liability) and 10 (Confidentiality) and schedule 3 (Warranties) to the Company and the Board shall include each Group Company and the directors for the time being of those Group Companies;
- (r) “€” or “euros” denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
- (s) “£” or “pounds sterling” denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) hereby contributes, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Company’s Constitution) and with full title guarantee together with all rights and benefits (including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends of the Company) now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Contribution Shares set out opposite such Seller’s name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM acquires such Contribution Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the “Contribution”) which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares. Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Contribution Shares, whether conferred by the Company’s Constitution, the Existing Agreement or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreement, the Company’s Constitution and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers’ obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1.
- 2.4 Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(i) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM’s liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.4 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.5 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM’s Constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the Completion Date with respect to such UM Shares.

- 2.6 Each Seller, in respect of itself only, undertakes to UM that, if and for so long as such Seller remains the registered holder of any of the Contribution Shares after Completion, such Seller shall:
- (a) hold such Contribution Shares together with all dividend and any other distributions of profits or other assets in respect of such Contribution Shares, and all rights arising out of or in connection with them, on trust for UM;
  - (b) at all times after Completion, deal with and dispose of such Contribution Shares, dividends, distributions, assets and rights as UM shall direct and at all times in accordance with UM's Constitution;
  - (c) exercise all voting rights attached to such Contribution Shares in such manner as UM shall direct (including by the execution of any written shareholder resolution of the Company); and
  - (d) if required by UM, execute all instruments of proxy or other documents as may be necessary to enable UM to attend and vote at any shareholders' meeting of the Company.

### 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place by the release of electronic signatures on the Completion Date (being such date and time determined by UM which shall be no later than the Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition).
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Contribution Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Contribution Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.
- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers and/or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall, be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
    - (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
    - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
    - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

### 4. CONDITION

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.

- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3.
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially best efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially best efforts to:
- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.5 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).

## 5. UM WARRANTIES

- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or

- (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
    - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
  - (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
  - (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal and beneficial title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
  - (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the capitalisation table in Schedule 4.
- 5.2 For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of this clause 5, the Affiliates of UM shall be those persons that are Affiliates of UM at the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Completion Date.

## **6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES**

- 6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the Completion Date:
- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the Completion Date;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;



- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates;
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates; or
  - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, any of its respective Affiliates,and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
- (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:
  - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its Constitution;
  - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or
  - (iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;
- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the Contribution Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up, and other than such Contribution Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;

- (i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and
- (j) other than the Contribution Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date.

**7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY**

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of this Agreement. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.
- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors hereby confirms that, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of this Agreement having made reasonable enquiry of each other Warrantor and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if they had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

**8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).

- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the Completion Date. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.4. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.4 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.

**9. TAX**

9.1 UK Taxation

UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.

9.2 French Taxation

The Contribution taking the form of a contribution in kind (contribution “à titre pur et simple” remunerated exclusively by shares) against newly issued shares of UM, it shall not be subject to French transfer tax.

**10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:

- (a) any Confidential Information; and
- (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.

10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:

- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
- (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
- (c) any Preference Seller shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10);
- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
- (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.

10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion until the date falling ten (10) Business Days after the expiration of the relevant statute of limitation period.

**11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.2, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.

11.2 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:

- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
- (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
  - (i) applicable law;
  - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
  - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
  - (iv) any court order.

**12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.

12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

14.1 The Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 31 October 2020.
- 17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.
- 17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.
- 17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.
- 17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.
- 17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

- 20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.
- 20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.
- 20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

- 21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.
- 21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Agreement (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., www. docusign.com) or by facsimile and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the Parties to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**23. NOTICES**

- 23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:
- (a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or
  - (b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,
- or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.
- 23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:
- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
  - (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
  - (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*



SCHEDULE 1 : SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address	(3) Email Address	(4) Contribution Shares	(5) Number of UM Shares	(6) Maximum Aggregate Liability (€)
[###]	[###]	[###]	[###]	[###]	[###]
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**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

1.1 At or prior to Completion:

- (a) the Sellers shall procure that each of the Resigning Directors shall deliver to UM the written resignations (in the agreed form) as directors of each Group Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date; and
- (b) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

2.1 At Completion:

- (a) a meeting of the board of directors of UM shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the board of directors of UM shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement, the Call Option Agreements and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
  - (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (b) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (c) each relevant Seller and the Company sign and deliver (and the Company shall procure that each other party sign and deliver) to UM its signature to the Termination Agreement;
- (d) UM shall sign and deliver a Call Option Agreement to each Unvested Seller, and each Unvested Seller shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (e) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (f) the Company shall provide copies of each of the Required Consents to UM, which shall have been obtained, not repudiated, in full force and effect and in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to UM;

- (g) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement;
- (h) the Company shall transcribe without delay said Contribution into its securities register and its individual shareholders' accounts with effect as of the Completion Date; and
- (i) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made.

**SCHEDULE 3: WARRANTIES**

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) Month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the

foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;

<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term “personal data” under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li><li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li></ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008.

**1. Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption),

no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.

- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- 1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

**2. Information**

- 2.1 The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 5 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

**3. Business Plan**

- 3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.
- 3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

**4. Accounts**

- 4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
- 4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:
- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
  - (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
  - (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.
- 4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

**5. Management Accounts**

**5.1 The Management Accounts:**

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

**6. Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;
- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and



- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**7. Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.
- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.
- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.

- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a “**readily convertible asset**” as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company’s knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm’s length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company is and since the time of its formation has been a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

## **8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.

- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

**9. Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

**10. Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.
- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:

- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.
- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to

any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.

- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

**11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.
- 12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

**13. Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "Employment Agreements") are included in the Disclosure Letter.

- 13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 (as applicable).
- 13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the "Benefit Plans" and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the "**Employee Plans**") in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.
- 13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an "associate" of or "connected" with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a "relevant transfer" for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary

information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.

- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

#### **14. Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company’s knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company’s knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to

the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.
- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.
- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986.



- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.
  - (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and

all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.

**15. Records and registers**

- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.

**16. Insurance**

- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

**17. Group structure**

- 17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

**18. Agreements and capital commitments**

- 18.1 The Company:
- (a) has no material capital commitments;
  - (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;

- (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
  - (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
  - (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
  - (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
  - (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
  - (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
  - (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
  - (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
  - (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
  - (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
  - (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.
- 18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

**19. Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

**20. Social obligations**

- 20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.
- 20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

**21. Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.



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SCHEDULE 5 : PARTICULARS OF THE COMPANY

<b>Country of Incorporation:</b>	France
<b>Registered number:</b>	853 093 458
<b>Registered office:</b>	1 Mail du Professeur Georges Malthé, Villejuif Bio-Park, 94800 Villejuif, France
<b>Directors:</b>	Saurabh Saha Iqbal Hussain Marella Thorell
<b>Secretary:</b>	None
<b>Accounting reference date:</b>	31 December
<b>Charges:</b>	None
<b>Auditors:</b>	None
<b>Issued share capital:</b>	EUR 2,074.37, consisting of 207,437 ordinary shares of EUR 0.01
<b>Shareholder:</b>	UM

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**Recorded**

**31 December 2020**

at Frankfurt am Main

before the undersigning Notary

**Dr Christiane Mühe**

with her offices at

Frankfmi am Main, Germany,

appeared today

1. [#####]
- a) in his own name, and
- b) as managing director with the power to represent the company solely and being exempted from the restrictions of Section 181 of the German Civil Code (*Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch*) for and on behalf of



**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**, being registered with the commercial register (*Han-delsregister*) of the local court (*Amtsgericht*) of Dortmund under HRB 30673, having its registered seat at Dortmund, Germany, and business address at Otto-Hahn-Straße 15, 44227 Dortmund; and

- c) with power of attorney for and on behalf of  
[####]  
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[####];  
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- 2. [####] who is not acting in her own name but with power of attorney for and on behalf of  
[####]; and
- 3. [####] who is not acting in her own name but with power of attorney for and on behalf of  
[####]

4. [####] who is not acting in his own name but with power of attorney for and on behalf of [####]

The persons appearing identified themselves by presentation of their official photo identification card.

The persons appearing requested the notarization of the following agreement contained in this Deed in the English language and where referred to in the German language. The Notary, who has a good and sufficient command of the German and English language, confirmed that the persons appearing also have a good and sufficient command of the German and English language. The parties were advised by the Notary of their right to be provided with a written translation of this Deed to be attached hereto, but expressly waived any such right.

Upon enquiry, it was concluded by all parties that no prior involvement of the Notary exists within the meaning of Section 3 para. 1 no. 7 German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*). The Notary advised the person appearing on their disclosure obligation under the German Money Laundering Act (*Geldwäschegesetz*). They declared to act as described in this Deed and not for any third party.

Each person appearing declared that he/she does not assume any personal liability in connection with his/her acting as attorney in fact, in particular with respect to the validity of the powers of attorney presented to the officiating Notary, and all other parties accept such declaration. In case a certified copy of the relevant power of attorney is attached to this Deed, the original was presented to the Notary during notarisation. I, the undersigned Notary, herewith certify that the attached certified copies of the powers of attorney are true and complete copies of the respective original powers of attorney presented to me.

According to the inspection of the German Electronic Commercial Register yesterday, I, the Notary certify that (i) **PearlRiver Bio GmbH** is registered in the Electronic Commercial Register of the Local Court of Dortmund under HRB 30673 as a limited liability company (*Gesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung*) with registered seat in Dortmund, Germany and business address at Otto-Hahn-Straße 15, 44227 Dortmund, and (ii) [####] as managing director is authorized to represent PearlRiver Bio GmbH solely and is exempted from the restrictions of Section 181 of the German Civil Code (*Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch*).

According to the inspection of the German Electronic Commercial Register yesterday, I, the Notary certify that (i) [#####] (ii) [#####] as managing director is authorized to represent [#####] solely and is exempted from the restrictions of Section 181 of the German Civil Code (*Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch*).

According to the inspection of the German Electronic Commercial Register yesterday, I, the Notary certify that (i) [#####] (ii) [#####] as managing director is authorized to represent solely.

According to the inspection of the Luxembourg business register yesterday, I, the Notary certify that (i) [#####], and (ii) [#####].

The persons appearing then declared the following which they requested to be recorded in a notarial Deed:

Dated 31 December 2020

PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH

AND

THE SELLERS

AND

UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT



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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH**, a limited liability company incorporated in Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Dortmund under HRB 30673, having its registered office at Otto-Hahn-Str. 15, 44227 Dortmund, Germany (the "**Company**");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns and (1) of (2) Schedule 1 the (together "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),  
  
(each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

In accordance with the terms of this Agreement the Parties agree that the Sellers will each transfer to UM the Contribution Shares set opposite each Seller's name in column of (4) Schedule 1, and UM shall purchase from the Sellers, all such Contribution Shares, which together constitute the entire issued share capital of the Company, in exchange for the issue of the UM Shares defined (as below) to each Seller in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column of (5) Schedule 1.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

1.1 The following words and expressions used in this Agreement have the meanings given to them below:

<b>Act</b>	means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;
<b>Affiliate</b>	means, in relation to a Person, any Person or other business entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with such Person or any venture capital fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by or under common control with one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management or advisory company with, such Person. For purposes of this definition, the term "control" (including, the correlative meanings, "controlled by" and "under common control with") means:  (a) the direct or indirect ownership of more than 50% of the stock having the right to vote for directors thereof (or general partnership interests); or  (b) the ability to otherwise control the decisions of the board of directors or equivalent governing body thereof;
<b>Applicable Law(s)</b>	means all laws, regulations, directives, statutes, subordinate legislation, common law and civil codes of any jurisdiction, all judgments, orders, notices, instructions, decisions and awards of any court or competent authority or tribunal and all codes of practice having force of law, statutory guidance and policy notes;

<b>Applicable Value</b>	means the lower of: (a) the fair market value of the UM Shares as determined in accordance with the UM Articles; and (b) the deemed value of the UM Shares as at the date of Completion as set out in the Capitalisation Table;
<b>Board</b>	means the board of directors of UM;
<b>Business</b>	means the business operation of the Company, namely the development of small molecule inhibitors of ERBB for the treatment of cancer, as more fully described in the Business Plan;
<b>Business Day</b>	means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in any of the following locations) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England) and Frankfurt am Main (Germany);
<b>Business Plan</b>	means the business plan of the Company in the form agreed between the Parties as at Completion;
<b>Capitalisation Table</b>	means the capitalisation table of UM to be delivered by UM to the Sellers prior to Completion. The current version of the Capitalisation Table as of the date hereof is attached hereto as Schedule 8;
<b>Claim</b>	means any claim for any breach of Warranty;
<b>Completion</b>	means the completion of the sale and purchase of the Contribution Shares in accordance with clauses 2 and 3;
<b>Completion Date</b>	means the date on which Completion occurs;
<b>Conditions</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the Transaction Documents, the VSOP Arrangements and any other document required to be “in the agreed form” being in agreed form between the Parties;</li> <li>(b) UM’s written confirmation to the Company of the satisfaction (or waiver or deferral in whole or in part by UM to the extent permitted by Applicable Law) of all conditions under the Transaction Documents required to be satisfied prior to Completion; and</li> <li>(c) there being no judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or threatened that would frustrate the contribution and acquisition of the Contribution Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>Confidential Information</b>	means all information (whether oral or recorded in any medium) relating to the Business, financial or other affairs (including future plans and targets of any Group Company) which is treated as confidential by any Group Company or is by its nature confidential or which is not in the public domain;
<b>Constitution</b>	means the articles of association of the Company in effect as at the date of this Agreement;
<b>Constitution</b>	has the meaning given in clause 2.1;
<b>Contribution Shares</b>	means those shares in the Company set out in column (4) of Schedule 1;
<b>CTA 2010</b>	means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;



<b>Deed of Termination</b>	means the deed of termination (in the agreed form) terminating the Existing Agreements;
<b>Director Deed of Indemnity</b>	means the deed of indemnity (in the agreed form) to be entered into at Completion by the Company with each New Director;
<b>Disclosed</b>	means fairly disclosed to UM in the Disclosure Letter, with sufficient explanation and detail to enable UM to identify the nature, scope and implications of the matters disclosed;
<b>Disclosure Letter</b>	means the letter from the Warrantors to UM disclosing certain matters relating to certain of the Warranties dated on or before Completion, the draft front-end template of which as at the date of this Agreement is set out in Schedule 9 (and which for clarity does not yet contain any specific disclosures);
<b>Encumbrance</b>	means any mortgage, charge, security interest, lien, pledge, assignment by way of security, equity, claim, right of pre-emption, option, covenant, restriction, reservation, lease, trust, order, decree, judgment, title defect (including retention of title claim), conflicting claim of ownership or any other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever (whether or not perfected other than liens arising by operation of law);
<b>ERBB</b>	[###]
<b>Existing Agreements</b>	means the investment agreement and the shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 13 March 2019 (Agreement no. 23/2019 of the notary public Dr. Karsten Müller-Eising, Frankfurt am Main);
<b>Financing</b>	means a bona fide equity financing round occurring on or about the date of Completion in which UM raises an amount equal to at least USD 200 million in newly committed capital;
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	means the framework agreement to be entered into on or around the date of Completion between, inter alia, the Company and UM in the agreed form, the current draft of which as at the date of this Agreement is set out in Schedule 5;
<b>Fully Diluted Share Capital</b>	means the aggregate at the time of (in each case on an as converted basis): (a) the issued share capital of UM; and (b) all shares capable of being issued by UM pursuant to any outstanding rights to subscribe for, or convert any security into, shares as if all those outstanding rights had been exercised in full (including, without limitation, all shares capable of being issued by UM in respect of unallocated and/or unvested options);
<b>Fundamental Warranty</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in respect of the Sellers (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Warrantors), the warranties set forth in clause 6.1 other than clause 6.1(j);</li> <li>(b) in respect of those Sellers who are Warrantors, in addition to (a) above, the warranty set forth in clause 6.1(j); and</li> <li>(c) in respect of UM, the warranties set forth in clause 5;</li> </ul>

<b>Fundamental Warranty Claim</b>	means any claim for breach of any Fundamental Warranty;
<b>Governmental Authority</b>	means any foreign or domestic national, supranational, state, federal, provincial, local, or similar government, governmental, regulatory or administrative authority, agency or commission, or any court, agency or other body, organisation, group, stock market or exchange exercising any executive, legislative, judicial, quasi-judicial, regulatory or administrative function of government;
<b>Group Companies</b>	means the Company and each and any of its subsidiaries from time to time, and “ <b>Group Company</b> ” shall mean any one of them;
<b>HMRC</b>	means HM Revenue & Customs;
<b>Incentivisation Agreement</b>	means the agreement awarding certain key managers in the Company an incentivisation plan which enables them to receive a cash payment in the event of a sale of the Company and/or one of its lead assets, or in circumstances where marketing approval is obtained for one or both of its lead assets, to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the key managers, the current draft of which as at the date of this Agreement is set out in Schedule 7;
<b>IPO</b>	means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the offering or the initial public offering of) all or any of the UM Shares or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) on NASDAQ or the New York Stock Exchange or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 of the United Kingdom);
<b>Key Persons</b>	[###]
<b>Longstop Date</b>	means 31 January 2021;
<b>Material Contract</b>	means any written contract which a Group Company needs to remain in force in order that it can carry on its business in a manner that is not adverse to the current or future prospects of its business, an exhaustive list of such contracts being appended to the Disclosure Letter;
<b>NASDAQ</b>	means the NASDAQ Stock Market of the NASDAQ OMX Group Inc.;
<b>New Articles</b>	means the articles of association of the Company (in the agreed form) to be adopted on or before Completion;
<b>New Directors</b>	means such persons notified by UM to the Company prior to Completion;
<b>Ordinary Shares</b>	means the B ordinary shares in the share capital of UM having the rights given to them in the articles of association of UM;
<b>Permitted Assignee</b>	has the meaning given in clause 20.2;
<b>Person</b>	has the meaning given in clause 1.2(a);

<b>Portfolio Company Agreement</b>	means the agreement relating to the Company to be entered into at Completion by UM, the Company and the Key Persons in the agreed form, the current draft of which as at the date of this Agreement is set out in Schedule 6;
<b>Power of Attorney</b>	means an irrevocable power of attorney (in the agreed form) in favour of the directors of UM in respect of the performance by the principal of its obligations under the articles of association of UM in connection with or otherwise ancillary to an IPO;
<b>Preference Seller</b>	means any Seller whose Contribution Shares include A-shares of €1,00 each in the share capital of the Company;
<b>Relevant Claim</b>	means a Claim or Fundamental Warranty Claim;
<b>Relevant Persons</b>	[####]
<b>Sellers' Majority</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) prior to Completion, Sellers [####] representing not less than 50,1% of such Sellers' voting rights in the Company as at date of this Agreement; and</li> <li>(b) after Completion, Sellers representing not less than 75% of the Sellers' voting rights in the Company as at the date of this Agreement;</li> </ul>
<b>Share Transfer Agreement</b>	means the share transfer agreement in the agreed form, the current draft of which as at the date of this Agreement is set out in Schedule 4;
<b>Taxation</b>	means all forms of taxation, duties, rates, levies, contributions, withholdings, deductions, liabilities to account, charges and imposts whether imposed in the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world;
<b>Tax Authority</b>	means HMRC and any other governmental state, federal, provincial, local governmental or municipal authority, body or official whether of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, which is competent to impose or collect Taxation;
<b>Transaction Documents</b>	means this Agreement, the Framework Agreement, the Portfolio Company Agreement, the Incentivisation Agreement and those other documents referred to herein which are to be entered into on or before Completion in connection with the sale and purchase of the Contribution Shares;
<b>UM Articles</b>	means the articles of association of UM (in the agreed form) to be adopted by UM in connection with the Financing on or about Completion;
<b>UM Resolutions</b>	means the resolutions in the agreed form to be passed by the members of UM by written resolution in order to (amongst others): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) authorise the allotment of the UM Shares; and</li> <li>(b) waive pre-emption rights in respect of the allotment and issue of the UM Shares;</li> </ul>
<b>UM Shareholders' Agreement</b>	means the shareholders' agreement relating to UM to be entered into on or about Completion;

<b>UM Shares</b>	means those Ordinary Shares set out in column (5) of Schedule 1;
<b>VSOP Arrangements</b>	<p>means amendments to the current virtual share option plan entitlements held by certain members of the Company's management team which are currently being negotiated between the recipients, UM and the Company and whereby:</p> <p>(a) vested VSOPs shall be cancelled in exchange for newly issued shares in UM;</p> <p>(b) unvested VSOPs may be cancelled or exchanged for share options in UM subject to vesting; or</p> <p>(c) unvested VSOPs may be re-established as a liability of the Company with such amendments as may be agreed;</p> <p>provided that in each case the Parties shall consider in good faith granting coverage for taxes to the respective recipients (to be repaid from any net proceeds (as in clause 9.4 below) by the latter);</p>
<b>Warranties</b>	means the warranties given pursuant to clause 7 (references to a particular " <b>Warranty</b> " being, unless otherwise specified, to a statement set out in Schedule 3); and
<b>Warrantors</b>	means each of the Key Persons, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any other Seller.

1.2 In this Agreement, unless expressly stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires:

- (a) references to a "**Person**" shall include any natural person, individual, company, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (b) references to a "**company**" shall include any company, corporation or any body corporate (in each case, irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists);
- (c) references to one gender shall include all genders and references to the singular shall include the plural and vice versa;
- (d) a Person shall be deemed to be connected with another if that Person is connected with such other within the meaning of section 1122 of CTA 2010;
- (e) the words subsidiary, holding company, subsidiary undertaking, parent undertaking, undertaking and group shall have the same meaning in this Agreement as in the Act;
- (f) references to a statute or statutory provision shall include:
  - (i) that statute or provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated whether before or after the date of this Agreement;
  - (ii) any past statute or statutory provision as from time to time amended, modified, re-enacted or consolidated which that statute or provision has directly or indirectly replaced; and

- (iii) any subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
  - (g) references to any English legal term (including any statute, regulation, by-law or other requirement of English law) shall, in respect of any jurisdiction other than England, be construed as references to the term or concept which most nearly corresponds to it in that jurisdiction;
  - (h) where a German term has been inserted in italics in this Agreement, it alone and the meaning ascribed to it under German law (and not the English (legal) term to which it relates or the English law concept) shall be authoritative for the purpose of the interpretation of the relevant English term in this Agreement;
  - (i) references to any time of day or date shall be construed as references to the time or date prevailing in London, England;
  - (j) references to this Agreement shall include the Schedules (and the Schedules form part of the operative provisions of this Agreement and shall have the same force and effect as if expressly set out in the body of this Agreement);
  - (k) references herein to clauses, Schedules, paragraphs or Parts are (unless otherwise stated) to clauses of and schedules to this Agreement and to paragraphs and parts of the Schedules;
  - (l) the table of contents and the clause and paragraph headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not affect its meaning;
  - (m) references to documents "**in the agreed form**" are documents in the form to be agreed by the Company, UM and/or the Key Persons on or prior to Completion and which are to be signed by the parties to each of them at Completion (or in the case of documents that need not be signed, such forms that have been agreed for and on behalf of the Company and UM), provided that all Parties acknowledge that the documents in Schedule 4 to Schedule 7 and Schedule 9 are not in agreed form yet, are in their entirety subject to further changes and / or amendments and that respective parties to each of them have *inter alia* discussed the issues as raised in the latest drafts exchanged between the law firms Goodwin Procter (UK) LLP and Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP prior to the date hereof;
  - (n) references to a document are to that document as varied or novated (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Agreement) at any time;
  - (o) any phrase introduced by the terms "**including**", "**include**", in particular or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words introduced by those terms;
  - (p) references to "**writing**" and "**written**" include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words, unless a stricter form is required by law;
  - (q) references to "**shall**" and "**will**" are to be interpreted the same;
  - (r) "€" or "euros" denotes the lawful currency of certain members of the European Union, including the Republic of Ireland; and
  - (s) "£" or "pounds sterling" denotes the lawful currency of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
- 1.3 The Schedules referred to in this Agreement and named with Arabic numbers and/or Latin letters are the same Schedules named with the same Arabic numbers and/or Latin letters notarized on 30/31 December 2020, roll of deeds 661/2020 M of the notary Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt am Main, ("**Reference Deed**"). The original (*Urschrift*) of the Reference Deed was

present at the today's notarization and provided to the appearing persons for their review. After having been notified about § 13a German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*) the persons appearing confirm that they are aware of the content of the Reference Deed and that they grant their consent—also on behalf of the persons presented by them—to the declarations made therein and that the declarations made in the Reference Deed will become a part of this Deed. They waived—also on behalf of the persons represented by them—their right to have the Reference Deed read loud again by the Notary, to attach it to this Deed and to issue it (*Mitausfertigung*).

## 2. CONTRIBUTION

- 2.1 Subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Seller (in respect of itself only) hereby contributes, free from all Encumbrances (save for those which arise pursuant to the Constitution) and with full title guarantee, together with all rights and benefits (*Nebenrechte*), including voting rights, subscription rights and the right to receive dividends (*Gewinnbezugsrecht*) of the Company, now or hereafter attaching thereto, the Contribution Shares set out opposite such Seller's name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1 and UM acquires such Contribution Shares with all rights attaching to them accordingly, in accordance with clause 2.3 (the "Contribution"). Sec. 101 German Civil Code (*BGB*) is hereby explicitly excluded. Following the Contribution, the entire issued share capital of the Company will be owned by UM, it being understood that nothing contained in this Agreement shall constitute or be construed to constitute any statement, warranty or other undertaking of any of the Sellers, any of the Warrantors or the Company relating to UM and, in particular, UM's ability to acquire and own the Contribution Shares.
- 2.2 Each Seller hereby waives any pre-emption rights or other restrictions on transfer in respect of the Contribution Shares, whether conferred by the Constitution, the Existing Agreements or otherwise and consents for all purposes to such transfer and all transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents for the purpose of the Existing Agreements and for all other purposes whatsoever.
- 2.3 In consideration for each of the Sellers' obligations in this clause 2, UM shall allot and issue the UM Shares to the Sellers (credited as fully paid) in such number as set out opposite their respective names in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1. Each Seller (in respect of itself only) acknowledges and agrees that it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other shares in UM. The foregoing acknowledgement and agreement and the warranty at clause 6.1(i) are given by each Seller in reliance on the accuracy of the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(h). If the warranty given by UM pursuant to clause 5.1(h) is untrue or inaccurate, nothing in this clause 2.3 or clause 6.1(i) shall: (i) prevent a Seller from bringing a claim for damages against UM in respect of such breach; (ii) reduce or otherwise affect UM's liability in respect of such claim; and/or (iii) give rise to any liability on the part of the Sellers under this clause 2.3 or clause 6.1(i).
- 2.4 The UM Shares referred to in clause 2.3 shall be issued subject to, and having the rights set out in, UM's constitution from time to time, including the right to receive all dividends, distributions or any return of capital declared, made or paid after the date of Completion with respect to such UM Shares.

## 3. COMPLETION

- 3.1 Subject to the satisfaction of the Condition, Completion shall take place on the Completion Date by the electronic exchange of signatures, unless notarization is required in which case the relevant Completion measures shall be taken on the Completion Date and comply with the relevant notarization requirements under Applicable Laws. The Parties agree that Completion shall take place on a date determined by the Board which shall be no later than the fifth Business Day following the satisfaction of the Condition.
- 3.2 For the avoidance of doubt, Completion shall occur simultaneously in respect of all Contribution " Shares and, for the avoidance of doubt, shall not occur (and the Sellers shall not be required to transfer and UM shall not be required to complete the purchase of any Contribution Shares) unless the entire issued share capital of the Company is transferred to UM.

- 3.3 Prior to or at Completion (as applicable) each Seller, the Company and UM shall comply with their respective obligations as set out in Schedule 2, including the obligation (acting reasonably and in good faith) to agree the final form versions of the Transaction Documents and the VSOP Arrangements.
- 3.4 If:
- (a) any of the Sellers or the Company fail to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, UM shall; or
  - (b) UM fails to comply with any obligation in Schedule 2, a Sellers' Majority shall:
- be entitled (in addition and without prejudice to all other rights and remedies available) by written notice on or before the date Completion would otherwise be due to take place:
- (i) to require Completion to take place so far as practicable having regard to the defaults which have occurred;
  - (ii) to fix a new date for Completion (being not more than twenty (20) Business Days after the original date for Completion) in which case the provisions of Schedule 2 shall apply to Completion as so deferred but on the basis that such deferral may only occur once; or
  - (iii) terminate this Agreement.

**4. CONDITION**

- 4.1 Completion shall take place conditional on the Condition being satisfied.
- 4.2 If the Condition is not fully satisfied by the Longstop Date, this Agreement shall automatically terminate with immediate effect, except as provided by clause 4.3,
- 4.3 If this Agreement terminates in accordance with clause 4.2, it shall immediately cease to have any further force and effect except for:
- (a) any provision of this Agreement that expressly or by implication is intended to come into or continue in force on or after termination of this Agreement each of which shall remain in full force and effect (including clause 11 (*Confidentiality*) and clause 12 (*Announcements*)); and
  - (b) any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities of the Parties that have accrued up to the date of termination, including the right to claim damages in respect of any breach of this Agreement which existed at or before the date of termination.
- 4.4 The Sellers and UM shall each use their respective commercially reasonable efforts to procure (to the extent it lies within their respective powers to do so) that the Condition can be satisfied as soon as reasonably practicable and, in any event, by no later than the Longstop Date, including using commercially reasonable efforts to:
- (a) take, or cause to be taken, all necessary action, and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary under Applicable Law to consummate and make effective the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (b) obtain all authorisations, consents, orders and approvals of, and give all notices to and make all filings with, all Governmental Authorities and other third parties that are necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

- 4.5 Notwithstanding any provision of any Transaction Document, no Party (including, without limitation, the managing director of the Company) shall be liable to any other Party under this Agreement or any other Transaction Document for any act or omission with respect to the requirements, including any notification, filing, approval and/or consent requirements, of the German Foreign Trade Regulation (*Außenwirtschaftsverordnung*) or any breach of such requirements by any Party in relation to transactions contemplated by this Agreement or any other Transaction Document, provided that reliance on this clause 4.5 by the Sellers shall be conditional on none of them making or attempting to make a notification under the German Foreign Trade Regulation (*Außenwirtschaftsverordnung*) without consulting in good faith with UM before making such notification.
- 4.6 UM shall notify the Sellers promptly upon becoming aware that the Condition has been fulfilled (or the Condition becoming incapable of being fulfilled).
- 5. UM WARRANTIES**
- 5.1 UM warrants to each Seller that each of the following warranties in this clause is true and accurate as at the date of Completion:
- (a) it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the date of this Agreement;
  - (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
  - (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
  - (e) there are no:
    - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or any of its respective Affiliates;
    - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of UM, threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates; or
    - (iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or any of its respective Affiliates, and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;
  - (f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will not:
    - (i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its constitution;
    - (ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or



(iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of UM to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

- (g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;
- (h) the UM Shares are new duly issued shares (not already existing treasury shares or shares held by third parties) and free of all Encumbrances (save for those set out in the UM Articles (e.g. pre-emption rights on transfer and drag along rights requiring the holders of the UM Shares to transfer the UM Shares to a bona fide purchaser or similar rights)) and with full title guarantee and each of the Sellers will following Completion receive full legal title to the relevant UM Shares with all rights attaching thereto; and
- (i) the Fully Diluted Share Capital of UM immediately following the consummation of the Financing is set out in the Capitalisation Table.

## 6. FUNDAMENTAL WARRANTIES

6.1 Each Seller severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Fundamental Warranties is true and accurate as at the date of Completion:

- (a) in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate, it is validly incorporated, in existence and duly registered under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and has full power to conduct its business as conducted at the date of this Agreement;
- (b) it has the legal right and full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party;
- (c) this Agreement and each other Transaction Document will, when executed, constitute valid and binding obligations on it, in accordance with its terms;
- (d) it has obtained all governmental, statutory, regulatory or other consents, licences, authorisations, waivers or exemptions and it has taken all corporate actions, required by it to authorise it to enter into and to perform this Agreement and each other Transaction Document;
- (e) there are no:
  - (i) judgments, orders, injunctions or decrees of any Governmental Authority outstanding or affecting it or, in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate (other than [####] any of its respective Affiliates);
  - (ii) law suits, actions or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of that Seller, threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate (other than [####] any of its respective Affiliates); or

(iii) investigations by any Governmental Authority which are pending or threatened against it or in respect of each Seller which is a body corporate (other than [####] any of its respective Affiliates,

and which, in any such case, will have a material adverse effect on the ability of it to lawfully execute and deliver, or perform, its obligations under this Agreement or any of the documents referred to in it;

(f) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this Agreement and each other Transaction Document to which it is party will not:

(i) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under its constitution;

(ii) result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any material agreement or arrangement to which it is a party or by which it is bound; or

(iii) result in, or amount to, a violation, default or breach of any law, regulation, statute, order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction,

in each case, other than any such breaches or defaults that individually or in the aggregate would not impair in any material respect the ability of the Seller to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or prevent or materially impede or materially delay the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder;

(g) it is not, nor will the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents cause it to become, insolvent or bankrupt under any laws applicable to it, nor is it unable to pay its debts as they fall due, nor has any arrangement (whether by court proceedings or otherwise) been proposed under which its creditors (or any group of them) could receive less than the amounts due to them nor are any proceedings in relation to any compromise or arrangement with creditors, any winding up, bankruptcy or other insolvency proceedings concerning it (or any of its assets or interests) are current, pending or threatened;

(h) the Contribution Shares set out opposite its name in column (4) of the table in Schedule 1: (i) comprise all of the shares it owns in the Company; and (ii) have been properly and validly allotted and issued and are each fully paid up and other than such Sale Shares, it does not own any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options, rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date;

(i) it is only entitled to the UM Shares set out opposite its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1 in connection with the Contribution and no other Ordinary Shares; and

(j) other than the Contribution Shares, the Company has not issued any other equity, debt or hybrid securities, including any debentures, warrants, options (excluding the virtual option plan existing at the Company dated 1 August 2019 and any options granted under or in connection therewith), rights of conversion, exchange or subscription, or any other interests issued or issuable with respect to the foregoing which remain outstanding and unexercised as at the Completion Date. For the avoidance of doubt, the virtual shares granted under the Company's existing virtual option plan dated 1 August 2019, as amended from time to time (including the individual allocation letters issued from time to time thereunder, irrespective of whether or not they reference or deviate from the terms of such plan) do not form part of the issued share capital of the Company.

**7. WARRANTIES AND LIABILITY**

- 7.1 Each of the Warrantors severally warrants (in respect of themselves only) to UM that each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) is true and accurate as at the date of Completion. Each of the Warranties (other than the Fundamental Warranties) shall be deemed to be made in respect of each Warrantor to the knowledge and belief of such respective Warrantor, which knowledge and belief shall be interpreted to extend (only) to those facts, matters and circumstances of which such respective Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of Completion and also such knowledge which such Warrantor would have had if he had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.
- 7.2 Each Warranty is given subject to the matters Disclosed and any limitations, exceptions or exclusions expressly provided for in this Agreement.
- 7.3 Each of the Warranties shall be construed as separate and independent, and (unless expressly provided to the contrary) shall not be limited by the terms of any other Warranties or by any other term of this Agreement or the Disclosure Letter.
- 7.4 Without limitation to the rights of UM under this Agreement, in the case of a Claim against any Warrantor, no counterclaim or right of contribution or indemnity shall lie against the Company and/or any of the other Sellers.
- 7.5 The Warranties shall continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding Completion and the rights and remedies of UM in respect of any breach of any of the Warranties or any of the Fundamental Warranties shall not be affected by Completion, any investigation made by or on behalf of UM into the affairs of the Company or any other event or matter whatsoever which otherwise might have affected such rights and remedies except a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release.
- 7.6 Any information supplied by the Company, its officers, employees or agents to the other Warrantors or their agents, representatives or advisers in connection with, or which forms the basis of, any of the Warranties or any matter covered in the Disclosure Letter or otherwise in relation to the business and affairs of the Company (whether before or after the date hereof) shall be deemed not to include or have included a representation, warranty or guarantee of its accuracy by the Company to the other Warrantors and shall not constitute a defence to any Claim by UM. The Warrantors hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the Company, its officers, employees or agents in respect of any information so supplied.
- 7.7 Each of the Warrantors confirms that, as at the date of Completion, save for the matters being Disclosed, the Warrantor is not actually aware of any fact, matter and/or circumstance which would constitute a breach of any Warranty. For the purposes of this confirmation each Warrantor's awareness shall be deemed to include those facts, matters and circumstances of which such Warrantor is actually aware as at the date of Completion and also such knowledge which such respective Warrantor would have had if he had made reasonable enquiry of the Relevant Persons.

**8. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS**

- 8.1 The limitations set out in this Agreement (including this clause 8) shall not apply to any Relevant Claim which is the consequence of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment by or on behalf of a Warrantor, a Seller or UM (as applicable) in respect of any Warranties or Fundamental Warranties (as applicable).
- 8.2 No Claim may be made against any Warrantor unless written notice of that Claim is served on any Warrantor giving reasonable details of the Claim by no later than the date falling eighteen (18) months from the date of Completion. Failure to give reasonable details of any Claim shall not prevent UM from proceeding with any Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.

- 8.3 A Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Claim have been issued before the date falling six (6) months after the date on which such Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.2. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.4 No Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made against any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) unless written notice of that Fundamental Warranty Claim is served on any Seller (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Warrantor) or UM (as applicable) giving reasonable details of that Fundamental Warranty Claim by no later than the date falling three (3) years from the date of Completion. Failure to give reasonable details of any Fundamental Warranty Claim shall not prevent UM or any Seller (as applicable) from proceeding with any Fundamental Warranty Claim otherwise made properly under this Agreement.
- 8.5 A Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to be withdrawn (if it has not been previously satisfied, settled or withdrawn and no new Fundamental Warranty Claim may be made in respect of the facts giving rise to such withdrawn Fundamental Warranty Claim) unless proceedings in respect of that Fundamental Warranty Claim have been issued before the date falling twelve (12) months after the date on which such Fundamental Warranty Claim is notified in accordance with clause 8.3. For these purposes, proceedings in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim will be deemed to have been "issued" on the date entered on the claim form issued by the court at the request of the relevant claimant.
- 8.6 The maximum aggregate liability of the Warrantors in respect of all and any Claims shall be limited to, in the case of the Company and each of the other Warrantors, £1.00.
- 8.7 The maximum aggregate liability of each Seller in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set opposite such Seller's name in column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.8 The maximum aggregate liability of UM in respect of all and any Fundamental Warranty Claims under this Agreement shall be limited to the amount set out in the bottom row of column (6) of Schedule 1.
- 8.9 UM shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim in respect of liability which is contingent or unascertained provided that (i) written notice of the Relevant Claim is given to any Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) in accordance with and before the expiry of the relevant period specified in clause 8.2 or 8.3 (as applicable) and (ii) no Warrantor or Seller (as applicable) shall have any liability in respect of such Relevant Claim unless and until such contingent liability becomes an actual liability or the liability is capable of being ascertained.
- 8.10 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to recover damages or obtain payment, reimbursement, restitution or indemnity more than once in respect of any loss arising from any Relevant Claim, with the intent that there shall be no double recovery.
- 8.11 No Party nor any other member of its group shall be entitled to make a Relevant Claim for any punitive or special loss.
- 8.12 Nothing in this Agreement shall prejudice any Party's duty under common law to mitigate any loss or liability which is the subject of a Relevant Claim.
- 8.13 Notwithstanding any provision herein, UM agrees that, prior to the occurrence of an IPO of UM, [####] shall at all times be entitled to discharge its respective liability under this Agreement or any other Transaction Document in full by transferring all or such number of UM Shares to UM or a third party designated by UM as is equal to such liability, in each case with the UM Shares being treated as having the Applicable Value.

9. TAX

- 9.1 Irrespective of, and superseding, any deviating provisions under the Framework Agreement, UM shall pay to each Seller the Tax Indemnification Amount (as defined below) in respect of:
- (a) any German corporate income, income, trade and church tax and any solidarity surcharge (including interest on any such tax or surcharge) to which such Seller (or its tax group parent) is liable and which is attracted or increased by (A) a gain to the extent that such gain is (i) derived from a value not higher than the fair market value of his or its Contribution Shares (such fair market value as underlying the relevant tax assessment) as at the time of their contribution to UM referenced in clauses 2.1 through 2.3 and (ii) triggered as a consequence of such contribution mentioned in (i) or (B) in case of the church tax or the solidarity surcharge: corporate income tax or income tax accruing on a gain mentioned under (A), except if and to the extent any such tax could have been reduced or mitigated had the respective Seller exercised an existing election right to apply for contribution of his or its Contribution Shares to UM at their German tax book value (*Buchwert*) (section 21(2) sent. 3 German Transformation Tax Act (*Umwandlungssteuergesetz - UmwStG*); and
  - (b) any German corporate income, income, trade and church tax and any solidarity surcharge (including interest on any such tax or surcharge) to which such Seller (or its tax group parent) is liable and which is attracted or increased by (A) a gain (*Einbringungsgewinn* //) retroactively accruing upon the contribution of his or its Contribution Shares to UM referenced in clauses 2.1 through 2.3 according to section 22 *Umwandlungssteuergesetz* because of any event or omission occurring after said contribution or (B) in case of the church tax or the solidarity surcharge: corporate income tax or income tax accruing on a gain mentioned under (A), except if and to the extent such tax could have been reduced or mitigated had the respective Seller not failed to:
    - (i) specify and request from UM relevant information required under section 22 para. 3 *Umwandlungssteuergesetz* until 15 April of the relevant calendar year; or
    - (ii) pass relevant information required under section 22 para. 3 *Umwandlungssteuergesetz* to the competent tax authority within four (4) weeks after receiving such information from UM;and any tax accruing at the level of a Seller under Applicable Laws which is attracted by a reduction of the nominal value of the Ordinary Shares (by way of a capital reduction) or the re-designation of the Ordinary Shares.
- 9.2 The “**Tax Indemnification Amount**” is such amount (in EUR) which, after deduction of taxes accruing to the relevant Seller because of the payment obligation, or payment, by UM under clause 9.1 itself, equals the amount of the German tax or German taxes or in case of any tax accruing at the level of a Seller under Applicable Laws which is attracted by a reduction of the nominal value of the Ordinary Shares (by way of a capital reduction) or the re-designation of the Ordinary Shares, any such taxes (including interest on any aforementioned tax or taxes or a surcharge thereon) in respect of which a payment is owed by UM under clauses 9.1(a) or 9.1(b) (*Gross-Up*).
- 9.3 A payment under clause 9.1 shall become due ten (10) Business Days prior to the date on which a respective German tax referenced in clause 9.1 or a tax accruing because of the payment obligation, or payment, under clause 9.1 itself is due to be paid by the Seller to a Tax Authority (whichever occurs earlier) but not earlier than ten (10) Business Days after the respective Seller has notified UM of the existence of a respective claim, its volume and its due date under clause 9.1 by providing a copy of the respective tax assessment notice (which may be redacted to the extent not relevant for the claim in question). The claim volume can be amended by the respective Seller at any time up to the Tax Indemnification Amount provided that such amendment can be based on, and is evidenced by, a tax assessment notice which may be redacted to the extent not relevant for the claim in question).

- 9.4 After having received a payment from UM pursuant to clause 9.1(a) or clause 9.1(b), the respective Seller shall promptly pay to UM an amount equal to:
- (a) any later refund of taxes (including interest on such tax) by the German Tax Authority to him or it in respect of which UM has made the payment according to clause 9.1(a) or clause 9.1(b); and
  - (b) such Seller's net proceeds from the sale of UM Shares and from a profit distribution from UM, provided that net proceeds shall in each case be reduced by taxes and other costs accruing to the relevant Seller because of such sale or profit distribution, and
- provided further that a payment by the respective Seller under this clause 9.4 shall be limited in aggregate to the payment received by the respective Seller according to clause 9.1(a) or clause 9.1(b) and any Gross-Up amount pursuant to clause 9.2. No other payment shall be owed by the Seller to UM in respect of payments received by such Seller according to clause 9.1(a) or clause 9.1(b) or the Gross-Up amount pursuant to clause 9.2.
- 9.5 UM shall bear the cost of all UK stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax payable as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. UM shall arrange the payment of such stamp duty and stamp duty reserve tax.
- 9.6 Each party undertakes not to waive any value added tax exemption applicable to any supply referenced in this Agreement.

#### **10. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 10.1 Each Seller shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) in all respects keep confidential and not at any time disclose or make known in any way to any Person or use for its own or any other Person's benefit or to the detriment of another Party to this Agreement:
- (a) any Confidential Information; and
  - (b) the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents.
- 10.2 Provided that in respect of the obligations set out in clause 10.1:
- (a) such obligation shall not apply to information which becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 10);
  - (b) each Seller shall be entitled at all times to disclose such information as may be required by law, for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings or by any competent judicial or regulatory authority (including any Tax Authority) or by any relevant investment or stock exchange to whose rules such Seller or any of its Affiliates is subject, provided that such Seller shall consult with UM prior to such Party making any such disclosure under this clause 10.2(b);
  - (c) any Preference Seller and [####] shall be entitled to disclose the terms of this Agreement and each of the Transaction Documents to their investment committees, direct and indirect shareholders and their current and prospective limited partners (including venture partners) and other current and future investors in their respective funds (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as the Preference Seller for as long as such Preference Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10),

- (d) each Seller shall be entitled to disclose to its officers, employees, agents or advisers " (including auditors) such information as may be necessary to enable them to carry out their duties (conditional upon any such Person being subject to an obligation to keep such information confidential on the same basis as such Seller for as long as such Seller is obliged to do so in accordance with this clause 10); and
  - (e) each Seller may disclose or use information if and to the extent that such disclosure or use is to a Tax Authority or is otherwise in connection with the Taxation affairs of the disclosing Seller.
- 10.3 The restrictions contained in this clause 10 shall continue to apply after Completion for a period of five (5) years from the Completion Date.

#### **11. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- 11.1 Except in accordance with clause 11.3, the Company and the Sellers shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter (including but not limited to the Sellers' investment in the Company) or any ancillary matter without the prior written consent of the Board.
- 11.2 UM shall not make any public announcement or issue a press release or respond to any enquiry from the press or other media concerning or relating to [####] without the prior written consent of [####]
- 11.3 Notwithstanding clause 11.1, any Seller may:
- (a) make any press release to the effect that it has made an investment in the Company and/or that it is a shareholder in the Company without obtaining the prior approval of the Board;
  - (b) make or permit to be made an announcement concerning or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter or any ancillary matter with the prior written approval of the Board or if and to the extent required by:
    - (i) applicable law;
    - (ii) any securities exchange on which such Seller's securities are listed or traded;
    - (iii) any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such Seller is subject or submits, whether or not the requirement has the force of law; or
    - (iv) any court order.

#### **12. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

- 12.1 The Parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavors from time to time on or following Completion, on being required to do so by any other Party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other Party for giving full effect to this Agreement and securing to the other Parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any Party in this Agreement.
- 12.2 Each of the Sellers and UM shall procure that their respective Affiliates comply with all obligations under this Agreement which are expressed to apply to such Affiliates.

**13. EFFECT OF COMPLETION**

The Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties and the warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 (and the remedies of any Party in respect of any breach of the Warranties, the Fundamental Warranties, any warranties given by UM pursuant to clause 5 or for fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment) and all other provisions of this Agreement, to the extent that they have not been performed by Completion, shall continue in force after and notwithstanding Completion and shall not be extinguished or affected by Completion or by any other event or matter except by a specific and duly authorised written waiver or release given under and in accordance with clause 16.

**14. COSTS**

14.1 Subject to clauses 14.2 and 14.3, the Parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Agreement and of matters incidental to this Agreement.

14.2 Any notary fees and other charges and costs resulting from, or in connection with, the execution of this Agreement and its implementation, in particular the transactions contemplated herein, shall be borne by UM.

14.3 UM shall pay at Completion all reasonable legal fees of the Warrantors up to a maximum amount agreed in writing by UM and the Warrantors.

**15. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the Parties in this Agreement are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**16. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any Party of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Agreement or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**17. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

17.1 This Agreement (including all the Schedules thereto) and the other Transaction Documents supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between any or all of the Parties in relation to the subject matter of this Agreement, including the proposal letter between UM and the Company dated 4 November 2020.

17.2 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Agreement and will not enter into the Transaction Documents in reliance on any statement or representation of any Person (whether a Party or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Agreement and/or any other Transaction Document.

17.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the Parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Agreement by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any Person (whether Party or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Agreement.

17.4 Each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that the only cause of action available to it under the terms of this Agreement and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Agreement in respect of a Claim or in respect of a Fundamental Warranty Claim against UM shall be for breach of contract.

17.5 Save as set out in clause 17.4 above, each of the Parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Agreement. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the Parties may have, the Parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Agreement.



17.6 Nothing contained in this Agreement or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud, dishonesty or deliberate concealment.

**18. VARIATION**

Any variation of this Agreement is valid only if it is in writing (unless a stricter form (e.g. notarization) is required by law) and signed by UM, the Company and a Sellers' Majority.

**19. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Agreement is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the Parties.

**20. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

20.1 Except as permitted by this clause 20, unless explicitly agreed in writing by UM, neither the Company nor any Seller shall assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with all or any of its rights under this Agreement nor grant, declare, create or dispose of any right or interest in it.

20.2 UM may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to, and it may be enforced by, any Permitted Assignee as if it were UM under this Agreement. Any Permitted Assignee to whom an assignment is made in accordance with the provisions of this clause 20.2 may itself make an assignment as if it were UM under this clause 20.2. For the purposes of this clause 20.2, a "Permitted Assignee" means each and any of UM's subsidiaries from time to time.

20.3 Notwithstanding clause 20.2, no assignment by UM or a Permitted Assignee shall increase the liability of any Seller to any Person by reference to the liability that any such Seller would otherwise have had the relevant assignment not taken place.

**21. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

21.1 Subject to clause 21.2, this Agreement does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the Parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 of England and Wales.

21.2 The general partner of a Seller or the management company authorised from time to time to act on behalf of that Seller or another person or persons nominated by that Seller, shall be entitled to enforce all of the rights and benefits under this Agreement at all times as if a Party.

**22. [Intentionally left blank]**

**23. NOTICES**

23.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Agreement must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a Party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Seller the address of that Seller set out in column (2) of Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other Parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 23.

23.2 A communication sent according to clause 23.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender,

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**24. SEVERANCE**

24.1 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

24.2 If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable. If such adjustment requires written or notarial form the Parties are obliged to agree on such provision in proper form.

**25. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**26. JURISDICTION**

The Parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Agreement.

*[Intentionally left blank, the schedules and signature pages follow.]*





**1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS**

Prior to Completion:

- (a) the Parties shall (acting reasonably and in good faith) agree the agreed form versions of the Transaction Documents;
- (b) the Company and UM shall (acting reasonably and in good faith) finalise the VSOP Arrangements of the respective option holders under the virtual option plan of the Company dated 1 August 2019; and
- (c) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

**2. AT COMPLETION**

At Completion:

- (a) a shareholders' meeting of the Company shall be held with all shareholders being present or duly represented, and the Sellers shall — waiving all requirements as to form and notice periods for convocation — resolve unanimously and with all votes upon:
  - (i) the approval of the Contribution, the execution of this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents and the implementation of the transactions contemplated hereunder and thereunder;
  - (ii) the Sellers waiving their pre-emption rights (*Vorkaufsrechte*) with respect to the Contribution Shares existing under Company's Constitution or the shareholders' agreement relating to the Company dated 13 March 2019 (Agreement no. 23/2019 of the notary public Dr. Karsten Müller-Eising, Frankfurt am Main) as amended from time to time;
  - (iii) the adoption of the New Articles; and
  - (iv) the revocation of the existing advisory board members of the Company;
- (b) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (c) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (d) the Parties shall execute the Share Transfer Agreement for the *in rem* transfer of the Contribution Shares to UM substantially in the form as attached hereto as Schedule 4 in front of a notary public and the Sellers shall instruct the notary to immediately submit an amended shareholder's list of the Company to the competent commercial register showing UM as sole shareholder of the Company;
- (e) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;

- (v) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
- (iii) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the *Sellers* in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
- (iv) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and
- (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
- (f) each Preference Seller shall enter into and deliver the UM Shareholders' Agreement to each of the parties to the UM Shareholders' Agreement;
- (g) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
- (h) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement; and
- (i) all necessary tax filings and elections shall be made.

SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

1. Definitions

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409 A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve (12) month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 of the United States of America, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018 of the United Kingdom, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679 of the European Union, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000 of the United Kingdom, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (Interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 of the United Kingdom and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle DPA</b>	has the meaning as set out in the Disclosure Letter; means the Defense Product Act of 1950 of the United States of America, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;

<b>Information Commissioner Intellectual Property</b>	has the meaning as set out in the Data Protection Legislation; means copyrights, trade and service marks, including the trade marks, trade names, rights in logos and get-up, inventions, confidential information, trade secrets and know-how, registered designs, design rights, patents, utility models, semi-conductor topographies, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;
<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003 of the United Kingdom;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li> <li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li> </ul>
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994 of the United Kingdom; and
<b>Workers</b>	has the meaning set out in Chapter 8, section 88(3) of the Pensions Act 2008 of the United Kingdom.

## 2. Share capital and authority

- 2.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.



- 2.2 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, shall not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 2.3 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 2.4 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409 A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 2.5 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

### **3. Information**

- 3.1 The information contained or referred to in the Schedule 1 is true, complete and accurate and not misleading.

### **4. Business Plan**

- 4.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.
- 4.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.
- 4.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been " diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.

- 4.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.
- 4.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.
- 4.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

**5. Accounts**

- 5.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.
- 5.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:
  - (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
  - (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;
  - (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.
- 5.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed therein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

**6. Management Accounts**

- 6.1 The Management Accounts:
  - (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
  - (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
  - (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.
- 6.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

**7. Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £75,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;
- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;
- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**8. Taxation**

- 8.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it to Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 8.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.

- 8.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 8.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 8.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which tax returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 8.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxes or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Tax assessment or deficiency.
- 8.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any tax return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Tax purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 8.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxes of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Tax sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 8.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable tax returns with respect thereto.
- 8.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending December
31. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 8.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Tax exemption, Tax holiday or other Tax reduction agreement or order.
- 8.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax authority.
- 8.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 8.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 8.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a **"readily convertible asset"** as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 8.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431(1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company's knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.

- 8.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 8.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 8.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm's length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 8.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.

#### **9. Litigation**

- 9.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which exceeds £10,000 and which do not exceed £100,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware, pending.
- 9.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 9.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 9.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 9.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 of the United Kingdom or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

#### **10. Properties**

- 10.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 10.2 The details in the Disclosure Letter are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.

- 10.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 10.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 10.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

**11. Intellectual Property**

- 11.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps for protection of all Intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its Intellectual Property.
- 11.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 11.3 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:
  - (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.
- 11.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 11.5 So far as the Warrantors are aware, no Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
  - (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 11.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
  - (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) so far as the Warrantors are aware, valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.

- 11.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 11.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 11.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 11.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 11.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 11.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived, reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

**12. Assets, debts and stock**

- 12.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 12.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 12.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

**13. Contracts with connected persons**

- 13.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 13.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 13.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding three percent (3%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.
- 13.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons or between any of the Key Persons and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.
- 13.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

**14. Employment and consultancy arrangements**

- 14.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the "Employment Agreements") are Disclosed.
- 14.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.
- 14.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.
- 14.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the "Incentive Plans") for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.
- 14.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.
- 14.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 of the United Kingdom or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 of the United Kingdom (as applicable).
- 14.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 of the United States of America, as amended ("ERISA"), deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the "Benefit Plans" and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the



**“Employee Plans”**) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.

- 14.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 14.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.
- 14.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” of or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004 of the United Kingdom) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 of the United Kingdom applies, has applied or can apply.
- 14.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 of the United Kingdom (before those Regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 14.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the **“Confidential Information Agreements”**). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 14.11.
- 14.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 14.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 14.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

**15. Statutory and legal requirements**

15.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:

- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration of the United States of America, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;
- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act of the United States of America and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
- (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "FCPA")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.

- 15.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 15.3 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.
- 15.4 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 of the United Kingdom.
- 15.5 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 15.6 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.

- 15.7 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:
- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.
  - (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 15.8 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.
- 16. Records and registers**
- 16.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 16.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.
- 17. Insurance**
- 17.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 17.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

**18. Group structure**

18.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

**19. Agreements and capital commitments**

19.1 The Company:

- (a) has no material capital commitments;
- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
- (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
- (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
- (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
- (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
- (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
- (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
- (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
- (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
- (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
- (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
- (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.

19.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

**20. Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

**21. Social obligations**

- 21.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.
- 21.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

**22. Brokers' and finders' fees**

- 22.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Shareholders have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Shareholders.

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The Notary public informed the persons appearing as follows:

- The agreement notarised in this Deed is subject to English law. The Notary informed that persons appearing that she is only familiar with German law and recommends involving English lawyers for legal advice. The persons appearing confirmed that on both sides English legal professionals advised the parties and drafted the agreement contained in this Deed. The persons appearing requested to finalise the notarisation.
- All contractual agreements in connection with this Deed ("*miteinander stehen und fallen*") are to be notarized and side agreements outside of this Deed may entail the invalidity of the side agreements and this Deed, whereupon the parties hereto declared that there are no such other contractual agreements.
- There is no bona fide creation nor acquisition nor ranking of shares (i.e., the purchaser is not protected if the shares do not exist, have been previously transferred to a third party, or have been previously encumbered for the benefit of a third party) if not otherwise provided for in sec. 16 para. 3 German Limited Liability Companies Act (GmbHG).
- The parties hereto are, by operation of law, jointly and severally liable with respect to the payment of all notarial fees, irrespective of any internal agreement passed in that respect.
- A Notary is obliged to verify the power of representation of the persons appearing and to examine the documents presented with respect to a proof of such powers. After review and discussion of the documentation presented on the day hereof (in particular missing originals or notarization of the provided power of attorneys and verification of the representation of foreign companies), the persons appearing declared that they did not wish any further proof of their power of representation and requested the Notary to continue with the notarization.
- that the Notary has not advised on tax matters and recommends involving a third party for any tax advice. The person appearing confirmed that tax advisers have been involved prior to the notarisation of this Agreement

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This Deed was read aloud by the Notary to the persons appearing in the English and where referred to in the German language, approved in its entirety by the persons appearing and signed by the persons appearing and the Notary in their own hands as follows:

  
Möbel  
Verkauf  
G. & A.

  
Notarin







**Recorded**

**22 January 2021**

at Frankfurt am Main

before the undersigning Notary

**Dr Christiane Mühe**

with her offices at

Frankfurt am Main, Germany,

appeared today

1. [####], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of [####], and

**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**, being registered with the commercial register (*Han-delsregister*) of the local court (*Amtsgericht*) of Dortmund under HRB 30673, having its registered seat at Dortmund, Germany, and business address at Otto-Hahn-Straße 15, 44227 Dortmund; and

[###]; and

[###] and

[###]; and

[###] orms; and

[###]; and

2. [###], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmacht-loser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of

**United Medicines Biopharma Limited**, being registered with the Companies House of the United Kingdom under company No. 12973576, having its registered seat at Cambridge, United Kingdom, and business address at The Dorothy Hodg-kin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH; and

3. [###], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of

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4. [####] not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of [####] d.

The persons appearing are personally known to the Notary.

The persons appearing requested the notarization of the following agreement contained in this Deed in the English language and where referred to in the German language. The Notary, who has a good and sufficient command of the German and English language, confirmed that the persons appearing also have a good and sufficient command of the German and English language. The parties were advised by the Notary of their right to be provided with a written translation of this Deed to be attached hereto, but expressly waived any such right.

Upon enquiry, it was concluded by all parties that no prior involvement of the Notary exists within the meaning of Section 3 para. 1 no. 7 German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*). The Notary advised the person appearing on their disclosure obligation under the German Money Laundering Act (*Geldwäschegesetz*). They declared to act as described in this Deed and not for any third party.

The notary informed that this Deed becomes only valid if all parties represented without power of attorney have provided to the Notary an approval of the declarations made on their behalf in this Deed. Acting with representatives without power of attorney and with employees of the Notary was requested by the represented parties due to the current Corona situation.

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The persons appearing then declared the following which they requested to be recorded in a notarial Deed:

Dated 22 January 2021

**PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**AMENDMENT DEED NO .1**

relating to the

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

dated 31 December 2020



**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH** a limited liability company incorporated in Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Dortmund under company number HRB 30673 and with its registered office at Otto-Hahn-Sir. 15, 44227 Dortmund, Germany (the "**Company**");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England, registered with the Companies House of the United Kingdom with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),  
(each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

- (A) The Parties executed a contribution agreement on 31 December 2020 (notarial deed no. 662/2020 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt am Main (with reference to the reference deed notarial deed no 661/2020 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe ("**Reference Deed**")), the "**Contribution Agreement**". It is noted that the Contribution Agreement forms part of a wider restructuring transaction currently being undertaken by UM (the "**Restructuring**"). The original (*Urschrift*) of the Contribution Agreement and the Reference Deed was present at the today's notarization and provided to the appearing persons for their review. After having been notified about § 13a German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*) the persons appearing confirm that they are aware of the content of the Reference Deed, waived – also on behalf of the persons represented by them – their right to have the Contribution Agreement and the Reference Deed read loud again by the Notary, to attach them to this Deed and to issue them (*Mitauferfertigung*).
- (B) The Parties wish to amend certain individual terms of the Contribution Agreement in order to (amongst other matters) accommodate certain matters reflecting the progress of the transactions contemplated by the Contribution Agreement as a whole and to align the Contribution Agreement with the Restructuring. For the avoidance of doubt, this Amendment Deed shall in no event be interpreted or deemed to constitute a restatement of the original Contribution Agreement in its entirety but shall only amend certain individual terms thereof on the terms set out below.
- (C) The variations to the Contribution Agreement shall be given effect by entry into this Amendment Deed by the Parties and the Contribution Agreement shall be amended in the form set out in this Amendment Deed and this shall be binding on all the Parties.

**IT IS AGREED as follows:**

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

In this Amendment Deed capitalised terms used and not expressly defined herein shall bear their respective meaning in the Contribution Agreement.

**2. AMENDMENTS TO THE CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

In order to give effect to the changes (amongst other matters) set out in paragraph (B) above, the Parties hereby agree that the Contribution Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 2.1 The cover page shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.

- 2.2 The Table of Contents shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
- 2.3 A new paragraph (B) shall be added to the Preamble as apparent from Schedule 2-A
- 2.4 Amendments to Section 1.1:
- (a) The definition of Applicable Value shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (b) The definition of Business Plan shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (c) The definition of Capitalization Table shall be deleted.
  - (d) The definition of Claim shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (e) The definition of Conditions shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (f) The definition of Disclosure Letter shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (g) The definition of Framework Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (h) The definition of Fully Diluted Share Capital shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (i) The definition of Incentivisation Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (j) The definition of IPO shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (k) The definition of Longstop Date shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (l) **“Loss”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (m) The definition of Material Contract shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (n) The definition of Portfolio Company Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (o) **“Resigning Directors”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (p) The definition of Share Transfer Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (q) The definition of Taxation shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (r) The definition of Transaction Documents shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (s) The definition of UM Shareholders’ Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (t) The definition of VSOP Arrangements shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (u) The definition of Warranties shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A
  - (v) The definition of Warrantors shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A

- (w) **“Warranty Date”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.5 Section 1.2(m) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.6 Section 1.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.7 Section 2.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.8 Section 2.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.9 Section 2.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.10 Section 3.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.11 A new Section 3.3 shall be added and the numbering of the following Sections shall be amended accordingly as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.12 (Former) Section 3.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.13 A new Section 3.4 shall be added and the numbering of the following Sections shall be amended accordingly as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.14 (Former) Section 3.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.15 The heading of Section 4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.16 Section 4.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.17 Section 4.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.18 Section 4.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.19 Section 4.6 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.20 The introductory sentence of Section 5.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.21 Sections 5.1 (a), (h) and (i) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.22 A new Section 5.2 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.23 The introductory sentence of Section 6.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.24 Section 6.1 (a) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.25 Section 7.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.26 Section 7.7 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.27 Section 8.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.28 Section 8.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.29 Section 8.5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.30 Section 9.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.31 Section 10.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.



- 2.32 Section 11.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.33 Section 14.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.34 Amendments to Schedule 1: Sellers
- The amounts stated in Column 5 (Number of UM Shares) of Schedule 1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.35 Amendments to Schedule 2: Completion Obligations:
- (a) Section 1(a) and (b) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (b) Section 2(a) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (c) The numbering in Section 2(e) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (d) Section 2(f) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (e) A new Section 2(g) shall be added and the numbering of the following Sub-Sections shall be amended accordingly as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (f) (Former) Section 2(i) shall be deleted as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.36 Amendments to Schedule 3: Warranties:
- (a) The Numbering shall be revised as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (b) The following definitions set out in Schedule 3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
    - (i) The definition of Disclosure Bundle shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
    - (ii) The definition of Information Commissioner shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
    - (iii) The definition of Intellectual Property shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
    - (iv) The definition of **"Tax Return"** shall be added as new definition as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (c) A new Section 1.2 shall be added and the numbering of the subsequent Sections is amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (d) (Former) Section 2.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (e) A new Section 1.4 shall be added and the numbering of the subsequent Sections is amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (f) A new Section 1.7 shall be added and the numbering of the subsequent Sections shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (g) (Former) Section 3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (h) (Former) Section 7(d) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (i) (Former) Section 8.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.

- (j) (Former) Sections 8.5 to 8.12 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (k) The new Sections 7.21 and 7.22 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (l) (Former) Section 9.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (m) (Former) Section 10.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (n) (Former) Section 11.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (o) The introductory sentence of (former) Section 11.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (p) The introductory sentence of (former) Section 11.5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (q) (Former) Section 11.6(c) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (r) New Sections 10.13 and 10.14 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (s) (Former) Section 13.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (t) (Former) Section 13.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (u) (Former) Section 14.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (v) (Former) Section 14.7 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (w) (Former) Section 14.10 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (x) (Former) Section 14.11 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (y) A new Section 14.3 shall be added and the numbering of the subsequent Sections shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (z) (Former) Section 22.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.37 Amendments to Schedule 4: Share Transfer Agreement
- The heading of Schedule 4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- 2.38 Amendments to Schedule 5 Framework Agreement:
- (a) The heading of Schedule 5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (b) The Introduction shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
  - (c) The information regarding party no. (11) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
  - (d) Paragraph (A) of the Preamble shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
  - (e) Paragraph (C) of the Preamble shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
  - (f) Section 1.1 shall be amended as follows:
    - (i) The introductory sentence shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
    - (ii) **“Act”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-B.

- (iii) The note contained in the definition of Affiliate shall be deleted as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (iv) “**Completion**” shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (v) “**Completion Conditions**” shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (vi) “**Contribution Deed**” shall be exchanged by “**Contribution Agreement**” as defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (vii) “**Longstop Date**” shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (viii) The definition of “**Ordinary Shares**” shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (g) The introductory sentence of Section 1.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (h) Section 1.2(e) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (i) Section 1.2(f)(i) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (j) Section 1.2(i) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (k) Section 1.2(j) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (l) Section 2.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (m) Section 2.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (n) The introductory sentence of Section 3.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (o) Section 3.1(a) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (p) Section 3.1(b) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (q) Section 4.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (r) Section 5.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (s) Section 6 to 11 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (t) Sections 12.1 and 12.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (u) Section 13 and 14 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (v) The introductory sentence of Section 15.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (w) The last paragraph of Section 15.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (x) Section 16 to 18 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-B.
- (y) The signature pages shall be replaced as apparent from Schedule 2-B.

2.39 Amendments to Schedule 6: Portfolio Company Agreement

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- (a) The heading of Schedule 6 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- (b) The date 2020 on the cover page shall be replaced by 2021 as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (c) The table of content shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (d) The date 2020 before the section PARTIES shall be replaced by 2021 as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (e) Paragraph (A) and (B) of the introduction shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (f) Section 1 shall be amended as follows:
  - (i) The introductory sentence shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (ii) The definition of Adverse Event shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (iii) The definition of Articles shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (iv) The definition of Asset 1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (v) The definition of Asset 2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (vi) The definition of Assets shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (vii) The definition of Asset Sale shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (viii) **"Board"** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (ix) The definition of Business Plan shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (x) The definition of Commercialisation shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xi) **"Completion"** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xii) The definition of Development shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xiii) **"EGFR"** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xiv) The definition of Exit shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xv) The definition of Initial Business Plan Period shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xvi) The term **"Institution"** and its definition shall be deleted as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (xvii) The definition of Key Employee shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.

- (xviii) The definition of Key Managers shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xix) The definition of Leadership Team shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xx) The definition of Listing shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxi) **“Longstop Date”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxii) The definition of Manufacture shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxiii) The definition of Marketing Approval shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxiv) The definition of Period shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxv) The definition of Regulatory Approval shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxvi) “subsidiary” shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxvii) The definition of Subsidiary shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (xxviii) The definition of UM Representative shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (g) Section 2.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (h) Section 2.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (i) Section 2.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (j) Section 2.5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (k) Section 2.8 to 2.11 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (l) Section 3.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (m) Section 3.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (n) Section 3.4(c) and (d) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (o) The introductory sentence of Section 4.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (p) A new Section 4.2 shall be added and the numbering of the subsequent Sections shall be amended as apparent from Schedule-C.
- (q) (Former) Section 4.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (r) (Former) Section 4.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (s) (Former) Section 4.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.

- (t) (Former) Section 4.5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (u) (Former) Section 4.6 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (v) The introductory sentence of Section 5.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (w) Section 5.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (x) Section 5.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (y) The footnote after the first sub-heading of Section 6 shall be deleted as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (z) The brackets at the beginning of Section 6.1 and the end of 6.2 shall be removed as apparent from Schedule 2-C and the introductory sentence of Section 6.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (aa) Section 6.1 (b)(i) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (bb) Section 6.1 (b)(v) shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (cc) Section 6.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (dd) Section 7.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (ee) Section 7.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (ff) Section 7.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (gg) A new Section 7.5 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (hh) Section 8.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (ii) Section 8.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (jj) Section 9.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (kk) The introductory sentence of Section 9.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (ll) Sections 10 to 17 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (mm) Sections 18.1 and 18.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (nn) Sections 19 and 20 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (oo) Section 21.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (pp) Sections 22 to 24 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (qq) The sentence set in brackets following Schedule 24 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (rr) Schedule 1: The Initial Leadership Team shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- (ss) Schedule 2: Matters Requiring Consent shall be amended as follows:

- (i) Section 3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (ii) Section 7 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (iii) Section 15 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (iv) Section 17 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (v) Section 18 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (vi) Section 21 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (vii) Section 25 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (tt) Schedule 3: Deed of Adherence shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (uu) Annex 2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
  - (vv) The signature pages shall be replaced as apparent from Schedule 2-C.
- 2.40 Amendments to Schedule 7: Incentivisation Agreement
- (a) The heading of Schedule 7 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
  - (b) The date 2020 on the cover page shall be replaced by 2021 as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (c) The table of content shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (d) The date 2020 before the section PARTIES shall be replaced by 2021 as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (e) The introduction shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (f) Section 1 shall be amended as follows:
    - (i) The definition of Asset Sale shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (ii) **“Board”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (iii) The definition of Business Plan shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (iv) **“Completion”** shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (v) The definition of Disqualified Participant shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (vi) The definition of EGFR shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (vii) The definition of ERBB shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (viii) The definition of Exit Payment shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
    - (ix) The definition of Good Leaver shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.

- (x) The definition of Listing shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xi) **“Longstop Date”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xii) The definition of Major Market Countries shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xiii) The definition of Marketing Approval shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xiv) The definition of Milestone shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xv) **“Month”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xvi) The definition of Partial Asset Sale shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xvii) The definition of Partial Asset Sale Payment shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xviii) The definition of Personal Representative shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xix) The definition of Portfolio Company Agreement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xx) The definition of Relevant Period shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xxi) **“subsidiary”** shall be added as new defined term as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xxii) The definition of Subsidiary shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xxiii) The definition of UM Representative shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xxiv) The definition of Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (xxv) The definition of Upfront Proceeds shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D
- (g) Section 2.9 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (h) The last paragraph of Section 2.10 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (i) Sections 3.1 to 3.4 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (j) Section 3.6 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (k) Section 3.7 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (l) Section 5 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
  - (m) Section 8.1 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.



- (n) Section 12.3 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
- (o) Section 13 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
- (p) Section 14 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
- (q) Section 21.2 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
- (r) The sentence set in brackets as apparent from Schedule 2-D shall be added after Section 23.
- (s) Schedule 2: Deed of Adherence shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.
- (t) The signature pages shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-D.

2.41 Amendments to Schedule 8:

- (a) The heading of Schedule B shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- (b) Schedule 8 shall be replaced in its entirety by the table contained in Schedule 2-E.

2.42 Amendments to Schedule 9 Form Front-End Disclosure Letter:

- (a) The heading of Schedule 9 shall be amended as apparent from Schedule 2-A.
- (b) Schedule 9 shall be replaced in its entirety by the table contained in Schedule 2-F.

2.43 A new Schedule 10 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-A.

2.44 A new Schedule 11 shall be added as apparent from Schedule 2-G.

### 3. REFERENCES

References in the Contribution Agreement to:

- (a) the “**Agreement**”, “**hereof**”, “**hereunder**” in the Contribution Agreement and expressions of similar import shall be deemed to be references to the Contribution Agreement as amended by this Amendment Deed; and
- (b) the “**date of this Agreement**” and expressions of similar import shall, for the avoidance of doubt, remain to be references to 31 December 2020.
- (c) “**amended as apparent**” shall mean that the section or provision referred to shall be amended and the new wording thereof shall from the date of this Amendment Deed read as referred to in Schedules 2-A to 2-G of this Amendment Deed.

### 4. CONFORMED COPY

From the date of this Amendment Deed, the Contribution Agreement will be read and construed as amended in Clause 2 of this Amendment Deed. A clean copy of the amended Contribution Agreement – which has not been read out – is attached as Schedule 3 to this Amendment Deed (*Conformed Clean Copy Of Amended Contribution Agreement*) for information purposes.

### 5. SEPARATE SIGNING AS DEED

On or around the date of this Amendment Deed the Parties will sign a separate copy of this Amendment Deed in the form as attached for information purposes only hereto as Schedule 4 as an English law deed in order to meet the legal requirements under the laws of England and Wales regarding the amendment of the Contribution Agreement.

**6. APPLICATION AND CONTINUED VALIDITY OF THE CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

Except as amended in and replaced by this Amendment Deed, all other provisions of the Contribution Agreement (including its Schedules) shall (i) apply to this Amendment Deed and shall (ii) remain unaffected and have continued validity and binding effect on all Parties in relation to the subject matter thereof, it being understood, however, that the Contribution Agreement (including its Schedules) so amended and replaced by this Amendment Deed shall also further remain the legal basis for the rights and obligations established thereunder between the Parties during its relevant terms and conditions.

*[Intentionally left blank, Schedules 1, Schedule 2-A to 2-G, Schedule 3 and Schedule 4 follow.]*

SCHEDULE 1

SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address
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The Notary public informed the persons appearing as follows:

- The agreement notarised in this Deed is subject to English law. The Notary informed that persons appearing that she is only familiar with German law and recommends involving English lawyers for legal advice. The persons appearing confirmed that on both sides English legal professionals advised the parties and drafted the agreement contained in this Deed. The persons appearing requested to finalise the notarisation.
- All contractual agreements in connection with this Deed ("*miteinander stehen und fallen*") are to be notarized and side agreements outside of this Deed may entail the invalidity of the side agreements and this Deed, whereupon the parties hereto declared that there are no such other contractual agreements.
- There is no bona fide creation nor acquisition nor ranking of shares (i.e., the purchaser is not protected if the shares do not exist, have been previously transferred to a third party, or have been previously encumbered for the benefit of a third party) if not otherwise provided for in sec. 16 para. 3 German Limited Liability Companies Act (GmbHG).
- The parties hereto are, by operation of law, jointly and severally liable with respect to the payment of all notarial fees, irrespective of any internal agreement passed in that respect.
- that the Notary has not advised on tax matters and recommends involving a third party for any tax advice. The person appearing confirmed that tax advisers have been involved prior to the notarisation of this Agreement

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This Deed and all its Schedules, except

the Schedule 3 and Schedule 4 which are attached to this Deed only for information and evidence purposes,

the sections/provisions/wording of Schedules 2-A to 2-G to which is not explicitly referred to in clause 2 of the Amendment Deed,

was read aloud by the Notary to the persons appearing in the English and where referred to in the German language, approved in its entirety by the persons appearing and signed by the persons appearing and the Notary in their own hands as follows:

*RA Doff*

*Winkel*

*Rose Bredt*

*[Signature]*





**Recorded**

**29 January 2021**

at Frankfurt am Main

before the undersigning Notary

**Dr Christiane Mühe**

with her offices at

Frankfurt am Main, Germany,

appeared today

1. [####], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of  
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**PearlRiver Bio GmbH**, being registered with the commercial register (*Han-delsregister*) of the local court (*Amtsgericht*) of Dortmund under HRB 30673, having its registered seat at Dortmund, Germany, and business address at Otto-Hahn-Strabe 15, 44227 Dortmund; and

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2. [####] not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmacht-Iosrer Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of

**United Medicines Biopharma Limited**, being registered with the Companies House of the United Kingdom under company No. 12973576, having its registered seat at Cambridge, United Kingdom, and business address at The Dorothy Hodg-kin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH; and

3. [####], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of

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4. [####], not acting in her own name, but without power of attorney (*vollmachtloser Vertreter*) and without any promise for providing the approval of this Deed by the persons represented by her, for and on behalf of

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The persons appearing are personally known to the Notary.

The persons appearing requested the notarization of the following agreement contained in this Deed in the English language and where referred to in the German language. The Notary, who has a good and sufficient command of the German and English language, confirmed that the persons appearing also have a good and sufficient command of the German and English language. The parties were advised by the Notary of their right to be provided with a written translation of this Deed to be attached hereto, but expressly waived any such right.

Upon enquiry, it was concluded by all parties that no prior involvement of the Notary exists within the meaning of Section 3 para. 1 no. 7 German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*). The Notary advised the person appearing on their disclosure obligation under the German Money Laundering Act (*Geldwäschegesetz*). They declared to act as described in this Deed and not for any third party.

The notary informed that this Deed becomes only valid if all parties represented without power of attorney have provided to the Notary an approval of the declarations made on their behalf in this Deed. Acting with representatives without power of attorney and with employees of the Notary was requested by the represented parties due to the current Corona situation.

The persons appearing then declared the following which they requested to be recorded in a notarial Deed:



Dated 29 January 2021

**PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH**

**AND**

**THE SELLERS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**AMENDMENT DEED NO .2**

relating to the

**CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

dated 31 December 2020

as amended by

Amendment Deed No. 1

(notarial deed no. 42/2021 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt am Main, dated 22 January 2021 and the English law Amendment Deed No. 1 dated 23 January 2021)

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**BETWEEN:**

- (1) **PEARLRIVER BIO GMBH** a limited liability company incorporated in Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Dortmund under company number HRB 30673 and with its registered office at Otto-Hahn-Sir. 15, 44227 Dortmund, Germany (the "**Company**");
- (2) **THE SELLERS** whose names and addresses are set out in Schedule 1 (together the "**Sellers**", and each a "**Seller**"); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England, registered with the Companies House of the United Kingdom with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH ("**UM**"),  
  
(each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

**WHEREAS:**

- (A) The Parties executed a contribution agreement on 31 December 2020 (notarial deed no. 662/2020 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt am Main (with reference to the reference deed notarial deed no 661/2020 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe, which has been amended by the Parties by amendment deed No. 1 thereto (notarial deed no. 42/2021 M of the notary public Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt am Main, dated 22 January 2021) (together, the "**Contribution Agreement**"). It is noted that the Contribution Agreement forms part of a wider restructuring transaction currently being undertaken by UM (the "**Restructuring**"). The originals (*Urschrift*) of the above mentioned German notarial deeds ("**Reference Deeds**") were present at the today's notarization and provided to the appearing persons for their review. After having been notified about § 13a German Notarization Act (*Beurkundungsgesetz*) the persons appearing confirm that they are aware of the content of the Reference Deeds, waived - also on behalf of the persons represented by them—their right to have the Reference Deeds read loud again by the Notary, to attach them to this Deed and to issue them (*Mitausfertigung*).
- (B) The Parties now wish to amend certain individual terms of the Contribution Agreement in order to (amongst other matters) accommodate certain matters reflecting the progress of the transactions contemplated by the Contribution Agreement as a whole and to align the Contribution Agreement with the Restructuring. For the avoidance of doubt, this Amendment Deed No. 2 shall in no event be interpreted or deemed to constitute a restatement of the original Contribution Agreement in its entirety but shall only amend certain individual terms thereof on the terms set out below.
- (C) The variations to the Contribution Agreement shall be given effect by entry into this Amendment Deed No. 2 by the Parties and the Contribution Agreement shall be amended in the form set out in this Amendment Deed No. 2 and this shall be binding on all the Parties.

**IT IS AGREED** as follows:

**1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

In this Amendment Deed No. 2 capitalized terms used and not expressly defined herein shall bear their respective meaning in the Contribution Agreement.

**2. AMENDMENTS TO THE CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

2.1 In order to give effect to the changes (amongst other matters) set out in paragraph (B) above, the Parties hereby agree that the Contribution Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- (a) the definition of "Warranty Date" shall be amended to read as follows:  
    "**Warranty Date**" means 23 January 2021."; and
- (b) paragraph 1(b) of Schedule 2 (*Completion Obligations*) is deleted in its entirety.

2.2 Save as provided for in clause 2.1, above, no further amendments shall be made to the Contribution Agreement.

**3. REFERENCES**

References in the Contribution Agreement to:

- (a) the "**Agreement**", "**hereof**", "**hereunder**" in the Contribution Agreement and expressions of similar import shall be deemed to be references to the Contribution Agreement as amended by this Amendment Deed No. 2; and
- (b) the "**date of this Agreement**" and expressions of similar import shall, for the avoidance of doubt, remain to be references to 31 December 2020.

**4. CONFORMED COPY**

From the date of this Amendment Deed No. 2, the Contribution Agreement will be read and construed as amended in Clause 2 of this Amendment Deed No. 2. A clean copy of the amended Contribution Agreement (excluding its Schedules 4 to 9 and 11) - which has not been read out as part of the German notarisational process - is attached as Schedule 2 (*Conformed Copy of the Amended Contribution Agreement*) to this Amendment Deed No. 2 for Information purposes.

**5. SEPARATE SIGNING AS DEED**

On or around the date of this Amendment Deed No. 2 the Parties will sign a separate copy of this Amendment Deed No. 2 in the form as attached for Information purposes only hereto as Schedule 3 (*Form Amendment Deed as a English Law Deed*) as an English law deed in order to meet the legal requirements under the laws of England and Wales regarding the amendment of the Contribution Agreement.

**6. APPLICATION AND CONTINUED VALIDITY OF THE CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT**

Except as amended in and replaced by this Amendment Deed No. 2, all other provisions of the Contribution Agreement (including its Schedules) shall (i) apply to this Amendment Deed No. 2 and shall (ii) remain unaffected and have continued validity and binding effect on all Parties in relation to the subject matter thereof, it being understood, however, that the Contribution Agreement (including its Schedules) so amended and replaced by this Amendment Deed No. 2 shall also further remain the legal basis for the rights and obligations established thereunder between the Parties during its relevant terms and conditions.

[Intentionally left blank, Schedule 1 to Schedule 3 follow.]

SCHEDULE 1

SELLERS

(1) Seller	(2) Address
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## SCHEDULE 2: COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

### 1. PRE-COMPLETION OBLIGATIONS

Prior to Completion:

- (a) those respective Sellers shall procure that such Resigning Director appointed by such Seller shall deliver to UM the written resignation (in the agreed form) as director of the Company, in each case to take effect on the Completion Date; and
- (b) the UM Resolutions shall be passed by the relevant members of UM.

### 2. AT COMPLETION

At Completion:

- (a) a shareholders' meeting of the Company shall be held with all shareholders being present or duly represented, and the Sellers shall – waiving all requirements as to form and notice periods for convocation – resolve unanimously and with all votes upon:
  - (i) the adoption of the New Articles;
  - (ii) approve the resignation of the Resigning Directors as advisory board members of the Company with effect on and from Completion;
- (b) each Seller (other than each Preference Seller) shall enter into and deliver to UM a Power of Attorney;
- (c) each Seller and the Company shall sign and deliver to UM its signature to the Deed of Termination;
- (d) the Parties shall execute the Share Transfer Agreement for the *in rem* transfer of the Contribution Shares to UM substantially in the form as attached hereto as Schedule 4 in front of a notary public and the Sellers shall instruct the notary to immediately submit an amended shareholder's list of the Company to the competent commercial register showing UM as sole shareholder of the Company;
- (e) a meeting of the Board shall be held and board minutes shall be approved and signed by the chairman of the meeting (or written resolutions of the Board shall be entered into by each director) pursuant to which UM shall:
  - (i) ratify the terms of the UM Resolutions and the circulation of these to the shareholders of UM eligible to vote on each;
  - (ii) ratify the terms of and entry into this Agreement and the Disclosure Letter;
  - (iii) approve the terms of and entry into this Agreement and each of the documents to be entered into by UM which are referred to herein as being in the agreed form;
  - (iv) issue the UM Shares credited as fully paid to each of the Sellers in the numbers set out in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1, and enter the name of each of such Sellers in the register of members (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (v) execute and deliver a share certificate to each of the relevant Sellers for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1; and



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- (vi) pass any such other resolutions as may be required to carry out the obligations of UM under this Agreement;
  - (f) UM shall deliver to each of the relevant Sellers the share certificate for the UM Shares set out against its name in column (5) of the table in Schedule 1;
  - (g) UM shall deliver to the Sellers the updated register of reflecting the Sellers as members of UM (and, in the case of a Seller who is already a shareholder of UM, make an additional entry next to their name in the register of members);
  - (h) the Company shall sign and deliver a Director Deed of Indemnity to each New Director, and UM shall procure that each New Director shall sign and deliver the same to the Company;
  - (i) UM shall file Companies House form SH01 (return of allotment of shares) in respect of the allotment of the UM Shares pursuant to this Agreement; and

SCHEDULE 3 : WARRANTIES

**Definitions**

For the purposes of this Schedule:

<b>409A Plan</b>	means a nonqualified deferred compensation plan (as such term is defined under Section 409A(d)(1) of the Code, as amended and the guidance thereunder) under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries makes, is obligated to make or promises to make, payments;
<b>Accounts</b>	means the financial statements of the Company for the twelve ( 12) month period ended on the Accounts Date in the agreed form, consisting of an unaudited balance sheet of the Company as at the Accounts Date and the notes thereto;
<b>Accounts Date</b>	means 31 December 2019;
<b>Code</b>	means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 of the United States of America, as amended;
<b>Data Protection Legislation</b>	means the Data Protection Act 2018 of the United Kingdom, the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679 of the European Union, the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive 2002/58/EC (as amended), the Privacy and Electronic Communications (EC Directive) Regulations 2003 (as amended), the Regulation of investigatory Powers Act 2000 of the United Kingdom, the Telecommunications (Lawful Business Practice) (interception of Communications) Regulations 2000 of the United Kingdom and all applicable laws and regulations relating to processing of personal data, including where applicable the guidance and codes issued by the Information Commissioner or other appropriate supervisory authority;
<b>Data Protection Principles</b>	has the same meaning as the term "Data Protection Principles" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Disclosure Bundle</b>	has the meaning set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>DPA</b>	means the Defense Product Act of 1950 of the United States of America, as amended;
<b>Employee</b>	means an individual who is employed by, or who provides consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;
<b>FDA</b>	means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration;
<b>FDA Application Integrity Policy</b>	means the FDA's "Fraud, Untrue Statements of Material Facts, Bribery, and Illegal Gratuities" policy as stated at 56 Fed. Reg. 46191 (September 10, 1991);
<b>Grant Funding</b>	means any funding or other aid or assistance from any central, state or local government body or authority, any statutory undertaking, any other public body or authority, or any other body funded by public money;
<b>Information Commissioner</b>	has the meaning set out in the Data Protection Legislation;

<b>Intellectual Property</b>	means all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, service mark applications, tradenames, copyrights, trade secrets, domain names, mask works, information and proprietary rights and processes, similar or other intellectual property rights, subject matter of any of the foregoing, tangible embodiments of any of the foregoing, and licenses in to and under any of the foregoing, all rights of whatsoever nature in computer software and data, all rights of privacy and all intangible rights and privileges of a nature similar or allied to any of the foregoing, in every case in any part of the world and whether or not registered; and including all granted registrations and all applications for registration in respect of any of the same;
<b>ITEPA</b>	means the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003 of the United Kingdom;
<b>Management Accounts</b>	means the management accounts of the Company for the period starting on Accounts Date and ending on the Management Accounts Date, in the agreed form;
<b>Management Accounts Date</b>	means 30 November 2020;
<b>Personal Data</b>	has the same meaning as the term "personal data" under the Data Protection Legislation;
<b>Properties</b>	means, in respect of the Company or a Subsidiary, the properties set out in the Disclosure Letter;
<b>Securities Act</b>	means the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended;
<b>Social Obligations</b>	means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) any common or statutory law, regulation, directive, code of practice or other law in any jurisdiction relating to (i) the relationship between any Group Company and its employees (and/or Workers), any potential employee (and/or Worker) and/or any trade unions and/or (ii) the health and safety of its employees; and</li> <li>(b) any agreements or arrangements between any Group Company and its employees and/or any trade union or other organisation which represents some or all of its employees;</li> </ul>
<b>Tax Return</b>	means any report, return (including information return), claim for refund, election, estimated tax filing, statement or declaration filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendments thereof;
<b>VAT</b>	means value added tax chargeable under the VATA or under any legislation replacing it or under any legislation which the VATA replaced and further means value added tax at the rate in force when the relevant supply is made and any tax of a similar nature which is introduced in substitution for such value added tax;
<b>VATA</b>	means the Value Added Tax Act 1994 of the United Kingdom; and

**1. Share capital and authority**

- 1.1 All of the shares set out in column 4 of the table in Schedule 1 are fully paid and comprise the entire issued share capital of the Company. None of the share capital of the Company is under option or subject to any Encumbrance or other third party right (including rights of pre-emption), no options, warrants or other rights to subscribe for new shares in the Company have been granted or agreed to, and no dividends or other rights or benefits have been declared, made or paid or agreed to be declared, made or paid thereon. All issued share capital of the Company has been duly authorised and issued in compliance with applicable securities law.
- 1.2 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.3 The execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the documents referred to in it, and performance of its obligations and compliance with their respective terms, does not breach, conflict with or constitute a default under (with or without notice or lapse of time, or both), or give rise to a right of notice or termination, cancellation, modification or acceleration of any right or obligation or loss of any benefit under, or require any consent, approval or waiver from any Person pursuant to, or result in the creation of any Encumbrance on the Company's assets pursuant to, the Company's articles of association, or any other agreement or instrument to which any Warrantor is a party or by which any Warrantor is bound, and shall not constitute a breach under any order, judgment, decree or other restriction applicable to any Warrantor. The Disclosure Letter sets out and describes all necessary consents, waivers and approvals of parties to any contracts to which the Company is a party or by which the Company's properties or assets may be bound as are required thereunder in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, or for any such contract to remain in full force and effect without limitation, modification or alteration after Completion so as to preserve all rights of, and benefits to, the Company under such contracts from and after Completion. Except as set out and described in the Disclosure Letter, following Completion, the Company will continue to be permitted to exercise all of its rights under all contracts to which the Company is a party without the payment of any additional amounts or consideration other than ongoing fees, royalties or payments which they would otherwise be required to pay pursuant to the terms of such contracts had the transactions contemplated hereunder not occurred. No consent, approval, order or authorisation of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state or local governmental authority is required on the part of the Company in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, except for (i) the filing of the New Articles, which will have been filed as of Completion, and (ii) filings pursuant to applicable securities laws, which have been made or will be made in a timely manner.
- 1.4 *[Intentionally left blank.]*
- 1.5 Except as set forth in the New Articles, the Company has no obligation (contingent or otherwise) to purchase or redeem any of its share capital.
- 1.6 The Company believes in good faith that any 409A Plan complies in all material respects, in both form and operation, with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code and the guidance thereunder. To the knowledge of the Company, no payment to be made under any 409A Plan is, or will be, subject to the penalties of Section 409A(a)(1) of the Code.
- 1.7 All action required to be taken by the board of directors of the Company and/or Sellers necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all obligations of the Company under this Agreement has been taken. This Agreement, when executed and delivered by the Company, shall constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance, or other laws of general application relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.

1.8 Except as provided in the Existing Agreements, the Company is not under any obligation to register under the Securities Act any of its currently outstanding securities or any securities issuable upon exercise or conversion of its currently outstanding securities. To the Company's knowledge, except as contemplated in the Existing Agreements, no shareholder of the Company has entered into any agreements with respect to the voting of capital shares of the Company.

**2. Information**

The information contained or referred to in columns (1) – (4) of Schedule 1 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately before Completion and the information contained or referred to in Schedule 10 shall be true, complete and accurate and not misleading immediately following Completion.

**3. Business Plan**

3.1 The Business Plan has been diligently prepared and each of the Warrantors, believes that, as at the date of this Agreement, it represents a realistic plan in relation to the future progress, expansion and development of the Business.

3.2 All factual information contained in the Business Plan was when given and is at the date of this agreement true, complete and accurate in all material respects and not misleading.

3.3 The financial forecasts, projections or estimates contained in the Business Plan have been diligently prepared, are fair, valid and reasonable nor have they been disproved in the light of any events or circumstances which have arisen subsequent to the preparation of the Business Plan up to the date of this Agreement.

3.4 The assumptions upon which the Business Plan has been prepared have been carefully considered and are honestly believed to be reasonable, having regard to the information available and to the market conditions prevailing at the time of their preparation.

3.5 Each statement of opinion in the Business Plan is believed by each of the Warrantors to be fair and reasonable, accurately to represent the opinion held by him and not to be misleading.

3.6 So far as the Warrantors are aware, all matters within management control which could materially and adversely affect the achievement of the financial forecasts in the Business Plan (other than general economic factors) are referred to in the Business Plan and have been taken into account in the preparation of such forecasts.

**4. Accounts**

4.1 The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles, standards and practices which are generally accepted in the applicable jurisdiction in which such Accounts were prepared and on the same basis and in accordance with the same accounting policies as the corresponding accounts for the preceding three financial years, comply with the requirements of applicable law and give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the Accounts Date and of the profits and losses for the period concerned. UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Accounts.

4.2 The Accounts make proper provision or reserve for or, in the case of actual liabilities, properly disclose, note or take into account as at the Accounts Date:

- (a) all liabilities whether actual contingent or disputed;
- (b) all capital commitments whether actual or contingent;

- (c) all bad and doubtful debts; and
  - (d) all Taxation.
- 4.3 The profits (or losses) shown in the Accounts have not to a material extent been affected (except as disclosed herein) by any extraordinary or exceptional event or circumstance or by any other factor rendering such profits unusually high or low.

**5. Management Accounts**

5.1 The Management Accounts:

- (a) have been prepared in accordance with good accounting practice on a basis consistent with that upon which the management accounts of the Company for the period to the Accounts Date were prepared;
- (b) reasonably reflect the financial affairs of the Company at the date to which they have been prepared and its results for the period covered by the Management Accounts; and
- (c) are not inaccurate or misleading in any material respect.

5.2 UM has been provided with a complete copy of the Management Accounts.

**6. Events since the Accounts Date**

Since the Accounts Date, except in connection with or pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the Contributions):

- (a) its business has been carried on in the ordinary course and so as to maintain the same as a going concern;
- (b) it has not acquired or disposed of or agreed to acquire or dispose of any business or any material asset (other than trading stock in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it) or assumed or acquired any material liability (including a contingent liability);
- (c) no dividend or other distribution has been declared, made or paid to its members nor has it repaid any loan capital or other debenture;
- (d) no change has been made (or agreed to be made) in the emoluments or other terms of employment of any of its employees who are in receipt of remuneration in excess of £100,000 per annum or of any of the directors of the Company nor has it paid any bonus or special remuneration to any such employee or any of its directors;
- (e) it has not borrowed monies (except in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it or from its bankers under agreed loan facilities);
- (f) there has not been any material deterioration in the financial position or prospects of the Business (whether in consequence of normal trading or otherwise);
- (g) neither the trading nor the profitability of the Business shows, as regards turnover, the state of order book, expenses and profit margins, any material deterioration or downturn by comparison with the period ended on the Accounts Date;
- (h) no part of the Business has been affected to a material extent by the loss of any important customer, or of any source of supply or by the cancellation or loss of any order or contract or by any other abnormal factor or event nor so far as the Warrantors are aware are there any circumstances likely to lead thereto;

- (i) no employee has been dismissed or made redundant nor has the Company taken or omitted to take any action which would entitle any employee to claim that he has been constructively dismissed;
- (j) no resignation or termination of employment of any officer or key employee of the Company;
- (k) no material change to a material contract or agreement by which the Company or any of its assets is bound or subject; and
- (l) there are no liabilities (including contingent liabilities) outstanding on the part of the Company other than those liabilities disclosed in the Accounts or incurred in the ordinary and proper course of business since the Account Date which are similarly disclosed in the Management Accounts or in the books and records of the Company.

**7. Taxation**

- 7.1 The Company has duly and punctually made all Tax Returns and given or delivered all notices, accounts and information which ought to have been made to and is not and has not been involved in any dispute with any Tax Authority concerning any matter likely to affect in any way the liability (whether accrued, contingent or future) of it for Taxation and the Warrantors are not aware of any matter which may lead to such dispute.
- 7.2 The Company has duly paid or fully provided for all Taxation (including deferred tax) for which it is liable and there are no circumstances in which interest or penalties in respect of Taxation not duly paid could be charged against it in respect of any period prior to Completion.
- 7.3 All Taxation due in respect of payments made by the Company to any person, which ought to have been made under deduction or reduction of Taxation, has been properly deducted and accounted for to the appropriate Tax Authority from all such payments made.
- 7.4 All documents to which the Company is a party or which form part of the Company's title to any asset owned or possessed by it or which the Company may need to enforce or produce in evidence in the courts of the United Kingdom have been duly stamped and (where appropriate) adjudicated.
- 7.5 No claim has been received by the Company from a jurisdiction in which Tax Returns have not been filed by the Company that the Company is or may be subject to Taxation by such jurisdiction.
- 7.6 The Company has not agreed to any waiver of any statute of limitations in respect of Taxation or has agreed to, or is subject to, any extension of time with respect to a Taxation assessment or deficiency.
- 7.7 The Company has not ever been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group or filed any Tax Return as a member of such group (other than with respect to the combined, consolidated, affiliated or unitary group for Taxation purposes for which the Company is the common parent).
- 7.8 The Company does not have any liability for Taxation of any other Person (i) as a result of having been a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or aggregate group, (ii) under any Taxation sharing, allocation, indemnification or similar agreement or (iii) as a transferee or successor or as a result of contractual obligations.
- 7.9 The Company has complied in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing laws, has prepared all necessary transfer pricing documentation as required by Applicable Law and filed all applicable Tax Returns with respect thereto.

- 7.10 The taxable year of the Company is, and always has been, the calendar year ending 31 December. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries is, and always has been, an accrual method taxpayer.
- 7.11 The Company is not the beneficiary of any Taxation exemption, Taxation holiday or other Taxation reduction agreement or order.
- 7.12 The Company has never requested or received a ruling from any Tax Authority or signed a closing or other agreement with any Tax Authority.
- 7.13 The Company does not have and has never had any interest in any partnership, limited liability company or other arrangement classified as a partnership for income tax purposes.
- 7.14 No directors, officers or employees of the Company have received any securities, interests in securities or securities options as defined in Part 7 of ITEPA.
- 7.15 No directors, employees or officers of the Company have received any securities or interests in securities in a form which is or could be treated as a “readily convertible asset” as defined in section 702 of ITEPA.
- 7.16 All directors, officers or employees of the Company who have received any securities or interests in securities falling within Chapter 2 of Part 7 of ITEPA have entered into elections jointly with the Company under section 431 (1) of ITEPA within the statutory time limit and a list of any such directors, officers or employees and the elections entered into is included in the Disclosure Bundle. To the Company’s knowledge, all elections and notices under Section 83(b) of the Code have been or will be timely filed by all individuals who have acquired Ordinary Shares that are or were subject to vesting upon the grant thereof by the Company.
- 7.17 The Company is a close company as defined in section 439 of the CTA 2010 and is not and has never been a close investment-holding company as defined in section 34 of the CTA 2010.
- 7.18 No distribution within section 1064 of the CTA 2010 has been made by the Company and no loan or advance within sections 455, 459 and 460 of the CTA 2010 has been made (and remains outstanding) or agreed to, by the Company, and the Company has not, since the Accounts Date, released or written off the whole or part of the debt in respect of any such loan or advance.
- 7.19 All acquisitions or disposals of assets by the Company and all supplies of services by and to the Company have occurred at arm’s length between unconnected persons and for a consideration in cash at market value.
- 7.20 The Company is registered for the purposes of the VATA (and has not at any time been treated as a member of a group of companies for such purpose). The Company has complied with all statutory provisions, regulations and notices relating to VAT and has duly and punctually accounted for and/or paid HMRC all amounts of VAT which it ought to have so accounted for and/or paid.
- 7.21 The Company does not currently have, and has not had since the time of its formation, a taxable presence in the United States and is not subject to United States federal income tax.
- 7.22 Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has deferred or delayed any payment of Taxation or received any tax credit under measures relating to COVID-19.

**8. Litigation**

- 8.1 Neither the Company nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person for whose acts and defaults it may be vicariously liable, is at present engaged whether as claimant, defendant or otherwise in any legal action, proceeding or arbitration which is either in progress or is threatened or, so far as the Warrantors are aware, is pending (other than as claimant in the collection of debts arising in the ordinary course of the business carried on by it none of which



- exceeds £100,000 and which do not exceed £250,000 in aggregate) or is being prosecuted for any criminal offence and no governmental, regulatory or official investigation or inquiry concerning the Company is threatened or in progress or so far as the Warrantors are aware, pending.
- 8.2 There is no legal action, proceeding or arbitration currently threatened, so far as the Warrantors are aware, that questions the validity of this Agreement or that would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse change in the financial or trading position of the Company.
- 8.3 There is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation by the Company pending or which the Company intends to initiate.
- 8.4 There are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to lead to any such claim or legal action, proceeding or arbitration, prosecution, investigation or inquiry.
- 8.5 Neither the Company nor any of the Key Persons nor, so far as the Warrantors are aware, any person acting for or on behalf of the Company is being prosecuted for an offence, nor are they or have they been the subject of any investigation, or inquiry by, or on behalf of, any governmental, administrative or regulatory authority, in respect of any offence or alleged offence, under the Bribery Act 2010 of the United Kingdom or under applicable anti-corruption laws or regulations of any other jurisdiction, and there are no circumstances known to any of the Warrantors likely to give rise to any such prosecution, investigation or inquiry.

#### **9. Properties**

- 9.1 The Properties (and the interest held by the Company) are identified in the Disclosure Letter and they are the only properties in which the Company has an interest or occupies.
- 9.2 The details of the Properties as set out in the Disclosure Letter are entirely accurate and incorporate all adverse rights (including, without limitation, charges, leases, contracts, title and planning restrictions and Encumbrances) affecting the Properties.
- 9.3 The Company has duly complied with the obligations affecting the Properties and no termination notice has been given (by the landlord or the tenant) in relation to any lease relating to any of the Properties.
- 9.4 There are no outstanding liabilities (actual, anticipated or contingent) in relation to any of the Properties (including, without limitation, outstanding rent reviews and future duties to reinstate alterations) or in relation to any property formerly owned or occupied by the Company.
- 9.5 The Properties are fully insured and the Company has appropriate rights to ensure any damage by an insured risk is reinstated.

#### **10. Intellectual Property**

- 10.1 The Company has taken reasonable and appropriate steps to protect all intellectual Property and know-how used by it and the Company has not itself granted any rights to third parties in relation to any of its intellectual Property.
- 10.2 So far as the Warrantors are aware, neither (i) the use, commercialisation or development of any product as presently contemplated by the Company, nor (ii) the manufacture of any product as presently manufactured or presently contemplated to be manufactured by or on behalf of the Company infringes any Intellectual Property right of any third party and the Warrantors are not aware of any claims or applications for registration of Intellectual Property which might be material for disclosure to UM as the acquirer of the Company.
- 10.3 All Intellectual Property, which is or is likely to be material to the business of the Company:

- (a) is (or in the case of applications will be) legally and beneficially vested exclusively in the Company; or
  - (b) is licensed to the Company by third parties by way of an agreement and/or licence which enable the Company to use the Intellectual Property as it requires in the ordinary course of its business.
- 10.4 Details of all licences (true, current and complete copies of each of which are included in the Disclosure Bundle) entered into by the Company in relation to Intellectual Property, and in respect of which the Company is a licensor, licensee or otherwise a party, are set out in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.5 No Intellectual Property in which the Company has any interest and which is, or is likely to be, material to the business of the Company is:
- (a) being (or has been) infringed, misappropriated or used without permission by any other person; or
  - (b) subject to any licence, estoppel or authority or similar right in favour of any other person, except as set out in the agreements listed in the Disclosure Letter.
- 10.6 All Intellectual Property which is registered in the name of the Company, or in respect of which the Company has made application for registration, is:
- (a) listed and briefly described in the Disclosure Letter;
  - (b) legally and beneficially vested in the Company; and
  - (c) valid and enforceable and not subject to any claims of opposition from any third party.
- 10.7 All renewal fees in respect of the Intellectual Property registered by the Company have been duly paid, and all other steps required for the maintenance and protection of such registered Intellectual Property have been taken, in any jurisdiction in which they are registered.
- 10.8 Nothing has been done or omitted to be done whereby any of the Intellectual Property owned or used by the Company have ceased or might cease to be valid and enforceable or whereby any person is or will be able to seek cancellation, rectification or any other modification of any registration of any such Intellectual Property.
- 10.9 No other person has registered or applied to register in any country any invention, topography, copyright work, design, trade or service mark or name, trade secret or know-how or other Intellectual Property made, or claimed to be owned, by the Company.
- 10.10 All licences, agreements and arrangements entered into by the Company in respect of which the Company is a licensor, a licensee or otherwise a party have been entered into in the ordinary course of business, are in full force and effect and no notice has been given on either side to terminate any of them and no amendment made or accepted to their terms since they were first entered into; and, so far as the Warrantors are aware, the obligations of all parties under each of the same have been fully complied with and no disputes exist or are anticipated in respect of any of them.
- 10.11 The Company has not knowingly disclosed or permitted to be disclosed to any person (other than to UM and to its agents, employees or professional advisers) any of its know-how, trade secrets, confidential information or lists of customers or suppliers other than where the recipient is subject to an obligation owed to the Company to keep any such information confidential pursuant to a confidentiality agreement or similar.
- 10.12 Each employee has assigned to the Company all intellectual property rights he or she owns that are related to the Company's business as now conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted and all intellectual property rights that he, she or it solely or jointly conceived,

reduced to practice, developed or made during the period of his, her or its employment or consulting relationship with the Company that (i) relate, at the time of conception, reduction to practice, development, or making of such intellectual property right, to the Company's business as then conducted or as then proposed to be conducted, (ii) were developed on any amount of the Company's time or with the use of any of the Company's equipment, supplies, facilities or information or (iii) resulted from the performance of services for the Company. To the Company's knowledge, it will not be necessary to use any inventions of any of its employees (or Persons it currently intends to hire) made prior to their employment by the Company, including prior employees or consultants, or academic or medical institutions with which any of them may be affiliated now or may have been affiliated in the past.

- 10.13 Other than with respect to commercially available software products under standard end-user object code license agreements, there are no outstanding options, licenses, agreements, claims, encumbrances or shared ownership interests of any kind relating to the Company's Intellectual Property to which the Company is party, nor is the Company bound by or a party to any options, licenses or agreements of any kind with respect to the patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, trade secrets, licenses, information, proprietary rights and processes of any other Person.
- 10.14 No government funding, facilities of a university, college, other educational institution or research center, or funding from third parties was used in the development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property. No Person who was involved in, or who contributed to, the creation or development of any of the Company's Intellectual Property, has performed services for the government, university, college, or other educational institution or research center in a manner that would affect the Company's rights in its Intellectual Property.

#### **11. Assets, debts and stock**

- 11.1 None of the book debts included in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or which have subsequently arisen have been outstanding for more than two months from their due dates for payment and all such debts have realised or will realise in the normal course of collection their full value save as provided in the Accounts, the Management Accounts or in the books of the Company.
- 11.2 The Company has not granted any security over any part of its undertaking or assets.
- 11.3 All assets used by and all debts due to the Company or which have otherwise been represented as being its property or due to it or used or held for the purposes of its business are at the date of Completion its absolute property and none is the subject of any Encumbrance (save in respect of liens arising in the normal course of trading) or the subject of any factoring arrangement, hire-purchase, retention of title, conditional sale or credit sale agreement.

#### **12. Contracts with connected persons**

- 12.1 There are no loans made by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them and no debts or liabilities owing by the Company to any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with them as aforesaid other than in connection with expenses or advances of expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or employee relocation expenses and for other customary employee benefits made generally available to all employees.
- 12.2 There are no existing contracts or arrangements to which the Company is a party and in which any of its directors, officers, employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them is interested.
- 12.3 None of the Company's directors, officers, employees or employees or shareholders and/or any person connected with any of them have any direct or indirect ownership interest in any firm or corporation with which the Company is connected or with which the Company has a business relationship, or any firm or corporation which competes with the Company except that directors, officers, employees or shareholders of the Company may own stock in (but not exceeding two percent (2%) of the outstanding share capital of) publicly traded companies that may compete with the Company.

12.4 There are no agreements between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers (in relation to the Company) or between any of the Key Persons and/or Sellers and the Company other than this Agreement and the Existing Agreements.

12.5 No Key Person nor any person connected with a Key Person owns any property used by the Company.

### 13. Employment and consultancy arrangements

13.1 Full details of all contracts of service or for services and other arrangements (including, without limitation, compensation, length of service, details of notice periods, confidentiality obligations, intellectual property rights and obligations and all remuneration) of all officers, employees, workers and consultants of the Company (such contracts, the **"Employment Agreements"**) are included in the Disclosure Letter.

13.2 There are no agreements or other arrangements (binding or otherwise) or outstanding or anticipated claims or disputes between the Company and any trade union or other body representing all or any of the employees of the Company.

13.3 The Company does not owe any amount to, nor does it have any outstanding obligations in respect of, any of its present or former directors, employees or shareholders other than remuneration accrued during the month in which this Agreement has been entered into.

13.4 Save as Disclosed, there is not in existence nor is it proposed to introduce any share incentive, share option, profit sharing, bonus or other incentive arrangements (the **"Incentive Plans"**) for or affecting any employees, consultants or former employees or former consultants.

13.5 No gratuitous payment has been made or promised in connection with the actual or proposed termination or suspension of employment or variation of any contract of employment or of any contract for services of any present or former director, employee, worker or consultant of the Company.

13.6 No person has been or is employed by the Company who did not or does not have leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or otherwise in breach of section 8 of the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996 of the United Kingdom or sections 15 to 21 (inclusive) of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 of the United Kingdom (as applicable).

13.7 There are no agreements or arrangements (whether legally enforceable or not), employee benefit plans within the meaning of Section 3(3) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 of the United States of America, as amended, deferred compensation arrangements, change in control plans, vacation plans, employee benefit plans (the **"Benefit Plans"** and, collectively with the Employment Agreements and the Incentive Plans, the **"Employee Plans"**) in relation to which the Company has incurred, will incur or could incur any liability or responsibility for or in relation to the provision of any pensions, allowances, lump sums gratuities or other like benefits on redundancy, retirement, withdrawal from service or on death or during periods of sickness or disablement or accident for or in respect of any director, or former director or employee or former employee of the Company or any person who has at any time agreed to provide services to the Company or any dependants of any such persons and no proposals or announcements have been made about the introduction, continuance, variation of, or payment of any contribution towards any such agreements or arrangements.

13.8 There is no outstanding dispute or complaint in relation to the types of benefits described in warranty statement 13.7 and there have been no communications with the Pensions Advisory Service, the Pensions Ombudsman, HMRC, and/or the Pensions Regulator in relation to such benefits.

- 13.9 Neither the Company nor any person who is an “associate” or “connected” with it (as such terms apply in sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004 of the United Kingdom) has, at any time since 19 December 1996, contributed towards, participated in or had employees who participated in, an occupational pension scheme to which section 75 of the Pensions Act 1995 of the United Kingdom applies, has applied or can apply.
- 13.10 No current or former employee or director of the Company has at any time since 30 August 1993 had his contract of employment transferred during the present period of continuous employment as a result of a “relevant transfer” for the purposes of either the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 1981 of the United Kingdom (before those regulations were revoked) or the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 where he had previously been a member of an occupational pension scheme that provided benefits available other than on old age, invalidity or death.
- 13.11 Each current and former employee, consultant and officer of the Company has executed an agreement with the Company providing for customary confidentiality and proprietary information obligations or such provisions are otherwise included in their employment agreement with the Company (the “**Confidential Information Agreements**”). No current or former Key Person has excluded works or inventions from his or her assignment of inventions pursuant to such Key Person’s Confidential Information Agreement. Each current and former Key Person is bound by restrictive covenants in a form which provides suitable protection to the Company against competition and solicitation. The Warrantors are not aware that any Key Person or former Key Person is in violation of any agreement described in this paragraph 13.11.
- 13.12 True, complete and correct copies of the Employee Plans and, with respect to the Benefit Plans, the following documents, where applicable, have previously been delivered to UM: (i) all documents embodying or governing such Employee Plan (or for unwritten Employee Plans a written description of the material terms of such Employee Plan) and any funding medium for the Employee Plan; (ii) the most recent IRS determination or opinion letter; (iii) the most recently filed Form 5500; (iv) the most recent actuarial valuation report; (v) the most recent summary plan description (or other descriptions provided to employees) and all modifications thereto; (vi) the last three years of non-discrimination testing results; and (vii) all non-routine correspondence to and from any governmental agency.
- 13.13 Each Employee Plan is and has been established, operated, and administered in all material respects in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and with its terms.
- 13.14 Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the shareholder approval of this Agreement, nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby could (either alone or in conjunction with any other event) (i) result in, or cause the accelerated vesting payment, funding or delivery of, or increase the amount or value of, any payment or benefit to any employee, officer, director or other service provider of the Company or any of its ERISA Affiliates; (ii) further restrict any rights of the Company to amend or terminate any Employee Plan; (iii) result in any “parachute payment” as defined in Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (whether or not such payment is considered to be reasonable compensation for services rendered).

#### **14. Statutory and legal requirements**

- 14.1 All statutory, municipal, governmental, court and other requirements applicable to the carrying on of the business of the Company, the formation, continuance in existence, creation and issue of securities, management, property or operation of the Company have been complied with, and all permits, authorities, licences and consents have been obtained and all conditions applicable thereto complied with and so far as the Warrantors are aware there are no circumstances which might lead to the suspension, alteration or cancellation of any such permits, authorities, licences or consents, nor is there any agreement which materially restricts the fields within which the Company may carry on its business. Without limiting the foregoing:
- (a) The Company possesses all permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorisations, orders and approvals from the appropriate federal, state or foreign

regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as now conducted, including all such permits, licenses, registrations, certificates, authorizations, orders and approvals required by any agencies or bodies engaged in the regulation of drugs, pharmaceuticals, medical devices or biohazardous materials. The Company has not received any notice of proceedings relating to the suspension, modification, revocation or cancellation of any such permit, license, registration, certificate, authorization, order or approval. Neither the Company nor, to the Company's knowledge, any officer, employee or agent of the Company has been convicted of any crime or engaged in any conduct that has previously caused or would reasonably be expected to result in (i) disqualification or debarment by the FDA under 21 U.S.C. Sections 335(a) or (b), or any similar law, rule or regulation of any other governmental entities, (ii) debarment, suspension, or exclusion under any federal healthcare programs or by the General Services Administration of the United States of America, or (iii) exclusion under 42 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7 or any similar law, rule or regulation of any governmental entities. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or, to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents is the subject of any pending or threatened investigation by FDA pursuant to the FDA Application Integrity Policy and any amendments thereto, or by any other similar governmental entity pursuant to any similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, contractors, and agents has committed any act, made any statement or failed to make any statement that would reasonably be expected to provide a basis for FDA to invoke the FDA Application Integrity Policy or for any similar governmental entity to invoke a similar policy. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, employees, or to the Company's knowledge, any of its contractors or agents has made any materially false statements on, or material omissions from, any notifications, applications, approvals, reports and other submissions to FDA or any similar governmental entity;

- (b) The Company is and has been in compliance with all applicable laws administered or issued by the FDA or any similar governmental entity, including the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act of the United States of America and all other laws regarding developing, testing, manufacturing, marketing, distributing or promoting the products of the Company, or complaint handling or adverse event reporting; and
  - (c) Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have, directly or indirectly, made, offered, promised or authorized any payment or gift of any money or anything of value to or for the benefit of any "foreign official" (as such term is defined in the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (the "**FCPA**")), foreign political party or official thereof or candidate for foreign political office for the purpose of (i) influencing any official act or decision of such official, party or candidate, (ii) inducing such official, party or candidate to use his, her or its influence to affect any act or decision of a foreign governmental authority, or (iii) securing any improper advantage, in the case of (i), (ii) and (iii) above in order to assist the Company or any of its affiliates in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any person. Neither the Company nor any of its directors, officers, employees or agents have made or authorized any bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of funds or received or retained any funds in violation of any law, rule or regulation. Neither the Company nor any of its officers, directors or employees are the subject of any allegation, voluntary disclosure, investigation, prosecution or other enforcement action related to the FCPA or any other anti-corruption law.
- 14.2 The Company has obtained all export licences required for all products, technology or services exported by or on behalf of the Company to or from any part of the world.
- 14.3 The Company does not engage in (a) the design, fabrication, development, testing, production or manufacture of one (1) or more "critical technologies" within the meaning of the DPA, as amended, including all implementing regulations thereof; (b) the ownership, operation, maintenance, supply, manufacture, or servicing of "covered investment critical infrastructure" within the meaning of the DPA (where such activities are covered by column 2 of Appendix A to 31 C.F.R. Part 800); or (c) the maintenance or collection, directly or indirectly, of "sensitive personal data" of U.S. citizens within the meaning of the DPA. The Company has no current intention of engaging in such activities in the future.

- 14.4 The Company has not committed and is not liable for any criminal, illegal, unlawful, ultra vires or unauthorised act or breach of covenant, contract or statutory duty.
- 14.5 No Key Person has:
- (a) been convicted of a criminal offence (except any road traffic offence not punished by a custodial sentence);
  - (b) been disqualified from being a company director; or
  - (c) given, or offered to give, a disqualification undertaking under section 1A of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 of the United Kingdom.
- 14.6 No person, not being a director of the Company, has any actual or ostensible authority, whether under a power of attorney, agency agreement or otherwise, to commit the Company to any obligation other than an obligation of a nature which it is usual for it to incur in the ordinary course of its business.
- 14.7 In respect of any Personal Data processed by the Company, the Company:
- (a) has made all necessary registrations and notifications of its particulars in accordance with the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom in which the Company operates;
  - (b) has complied with the Data Protection Legislation (including but not limited to the Data Protection Principles) and any guidance notes or guidelines issued from time to time by the Information Commissioner (and any successor) and all other relevant authorities, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates;
  - (c) has not received any enforcement notice, information notice, special information notice, monetary penalty notice or other notice, letter or complaint alleging a breach by it of any of the provisions of the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates or requesting information as to its data protection policies or practices and no circumstances exist which may give rise to any of the above;
  - (d) has not awarded compensation to an individual under the Data Protection Legislation, or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates no claim for such compensation is outstanding and so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any claim for compensation being made;
  - (e) is not the subject of any order made against it for the rectification, blocking, erasure or destruction of any data under the Data Protection Legislation or any similar applicable law in jurisdictions other than the United Kingdom for which the Company operates, no application for such an order is outstanding and, so far as the Warrantors are aware there is no reason to believe that any circumstances exist which might lead to any application for such an order being made; and
  - (f) has not received any warrant issued under the Data Protection Legislation authorising the Information Commissioner or other relevant authorities to enter any premises of the Company.
- 14.8 In respect of any Grant Funding provided to the Company full details of which are set out in the Disclosure Letter:

- (a) The Company has complied in all respects with the terms and conditions on which any Grant Funding has been provided to the Company.
  - (b) The entry into this Agreement and the fulfilment of the Business Plan will not:
    - (i) breach any terms or conditions of any Grant Funding; and
    - (ii) alter or abrogate any rights of the Company under any Grant Funding.
  - (c) No Grant Funding will be terminated or be required to be repaid as a result of the entry into this Agreement or the fulfilment of the Business Plan.
- 14.9 The studies, tests, preclinical development and clinical trials, if any, conducted by or on behalf of the Company are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with experimental protocols, procedures and controls pursuant to accepted professional and scientific standards for products or product candidates comparable to those being developed by the Company and all applicable laws and regulations. The descriptions of, protocols for, and data and other results of, the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company that have been furnished or made available to UM are accurate and complete. The Warrantors are not aware of any studies, tests, development or trials the results of which reasonably call into question the results of the studies, tests, development and trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company, and the Company has not received any notices or correspondence from any relevant governmental entity or any institutional review board or comparable authority requiring the termination, suspension or material modification of any studies, tests, preclinical development or clinical trials conducted by or on behalf of the Company.

#### **15. Records and registers**

- 15.1 The records (including computer records), statutory books, registers, minute books and books of account of the Company are duly entered up and maintained in accordance with all legal requirements applicable thereto and contain true, full and accurate records of all matters required to be dealt with therein and all such books and all records and documents (including documents of title) which are its property are in its possession or under its control.
- 15.2 All accounts, documents and returns required to be delivered or made to the Registrar of Companies have been duly and correctly delivered or made. There has been no notice of any proceedings to rectify the register of members of the Company or the Company's persons with significant control ("PSC") register and there are no circumstances which might lead to any application for rectification of the register of members or the PSC register.

#### **16. Insurance**

- 16.1 The Disclosure Letter contains a summary of all insurance policies held by the Company. In respect of such insurances:
- (a) all premiums have been duly paid to date;
  - (b) all the policies are in full force and effect and are not voidable on account of any act, omission or non-disclosure on the part of the insured party nor could they be declared null and void or as a consequence of which any claim might be rejected; and
  - (c) there are no circumstances which would or might give rise to any claim and no insurance claim is outstanding.
- 16.2 The Company has all insurance policies that would be reasonable and customary for companies like the Company, with extended coverage, sufficient in amount (subject to reasonable deductions) to allow it to replace any of its properties that might be damaged or destroyed.

#### **17. Group structure**



17.1 The Company does not have any Subsidiary nor has it at any time a member of or the beneficial owner of any shares, securities or other interest in any company or other person.

#### **18. Agreements and capital commitments**

18.1 The Company:

- (a) has no material capital commitments;
- (b) is not a party to any contract, arrangement or commitment (whether in respect of capital expenditure or otherwise) which is of an unusual, onerous or long-term nature or which involves or could involve a material obligation or liability, including any contract, arrangement or commitment that includes milestone-based payments or royalties;
- (c) has not become bound and no person has become entitled (or with the giving of notice and/or the issue of a certificate and/or the passage of time or otherwise may become entitled) to require it to repay any loan capital or other debenture, redeemable preference share capital, borrowed money or grant made to it by any governmental or other authority or person prior to the stipulated due date;
- (d) is not a party to any agreement which is or may become terminable as a result of the entry into or completion of this Agreement;
- (e) is not bound by any guarantee or contract of indemnity or suretyship under which any liability or contingent liability is outstanding;
- (f) has not entered into any agreement which requires or may require, or confers any right to require, the sale (whether for cash or otherwise) or the transfer by it of any asset;
- (g) is not a party to any joint venture, consortium, partnership, unincorporated association or profit sharing arrangement or agreement;
- (h) is not a party to or enjoys the benefit of any agreement requiring registration or notification under or by virtue of any statute;
- (i) is not a party to any contract that contains any non-competition or similar obligations binding the Company or that otherwise prohibits the Company from entering into any line of business;
- (j) is not a party to any contract in which the Company has granted exclusive marketing or distribution rights relating to any products or territory;
- (k) is not a party to any contract with any governmental authority or any academic institution;
- (l) is not a party to any manufacturing agreement; or
- (m) is not in default of any agreement or arrangement to which it is a party which would enable the other party to such agreement or arrangement to terminate or would give rise to material liability for the Company.

18.2 The Company has not been and is not a party to any contract or arrangements binding upon it for the purchase or sale of property or the supply of goods or services at a price different to that reasonably obtainable on an arm's length basis.

#### **19. Borrowings and facilities**

Full details of all limits on the Company's bank overdraft facilities and all borrowings of the Company are set out in the Disclosure Letter and the Company is not in breach of any of their terms and none of such facilities or terms of borrowing will be terminated as a result of the entry into of this Agreement.

**20. Social obligations**

20.1 So far as the Warrantors are aware, the Company has during the three years ending on the date of this Agreement complied with all its Social Obligations and it continues to do so.

20.2 No person has in the last 12 months notified the Company of any alleged breach of its Social Obligations.

**21. Brokers' and finders' fees**

21.1 Neither the Company nor any of the Sellers have incurred, nor will incur, directly or indirectly, any liability for brokerage or finders' fees or agents' commissions, fees related to investment banking or similar advisory services or any similar charges in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, nor will UM or its Subsidiaries (prior to or following Completion) incur, directly or indirectly, any such liability based on arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company or any of the Sellers.

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The Notary public informed the persons appearing as follows:

- The agreement notarised in this Deed is subject to English law. The Notary informed that persons appearing that she is only familiar with German law and recommends involving English lawyers for legal advice. The persons appearing confirmed that on both sides English legal professionals advised the parties and drafted the agreement contained in this Deed. The persons appearing requested to finalise the notarisation.
- All contractual agreements in connection with this Deed ("*miteinander stehen und fallen*") are to be notarized and side agreements outside of this Deed may entail the invalidity of the side agreements and this Deed, whereupon the parties hereto declared that there are no such other contractual agreements.
- There is no bona fide creation nor acquisition nor ranking of shares (i.e., the purchaser is not protected if the shares do not exist, have been previously transferred to a third party, or have been previously encumbered for the benefit of a third party) if not otherwise provided for in sec. 16 para. 3 German Limited Liability Companies Act (GmbHG).
- The parties hereto are, by operation of law, jointly and severally liable with respect to the payment of all notarial fees, irrespective of any internal agreement passed in that respect.
- that the Notary has not advised on tax matters and recommends involving a third party for any tax advice. The person appearing confirmed that tax advisers have been involved prior to the notarisation of this Agreement

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This Deed except the Schedules 2 and 3 to the contained Second Amendment Deed only for information and evidence purposes, was read aloud by the Notary to the persons appearing in the English and where referred to in the German language, approved in its entirety by the persons appearing and signed by the persons appearing and the Notary in their own hands as follows:

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Emin  
Robert Rottger

*[Handwritten signature]*



**NOTE OF ENCLOSURE**

**relating to deed no. 52/2021 M**

Today, I have attached certified copies of the following documents to this deed:

- Consent to a notarial deed / Confirmation of power of attorney of United Medicines Biopharma Limited dated 29 January 2021 (Deed Roll No. 57/2021 M of the Notary Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt/Main),
- Consent to a notarial deed / Confirmation of power of attorney of Medicxi (MVI) S.à r.l. dated 29 January 2021 (Deed Roll No. 56/2021 M of the Notary Dr. Christiane Mühe, Frankfurt/Main).

I hereby certify that the attached copies are true and complete copies of the original documents.

Frankfurt am Main, the 29 January 2021



Dr. Christiane Mühe  
Civil Law Notary



Gregory M. Weinhoff, MD, MBA

February 27, 2021

**Re: Offer of Employment**

Dear Greg:

On behalf of Centessa Pharmaceuticals, I am pleased to confirm our offer to employ you as Chief Financial Officer. Centessa Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "U.S. Subsidiary") is a wholly owned subsidiary of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited ("Parent"), a U.K. corporation ("Parent"). The U.S. Subsidiary, Parent and their respective subsidiaries and other affiliates are collectively referred to herein as "Centessa Pharmaceuticals" or the "Company," and the duties of the Company set forth in this Agreement may be discharged by any entity within that definition. The initial terms and conditions of your employment, should you accept this offer, are set forth below in this letter agreement (the "Agreement"):

**1. Position.** As Chief Financial Officer of the Company, you will report to the Chief Executive Officer of Parent (the "CEO") and have such powers and duties as may from time to time be prescribed by the CEO. You will be employed by the U.S. Subsidiary which will maintain and distribute employment-related records. You will also serve in a ministerial capacity as the Principal Financial Officer of the Parent which will be the S.E.C. registrant. This is a full-time employment position. It is understood and agreed that, while you render services to the Company, you will not engage in any other employment, consulting or other business activities (whether full-time or part-time), except as expressly authorized in writing by the CEO. Notwithstanding the foregoing, you may engage in religious, charitable and other community activities so long as such activities do not interfere or conflict with your obligations to the Company.

**2. Start Date.** Your employment with the Company will begin on March 1, 2021 or on another date to be mutually agreed to by you and the Company. The actual first day of your employment with the Company shall be referred to herein as the "Start Date".

**3. Compensation and Related Matters.**

(a) **Base Salary.** The Company will pay you an initial base salary at the rate of \$450,000 per year, payable in accordance with the Company's standard payroll schedule for its U.S. executives and subject to applicable deductions and withholdings. Your base salary will be subject to periodic review and adjustments at the Company's discretion. Your base salary in effect at any given time is referred to herein as the "Base Salary."

(b) **Annual Bonus.** You will initially be eligible to receive an annual performance bonus targeted at 40% of your Base Salary and pro-rated based on your Start Date. The actual bonus amount is discretionary and will be determined by the Company. To earn an annual bonus, you must be employed by the Company as of the payment date of such bonus. Any annual bonus will be paid no later than March 15<sup>th</sup> of the calendar year following the calendar year to which such bonus relates.

(c) **Expenses.** The Company will promptly reimburse you for all reasonable expenses incurred by you in performing services hereunder, in accordance with the policies and procedures then in effect and established by the Company for its U.S. executives.

(d) **Benefits/Paid Time Off.** You will be eligible, subject to the terms of the applicable plans and programs, to participate in the employee benefits and insurance programs generally made available to the Company's full-time U.S. employees. Details of such benefits programs, including mandatory employee contributions, if any, and waiting periods, if applicable, will be made available to you when such benefit(s) become available. You will be entitled to paid time off consistent with the terms of the Company's paid time off policy for its U.S. executives, as in effect from time to time. The Company reserves the right to modify, amend or cancel any of its benefits plans or programs at any time.

**4. Initial Equity Award.** Subject to approval of the Board, Parent shall grant to you a stock option to purchase a number of shares of Parent's common stock (the "Option") equal to 1.15% of Parent's fully diluted capitalization (reflecting then outstanding capital stock and stock options) as of the date of this Agreement. The Option will be subject to the standard terms and conditions of Parent's equity incentive plan then in effect and the applicable equity award agreement (the "Equity Documents"), including with respect to vesting as follows: 25% of the Restricted Shares or Options shall vest on the first anniversary of the Start Date (the "Vesting Commencement Date") and the remainder shall vest in equal monthly installments over the thirty-six (36) months thereafter, subject to your continued Service Relationship (as defined in the Equity Documents) with the Company at each such vesting date, such that the Restricted Shares or Option shall be fully vested upon the fourth (4th) anniversary of the Start Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Equity Documents or in any applicable option agreement or other stock-based award agreement, 100% of the unvested portion of the Option, as well as any future equity awards that you may be granted in the Board's sole discretion, shall immediately accelerate and become fully exercisable or nonforfeitable as of the effective date of a Change in Control of Parent (as defined in Appendix A), provided that you remain employed on the effective date of such Change in Control of Parent.

5. **Location.** You will be permitted to work from your home office in New York, *provided, however*, that you will be required to regularly travel to the Company's Massachusetts office, consistent with the Company's business needs, and you may also be required to travel nationally and internationally on business as is necessary from time to time, including, without limitation, to the U.K., France and Germany. During the COVID-19 pandemic, such travel may be limited to essential travel and will be in accordance with applicable safety regulations.

6. **At-Will Employment; Date of Termination.** At all times your employment is "at will," meaning you or the Company may terminate it at any time for any or no reason, subject to the terms of this Agreement. Your last day of employment for any reason is referred to herein as the "**Date of Termination**." In the event that you elect to end your employment other than for Good Reason, the Company requires you to provide at least 30 days' advance written notice to the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company may unilaterally accelerate the Date of Termination, and such acceleration shall not result in a termination by the Company for purposes of this Agreement. In the interest of clarity, any intercompany transfer between Parent, the U.S. Subsidiary and their respective subsidiaries and affiliates shall not be deemed a termination of the employment relationship unless otherwise specified at the time of the transfer.

To the extent applicable, you shall be deemed to have resigned from all officer and board member positions that you hold with the Company or any of its respective subsidiaries and affiliates upon the termination of your employment for any reason. You shall execute any documents in reasonable form as may be requested to confirm or effectuate any such resignations.

7. **Accrued Obligations.** In the event of the ending of your employment for any reason, the Company shall pay you (i) your Base Salary and, if applicable, any accrued but unused vacation, through the Date of Termination, and (ii) the amount of any documented expenses properly incurred by you on behalf of the Company prior to any such termination and not yet reimbursed (the "**Accrued Obligations**").

8. **Severance Pay and Benefits Upon a Qualifying Termination.** In the event that a Qualifying Termination (as defined in Appendix A) occurs, then, in addition to you being entitled to the Accrued Obligations, and subject to (i) you signing a separation agreement and release in a form and manner reasonably satisfactory to the Company, which shall include, without limitation, a general release of claims against the Company and all related persons and entities, a reaffirmation of the Continuing Obligations (as defined below), and a one year post-employment noncompetition agreement, and shall provide that if you breach the Continuing Obligations, all payments of the Severance Amount (as defined below) shall immediately cease (the "**Separation Agreement and Release**"), (ii) the Separation Agreement and Release becoming irrevocable, all within 60 days after the Date of Termination (or such shorter period as set forth in the Separation Agreement and Release), and (iii) if so requested by the Company, you signing a U.K. settlement agreement:

(a) the Company shall pay you an amount equal to twelve (12) months of your Base Salary (the "**Severance Amount**");

(b) subject to your copayment of premium amounts at the applicable active employees' rate and your proper election to receive benefits under the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, as amended ("**COBRA**"), the Company shall pay to the group health plan provider(s) or the COBRA provider a monthly payment equal to the monthly employer contribution that the Company would have made to provide health insurance to you if you had remained employed by the Company until the earliest of (A) the twelve (12) month anniversary of the Date of Termination; (B) your eligibility for group health plan benefits under any other employer's group health plan; or (C) the cessation of your continuation rights under COBRA; *provided, however*, that if the Company reasonably determines that it cannot pay such amounts to the group health plan provider(s) or the COBRA provider (if applicable) without potentially violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), then the Company shall convert such payments to payroll payments directly to you for the time period specified above. Such payments, if to you, shall be subject to tax-related deductions and withholdings and paid on the Company's regular payroll dates.

The amounts payable under this Section 8, to the extent taxable, shall be paid out in substantially equal installments in accordance with the Company's payroll practice over 12 months commencing within 60 days after the Date of Termination; *provided, however*, that if the 60-day period begins in one calendar year and ends in a second calendar year, the Severance Amount, to the extent it qualifies as "non-qualified deferred compensation" within the meaning of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "**Code**"), shall begin to be paid in the second calendar year by the last day of such 60-day period; *provided, further*, that the initial payment shall include a catch-up payment to cover amounts retroactive to the day immediately following the Date of Termination. Each payment pursuant to this Agreement is intended to constitute a separate payment for purposes of Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-2(b)(2).

If your employment ends for any reason other than a Qualifying Termination, you will be entitled to the Accrued Obligations and will not be entitled to any further compensation from the Company. For the avoidance of doubt, if your employment ends due to your death or disability, you will receive the Accrued Obligations but will not be eligible for severance pay and benefits, whether pursuant to this Section 8 or otherwise.

## 9. Continuing Obligations.

(a) **Restrictive Covenants Agreement.** As a condition of your employment, you are required to enter into the Employee Confidentiality, Assignment, Nonsolicitation and Noncompetition Agreement enclosed with this Agreement (the "Restrictive Covenants Agreement"). For purposes of this Agreement, the obligations in this Section 9 and those that arise in the Restrictive Covenants Agreement and any other agreement relating to confidentiality, assignment of inventions, or other restrictive covenants shall collectively be referred to as the "Continuing Obligations."

(b) **Third Party Agreements and Rights.** You hereby confirm that you are not bound by the terms of any agreement with any previous employer or other party which restricts your engagement in any business in any way, other than confidentiality restrictions (if any). You represent to the Company that your execution of this Agreement, your employment with the Company and the performance of your proposed duties for the Company will not violate any obligations you may have to any such previous employer or other party. In your work for the Company, you will not disclose or make use of any information in violation of any agreements with or rights of any such previous employer or other party, and you will not bring to the premises of the Company any copies or other tangible embodiments of non-public information belonging to or obtained from any such previous employment or other party. You agree that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, if your employment ends in connection with or as a result of a former employer or third party enforcing or attempting to enforce a noncompetition obligation or other restrictive covenant against you, such termination will not constitute a Qualifying Termination for purposes of this Agreement.

(c) **Litigation and Regulatory Cooperation.** During and after your employment, you shall cooperate fully with the Company in (i) the defense or prosecution of any claims or actions now in existence or which may be brought in the future against or on behalf of the Company which relate to events or occurrences that transpired while you were employed by the Company, and (ii) the investigation, whether internal or external, of any matters about which the Company believes you may have knowledge or information. Your full cooperation in connection with such claims, actions or investigations shall include, but not be limited to, being available to meet with counsel to answer questions or to prepare for discovery or trial and to act as a witness on behalf of the Company at mutually convenient times. During and after your employment, you also shall cooperate fully with the Company in connection with any investigation or review of any federal, state or local regulatory authority as any such investigation or review relates to events or occurrences that transpired while you were employed by the Company. The Company shall reimburse you for any reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with your performance of obligations pursuant to this Section 9(c).

(d) **Relief.** You agree that it would be difficult to measure any damages caused to the Company which might result from your breach of any of the Continuing Obligations, and that in any event money damages would be an inadequate remedy for any such breach. Accordingly, you agree that if you breach, or propose to breach, any portion of the Continuing Obligations, the Company shall be entitled, in addition to all other remedies that it may have, to an injunction or other appropriate equitable relief to restrain any such breach without showing or proving any actual damage to the Company.

## 10. Section 409A

(a) Anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, if at the time of your separation from service within the meaning of Section 409A of the Code, the Company determines that you are a "specified employee" within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code, then to the extent any payment or benefit that you become entitled to under this Agreement or otherwise on account of your separation from service would be considered deferred compensation otherwise subject to the 20 percent additional tax imposed pursuant to Section 409A(a) of the Code as a result of the application of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code, such payment shall not be payable and such benefit shall not be provided until the date that is the earlier of (A) six months and one day after your separation from service, or (B) your death. If any such delayed cash payment is otherwise payable on an installment basis, the first payment shall include a catch-up payment covering amounts that would otherwise have been paid during the six-month period but for the application of this provision, and the balance of the installments shall be payable in accordance with their original schedule.

(b) All in-kind benefits provided and expenses eligible for reimbursement under this Agreement shall be provided by the Company or incurred by you during the time periods set forth in this Agreement. All reimbursements shall be paid as soon as administratively practicable, but in no event shall any reimbursement be paid after the last day of the taxable year following the taxable year in which the expense was incurred. The amount of in-kind benefits provided or reimbursable expenses incurred in one taxable year shall not affect the in-kind benefits to be provided or the expenses eligible for reimbursement in any other taxable year (except for any lifetime or other aggregate limitation applicable to medical expenses). Such right to reimbursement or in-kind benefits is not subject to liquidation or exchange for another benefit.



(c) To the extent that any payment or benefit described in this Agreement constitutes "non-qualified deferred compensation" under Section 409A of the Code, and to the extent that such payment or benefit is payable upon the termination of your employment, then such payments or benefits shall be payable only upon your "separation from service." The determination of whether and when a separation from service has occurred shall be made in accordance with the presumptions set forth in Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(h).

(d) The parties intend that this Agreement will be administered in accordance with Section 409A of the Code. To the extent that any provision of this Agreement is ambiguous as to its compliance with Section 409A of the Code, the provision shall be read in such a manner so that all payments hereunder comply with Section 409A of the Code. Each payment pursuant to this Agreement is intended to constitute a separate payment for purposes of Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-2(b)(2). The parties agree that this Agreement may be amended, as reasonably requested by either party, and as may be necessary to fully comply with Section 409A of the Code and all related rules and regulations in order to preserve the payments and benefits provided hereunder without additional cost to either party.

(e) The Company makes no representation or warranty and shall have no liability to you or any other person if any provisions of this Agreement are determined to constitute deferred compensation subject to Section 409A of the Code but do not satisfy an exemption from, or the conditions of, such Section.

**11. Withholding; Tax Effect.** All forms of compensation referred to in this Agreement are subject to reduction to reflect applicable withholding and payroll taxes and other deductions required by law. You hereby acknowledge that the Company does not have a duty to design its compensation policies in a manner that minimizes your tax liabilities, and you will not make any claim against the Company or the Board related to tax liabilities arising from your compensation.

**12. Interpretation and Enforcement.** This Agreement, together with Appendix A, the Restrictive Covenants Agreement and the Equity Documents, constitutes the complete agreement between you and the Company, contains all of the terms of your employment with the Company and supersedes any prior agreements, representations or understandings (whether written, oral or implied) between you and the Company. Except as expressly otherwise provided in the Equity Documents or the Restrictive Covenants Agreement, the terms of this Agreement and the resolution of any disputes as to the meaning, effect, performance or validity of this Agreement or arising out of, related to, or in any way connected with this Agreement, your employment with the Company or any other relationship between you and the Company (the "Disputes") will be governed by Massachusetts law, excluding laws relating to conflicts or choice of law. You and the Company submit to the exclusive personal jurisdiction and venue of the federal and state courts located in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in connection with any Dispute or any claim related to any Dispute.

**13. Assignment; Successors and Assigns.** Neither you nor the Company may make any assignment of this Agreement or any interest in it, by operation of law or otherwise, without the prior written consent of the other; *provided, however*, that the Company may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement without your consent to any affiliate or to any person or entity with whom the Company shall hereafter effect a reorganization, consolidate with, or merge into or to whom it transfers all or substantially all of its properties or assets; *provided further*, that if you remain employed or become employed by the Company, the purchaser or any of their affiliates in connection with any such transaction, then you shall not be entitled to any severance payments or benefits solely as a result of such transaction. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon you and the Company, and each of your and its respective successors, executors, administrators, heirs and permitted assigns. In the event of your death after the Date of Termination but prior to the completion by the Company of all payments due to you under this Agreement, the Company shall continue such payments to your beneficiary designated in writing to the Company prior to your death (or to your estate, if you fail to make such designation).

**14. Waiver; Amendment.** No waiver of any provision hereof shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by the waiving party. The failure of any party to require the performance of any term or obligation of this Agreement, or the waiver by any party of any breach of this Agreement, shall not prevent any subsequent enforcement of such term or obligation or be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a written instrument signed by you and by a duly authorized representative of the Company.

**15. Enforceability.** If any portion or provision of this Agreement (including, without limitation, any portion or provision of any section of this Agreement) shall to any extent be declared illegal or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such portion or provision in circumstances other than those as to which it is so declared illegal or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each portion and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

**16. Conditions.** This offer is contingent on the completion of successful reference and background checks, if so requested and as determined by the Company. As with any employee, you must submit satisfactory proof of your identity and your legal authorization to work in the United States.

**17. Other Terms.** The provisions of this Agreement shall survive the termination of this Agreement and/or the termination of your employment to the extent necessary to effectuate the terms contained herein. The headings and other captions in this Agreement are for convenience and reference only and shall not be used in interpreting, construing or enforcing any of the provisions of this Agreement. This Agreement may be executed in separate counterparts. When both counterparts are signed, they shall be treated together as one and the same document. PDF copies of signed counterparts shall be equally effective as originals.

[Signature page follows.]

To accept this offer of employment, please sign and return this Agreement and the Restrictive Covenants Agreement to Saurabh Saha by March 1, 2021.  
We look forward to your joining the Company.

Very truly yours,

By: /s/ Saurabh Saha  
Name: Saurabh Saha, M.D., Ph.D.  
Title: Chief Executive Officer

Enclosure (Restrictive Covenants Agreement)

I have read and accept this employment offer:

/s/ Gregory M. Weinhoff  
Gregory M. Weinhoff, M.D., M.B.A.  
Date: 2/27/2021

Appendix A

- 1) "Cause" shall mean (i) your dishonest statements or acts with respect to the Company or any affiliate of the Company, or any current or prospective customers, suppliers, vendors or other third parties with which such entity does business that results in or is reasonably anticipated to result in material harm to the Company; (ii) your commission of (A) a felony or (B) any misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, deceit, dishonesty or fraud; (iii) your willful and material failure to perform your assigned duties and responsibilities to the reasonable satisfaction of the CEO, which failure continues, in the reasonable judgment of the CEO, for thirty (30) days after written notice given to you describing such failure; (iv) your gross negligence, willful misconduct or willful insubordination that results in or is reasonably anticipated to result in material harm to the Company, which conduct, if curable, in the reasonable judgment of the CEO, is not cured for more than thirty (30) days after written notice given to you describing such conduct; (v) your violation of any material provision of any agreement(s) between you and the Company or any Company policies including, without limitation, this Agreement, agreements relating to noncompetition, nonsolicitation, nondisclosure and/or assignment of inventions or policies related to ethics or workplace conduct, which violation, if curable, in the reasonable judgment of the CEO, is not cured for more than (30) days after written notice given to you describing such violation; or (vi) your failure to cooperate with a bona fide internal investigation or an investigation by regulatory or law enforcement authorities after being instructed by the Board to cooperate, or the willful destruction or failure to preserve documents or other materials known to be relevant to such investigation or the inducement of others to fail to cooperate or to produce documents or other materials in connection with such investigation.
- 2) "Change in Control of Parent" shall mean "Change in Control" as that term is defined in Parent's equity incentive plan.
- 3) "Good Reason" shall mean that you have complied with the "Good Reason Process" (hereinafter defined) following the occurrence of any of the following events: (i) a material diminution in your responsibilities, authority or duties; (ii) a diminution in your Base Salary except for across-the-board salary reductions of similar magnitude based on the Company's financial performance similarly affecting all or substantially all senior management employees of the Company; (iii) the material breach of this Agreement by the Company; or (iv) a relocation of your principal business location to a location more than seventy-five (75) miles from your current home in Armonk, New York.
- 4) "Good Reason Process" shall mean that (i) you reasonably determine in good faith that a "Good Reason" condition has occurred; (ii) you notify the Company in writing of the first occurrence of the Good Reason condition within 60 days of the Executive first being aware of the occurrence of such condition; (iii) the Company has 30 days following such notice to remedy such condition (the "Cure Period"); (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, the Good Reason condition continues to exist; and (v) you terminate your employment within 60 days after the end of the Cure Period. If the Company cures the Good Reason condition during the Cure Period, Good Reason shall be deemed not to have occurred.
- 5) "Qualifying Termination" shall mean, after the Start Date, the Company terminates your employment without Cause or you resign from your employment for Good Reason.

Dated

23 January 2021

**LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LTD**

**AND**

**INITIAL PARTICIPANTS**

**AND**

**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**INCENTIVISATION DEED**

relating to

**LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LTD**

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**PARTIES**

- (1) **LOCKBODY THERAPEUTICS LTD (formerly known as Ultrahuman Six Limited)**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 10650186 with its registered office at C/O Kreston Reeves LLP, Innovation House, Ramsgate Road, Sandwich, Kent, United Kingdom, CT13 9FF (the “**Company**”);
- (2) **THE INITIAL PARTICIPANTS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns 1 and 2 of Schedule 1 (together the “**Initial Participants**”); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (“**UM**”).

**INTRODUCTION**

- (A) At Completion, UM shall acquire the entire issued share capital of the Company in consideration for the issuance of new shares in UM pursuant to a contribution agreement entered into between UM, the Company and the selling shareholders of the Company on or about the date of this Deed (the “**Contribution Agreement**”).
- (B) The parties have entered into this Deed to incentivise the Participants to reach the Company’s milestones and/or achieve a Partial Asset Sale and/or Exit (each as defined below).

**AGREED TERMS****1. DEFINITIONS**

In this Deed, except where a different interpretation is necessary in the context, the words and expressions set out below shall have the following meanings:

“**Act**” means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;

“**Acting in Concert**” has the meaning given to it in The City Code on Takeovers and Mergers published by the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

“**Active Participants**” means those Participants who are Employees at the relevant time;

“**Adverse Event**” means any milestone set out in the Business Plan not being achieved within the specified time period and the UM Representative (acting reasonably and following consultation with the Active Participants) determining that the missed milestone should not be waived and/or the specified time period should not be extended pursuant to the terms of the Portfolio Company Agreement;

“**Asset Sale**” means the sale or other disposal (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of all or substantially all of the commercially valuable assets of the Group. For these purposes a “disposal” may include, without limitation, the grant by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of an exclusive licence in respect of all or substantially all of the commercially valuable assets of the Group, provided that such a licence shall only constitute an “Asset Sale” for the purposes of this Deed if it is an exclusive licence over the whole of the LockBody Platform Technology in all fields of use such that following such grant neither the Company nor any other member of the Group retains any right to exploit or commercialise: (a) the LockBody Platform Technology in any field of use; or (b) any LockBody Product;

**“Bad Leaver”** means a person who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of:

- (a) that person’s dismissal as an Employee for Cause; or
- (b) such person’s resignation as an Employee in circumstances where the Company would be entitled to dismiss the Employee for Cause;

and, for the avoidance of doubt, if a person ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of a reason other than as set out in (a) or (b), such person shall not be a Bad Leaver but may still be an Intermediate Leaver and/or a Disqualified Participant;

**“Board”** means the board of directors of the Company designated by UM and any committee of the board as constituted from time to time;

**“Business Day”** means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);

**“Business Plan”** means the business plan of the Company set out in the schedule to the Portfolio Company Agreement;

**“Cause”** means the lawful termination of that person’s contract of employment or consultancy without notice or payment in lieu of notice as a consequence of that person’s fraud, gross misconduct or material breach of any of his Restrictive Covenants;

**“Completion”** has meaning set out in the Contribution Agreement (as defined in the Introduction);

**“Contingent Consideration”** means any contingent consideration payable after completion of the Share Sale, Asset Sale or Partial Asset Sale (as applicable) which is contingent on the occurrence of an event, [####]

**“Controlling Interest”** means an interest in shares giving to the holder or holders control of the Company within the meaning of section 1124 of the CTA 2010;

**“CTA 2010”** means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;

**“Deed of Adherence”** means the deed of adherence substantially in the form set out in Schedule 2 (or in such other form as approved by UM and a Participant Majority);

**“Designated Asset”** means a LockBody Product and/or the LockBody Platform Technology in respect of a proposed LockBody Platform Technology Licence (as applicable) that is the subject of an irrevocable and unconditional Designation Notice up to a maximum of:

- (a) two LockBody Products;
- (b) the LockBody Platform Technology in respect of two LockBody Platform Technology Licences; or
- (c) one LockBody Product and the LockBody Platform Technology in respect of one LockBody Platform Technology Licence;

**“Designation Notice”** means a letter from and signed by a Participant Majority to the UM Representative which designates a specific LockBody Product or a proposed LockBody Platform Technology Licence (as applicable) as a Designated Asset, in each case delivered to

UM prior to a Partial Asset Sale occurring in respect of such Designated Asset, such designation becoming irrevocable on the occurrence of:

- (a) in the case of a LockBody Product, the achievement of a Milestone in respect of such LockBody Product or a Partial Asset Sale in respect of such LockBody Product; and
- (b) in the case of the proposed LockBody Platform Technology Licence, the grant of the proposed LockBody Platform Technology Licence, and for clarity such designation shall be revocable by a Participant Majority before the occurrence of (a) or (b) above (as applicable);

**“Disqualification Date”** means in the case of a Participant who becomes a Disqualified Participant: (a) as a result of being a Bad Leaver or an Intermediate Leaver, the Effective Termination Date; and (b) as a result of a material breach of any Restrictive Covenant, the date on which the person first materially breaches any Restrictive Covenant after having ceased to be an Employee;

**“Disqualified Participant”** means with regards to any Participant, where he:

- (a) is a Bad Leaver;
- (b) is an Intermediate Leaver; or
- (c) has materially breached any of his Restrictive Covenants (in the case of a Participant who is an Employee, only after such Participant has ceased to be an Employee);

**“Effective Termination Date”** means the date on which the Participant’s employment or consultancy terminates;

**“Employee”** means an individual who is employed by, or who provides direct or indirect consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;

**“Exit”** means a Share Sale or an Asset Sale, in each case excluding any such event undertaken for tax planning purposes or pursuant to a bona fide restructuring;

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“**Good Leaver**” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) by reason of: (a) death; (b) permanent incapacity; (c) the termination of the Participant’s contract of employment or consultancy by the Company other than for Cause; or (d) UM determining in its sole discretion that such Participant is a Good Leaver;

“**Group Companies**” means the Company and each and any of the Subsidiaries from time to time, and “**Group Company**” shall mean any one of them and “**Group**” shall be construed accordingly;

“**Initial Pro Rata Entitlement**” means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion set out against his name in column 4 of the table set out in Schedule 2 hereto;

“**Intermediate Leaver**” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) at any time during the Relevant Period other than where such person is a Good Leaver or a Bad Leaver;

“**Listing**” means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the shares in the Company (or the shares of a holding company of the Company, excluding UM and United Medicines Biopharma (Midco) Limited) or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) to trading on NASDAQ or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange Plc or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

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“**Major Market Countries**” means the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain and the United Kingdom, and “**Major Market Country**” means any of them;

“**Marketing Approval**” means, with respect to a Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product, in a particular country or jurisdiction, all approvals, licences, permits, certifications, registrations or authorisations necessary for the sale or supply of such Designated Asset in such country or jurisdiction for human use outside of clinical trials, but excluding pricing or reimbursement approvals;

“**Milestone**” means Marketing Approval of a Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product in any Major Market Country and, for the avoidance of doubt, the Milestone can only be achieved once by any single Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product, but can be achieved up to a maximum of two (2) times in the event that two Designated Assets that are LockBody Products receive Marketing Approval;

“**Milestone Payment**” means the sum of USD 20,000,000;

“**Month**” means the period of time between the same dates in successive calendar months and if there is no such same date, the last day of the calendar month in question;

“**New Participant**” means any person who becomes a party to this Deed as a “New Participant” by signing a Deed of Adherence in accordance with clause 5 (*New Participants*);

“**Partial Asset Sale**” means the sale or other disposal (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of either Designated Asset. For these purposes a “disposal” may include, without limitation:

- (a) the grant by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of an exclusive licence in respect of such a LockBody Product; or
- (b) the grant of a LockBody Platform Technology Licence (except where it amounts to an Asset Sale, unless there has already been a Partial Asset Sale in respect of a Designated Asset, in which case such transaction shall always be treated as a Partial Asset Sale and not as an Asset Sale);

“**Partial Asset Sale Payment**” means an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the Upfront Proceeds in respect of such Partial Asset Sale, less, in the case of a Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product, an amount equal to the Milestone Payment to the extent that the Milestone has been achieved for such Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product which is the subject of the Partial Asset Sale, save that:

- (a) if a Partial Asset Sale occurs following the occurrence of an Adverse Event for such Designated Asset which is a LockBody Product, the Partial Asset Sale Payment shall be zero if the Upfront Proceeds do not exceed EUR 12,500,000; and
- (b) the Partial Asset Sale Payment cannot be less than zero (0), i.e. in no event shall the Partial Asset Sale Payment be a negative amount and/or the Participants be under any obligation to make any repayment or payment to the Company in relation thereto unless required in accordance with clause 4.2(b),

and it is agreed that an Adverse Event in relation to one Designated Asset shall not affect the Partial Asset Sale Payment for the other Designated Asset, and, for the avoidance of doubt, in the event that the Upfront Proceeds includes any non-cash consideration which is divisible (including, without limitation, equity securities), such equivalent portion of the Partial Asset Sale Payment shall be settled (at UM’s discretion) either:

- (i) by issuing, assigning or otherwise transferring such portion of the divisible non-cash consideration; or

(ii) in cash, with the non-cash consideration being deemed to have a cash value equal to the fair market value of the non-cash consideration or such other value as agreed by the Participants, the Company and UM,

and where such Upfront Proceeds includes any non-cash consideration which is not divisible, such equivalent portion of the Partial Asset Sale Payment shall be settled in cash, with the non-cash consideration being deemed to have a cash value equal to the fair market value of the non-cash consideration or such other value as agreed by the Participants, the Company and UM;

**“Participant Majority”** means where there are two Active Participants at least fifty six per cent. (56%) of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements held by them for the time being, or where there are more than two Active Participants, at least fifty per cent. (50%) of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements held by them for the time being;

**“Participants”** means each of: (a) the Initial Participants; and (b) the New Participants, but excluding any Disqualified Participants;

**“Personal Representative”** shall mean the legal personal representative(s) of a Participant (being either the executors of the will or the duly appointed administrator(s) of the estate) who has provided to the Board evidence of their appointment as such;

**“Portfolio Company Agreement”** means the portfolio company agreement entered into by the Company, UM and the Initial Leadership Team (each as defined therein) on or about the date of this Deed (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

**“Pro Rata Entitlement”** means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion of any Success Payment, which as at the date of this Deed shall be the Initial Pro Rata Entitlement, as amended and/or superseded in accordance with the terms of this Deed;

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**“Restrictive Covenants”** means any obligations of a Participant in respect of confidentiality, intellectual property, non-solicitation, non-dealing, non-poaching and/or non-competition given in favour of any Group Company or UM in the Portfolio Company Agreement or his/her employment or consultancy agreement with any Group Company, any settlement agreement or other agreement to which he/she is a party with the Company, any member of the Group and/or UM;

**“Share Sale”** means the sale of any of the shares (in one transaction or as a series of transactions) which results in the purchaser of the shares and persons Acting in Concert with him together acquiring a Controlling Interest in the Company, except where following completion of the sale, the shareholders and the proportion of shares held by each of them are the same as the shareholders and their shareholdings in the Company immediately prior to the sale;

**“Shares”** means the entire issued share capital of the Company;

**“Subsidiary”** means any subsidiary (as defined in section 1159 of the Act) of the Company from time to time;

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**“UM Representative”** means the chief executive officer of UM, being at the date of this Deed Saurabh Saha, or such other person(s) as decided by the board of directors of UM and notified to the Company and the Active Participants in writing;

2. **INTERPRETATION**

- 2.1 The clause and paragraph headings and the table of contents used in this Deed are inserted for ease of reference only and shall not affect construction.
- 2.2 Words and expressions which are defined in the Act shall have the meanings attributed to them therein when used in this Deed unless otherwise defined or the context otherwise requires.
- 2.3 References to a “**clause**” or “**Schedule**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, to the corresponding clause of or Schedule or appendix to this Deed, and reference to a “**paragraph**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, a reference to the corresponding paragraph of the provision in which that reference occurs.
- 2.4 References to persons shall include any natural person, individual, company, bodies corporate, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking, in each case whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists.
- 2.5 Reference to a “**party**” or “**parties**” is to a party or parties of this Deed and shall include any person that has signed a Deed of Adherence.
- 2.6 References to “**writing**” and “**written**” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words.

- 2.7 References to those of the parties that are individuals include their respective legal Personal Representatives and any person or entity to whom the rights of this Deed have been assigned under clause 17.
- 2.8 References to the word **“include”** or **“including”** (or any similar term) are not to be construed as implying any limitation and general words introduced by the word **“other”** (or any similar term) shall not be given a restrictive meaning by reason of the fact that they are preceded or followed by words indicating a particular class of acts, matters or things.
- 2.9 Except where the context specifically requires otherwise, words importing one gender shall be treated as importing any gender, words importing individuals shall be treated as importing corporations and vice versa and words importing the singular shall be treated as importing the plural and vice versa.
- 2.10 In this Deed, the term **“consultant”** includes:
- (a) a person engaged directly by any Group Company to provide services to any of them; and
  - (b) a person (an **“Indirect Consultant”**) employed or engaged by a third party (a **“Service Company”**) to work in, including but not limited to, the provision of services on behalf of such Service Company to any Group Company, where that Service Company is engaged by any Group Company to provide such services,
- and the term **“consultancy services”** shall include services provided by a consultant directly and/or as an Indirect Consultant.
- 2.11 Where any sum, amount or liability denominated in one currency as at a particular date is to be translated into another currency on such date for the purposes of interpreting or giving effect to this Deed, the prevailing foreign currency spot exchange rate published in the Financial Times, London edition, as at that date (or, if not published on such date, the nearest preceding Business Day) shall apply (or such other exchange rate as the Company, UM and the Participants may agree in writing).

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#### **4. DISQUALIFIED PARTICIPANTS**

- 4.1 In the event that a Participant becomes a Disqualified Participant, the Disqualified Participant shall:
- (a) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment and his Pro Rata Entitlement shall be zero per cent. (0%); and
  - (b) cease to be a party to this Deed,
- and, for the avoidance of doubt, in such case the Pro Rata Entitlement of the remaining Participants shall remain the same.
- 4.2 A Disqualified Participant shall:
- (a) subject to clause 4.2(b), be under no obligation to repay to the Company, UM, any other Participant or any other third party any Success Payments received prior to the Disqualification Date;
  - (b) repay to the Company forthwith any Success Payments received after the Disqualification Date (for the avoidance of doubt, no Participant shall be entitled to any amount of any Success Payment repaid to the Company or UM); and
  - (c) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment, regardless of whether any Success Payment was payable (but not yet paid) as at the Disqualification Date.
- 4.3 A Disqualified Participant shall have no claim against the Company, any Group Company and/or UM in respect of his termination of his contract of employment or consultancy in relation to any provision of this Deed which has the effect of requiring the Disqualified Participant to lose their Pro Rata Entitlement of any Success Payment.

#### **5. NEW PARTICIPANTS**

- 5.1 Following consultation with the Active Participants, the Board shall have absolute discretion to allocate the Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement to any Participant or New Participant and admit any such New Participant to this Deed by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall remain unchanged.
- 5.2 In addition to the right to admit New Participants in clause 5.1, the Board may admit New Participants where there is insufficient Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement (provided it has the consent of the Participants (save that no Participant shall unreasonably withhold, delay and/or condition their consent if Participants amounting to a Participant Majority have provided their consent)) by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall decrease by such amount pro rata to their respective Pro Rata Entitlement so as to allocate the required Pro Rata Entitlement to the New Participant (unless the Participants (with the consent of the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) unanimously determine otherwise).
- 5.3 A New Participant who has entered into a Deed of Adherence pursuant to this Deed shall have the benefit of and be subject to the burden of all the provisions to this Deed as if he were a Participant, and this Deed shall be interpreted accordingly. Nothing in this clause shall be construed as requiring any New Participant to perform again any obligation or discharge again any liability already performed or discharged or entitle any New Participant to receive again any benefit already enjoyed by the Participants prior to the New Participant becoming a party to this Deed; and nothing herein shall be construed or interpreted to result in any Participant being obliged to make any compensation payments to the New Participant with respect to any Success Payment that has been paid to a Participant (including a Disqualified Participant) or has become payable as a result of the achievement of a Milestone or the occurrence of a Partial Asset Sale or Exit prior to the date of the relevant Deed of Adherence.

**6. TAX**

To the extent applicable, the Company shall be entitled to deduct: (a) any income tax due under PAYE and/or any employee national insurance contributions or any equivalent tax in the relevant jurisdiction; and (b) any other deduction or withholding required by any law or regulation applicable to any Participant (and all and any other deductions required by law) with respect to any Success Payment paid to such Participant pursuant to this Deed.

**7. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

The parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time, on being required to do so by any other party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other party for giving full effect to this Deed and securing to the other parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any party in this Deed.

**8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

8.1 The parties shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) preserve the confidentiality of the existence, the terms of this Deed and any information with respect to a Partial Asset Sale or Exit provided to the Participants in accordance clause 3.4, and, subject to clause 8.2, not directly or indirectly reveal or disclose such information.

8.2 Notwithstanding any other provision in this Deed, the parties may disclose the existence and the terms and conditions of this Deed if and to the extent:

- (a) required by applicable law or for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings;
- (b) required by any securities exchange on which such party's securities are listed or traded;
- (c) required by any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such party is subject or submits (whether or not the requirement has the force of law);
- (d) required by its professional advisers (including auditors), officers, employees, consultants, sub-contractors or agents to provide their services (and subject always to similar duties of confidentiality) and any member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers;
- (e) the Company has given its prior written consent to the disclosure;
- (f) it is necessary to obtain any relevant tax clearances from or otherwise to disclose to comply with any legislation, regulations, concessions, guidance or practice of any appropriate tax authority; or
- (g) such information becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 8 (*Confidentiality*)).

**9. COSTS AND EXPENSES**

The parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Deed and of matters incidental to this Deed.



**10. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the parties in this Deed are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**11. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any party to this Deed of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Deed or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 12.1 This Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in it constitute the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject matter of this Deed and supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between the parties in relation to the subject matter of this Deed.
- 12.2 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Deed in reliance on any statement or representation of any person (whether a party to this Deed or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed.
- 12.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Deed by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any person (whether party to this Deed or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Deed (other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed).
- 12.4 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Deed. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the parties may have, the parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Deed.
- 12.5 Nothing contained in this Deed or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud.

**13. EFFECTIVENESS; TERMINATION**

- 13.1 The effectiveness of all rights and obligations under or in connection with this Deed shall be subject to the condition precedent of the occurrence of Completion and all rights and obligations shall apply as from the date that such condition precedent is fulfilled; provided that if Completion has not occurred by the Longstop Date, this Deed shall automatically terminate with immediate effect.
- 13.2 Subject to clause 13.3, this Deed shall terminate and be of no further force or effect upon the earlier of:  
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- 13.3 On termination of this Deed, clause 8 (*Confidentiality*) shall survive and continue in full force and effect but all other rights and obligations of the parties shall cease immediately. Termination shall not affect the parties' accrued rights and obligations as at such termination, in particular as set out in clause 13.2 above.
- 13.4 For the avoidance of doubt, the occurrence of an Adverse Event shall not constitute grounds for any party to terminate this Deed for cause or otherwise.

**14. AMENDMENTS**

- 14.1 Subject to clauses 3.6 and 14.2, all and any of the provisions of this Deed may only be deleted, varied, supplemented, restated or otherwise changed in any way at any time with the prior written consent of the Company, UM and Participants holding at least a majority of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements, in which event such change shall be binding against all the parties hereto provided that if such change would impose any new obligations on any Participant(s) that is not imposed on all other Participants or increase any existing obligation of any Participant(s) that is not increased for all other Participants, the consent of the affected Participant(s) to such amendment shall be specifically required.
- 14.2 The Pro Rata Entitlements of the Participants may only be amended with the consent in writing of all of the Participants (and the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) or as otherwise provided for in accordance with clauses 3.6, 4 (*Disqualified Participants*) or 5.2.

**15. SET OFF**

The Company may at any time set off any actual liability of any Participant to the Company (as applicable) against any actual liability of the Company to the Participant, whether either liability is present or future, liquidated or unliquidated, and whether or not either liability arises under this Deed. If the liabilities to be set off are expressed in different currencies, the Company may convert either liability at a market rate of exchange for the purpose of set-off. Any exercise by the Company of its rights under this clause shall not limit or affect any other rights or remedies available to it under this Deed or otherwise.

**16. NO PARTNERSHIP**

Nothing in this Deed is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the parties.

**17. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**

17.1 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, this Deed is personal to the parties and no party shall:

- (a) assign any of its rights under this Deed;
- (b) transfer any of its obligations under this Deed;
- (c) sub-contract or delegate any of its obligations under this Deed; or
- (d) charge or deal in any other manner with this Deed or any of its rights or obligations.

17.2 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, any purported assignment, transfer, sub-contracting, delegation, charging or dealing in contravention of clause 17.1 shall be ineffective.

17.3 A Participant's rights under this Deed shall be assigned automatically to their Personal Representative on death and the Personal Representative shall notify UM of such assignment as soon as reasonably practical.

17.4 A Participant or their Personal Representative can assign any rights under this Deed with consent in writing from UM and on such terms and as determined by UM in its absolute discretion (save that in the case of a Personal Representative, UM's consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed provided that the obligations and/or liability of the Company and/or UM is not increased as a result of the assignment).

**18. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

This Deed does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

**19. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Deed may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Deed (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docusign.com](http://www.docusign.com)) and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the parties to the terms and conditions of this Deed. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**20. NOTICES**

20.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Deed must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

- (a) to any body corporate which is a party at its registered office; or
- (b) to any Participant at the address of that Participant shown in Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 20 (*Notices*).

20.2 A communication sent according to clause 20.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender;

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**21. SEVERANCE**

- 21.1 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Deed will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.
- 21.2 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted or modified, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**22. GOVERNING LAW**

This Deed (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**23. JURISDICTION**

The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Deed.

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Dated

23 January 2021

**MORPHOGEN-IX LIMITED**  
**AND**  
**INITIAL PARTICIPANTS**  
**AND**  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**INCENTIVISATION DEED**  
relating to  
**MORPHOGEN-IX LIMITED**

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**PARTIES**

- (1) **MORPHOGEN-IX LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09686738 with its registered office at C/O The Cambridge Partnership Ltd, The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (the “**Company**”);
- (2) **THE INITIAL PARTICIPANTS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns 1 and 2 of Schedule 1 (together the “**Initial Participants**”); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (“**UM**”).

**INTRODUCTION**

- (A) At Completion, UM shall acquire the entire issued share capital of the Company in consideration for the issuance of new shares in UM pursuant to a contribution agreement entered into on or about the date of this Deed by UM, the Company and the selling shareholders of the Company (the “**Contribution Agreement**”).
- (B) The parties have entered into this Deed to incentivise the Participants to reach the Company’s milestones and/or achieve an Exit (as defined below).

**AGREED TERMS****1. DEFINITIONS**

In this Deed, except where different interpretation is necessary in the context, the words and expressions set out below shall have the following meanings:

“**Act**” means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;

“**Acting in Concert**” has the meaning given to it in The City Code on Takeovers and Mergers published by the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

“**Active Participants**” means those Participants who are Employees at the relevant time;

“**Adverse Event**” means any milestone set out in the Business Plan not being achieved within the specified time period and the UM Representative (acting reasonably and following consultation with the Active Participants) determining that the missed milestone should not be waived and/or the specified time period should not be extended pursuant to the terms of the Portfolio Company Agreement;

“**Asset Sale**” means the sale or other disposal (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of the Lead Asset. For these purposes a “disposal” may include, without limitation, the grant by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of an exclusive licence in respect of the Lead Asset;

“**Bad Leaver**” means a person who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of:

- (a) that person’s dismissal as an Employee for Cause; or

(b) such person's resignation as an Employee in circumstances where the Company would be entitled to dismiss the Employee for Cause;

and, for the avoidance of doubt, if a person ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of a reason other than as set out in (a) or (b), such person shall not be a Bad Leaver but may still be an Intermediate Leaver and/or a Disqualified Participant;

**"Board"** means the board of directors of the Company designated by UM and any committee of the board as constituted from time to time;

**"Business Day"** means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);

**"Business Plan"** means the business plan of the Company set out in the schedule to the Portfolio Company Agreement;

**"Cause"** means the lawful termination of that person's contract of employment or consultancy without notice or payment in lieu of notice as a consequence of that person's fraud, gross misconduct or material breach of any of his Restrictive Covenants;

**"Completion"** has meaning set out in the Contribution Agreement (as defined in the Introduction);

**"Contingent Consideration"** means any contingent consideration payable after completion of the Share Sale or Asset Sale (as applicable) which is contingent on the occurrence of an event, [####].

**"Controlling Interest"** means an interest in shares giving to the holder or holders control of the Company within the meaning of section 1124 of the CTA 2010;

**"CTA 2010"** means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;

**"Deed of Adherence "** means the deed of adherence substantially in the form set out in Schedule 2 (or in such other form as approved by UM and a Participant Majority);

**"Disqualification Date"** means in the case of a Participant who becomes a Disqualified Participant: (a) as a result of being a Bad Leaver or an Intermediate Leaver, the Effective Termination Date; and (b) as a result of a material breach of any Restrictive Covenant, the date on which the person first materially breaches any Restrictive Covenant after having ceased to be an Employee;

**"Disqualified Participant"** means with regards to any Participant, where he:

(a) is a Bad Leaver;

(b) is an Intermediate Leaver; or

(c) has materially breached any of his Restrictive Covenants (in the case of a Participant who is an Employee, only after such Participant has ceased to be an Employee);

**"Effective Termination Date"** means the date on which the Participant's employment or consultancy terminates;

**"Employee"** means an individual who is employed by, or who provides direct or indirect consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;

“**Exit**” means a Share Sale or an Asset Sale, in each case excluding any such event undertaken for tax planning purposes or pursuant to a bona fide restructuring;

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“**Good Leaver**” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) by reason of: (a) death; (b) permanent incapacity; (c) the termination of the Participant’s contract of employment or consultancy by the Company other than for Cause; or (d) UM determining in its sole discretion that such Participant is a Good Leaver;

“**Group Companies**” means the Company and each and any of the Subsidiaries from time to time, and “**Group Company**” shall mean any one of them and “**Group**” shall be construed accordingly;

“**Initial Pro Rata Entitlement**” means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion set out against his name in column 4 of the table set out in Schedule 2 hereto;

“**Intermediate Leaver**” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) at any time during the Relevant Period other than where such person is a Good Leaver or a Bad Leaver;

“**Lead Asset**” means MGX292, and other variants of BMP9 or BMP10 as well as, any prodrug, fragment, subunit, variant, mutant, oligomer, multimer, isoform, derivative, conjugate or fusion molecule thereof that is covered by one or more of the patents or patent applications held by a Group Company, or as otherwise agreed in writing by UM and all of the Participants from time to time;

“**Listing**” means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the shares in the Company (or the shares of a holding company of the Company, excluding UM and United Medicines Biopharma (Midco) Limited) or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) to trading on NASDAQ or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange Plc or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

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“**Major Market Countries**” means the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain and the United Kingdom, and “**Major Market Country**” means any of them;

“**Marketing Approval**” means, with respect to the Lead Asset in a particular country or jurisdiction, all approvals, licences, permits, certifications, registrations or authorisations necessary for the sale or supply of the Lead Asset in such country or jurisdiction for human use outside of clinical trials, but excluding pricing or reimbursement approvals;

“**Milestone**” means Marketing Approval of the Lead Asset in any Major Market Country and, for the avoidance of doubt, the Milestone can only be achieved once;

“**Milestone Payment**” means the sum of \$20,000,000 (USD twenty million);

“**Month**” means the period of time between the same dates in successive calendar months and if there is no such same date, the last day of the calendar month in question;

“**New Participant**” means any person who becomes a party to this Deed as a “New Participant” by signing a Deed of Adherence in accordance with clause 5 (*New Participants*);

“**Participant Majority**” means Active Participants who together hold at least fifty per cent. (50%) of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements held by the Active Participants from time to time;

“**Participants**” means each of: (a) the Initial Participants; and (b) the New Participants, but excluding any Disqualified Participants;

“**Personal Representative**” shall mean the legal personal representative(s) of a Participant (being either the executors of the will or the duly appointed administrator(s) of the estate) who has provided to the Board evidence of their appointment as such;

“**Portfolio Company Agreement**” means the portfolio company agreement entered into by the Company, UM and the Initial Leadership Team (each as defined therein) on or about the date of this Deed (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

“**Pro Rata Entitlement**” means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion of any Success Payment, which as at the date of this Deed shall be the Initial Pro Rata Entitlement, as amended and/or superseded in accordance with the terms of this Deed;

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“**Restrictive Covenants**” means any obligations of a Participant in respect of confidentiality, intellectual property, non-solicitation, non-dealing, non-poaching and/or non-competition given in favour of any Group Company or UM in the Portfolio Company Agreement or his/her employment or consultancy agreement with any Group Company, any settlement agreement or other agreement to which he/she is a party with the Company, any member of the Group and/or UM;



“**Share Sale**” means the sale of any of the shares (in one transaction or as a series of transactions) which results in the purchaser of the shares and persons Acting in Concert with him together acquiring a Controlling Interest in the Company, except where following completion of the sale, the shareholders and the proportion of shares held by each of them are the same as the shareholders and their shareholdings in the Company immediately prior to the sale;

“**Shares**” means the entire issued share capital of the Company;

“**Subsidiary**” means any subsidiary (as defined in section 1159 of the Act) of the Company from time to time;

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“**UM Representative**” means the chief executive officer of UM, being at the date of this Deed Saurabh Saha, or such other person(s) as decided by the board of directors of UM and notified to the Company and the Active Participants in writing;

“**Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement**” means 100% less the aggregate of the Pro Rata Entitlements that have been and remain allocated to Participants. For the avoidance of doubt, no Participant shall be entitled to any portion of a Success Payment that relates to the Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement; and

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## 2. INTERPRETATION

- 2.1 The clause and paragraph headings and the table of contents used in this Deed are inserted for ease of reference only and shall not affect construction.
- 2.2 Words and expressions which are defined in the Act shall have the meanings attributed to them therein when used in this Deed unless otherwise defined or the context otherwise requires.
- 2.3 References to a “**clause**” or “**Schedule**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, to the corresponding clause of or Schedule or appendix to this Deed, and reference to a “**paragraph**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, a reference to the corresponding paragraph of the provision in which that reference occurs.

- 2.4 References to persons shall include any natural person, individual, company, bodies corporate, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking, in each case whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists.
- 2.5 Reference to a “**party**” or “**parties**” is to a party or parties of this Deed and shall include any person that has signed a Deed of Adherence.
- 2.6 References to “**writing**” and “**written**” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words.
- 2.7 References to those of the parties that are individuals include their respective legal Personal Representatives and any person or entity to whom the rights of this Deed have been assigned under clause 17.
- 2.8 References to the word “**include**” or “**including**” (or any similar term) are not to be construed as implying any limitation and general words introduced by the word “**other**” (or any similar term) shall not be given a restrictive meaning by reason of the fact that they are preceded or followed by words indicating a particular class of acts, matters or things.
- 2.9 Except where the context specifically requires otherwise, words importing one gender shall be treated as importing any gender, words importing individuals shall be treated as importing corporations and vice versa and words importing the singular shall be treated as importing the plural and vice versa.
- 2.10 In this Deed, the term “**consultant**” includes:
- (a) a person engaged directly by any Group Company to provide services to any of them; and
  - (b) a person (an “**Indirect Consultant**”) employed or engaged by a third party (a “**Service Company**”) to work in, including but not limited to, the provision of services on behalf of such Service Company to any Group Company, where that Service Company is engaged by any Group Company to provide such services,
- and the term “**consultancy services**” shall include services provided by a consultant directly and/or as an Indirect Consultant.
- 2.11 Where any sum, amount or liability denominated in one currency as at a particular date is to be translated into another currency on such date for the purposes of interpreting or giving effect to this Deed, the prevailing foreign currency spot exchange rate published in the Financial Times, London edition, as at that date (or, if not published on such date, the nearest preceding Business Day) shall apply (or such other exchange rate as the Company, UM and the Participants may agree in writing).

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**4. DISQUALIFIED PARTICIPANTS**

4.1 In the event that a Participant becomes a Disqualified Participant, the Disqualified Participant shall:

- (a) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment and his Pro Rata Entitlement shall be zero per cent. (0%); and
- (b) cease to be a party to this Deed,

and, for the avoidance of doubt, in such case the Pro Rata Entitlement of the remaining Participants shall remain the same.

4.2 A Disqualified Participant shall:

- (a) subject to clause 4.2(b), be under no obligation to repay to the Company, UM, any other Participant or any other third party any Success Payments received prior to the Disqualification Date;
  - (b) repay to the Company forthwith any Success Payments received after the Disqualification Date (for the avoidance of doubt, no Participant shall be entitled to any amount of any Success Payment repaid to the Company or UM); and
  - (c) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment, regardless of whether any Success Payment was payable (but not yet paid) as at the Disqualification Date.
- 4.3 A Disqualified Participant shall have no claim against the Company, any Group Company and/or UM in respect of his termination of his contract of employment or consultancy in relation to any provision of this Deed which has the effect of requiring the Disqualified Participant to lose their Pro Rata Entitlement of any Success Payment.

#### **5. NEW PARTICIPANTS**

- 5.1 Following consultation with the Active Participants, the Board shall have absolute discretion to allocate the Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement to any Participant or New Participant and admit any such New Participant to this Deed by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall remain unchanged.
- 5.2 In addition to the right to admit New Participants in clause 5.1, the Board may admit New Participants where there is insufficient Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement (provided it has the consent of the Participants (save that no Participant shall unreasonably withhold, delay and/or condition their consent if Participants amounting to a Participant Majority have provided their consent)) by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall decrease by such amount pro rata to their respective Pro Rata Entitlement so as to allocate the required Pro Rata Entitlement to the New Participant (unless the Participants (with the consent of the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) unanimously determine otherwise).
- 5.3 A New Participant who has entered into a Deed of Adherence pursuant to this Deed shall have the benefit of and be subject to the burden of all the provisions to this Deed as if he were a Participant, and this Deed shall be interpreted accordingly. Nothing in this clause shall be construed as requiring any New Participant to perform again any obligation or discharge again any liability already performed or discharged or entitle any New Participant to receive again any benefit already enjoyed by the Participants prior to the New Participant becoming a party to this Deed; and nothing herein shall be construed or interpreted to result in any Participant being obliged to make any compensation payments to the New Participant with respect to any Success Payment that has been paid to a Participant (including a Disqualified Participant) or has become payable as a result of the achievement of a Milestone or the occurrence of an Exit prior to the date of the relevant Deed of Adherence.

#### **6. TAX**

To the extent applicable, the Company shall be entitled to deduct: (a) any income tax due under PAYE and/or any employee national insurance contributions or any equivalent tax in the relevant jurisdiction; and (b) any other deduction or withholding required by any law or regulation applicable to any Participant (and all and any other deductions required by law) with respect to any Success Payment paid to such Participant pursuant to this Deed.

#### **7. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

The parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time, on being required to do so by any other party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or execute

or procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other party for giving full effect to this Deed and securing to the other parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any party in this Deed.

**8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 8.1 The parties shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) preserve the confidentiality of the existence, the terms of this Deed and any information with respect to an Exit provided to the Participants in accordance clause 3.4, and, subject to clause 8.2, not directly or indirectly reveal or disclose such information.
- 8.2 Notwithstanding any other provision in this Deed, the parties may disclose the existence and the terms and conditions of this Deed if and to the extent:
- (a) required by applicable law or for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings;
  - (b) required by any securities exchange on which such party's securities are listed or traded;
  - (c) required by any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such party is subject or submits (whether or not the requirement has the force of law);
  - (d) required by its professional advisers (including auditors), officers, employees, consultants, sub-contractors or agents to provide their services (and subject always to similar duties of confidentiality) and any member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers;
  - (e) the Company has given its prior written consent to the disclosure;
  - (f) it is necessary to obtain any relevant tax clearances from or otherwise to disclose to comply with any legislation, regulations, concessions, guidance or practice of any appropriate tax authority; or
  - (g) such information becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 8 (*Confidentiality*)).

**9. COSTS AND EXPENSES**

The parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Deed and of matters incidental to this Deed.

**10. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the parties in this Deed are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**11. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any party to this Deed of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Deed or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 12.1 This Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in it constitute the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject matter of this Deed and supersede and extinguish any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between the parties in relation to the subject matter of this Deed.

- 12.2 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Deed in reliance on any statement or representation of any person (whether a party to this Deed or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed.
- 12.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Deed by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any person (whether party to this Deed or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Deed (other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed).
- 12.4 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Deed. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the parties may have, the parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Deed.
- 12.5 Nothing contained in this Deed or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud.

**13. EFFECTIVENESS; TERMINATION**

- 13.1 The effectiveness of all rights and obligations under or in connection with this Deed shall be subject to the condition precedent of the occurrence of Completion and all rights and obligations shall apply as from the date that such precedent is fulfilled; provided that if Completion has not occurred by the Longstop Date, this Deed shall automatically terminate with immediate effect.
- 13.2 Subject to clause 13.3, this Deed shall terminate and be of no further force or effect upon the earlier of:
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- 13.3 On termination of this Deed, clause 8 (*Confidentiality*) shall survive and continue in full force and effect but all other rights and obligations of the parties shall cease immediately. Termination shall not affect the parties' accrued rights and obligations as at such termination, in particular as set out in clauses 13.1 and 13.2 above.
- 13.4 For the avoidance of doubt, the occurrence of an Adverse Event shall not constitute grounds for any party to terminate this Deed for cause or otherwise.
- 14. AMENDMENTS**
- 14.1 Subject to clauses 3.5 and 14.2, all and any of the provisions of this Deed may only be deleted, varied, supplemented, restated or otherwise changed in any way at any time with the prior written consent of the Company, UM and Participants holding at least a majority of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements, in which event such change shall be binding against all the parties hereto provided that if such change would impose any new obligations on any Participant(s) that is not imposed on all other Participants or increase any existing obligation of any Participant(s) that is not increased for all other Participants, the consent of the affected Participant(s) to such amendment shall be specifically required.
- 14.2 The Pro Rata Entitlements of the Participants may only be amended with the consent in writing of all of the Participants (and the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) or as otherwise provided for in accordance with clauses 3.5, 4 (*Disqualified Participants*) or 5.2.
- 15. SET OFF**
- The Company may at any time set off any actual liability of any Participant to the Company (as applicable) against any actual liability of the Company to the Participant, whether either liability is present or future, liquidated or unliquidated, and whether or not either liability arises under this Deed. If the liabilities to be set off are expressed in different currencies, the Company may convert either liability at a market rate of exchange for the purpose of set-off. Any exercise by the Company of its rights under this clause shall not limit or affect any other rights or remedies available to it under this Deed or otherwise.
- 16. NO PARTNERSHIP**
- Nothing in this Deed is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the parties.
- 17. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**
- 17.1 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, this Deed is personal to the parties and no party shall:
- (a) assign any of its rights under this Deed;
  - (b) transfer any of its obligations under this Deed;
  - (c) sub-contract or delegate any of its obligations under this Deed; or
  - (d) charge or deal in any other manner with this Deed or any of its rights or obligations.
- 17.2 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, any purported assignment, transfer, sub-contracting, delegation, charging or dealing in contravention of clause 17.1 shall be ineffective.
- 17.3 A Participant's rights under this Deed shall be assigned automatically to their Personal Representative on death and the Personal Representative shall notify UM of such assignment as soon as reasonably practical.
- 17.4 A Participant or their Personal Representative can assign any rights under this Deed with consent in writing from UM and on such terms and as determined by UM in its absolute discretion (save that in the case of a Personal Representative, UM's consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed provided that the obligations and/or liability of the Company and/or UM is not increased as a result of the assignment).

**18. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

This Deed does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

**19. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Deed may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Deed (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docuSign.com](http://www.docuSign.com)) and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the parties to the terms and conditions of this Deed. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**20. NOTICES**

20.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Deed must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

(a) to any body corporate which is a party at its registered office; or

(b) to any Participant at the address of that Participant shown in Schedule 1,

or in each such case such other address as the recipient may notify to the other parties for such purpose in accordance with this clause 20 (*Notices*).

20.2 A communication sent according to clause 20.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

(a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;

(b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or

(c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender;

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**21. SEVERANCE**

21.1 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Deed will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

21.2 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted or modified, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.



**22. GOVERNING LAW**

This Deed (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**23. JURISDICTION**

The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Deed.

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In the presence of:

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Dated

23 January 2021

**Z FACTOR LIMITED**  
**AND**  
**INITIAL PARTICIPANTS**  
**AND**  
**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**

**INCENTIVISATION DEED**  
relating to  
**Z FACTOR LIMITED**



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**PARTIES**

- (1) **Z FACTOR LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 09274181 with its registered office at C/O The Cambridge Partnership Limited The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3AT (the “**Company**”);
- (2) **THE INITIAL PARTICIPANTS** whose names and addresses are set out in columns 1 and 2 of Schedule 1 (together the “**Initial Participants**”); and
- (3) **UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA LIMITED**, a private company limited by shares incorporated in England with company number 12973576 and with its registered office at The Dorothy Hodgkin Building, Babraham Research Campus, Babraham, Cambridge, United Kingdom, CB22 3FH (“**UM**”).

**INTRODUCTION**

- (A) At Completion, UM shall acquire the entire issued share capital of the Company in consideration for the issuance of new shares in UM pursuant to a contribution agreement entered into on or about the date of this Deed by UM, the Company and the selling shareholders of the Company (the “**Contribution Agreement**”).
- (B) The parties have entered into this Deed to incentivise the Participants to reach the Company’s milestones and/or achieve an Exit (as defined below).

**AGREED TERMS****1. DEFINITIONS**

In this Deed, except where a different interpretation is necessary in the context, the words and expressions set out below shall have the following meanings:

“**Act**” means the Companies Act 2006, as amended and/or superseded from time to time;

“**Acting in Concert**” has the given to it in The City Code on Takeovers and Mergers published by the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

“**Active Participants**” means those Participants who are Employees at the relevant time;

“**Adverse Event**” means any milestone set out in the Business Plan not being achieved within the specified time period and the UM Representative (acting reasonably and following consultation with the Active Participants) determining that the missed milestone should not be waived and/or the specified time period should not be extended pursuant to the terms of the Portfolio Company Agreement;

“**Asset Sale**” means the sale or other disposal (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of the Lead Asset. For these purposes a “disposal” may include, without limitation, the grant by the Company and/or any other member of the Group of an exclusive licence in respect of the Lead Asset;

“**Bad Leaver**” means a person who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of:

- (a) that person’s dismissal as an Employee for Cause; or

(b) such person's resignation as an Employee in circumstances where the Company would be entitled to dismiss the Employee for Cause;

and, for the avoidance of doubt, if a person ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) as a consequence of a reason other than as set out in (a) or (b), such person shall not be a Bad Leaver but may still be an Intermediate Leaver and/or a Disqualified Participant;

**"Board"** means the board of directors of the Company designated by UM and any committee of the board as constituted from time to time;

**"Business Day"** means a day (which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public or bank holiday in the following location) on which banks generally are open in the City of London (England);

**"Business Plan"** means the business plan of the Company set out in the schedule to the Portfolio Company Agreement;

**"Cause"** means the lawful termination of that person's contract of employment or consultancy without notice or payment in lieu of notice as a consequence of that person's fraud, gross misconduct or material breach of any of his Restrictive Covenants;

**"Completion"** has meaning set out in the Contribution Agreement (as defined in the Introduction);

**"Contingent Consideration"** means any contingent consideration payable after completion of the Share Sale or Asset Sale (as applicable) which is contingent on the occurrence of an event, [####].

**"Controlling Interest"** means an interest in shares giving to the holder or holders control of the Company within the meaning of section 1124 of the CTA 2010;

**"CTA 2010"** means the Corporation Tax Act 2010;

**"Deed of Adherence"** means the deed of adherence substantially in the form set out in Schedule 2 (or in such other form as approved by UM and a Participant Majority);

**"Disqualification Date"** means in the case of a Participant who becomes a Disqualified Participant: (a) as a result of being a Bad Leaver or an Intermediate Leaver, the Effective Termination Date; and (b) as a result of a material breach of any Restrictive Covenant, the date on which the person first materially breaches any Restrictive Covenant after having ceased to be an Employee;

**"Disqualified Participant"** means with regards to any Participant, where he:

- (a) is a Bad Leaver;
- (b) is an Intermediate Leaver; or
- (c) has materially breached any of his Restrictive Covenants (in the case of a Participant who is an Employee, only after such Participant has ceased to be an Employee);

**"Effective Termination Date"** means the date on which the Participant's employment or consultancy terminates;

**"Employee"** means an individual who is employed by, or who provides direct or indirect consultancy services to, the Company or any Group Company;

“Exit” means a Share Sale or an Asset Sale, in each case excluding any such event undertaken for tax planning purposes or pursuant to a bona fide restructuring;

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“Good Leaver” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) by reason of: (a) death; (b) permanent incapacity; (c) the termination of the Participant’s contract of employment or consultancy by the Company other than for Cause; or (d) UM determining in its sole discretion that such Participant is a Good Leaver;

“Group Companies” means the Company and each and any of the Subsidiaries from time to time, and “Group Company” shall mean any one of them and “Group” shall be construed accordingly;

“Initial Pro Rata Entitlement” means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion set out against his name in column 4 of the table set out in Schedule 2 hereto;

“Intermediate Leaver” means any Participant who ceases to be an Employee (and does not otherwise continue to be an Employee) at any time during the Relevant Period other than where such person is a Good Leaver or a Bad Leaver;

“Lead Asset” means the clinical lead, ZF874, and related molecules, the formal backup, ZF887, and related molecules, or as otherwise agreed in writing by UM and all of the Participants from time to time;

“Listing” means the admission of (or in the case of admission to NASDAQ, the initial public offering of) all or any of the shares in the Company (or the shares of a holding company of the Company, excluding UM and United Medicines Biopharma (Midco) Limited) or securities representing those shares (including without limitation depository interests, American depository receipts, American depository shares and/or other instruments) to trading on NASDAQ or the Official List of the United Kingdom Listing Authority or the AIM Market operated by the London Stock Exchange Plc or any other recognised investment exchange (as defined in section 285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000);

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“**Major Market Countries**” means the United States, France, Germany, Italy, Spain and the United Kingdom, and “**Major Market Country**” means any of them;

“**Marketing Approval**” means, with respect to the Lead Asset in a particular country or jurisdiction, all approvals, licences, permits, certifications, registrations or authorisations necessary for the sale or supply of the Lead Asset in such country or jurisdiction for human use outside of clinical trials, but excluding pricing or reimbursement approvals;

“**Milestone**” means Marketing Approval of the Lead Asset in any Major Market Country and, for the avoidance of doubt, the Milestone can only be achieved once;

“**Milestone Payment**” means the sum of \$20,000,000 (USD twenty million);

“**Month**” means the period of time between the same dates in successive calendar months and if there is no such same date, the last day of the calendar month in question;

“**New Participant**” means any person who becomes a party to this Deed as a “New Participant” by signing a Deed of Adherence in accordance with clause 5 (*New Participants*);

“**Participant Majority**” means Active Participants who together hold at least fifty per cent. (50%) of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements held by the Active Participants from time to time;

“**Participants**” means each of: (a) the Initial Participants; and (b) the New Participants, but excluding any Disqualified Participants;

“**Personal Representative**” shall mean the legal personal representative(s) of a Participant (being either the executors of the will or the duly appointed administrator(s) of the estate) who has provided to the Board evidence of their appointment as such;

“**Portfolio Company Agreement**” means the portfolio company agreement entered into by the Company, UM and the Initial Leadership Team (each as defined therein) on or about the date of this Deed (as amended and/or superseded from time to time);

“**Pro Rata Entitlement**” means, with respect to any Participant, such Participant’s pro rata proportion of any Success Payment, which as at the date of this Deed shall be the Initial Pro Rata Entitlement, as amended and/or superseded in accordance with the terms of this Deed;

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“**Restrictive Covenants**” means any obligations of a Participant in respect of confidentiality, intellectual property, non-solicitation, non-dealing, non-poaching and/or non-competition given in favour of any Group Company or UM in the Portfolio Company Agreement or his/her employment or consultancy agreement with any Group Company, any settlement agreement or other agreement to which he/she is a party with the Company, any member of the Group and/or UM;

“**Share Sale**” means the sale of any of the shares (in one transaction or as a series of transactions) which results in the purchaser of the shares and persons Acting in Concert with him together acquiring a Controlling Interest in the Company, except where following

completion of the sale, the shareholders and the proportion of shares held by each of them are the same as the shareholders and their shareholdings in the Company immediately prior to the sale;

“**Shares**” means the entire issued share capital of the Company;

“**Subsidiary**” means any subsidiary (as defined in section 1159 of the Act) of the Company from time to time;

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“**UM Representative**” means the chief executive officer of UM, being at the date of this Deed Saurabh Saha, or such other person(s) as decided by the board of directors of UM and notified to the Company and the Active Participants in writing;

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## 2. INTERPRETATION

- 2.1 The clause and paragraph headings and the table of contents used in this Deed are inserted for ease of reference only and shall not affect construction.
- 2.2 Words and expressions which are defined in the Act shall have the meanings attributed to them therein when used in this Deed unless otherwise defined or the context otherwise requires.
- 2.3 References to a “**clause**” or “**Schedule**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, to the corresponding clause of or Schedule or appendix to this Deed, and reference to a “**paragraph**” is, unless the context specifically requires otherwise, a reference to the corresponding paragraph of the provision in which that reference occurs.
- 2.4 References to persons shall include any natural person, individual, company, bodies corporate, unincorporated association, firm, corporation, partnership, trust, joint venture or consortium, government, state or agency of a state, and any undertaking, in each case whether or not having separate legal personality and irrespective of the jurisdiction in or under the laws of which it was incorporated or exists.

- 2.5 Reference to a “**party**” or “**parties**” is to a party or parties of this Deed and shall include any person that has signed a Deed of Adherence.
- 2.6 References to “**writing**” and “**written**” include any non-transitory form of visible reproduction of words.
- 2.7 References to those of the parties that are individuals include their respective legal Personal Representatives and any person or entity to whom the rights of this Deed have been assigned under clause 17.
- 2.8 References to the word “**include**” or “**including**” (or any similar term) are not to be construed as implying any limitation and general words introduced by the word “**other**” (or any similar term) shall not be given a restrictive meaning by reason of the fact that they are preceded or followed by words indicating a particular class of acts, matters or things.
- 2.9 Except where the context specifically requires otherwise, words importing one gender shall be treated as importing any gender, words importing individuals shall be treated as importing corporations and vice versa and words importing the singular shall be treated as importing the plural and vice versa.
- 2.10 In this Deed, the term “**consultant**” includes:
- (a) a person engaged directly by any Group Company to provide services to any of them; and
  - (b) a person (an “**Indirect Consultant**”) employed or engaged by a third party (a “**Service Company**”) to work in, including but not limited to, the provision of services on behalf of such Service Company to any Group Company, where that Service Company is engaged by any Group Company to provide such services,
- and the term “**consultancy services**” shall include services provided by a consultant directly and/or as an Indirect Consultant.
- 2.11 Where any sum, amount or liability denominated in one currency as at a particular date is to be translated into another currency on such date for the purposes of interpreting or giving effect to this Deed, the prevailing foreign currency spot exchange rate published in the Financial Times, London edition, as at that date (or, if not published on such date, the nearest preceding Business Day) shall apply (or such other exchange rate as the Company, UM and the Participants may agree in writing).

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**4. DISQUALIFIED PARTICIPANTS**

4.1 In the event that a Participant becomes a Disqualified Participant, the Disqualified Participant shall:

- (a) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment and his Pro Rata Entitlement shall be zero per cent. (0%); and
- (b) cease to be a party to this Deed,

and, for the avoidance of doubt, in such case the Pro Rata Entitlement of the remaining Participants shall remain the same.



- 4.2 A Disqualified Participant shall:
- (a) subject to clause 4.2(b), be under no obligation to repay to the Company, UM, any other Participant or any other third party any Success Payments received prior to the Disqualification Date;
  - (b) repay to the Company forthwith any Success Payments received after the Disqualification Date (for the avoidance of doubt, no Participant shall be entitled to any amount of any Success Payment repaid to the Company or UM); and
  - (c) no longer be entitled to any portion of any Success Payment, regardless of whether any Success Payment was payable (but not yet paid) as at the Disqualification Date.
- 4.3 A Disqualified Participant shall have no claim against the Company, any Group Company and/or UM in respect of his termination of his contract of employment or consultancy in relation to any provision of this Deed which has the effect of requiring the Disqualified Participant to lose their Pro Rata Entitlement of any Success Payment.

**5. NEW PARTICIPANTS**

- 5.1 Following consultation with the Active Participants, the Board shall have absolute discretion to allocate the Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement to any Participant or New Participant and admit any such New Participant to this Deed by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall remain unchanged.
- 5.2 In addition to the right to admit New Participants in clause 5.1, the Board may admit New Participants where there is insufficient Unallocated Pro Rata Entitlement (provided it has the consent of the Participants (save that no Participant shall unreasonably withhold, delay and/or condition their consent if Participants amounting to a Participant Majority have provided their consent)) by such person signing a Deed of Adherence which shall set out such New Participant's Pro Rata Entitlement. In such case the Pro Rata Entitlements of the existing Participants shall decrease by such amount pro rata to their respective Pro Rata Entitlement so as to allocate the required Pro Rata Entitlement to the New Participant (unless the Participants (with the consent of the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) unanimously determine otherwise).
- 5.3 A New Participant who has entered into a Deed of Adherence pursuant to this Deed shall have the benefit of and be subject to the burden of all the provisions to this Deed as if he were a Participant, and this Deed shall be interpreted accordingly. Nothing in this clause shall be construed as requiring any New Participant to perform again any obligation or discharge again any liability already performed or discharged or entitle any New Participant to receive again any benefit already enjoyed by the Participants prior to the New Participant becoming a party to this Deed; and nothing herein shall be construed or interpreted to result in any Participant being obliged to make any compensation payments to the New Participant with respect to any Success Payment that has been paid to a Participant (including a Disqualified Participant) or has become payable as a result of the achievement of a Milestone or the occurrence of an Exit prior to the date of the relevant Deed of Adherence.

**6. TAX**

To the extent applicable, the Company shall be entitled to deduct: (a) any income tax due under PAYE and/or any employee national insurance contributions or any equivalent tax in the relevant jurisdiction; and (b) any other deduction or withholding required by any law or regulation applicable to any Participant (and all and any other deductions required by law) with respect to any Success Payment paid to such Participant pursuant to this Deed.

**7. FURTHER ASSURANCE**

The parties shall at their own cost use all reasonable endeavours from time to time, on being required to do so by any other party, to do or procure the doing of all such acts and/or executeor

procure the execution of all such documents in a form reasonably satisfactory to the other party for giving full effect to this Deed and securing to the other parties the full benefit of the rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon any party in this Deed.

**8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

- 8.1 The parties shall (and shall procure, where relevant, that each other member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers shall) preserve the confidentiality of the existence, the terms of this Deed and any information with respect to an Exit provided to the Participants in accordance clause 3.4, and, subject to clause 8.2, not directly or indirectly reveal or disclose such information.
- 8.2 Notwithstanding any other provision in this Deed, the parties may disclose the existence and the terms and conditions of this Deed if and to the extent:
- (a) required by applicable law or for the purpose of any judicial or arbitral proceedings;
  - (b) required by any securities exchange on which such party's securities are listed or
  - (c) required by any regulatory or governmental or other authority with relevant powers to which such party is subject or submits (whether or not the requirement has the force of law);
  - (d) required by its professional advisers (including auditors), officers, employees, consultants, sub-contractors or agents to provide their services (and subject always to similar duties of confidentiality) and any member of its group and their respective officers, employees, agents and advisers;
  - (e) the Company has given its prior written consent to the disclosure;
  - (f) it is necessary to obtain any relevant tax clearances from or otherwise to disclose to comply with any legislation, regulations, concessions, guidance or practice of any appropriate tax authority; or
  - (g) such information becomes publicly available (other than through a breach of this clause 8 (*Confidentiality*)).

**9. COSTS AND EXPENSES**

The parties shall bear their own costs and disbursements incurred in the negotiations leading up to and in the preparation of this Deed and of matters incidental to this Deed.

**10. CUMULATIVE REMEDIES**

The rights, powers, privileges and remedies conferred upon the parties in this Deed are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other rights, powers, privileges or remedies provided by law.

**11. WAIVER**

The express or implied waiver by any party to this Deed of any of its rights or remedies arising under this Deed or by law shall not constitute a continuing waiver of the right or remedy waived or a waiver of any other right or remedy.

**12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- 12.1 This Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in it constitute the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject matter of this Deed and supersede and extinguish

any prior drafts, agreements, undertakings, representations, warranties and arrangements of any nature whatsoever, whether or not in writing, between the parties in relation to the subject matter of this Deed.

- 12.2 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that it has not entered into this Deed in reliance on any statement or representation of any person (whether a party to this Deed or not) other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed.
- 12.3 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each of the parties irrevocably and unconditionally waives any right or remedy it may have to claim damages and/or to rescind this Deed by reason of any misrepresentation (other than a fraudulent misrepresentation) having been made to it by any person (whether party to this Deed or not) and upon which it has relied in entering into this Deed (other than as expressly incorporated in this Deed and the documents referred to or incorporated in this Deed).
- 12.4 Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees that damages alone may not be an adequate remedy for the breach of any of the undertakings or obligations as set out in this Deed. Accordingly, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the parties may have, the parties shall be entitled to seek the remedies of injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief for any threatened or actual breach of the terms of this Deed.
- 12.5 Nothing contained in this Deed or in any other document referred to or incorporated in it shall be read or construed as excluding any liability or remedy as a result of fraud.

**13. EFFECTIVENESS; TERMINATION**

13.1 The effectiveness of all rights and obligations under or in connection with this Deed shall be subject to the condition precedent of the occurrence of Completion and all rights and obligations shall apply as from the date that such condition precedent is fulfilled; provided that if Completion has not occurred by the Longstop Date Deed shall automatically terminate with immediate effect.

13.2 Subject to clause 13.3, this Deed shall terminate and be of no further force or effect upon the earlier of:

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- 13.3 On termination of this Deed, clause 8 (*Confidentiality*) shall survive and continue in full force and effect but all other rights and obligations of the parties shall cease immediately. Termination shall not affect the parties' accrued rights and obligations as at such termination, in particular as set out in clauses 13.1 and 13.2 above.
- 13.4 For the avoidance of doubt, the occurrence of an Adverse Event shall not constitute grounds for any party to terminate this Deed for cause or otherwise.
- 14. AMENDMENTS**
- 14.1 Subject to clauses 3.5 and 14.2, all and any of the provisions of this Deed may only be deleted, varied, supplemented, restated or otherwise changed in any way at any time with the prior written consent of the Company, UM and Participants holding at least a majority of the aggregate Pro Rata Entitlements, in which event such change shall be binding against all the parties hereto provided that if such change would impose any new obligations on any Participant(s) that is not imposed on all other Participants or increase any existing obligation of any Participant(s) that is not increased for all other Participants, the consent of the affected Participant(s) to such amendment shall be specifically required.
- 14.2 The Pro Rata Entitlements of the Participants may only be amended with the consent in writing of all of the Participants (and the Board, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) or as otherwise provided for in accordance with clauses 3.5,4 (*Disqualified Participants*) or 5.2.
- 15. SETOFF**
- The Company may at any time set off any actual liability of any Participant to the Company (as applicable) against any actual liability of the Company to the Participant, whether either liability is present or future, liquidated or unliquidated, and whether or not either liability arises under this Deed. If the liabilities to be set off are expressed in different currencies, the Company may convert either liability at a market rate of exchange for the purpose of set-off. Any exercise by the Company of its rights under this clause shall not limit or affect any other rights or remedies available to it under this Deed or otherwise.
- 16. NO PARTNERSHIP**
- Nothing in this Deed is intended to or shall be construed as establishing or implying any partnership of any kind between the parties.
- 17. ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER**
- 17.1 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, this Deed is personal to the parties and no party shall:
- (a) assign any of its rights under this Deed;
  - (b) transfer any of its obligations under this Deed;
  - (c) sub-contract or delegate any of its obligations under this Deed; or
  - (d) charge or deal in any other manner with this Deed or any of its rights or obligations.
- 17.2 Subject to clauses 17.3 and 17.4, any purported assignment, transfer, sub-contracting, delegation, charging or dealing in contravention of clause 17.1 shall be ineffective.
- 17.3 A Participant's rights under this Deed shall be assigned automatically to their Personal Representative on death and the Personal Representative shall notify UM of such assignment as soon as reasonably practical.
- 17.4 A Participant or their Personal Representative can assign any rights under this Deed with consent in writing from UM and on such terms and as determined by UM in its absolute

discretion (save that in the case of a Personal Representative, UM's consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed provided that the obligations and/or liability of the Company and/or UM is not increased as a result of the assignment).

**18. RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES**

This Deed does not confer any rights on any person or party (other than the parties) pursuant to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

**19. COUNTERPARTS; NO ORIGINALS**

This Deed may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all the counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. The exchange of a fully executed version of this Deed (in counterparts or otherwise) by electronic transmission (including pdf or other digital format including any electronic signature complying with the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act 2000, e.g., [www.docusign.com](http://www.docusign.com)) and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes and shall be sufficient to bind the parties to the terms and conditions of this Deed. No exchange of original signatures is necessary.

**20. NOTICES**

20.1 To be valid, any communication and/or information to be given in connection with this Deed must be in writing in English and either be delivered by hand or sent by first class post, email or other electronic form:

- (a) to any body corporate which is a party at its registered office; or
- (b) to any Participant at the address of that Participant shown in Schedule 1,

or in each such case other address as the recipient may notify to the other parties for such purpose in accordance with the clause 20 (Notices).

20.2 A communication sent according to clause 20.1 shall be deemed to have been received:

- (a) if delivered by hand, at the time of delivery;
- (b) if sent by pre-paid first class post, on the second day after posting; or
- (c) if sent by email or other electronic form, at the time of completion of transmission by the sender;

except that if a communication is received between 17:30 on a Business Day and 09:30 on the next Business Day, it shall be deemed to have been received at 09:30 on the second of such Business Days.

**21. SEVERANCE**

21.1 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any judicial or other competent authority, all other provisions of this Deed will remain in full force and effect and will not in any way be impaired.

21.2 If any provision of this Deed is held to be invalid or unenforceable but would be valid or enforceable if some part of the provision were deleted or modified, the provision in question will apply with the minimum modifications necessary to make it valid and enforceable.

**22. GOVERNING LAW**

This Deed (and any dispute or claim relating to it or its subject matter (including non-contractual claims)) is governed by and is to be construed in accordance with English law.

**23. JURISDICTION**

The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any claim, dispute or issue (including non-contractual claims) which may arise out of or in connection with this Deed.

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**Z FACTOR LIMITED** )

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Position: Signature

In the presence of:

Signature of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

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In the presence of:

Signature of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Witness \_\_\_\_\_

This Deed has been executed and delivered as a deed on the date shown on the first page.

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**UNITED MEDICINES BIOPHARMA**  
**LIMITED**

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Position:

In the presence of:

Signature of Witness

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Name of Witness

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Address of Witness

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Occupation of Witness

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Position: [####]

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In the presence of:

Signature of Witness

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Name of Witness

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Address of Witness

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**Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

The Board of Directors  
Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited:

We consent to the use of our report dated March 12, 2021, with respect to the balance sheet of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited as of December 31, 2020, the related statements of operations and comprehensive loss, shareholders' deficit, and cash flows for the period October 26, 2020 (inception) through December 31, 2020, and the related notes, included herein and to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in the prospectus.

/s/ KPMG LLP

Boston, Massachusetts  
April 20, 2021

**Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

The Board of Directors  
Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited:

We consent to the use of our report dated March 12, 2021, with respect to the combined balance sheets of the Centessa Predecessor Group (consisting of Z Factor Limited, LockBody Therapeutics Ltd, and Morphogen-IX Limited) as of December 31, 2019 and 2020, the related combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss, convertible preferred shares and combined deficit, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes, included herein and to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in the prospectus.

/s/ KPMG LLP

Boston, Massachusetts  
April 20, 2021

**CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITOR**

We consent to the use in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of Centessa Pharmaceuticals Limited of our reports dated March 12, 2021, relating to the financial statements of Palladio Biosciences, Inc.; Inexia Limited; Janpix Limited; Pega-One S.A.S.; PearlRiver Bio GmbH; Orexia Limited; Capella Bioscience Limited; and ApcinteX Limited, appearing in the Prospectus, which is part of this Registration Statement.

We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Prospectus.

/s/ Frazier & Deeter, LLC  
Tampa, Florida  
April 20, 2021