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December 9, 2022

The Controller of Patents  
The Patent Office  
Delhi

Kind Attn: Parvathy S  
Controller of Patents

Re: Indian Patent Application No. 201847020374

Applicant: IONIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Respected Sir,

Thank you for the first examination report dated **June 15, 2022** in respect of the above mentioned application.

The six months deadline to file a response to the same is December 15, 2022. As the Applicant would require more time to prepare and file the response, we are enclosing herewith the following documents:


- Form 4 for seeking extension of time for **3** months for filing response to the First Examination Report
- Fee of Rs. 12000/-

We request the Learned Controller to kindly take the above document on record and grant us extension of time for **3 months** for filing response to the first examination report.

Yours faithfully,

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Attorney for the applicant

Encl.: as stated

<b>FORM 4</b> THE PATENTS ACT, 1970 (39 of 1970) and THE PATENTS RULES, 2003 <b>REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b> [See sections 53(2), and 142 (4); rules 13(6), 24B(6), 24C(11) and 80(1A), 130]	
1. Name of the applicant	<p>I/We, <b>IONIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.</b>, a company organized under the laws of USA, of 2855 Gazelle Court, Carlsbad, CA 92010, USA.</p> <p>hereby request for <u><b>extension of time for 3 months(s)</b></u> under section/rule 24B in connection with our/application No. <b>201847020374</b> dated <b>7<sup>th</sup> November 2016</b>.</p> <p>The reasons for making the request are as follows:-</p> <p><b>The Applicant being a foreign company requires more time to review and provide submissions to the objections raised in the First Examination Report.</b></p>
2. To be signed by the applicant or his authorized registered patent agent	
3. Name of the natural person who has signed	<p><b>Devinder Singh Rawat</b>  <b>IN/PA No. 2594</b>  <b>Of Anand And Anand Advocates</b>  <b>Attorney for the applicant</b></p>
<b>Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.</b>	<p>The Controller of Patents,            The Patent Office,            At Delhi</p>