UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 7, 2024

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 001-41614 (Commission File Number) 84-1966887

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

150 N. Radnor Chester Road, Suite F200 Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(888) 378-6240

(Registrant's telephone number, include area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

<u>Title of each class</u>	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	MLYS	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company 🗵

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On February 7, 2024, Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company") entered into a securities purchase agreement (the "Purchase Agreement") with the purchasers named therein (the "Purchasers"), for the private placement (the "Private Placement") of (i) 8,339,169 shares (the "Shares") of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Common Stock"), at a price of \$13.50 per Share, and (ii) with respect to certain Purchasers, pre-funded warrants to purchase an aggregate of 549,755 shares of Common Stock (the "Pre-Funded Warrants") in lieu of shares of Common Stock, at a purchase price of \$13.499 per Pre-Funded Warrant (the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants, the "Warrant Shares"). The aggregate gross proceeds for the Private Placement are expected to be approximately \$120 million, before deducting offering expenses. The Private Placement is expected to catisfy the "Minimum Price" requirement (as defined in the Nasdag rules).

The Company expects to use the net proceeds from the Private Placement to fund the research and development of lorundrostat, and for working capital and general corporate purposes. The Company estimates, based on its current operating plan, that the net proceeds from the Private Placement, together with its existing cash, cash equivalents and investments, will be sufficient to fund its operations into 2026.

Each Pre-Funded Warrant will have an exercise price of \$0.001 per share of Common Stock, will be immediately exercisable on the date of issuance and will not expire. Under the terms of the Pre-Funded Warrants, the Company may not effect the exercise of any portion of any Pre-Funded Warrant, and a holder will not have the right to exercise any portion of any Pre-Funded Warrant, which, upon giving effect to such exercise, would cause a holder (together with its affiliates) to own more than a specified beneficial ownership limitation of either 4.99%, 9.99% or 19.99% (as selected by such holder prior to the issuance of the Pre-Funded Warrant) of the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to such exercise, as such percentage ownership is determined in accordance with the terms of the Pre-Funded Warrants. However, any holder may increase or decrease such percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 19.99%, provided that any increase in such percentage shall not be effective until 61 days after such notice is delivered to the Company.

The exercise price and the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of each Pre-Funded Warrant will be subject to appropriate adjustment in the event of certain stock dividends and distributions, stock splits, stock combinations, reclassifications or similar events affecting the Common Stock.

In the event of certain fundamental transactions (as described in the Pre-Funded Warrants), a holder of Pre-Funded Warrants will have the right to receive, upon exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants, the same amount and kind of securities, cash or property that such holder would have received had they exercised in full the Pre-Funded Warrants immediately prior to such fundamental transaction without regard to any limitations on exercise contained in the Pre-Funded Warrants.

Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, the Company agreed to file a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") within 60 days after the closing of the Private Placement (subject to certain exceptions) for purposes of registering the resale of the Shares and the Warrant Shares, to use its reasonable best efforts to have such registration statement declared effective within the time period set forth in the Purchase Agreement, and to keep such registration statement effective until the earliest of (i) the time as all of the Shares and Warrant Shares purchased by the Purchasers pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement have been sold pursuant to the registration statement, or (ii) such time as the Shares and Warrant Shares become eligible for resale by non-affiliates without any volume limitations or other restrictions pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or any other rule of similar effect.

The Purchase Agreement contains customary representations, warranties and agreements by the Company, indemnification obligations of the Company and the Purchasers, including for liabilities under the Securities Act, and other obligations of the parties. The representations, warranties and covenants contained in the Purchase Agreement were made only for purposes of such Purchase Agreement and are made as of specific dates; are solely for the benefit of the parties (except as specifically set forth therein); may be subject to qualifications and limitations

agreed upon by the parties in connection with negotiating the terms of the Purchase Agreement, instead of establishing matters as facts; and may be subject to standards of materiality and knowledge applicable to the contracting parties that differ from those applicable to investors generally. Investors should not rely on the representations, warranties and covenants or any description thereof as characterizations of the actual state of facts or condition of the Company.

The Private Placement is exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act pursuant to the exemption for transactions by an issuer not involving any public offering under Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act and in reliance on similar exemptions under applicable state laws. The Purchasers represented that they were institutional accredited investors within the meaning of rules promulgated under the Securities Act and were acquiring the securities for investment only and with no present intention of distributing any of such securities or any arrangement or understanding regarding the distribution thereof. The securities were offered without any general solicitation by the Company or its representatives. The securities sold and issued in the Private Placement will not be registered under the Securities Act or any state securities laws and may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration with the SEC or an applicable exemption from the registration requirements.

The foregoing description of the Purchase Agreement and Pre-Funded Warrant does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Purchase Agreement and form of Pre-Funded Warrant, which are filed as Exhibit 10.1 and Exhibit 4.1, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 3.02. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

The disclosures set forth in Item 1.01 above are incorporated by reference into this Item 3.02.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 8, 2024, the Company issued a press release announcing that it has entered into the Purchase Agreement. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date hereof, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
<u>4.1</u>	Form of Pre-Funded Warrant
<u>10.1</u>	Securities Purchase Agreement, dated February 7, 2024, by and between Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc. and each of the purchasers party thereto
<u>99.1</u>	Press Release Issued on February 8, 2024
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

Forward-Looking Statements

Mineralys Therapeutics cautions you that statements contained in this report regarding matters that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements are based on our current beliefs and expectations and include, but are not limited to, statements regarding: the timing, size and expectation of the closing of the Private Placement; expectations regarding market conditions, the satisfaction of customary closing conditions related to the Private Placement, and the anticipated use of proceeds therefrom; our expected future cash

expenditures and funding requirements; and the anticipated filing of a registration statement to cover the resale of the Shares and Warrant Shares. Such forward-looking statements involve substantial risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results, performance or achievements to differ significantly from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. The inclusion of forward-looking statements should not be regarded as a representation by us that any of our plans will be achieved. Actual results may differ from those set forth in this report due to the risks and uncertainties inherent in our business, including, without limitation: the risks and uncertainties associated with market conditions and the satisfaction of customary closing conditions related to the proposed financing; and other risks described in our filings with the SEC, including under the heading "Risk Factors" in our annual report on Form 10-K, and any subsequent filings with the SEC. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date hereof, and we undertake no obligation to update such statements to reflect events that occur or circumstances that exist after the date hereof. All forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement, which is made under the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: February 8, 2024

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Adam Levy

By: /s/ Adam Levy

Name: Title:

Chief Financial Officer and Secretary

THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), OR ANY OTHER APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS AND HAVE BEEN ISSUED IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND SUCH OTHER SECURITIES LAWS. NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR ANY INTEREST OR PARTICIPATION HEREIN MAY BE REOFFERED, SOLD, ASSIGNED, TRANSFERRED, PLEDGED, ENCUMBERED, HYPOTHECATED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR PURSUANT TO A TRANSACTION WHICH IS EXEMPT FROM, OR NOT SUBJECT TO, SUCH REGISTRATION, IN EACH CASE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS, AND, IN THE CASE OF A TRANSACTION EXEMPT FROM, OR NOT SUBJECT TO, SUCH REGISTRATION, THE HOLDER WILL NOTIFY ANY SUBSEQUENT PURCHASER OF THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE FROM IT OF SUCH RESALE RESTRICTIONS.

FORM OF PRE-FUNDED WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Number of Shares: [●] (subject to adjustment)

Warrant No. [•] Original Issue Date: [•], 2024

Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "*Company*"), hereby certifies that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, $[\bullet]$ or its registered assigns (the "*Holder*"), is entitled, subject to the terms set forth below, to purchase from the Company up to a total of $[\bullet]$ shares of common stock, \$0.0001 par value per share (the "*Common Stock*"), of the Company (each such share, a "*Warrant Share*" and all such shares, the "*Warrant Shares*") at an exercise price per share equal to \$0.001 per share (as adjusted from time to time as provided in <u>Section 9</u> herein, the "*Exercise Price*"), upon surrender of this Warrant to Purchase Common Stock (including any Warrants to Purchase Common Stock issued in exchange, transfer or replacement hereof, the "*Warrant*") at any time and from time to time on or after the date hereof (the "*Original Issue Date*"), subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. Definitions. For purposes of this Warrant, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"*Affiliate*" means, with respect to any Person, any other Person directly or indirectly controlled by, controlling or under common control with, such Person, but only for so long as such control shall continue. For purposes of this definition, "control" (including, with correlative meanings, "controlled by", "controlling" and "under common control with") means, with respect to a Person, possession, direct or indirect, of (i) the power to direct or cause direction of the management and policies of such Person (whether through ownership of securities or partnership or other ownership interests, by contract or otherwise), or (ii) at least 50% of the voting securities (whether directly or pursuant to any option, warrant or other similar arrangement) or other comparable equity interests.

"Attribution Parties" means, collectively, the following Persons and entities: (i) any direct or indirect Affiliates of the Holder, (ii) any Person acting or who could be deemed to be acting as a Group together with the Holder or any Attribution Parties and (iii) any other Persons

whose beneficial ownership of the Common Stock would or could be aggregated with the Holder's and/or any other Attribution Parties for purposes of Section 13(d) or Section 16 of the Exchange Act. For clarity, the purpose of the foregoing is to subject collectively the Holder and all other Attribution Parties to the Maximum Percentage.

"Closing Sale Price" means, for any security as of any date, the last trade price for such security on the Principal Trading Market for such security, as reported by Bloomberg Financial Markets, or, if such Principal Trading Market begins to operate on an extended hours basis and does not designate the last trade price, then the last trade price of such security prior to 4:00 P.M., New York City time, as reported by Bloomberg Financial Markets, or if the foregoing do not apply, the last trade price of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security as reported by Bloomberg Financial Markets, or if no last trade price is reported for such security by Bloomberg Financial Markets, the average of the bid and ask prices of any market makers for such security as reported in the OTC Link or "pink sheets" by OTC Markets Group Inc. as of 4:00 P.M., New York City time on such date. If the Closing Sale Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Closing Sale Price of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. If the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value. The Board of Directors' determination shall be binding upon all parties absent demonstrable error. All such determinations shall be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination or other similar transaction during the applicable calculation period.

"Commission" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

"Group" shall have the meaning ascribed to it in Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act, and all related rules, regulations and jurisprudence.

"*Person*" means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization, any other entity and a government or any department or agency thereof.

"Principal Trading Market" means the national securities exchange or other trading market on which the Common Stock is primarily listed on and quoted for trading, which, as of the Original Issue Date, shall be the Nasdaq Global Select Market.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

"*Standard Settlement Period*" means the standard settlement period, expressed in a number of Trading Days, for the Principal Trading Market with respect to the Common Stock that is in effect on the date of delivery of an applicable Exercise Notice, which as of the Original Issue Date was "T+2."

"Trading Day" means any weekday on which the Principal Trading Market is normally open for trading.

"Transfer Agent" means Computershare Trust Company, N.A., the Company's transfer agent and registrar for the Common Stock, and any successor appointed in such capacity.

2. Issuance of Securities; Registration of Warrants. The Company shall register ownership of this Warrant, upon records to be maintained by the Company for that purpose (the

"*Warrant Register*"), in the name of the record Holder (which shall include the initial Holder or, as the case may be, any assignee to which this Warrant is permissibly assigned hereunder) from time to time. The Company may deem and treat the registered Holder of this Warrant as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of any exercise hereof or any distribution to the Holder, and for all other purposes, absent actual notice to the contrary.

3. Registration of Transfers. Subject to compliance with all applicable securities laws, the Company shall, or will cause its Transfer Agent to, register the transfer of all or any portion of this Warrant in the Warrant Register, upon surrender of this Warrant, and payment for all applicable transfer taxes (if any). Upon any such registration or transfer, a new warrant to purchase Common Stock in substantially the form of this Warrant (any such new warrant, a "*New Warrant*") evidencing the portion of this Warrant so transferred shall be issued to the transferee, and a New Warrant evidencing the remaining portion of this Warrant not so transferred, if any, shall be issued to the transferring Holder. The acceptance of the New Warrant by the transferee thereof shall be deemed the acceptance by such transferee of all of the rights and obligations in respect of the New Warrant that the Holder has in respect of this Warrant. The Company shall, or will cause its Transfer Agent to, prepare, issue and deliver at the Company's own expense any New Warrant under this <u>Section 3</u>. Until due presentment for registration of transfer, the Company may treat the registered Holder hereof as the owner and holder for all purposes, and the Company shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

4. Exercise of Warrants.

(a) All or any part of this Warrant shall be exercisable by the registered Holder in any manner permitted by this Warrant (including Section 11) at any time and from time to time on or after the Original Issue Date, and such rights shall not expire.

(b) The Holder may exercise this Warrant by delivering to the Company (i) an exercise notice, in the form attached as <u>Schedule 1</u> hereto (the "*Exercise Notice*"), completed and duly signed, and (ii) payment of the Exercise Price for the number of Warrant Shares as to which this Warrant is being exercised (which may take the form of a "cashless exercise" if so indicated in the Exercise Notice pursuant to <u>Section 10</u> below), and the date on which the last of such items is delivered to the Company (as determined in accordance with the notice provisions hereof) is an "*Exercise Date*." The Holder shall not be required to deliver the original Warrant in order to effect an exercise hereunder. Execution and delivery of the Exercise Notice shall have the same effect as cancellation of the original Warrant and issuance of a New Warrant evidencing the right to purchase the remaining number of Warrant Shares, if any.

5. Delivery of Warrant Shares.

(a) Upon exercise of this Warrant, the Company shall promptly (but in no event later than the number of Trading Days comprising the Standard Settlement Period following the Exercise Date), upon the request of the Holder, credit such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock specified by the Holder in the Exercise Notice and to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise (the *"Exercise Shares"*) to the Holder's or its designee's balance account with The Depository Trust Company ("*DTC*") through its Deposit Withdrawal At Custodian system, or if the Transfer Agent is then a participant in the DTC Fast Automated Securities Transfer Program (the *"FAST Program"*) and either (A) there is an effective registration statement permitting the issuance of the Warrant Shares to or the resale of such Warrant Shares by the Holder or (B) the Exercise Shares are eligible for resale by the Holder without volume or manner-of-sale restrictions pursuant to Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act (assuming cashless exercise of this Warrant). If the Transfer Agent is not a member of the FAST Program or if (A) and (B) above are not true, the Transfer Agent will either (i) record the Exercise Shares in the name of the Holder or its designee on the certificates

reflecting the Exercise Shares with an appropriate legend regarding restriction on transferability, which shall be issued and dispatched by overnight courier to the address as specified in the Exercise Notice, and on the Company's share register or (ii) issue such Exercise Shares in the name of the Holder or its designee in restricted book-entry form in the Company's share register. The Holder, or any Person so designated by the Holder to receive Warrant Shares, shall be deemed to have become the holder of record of such Warrant Shares as of the Exercise Date, irrespective of the date such Warrant Shares are credited to the Holder's DTC account, the date of the book entry positions or the date of delivery of the certificates evidencing such Exercise Shares, as the case may be.

(b) If the Company fails to deliver to the Holder or its designee Exercise Shares in the manner required pursuant to <u>Section 5(a)</u> within the Standard Settlement Period following the Exercise Date (other than a failure solely caused by incorrect or incomplete information provided by the Holder to the Company) and the Holder purchases (in an open market transaction or otherwise) shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of the Warrant Shares which the Holder anticipated receiving upon such exercise (a "*Buy-In*") but did not receive within the Standard Settlement Period, then the Company shall, within two (2) Trading Days after the Holder's request, (1) pay in cash to the Holder the amount, if any, by which (x) the Holder's total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so purchased in the Buy-In exceeds (y) the amount obtained by multiplying (A) the number of Warrant Shares that the Company was required to deliver to the Holder in connection with the exercise at issue times (B) the price at which the sell order giving rise to such purchase for which such exercise was not honored (in which case such exercise shall be deemed rescinded) or deliver to the Holder the number of Stock that would have been issued had the Company timely complied with its exercise and delivery obligations hereunder.

(c) To the extent permitted by law and subject to Section 5(b), the Company's obligations to issue and deliver Warrant Shares in accordance with and subject to the terms hereof (including the limitations set forth in Section 11 below) are absolute and unconditional, irrespective of any action or inaction by the Holder to enforce the same, any waiver or consent with respect to any provision hereof, the recovery of any judgment against any Person or any action to enforce the same, or any setoff, counterclaim, recoupment, limitation or termination, or any breach or alleged breach by the Holder or any other Person of any obligation to the Company or any violation or alleged violation of law by the Holder or any other Person, and irrespective of any other circumstance that might otherwise limit such obligation of the Company to the Holder in connection with the issuance of Warrant Shares. Subject to Section 5(b), nothing herein shall limit the Holder's right to pursue any other remedies available to it hereunder, at law or in equity including, without limitation, a decree of specific performance and/or injunctive relief with respect to the Company's failure to timely deliver shares of Common Stock upon exercise of the Warrant as required pursuant to the terms hereof.

6. Charges, Taxes and Expenses. Issuance and delivery for shares of Common Stock upon exercise of this Warrant shall be made without charge to the Holder for any issue or transfer tax, transfer agent fee or other incidental tax or expense (excluding any applicable stamp duties) in respect of the issuance of such certificates, all of which taxes and expenses shall be paid by the Company; *provided, however*, that the Company shall not be required to pay any tax that may be payable in respect of any transfer involved in the registration of any Warrant Shares or the Warrants in a name other than that of the Holder or an Affiliate thereof. The Holder shall be responsible for all other tax liability that may arise as a result of holding or transferring this Warrant or receiving Warrant Shares upon exercise hereof.

7. **Replacement of Warrant**. If this Warrant is mutilated, lost, stolen or destroyed, the Company shall issue or cause to be issued in exchange and substitution for and upon cancellation hereof, or in lieu of and substitution for this Warrant, a New Warrant, but only upon receipt of evidence reasonably satisfactory to the Company of such loss, theft or destruction (in such case) and, in each case, a customary and reasonable contractual indemnity, if requested by the Company. If a New Warrant is requested as a result of a mutilation of this Warrant, then the Holder shall deliver such mutilated Warrant to the Company as a condition precedent to the Company's obligation to issue the New Warrant.

8. Reservation of Warrant Shares. The Company covenants that it will, at all times while this Warrant is outstanding, reserve and keep available out of the aggregate of its authorized but unissued and otherwise unreserved Common Stock, solely for the purpose of enabling it to issue Warrant Shares upon exercise of this Warrant as herein provided, the number of Warrant Shares that are initially issuable and deliverable upon the exercise of this entire Warrant, free from preemptive rights or any other contingent purchase rights of persons other than the Holder (taking into account the adjustments and restrictions of <u>Section 9</u>). The Company covenants that all Warrant Shares so issuable and deliverable shall, upon issuance and the payment of the applicable Exercise Price in accordance with the terms hereof, be duly authorized, validly issued, and fully paid and non-assessable. The Company will take all such action as may be reasonably necessary to assure that such shares of Common Stock may be issued as provided herein without violation of any applicable law or regulation, or of any requirements of any securities exchange or automated quotation system upon which the Common Stock may be listed. The Company further covenants that it will not, without the prior written consent of the Holder, take any actions to increase the par value of the Common Stock at any time while this Warrant is outstanding.

9. Certain Adjustments. The Exercise Price and number of Warrant Shares issuable upon exercise of this Warrant are subject to adjustment from time to time as set forth in this <u>Section 9</u>.

(a) <u>Stock Dividends and Splits</u>. If the Company, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding, (i) pays a stock dividend on its Common Stock or otherwise makes a distribution on any class of capital stock issued and outstanding on the Original Issue Date and in accordance with the terms of such stock on the Original Issue Date or as amended, that is payable in shares of Common Stock, (ii) subdivides its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a larger number of shares of Common Stock, (iii) combines its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares of Common Stock or (iv) issues by reclassification of shares of capital stock any additional shares of Common Stock of the Company, then in each such case the Exercise Price shall be multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which shall be the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately before such event and the denominator of which shall be the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after such event. Any adjustment made pursuant to clause (i) of this paragraph shall become effective immediately after the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to receive such dividend or distribution, *provided, however*, that if such record date shall have been fixed and such dividend is not fully paid on the date fixed therefor, the Exercise Price shall be recomputed accordingly as of the close of business on such record date and thereafter the Exercise Price shall be adjusted pursuant to this paragraph as of the time of actual payment of such dividends. Any adjustment pursuant to clause (ii), (iii) or (iv) of this paragraph shall become effective immediately after the effective date of such subdivision, combination or issuance.

(b) <u>Pro Rata Distributions</u>. If, on or after the Original Issue Date, the Company shall declare or make any dividend or other pro rata distribution of its assets (or rights to acquire its assets) to holders of shares of Common Stock, by way of return of capital or

otherwise (including, without limitation, any distribution of cash, stock or other securities, property, options, evidence of indebtedness or any other assets by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any distribution of shares of Common Stock subject to <u>Section 9(a)</u>, any distribution of Purchase Rights (as defined below) subject to <u>Section 9(c)</u> and any Fundamental Transaction (as defined below) subject to <u>Section 9(d)</u>) (a "*Distribution*") then, in each such case, the Holder shall be entitled to participate in such Distribution to the same extent that the Holder would have participated therein if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations or restrictions on exercise of this Warrant, including without limitation, the Maximum Percentage (as defined below)) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for such Distribution in such Distribution (*provided*, that to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Distribution would result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Distribution to such extent (and shall not be entitled to beneficial ownership) of such shares of Common Stock as a result of such Distribution (and beneficial ownership) to such extent) and such portion of such Distribution shall be held in abeyance for the benefit of the Holder until such time or times as its right thereto would not result in the Holder and the other Attribution parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, at which time or times as its right thereto would not result in the Holder and the other Attribution parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, at which time or times the Holder shall be granted such Distribution (and any Distribution declared or made on such initial Dist

Purchase Rights. If at any time on or after the Original Issue Date, the Company grants, issues or sells any Options, (c) Convertible Securities or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property, in each case pro rata to the record holders of any class of Common Stock (the "Purchase Rights"), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations or restrictions on exercise of this Warrant, including without limitation, the Maximum Percentage) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights (provided, that to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Purchase Right would result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Purchase Right to such extent (and shall not be entitled to beneficial ownership of such Common Stock as a result of such Purchase Right (and beneficial ownership) to such extent) and such Purchase Right to such extent shall be held in abeyance for the benefit of the Holder until such time or times as its right thereto would not result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, at which time or times the Holder shall be granted such right (and any Purchase Right granted, issued or sold on such initial Purchase Right or on any subsequent Purchase Right to be held similarly in abeyance) to the same extent as if there had been no such limitation). As used in this Section 9(c), (i) "Options" means any rights, warrants or options to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities and (ii) "Convertible Securities" mean any stock or securities (other than Options) directly or indirectly convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock.

(d) <u>Fundamental Transactions</u>. If, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding (i) the Company effects any merger or consolidation of the Company with or into another Person, in which the Company is not the surviving entity or in which the stockholders of the Company immediately prior to such merger or consolidation do not own, directly or

indirectly, at least 50% of the voting power of the surviving entity immediately after such merger or consolidation, (ii) the Company effects any sale to another Person of all or substantially all of its assets in one or a series of related transactions, (iii) pursuant to any tender offer or exchange offer (whether by the Company or another Person), holders of capital stock tender shares representing more than 50% of the voting power of the capital stock of the Company and the Company or such other Person, as applicable, accepts such tender for payment, (iv) the Company consummates a stock purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with another Person whereby such other Person acquires more than 50% of the voting power of the capital stock of the Company (except for any such transaction in which the stockholders of the Company immediately prior to such transaction maintain, in substantially the same proportions, the voting power of such Person immediately after the transaction) or (v) the Company effects any reclassification of the Common Stock or any compulsory share exchange pursuant to which the Common Stock is effectively converted into or exchanged for other securities, cash or property (other than as a result of a subdivision or combination of shares of Common Stock covered by Section 9(a) above) (in any such case, a "Fundamental Transaction"), then following such Fundamental Transaction the Holder shall have the right to receive, upon exercise of this Warrant, the same amount and kind of securities, cash or property as it would have been entitled to receive upon the occurrence of such Fundamental Transaction if it had been, immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction, the holder of the number of Warrant Shares then issuable upon exercise in full of this Warrant without regard to any limitations on exercise contained herein (the "Alternate Consideration"). The Company shall not effect any Fundamental Transaction in which the Company is not the surviving entity or the Alternate Consideration includes securities of another Person unless (i) the Alternate Consideration is solely cash and the Company provides for the simultaneous "cashless exercise" of this Warrant pursuant to Section 10 below or (ii) prior to or simultaneously with the consummation thereof, any successor to the Company, surviving entity or other Person (including any purchaser of assets of the Company) shall assume the obligation to deliver to the Holder such Alternate Consideration as, in accordance with the foregoing provisions, the Holder may be entitled to receive, and the other obligations under this Warrant. The provisions of this paragraph (d) shall similarly apply to subsequent transactions analogous of a Fundamental Transaction type.

(e) <u>Number of Warrant Shares</u>. Simultaneously with any adjustment to the Exercise Price pursuant to <u>Section 9</u>, the number of Warrant Shares that may be purchased upon exercise of this Warrant shall be increased or decreased proportionately, so that after such adjustment the aggregate Exercise Price payable hereunder for the increased or decreased number of Warrant Shares shall be the same as the aggregate Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such adjustment.

(f) <u>Calculations</u>. All calculations under this <u>Section 9</u> shall be made to the nearest one-tenth of one cent or the nearest share, as applicable.

(g) <u>Notice of Adjustments</u>. Upon the occurrence of each adjustment pursuant to this <u>Section 9</u>, the Company at its expense will, at the written request of the Holder, promptly compute such adjustment, in good faith, in accordance with the terms of this Warrant and prepare a certificate setting forth such adjustment, including a statement of the adjusted Exercise Price and adjusted number or type of Warrant Shares or other securities issuable upon exercise of this Warrant (as applicable), describing the transactions giving rise to such adjustments and showing in detail the facts upon which such adjustment is based. Upon written request, the Company will promptly deliver a copy of each such certificate to the Holder and to the Transfer Agent.

(h) <u>Notice of Corporate Events</u>. If, while this Warrant is outstanding, the Company (i) declares a dividend or any other distribution of cash, securities or other property in respect of its Common Stock, including, without limitation, any granting of rights or warrants to

subscribe for or purchase any capital stock of the Company or any subsidiary, (ii) authorizes or approves, enters into any agreement contemplating or solicits stockholder approval for any Fundamental Transaction or (iii) authorizes the voluntary dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the affairs of the Company, then the Company shall deliver to the Holder a notice of such transaction at least ten (10) days prior to the applicable record or effective date on which a Person would need to hold Common Stock in order to participate in or vote with respect to such transaction; *provided, however*, that the failure to deliver such notice or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of the corporate action required to be described in such notice. In addition, if while this Warrant is outstanding, the Company authorizes or approves, enters into any agreement contemplating or solicits stockholder approval for any Fundamental Transaction contemplated by <u>Section 9(d)</u>, other than a Fundamental Transaction under clause (iii) of <u>Section 9(d)</u>, the Company shall deliver to the Holder a notice of such Fundamental Transaction at least thirty (30) days prior to the date such Fundamental Transaction is consummated. Holder agrees to maintain any information disclosed pursuant to this <u>Section 9(h)</u> in confidence until such information is publicly available, and shall comply with applicable law with respect to trading in the Company's securities following receipt of any such information.

10. Payment of Exercise Price. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the Holder may, in its sole discretion, satisfy its obligation to pay the Exercise Price through a "cashless exercise", in which event the Company shall issue to the Holder the number of Warrant Shares in an exchange of securities effected pursuant to Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act, as determined as follows:

X = Y [(A-B)/A]

where:

"X" equals the number of Warrant Shares to be issued to the Holder;

"Y" equals the total number of Warrant Shares with respect to which this Warrant is then being exercised;

"A" equals the Closing Sale Price of the shares of Common Stock (as reported by Bloomberg Financial Markets) as of the Trading Day on the date immediately preceding the Exercise Date; and

"B" equals the Exercise Price then in effect for the applicable Warrant Shares at the time of such exercise.

For purposes of Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act, it is intended, understood and acknowledged that the Warrant Shares issued in a "cashless exercise" transaction shall be deemed to have been acquired by the Holder, and the holding period for the Warrant Shares shall be deemed to have commenced, on the date this Warrant was originally issued (*provided* that the Commission continues to take the position that such treatment is proper at the time of such exercise). In the event that a registration statement registering the issuance of Warrant Shares is, for any reason, not effective at the time of exercise of this Warrant, then the Warrant may only be exercised through a cashless exercise, as set forth in this Section 10. If the Warrant Shares are issued in such a cashless exercise, the Company acknowledges and agrees that, in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act, the Exercise Shares issued in such exercise shall take on the registered characteristics of the Warrants being exercised and may be tacked on to the holding period of the Warrants being exercise as set forth in <u>Section 12</u> (payment of cash in lieu of fractional shares), in no event will the exercise of this Warrant be settled in cash.

11. Limitations on Exercise.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Company shall not effect the exercise of any portion of (a) this Warrant, and the Holder of the Warrant shall not have the right to exercise any portion of the Warrant, and any such exercise shall be null and void ab initio and treated as if the exercise had not been made, to the extent that immediately prior to or following such exercise, the Holder, together with the Attribution Parties, beneficially owns or would beneficially own as determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules promulgated thereunder, in excess of [4.99%][9.99%][19.99%] (the "Maximum Percentage") of the Common Stock that would be issued and outstanding following such exercise. For purposes of calculating beneficial ownership for determining whether the Maximum Percentage is or will be exceeded, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock held and/or beneficially owned by the Holder together with the Attribution Parties, shall include the number of shares of Common Stock held and/or beneficially owned by the Holder together with the Attribution Parties plus the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the relevant Warrant with respect to which the determination is being made but shall exclude the number of shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (i) exercise of the remaining, unexercised Warrant held and/or beneficially owned by the Holder or the Attribution Parties and (ii) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or unconverted portion of any other securities of the Company held and/or beneficially owned by such Holder or any Attribution Party (including, without limitation, any convertible notes, convertible stock or warrants) that are subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained herein. For purposes of this Section 11(a), beneficial ownership of the Holder or the Attribution Parties shall, except as set forth in the immediately preceding sentence, be calculated and determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules promulgated thereunder. For purposes of the Warrant, in determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock, a Holder of the Warrant may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in (1) the Company's most recent Form 10-K, Form 10-Q, Current Report on Form 8-K or other public filing with the Commission, as the case may be, (2) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (3) any other notice by the Company or the Transfer Agent setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding (such issued and outstanding shares, the "*Reported Outstanding Share Number*"). For any reason at any time, upon the written or oral request of the Holder, the Company shall within one (1) Business Day confirm orally and in writing or by electronic mail to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. The Holder shall disclose to the Company the number of shares of Common Stock that it, together with the Attribution Parties holds and/or beneficially owns and has the right to acquire through the exercise of derivative securities and any limitations on exercise or conversion analogous to the limitation contained herein contemporaneously or immediately prior to submitting an Exercise Notice for the relevant Warrant. If the Company receives an Exercise Notice from the Holder at a time when the actual number of outstanding shares of Common Stock is less than the Reported Outstanding Share Number, the Company shall (i) notify the Holder in writing of the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding and, to the extent that such Exercise Notice would otherwise cause the Holder's, together with the Attribution Parties', beneficial ownership, as determined pursuant to this Section 11(a), to exceed the Maximum Percentage, the Holder must notify the Company of a reduced number of Warrant Shares to be purchased pursuant to such Exercise Notice (the number of shares by which such purchase is reduced, the "Reduction Shares") and (ii) as soon as reasonably practicable, the Company shall return to the Holder any exercise price paid by the Holder for the Reduction Shares. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Warrant, by the Holder and the Attribution Parties since the date as of which the Reported Outstanding Share Number was reported. In the event that the issuance of Common Stock to the Holder upon exercise of this Warrant results in the Holder, together with the Attribution Parties, being deemed to beneficially own, in the aggregate, more than the Maximum Percentage of the

number of outstanding shares of Common Stock (as determined under Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act), the number of shares so issued by which the Holder's, together with the Attribution Parties', aggregate beneficial ownership exceeds the Maximum Percentage (the "*Excess Shares*") shall be deemed null and void and shall be cancelled ab initio, and the Holder and/or the Attribution Parties shall not have the power to vote or to transfer the Excess Shares. As soon as reasonably practicable after the issuance of the Excess Shares has been deemed null and void, the Company shall return to the Holder the exercise price paid by the Holder for the Excess Shares. By written notice to the Company, a Holder of the Warrant may from time to time increase or decrease the Maximum Percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 19.99% specified in such notice; *provided* that any increase in the Maximum Percentage will not be effective until the sixty-first (61st) day after such notice is delivered to the Company and shall not negatively affect any partial exercise effected prior to such change.

(b) This Section 11 shall not restrict the number of shares of Common Stock which a Holder or the Attribution Parties may receive or beneficially own in order to determine the amount of securities or other consideration that such Holder or the Attribution Parties may receive in the event of a Fundamental Transaction as contemplated in Section 9(d) of this Warrant. For purposes of clarity, the shares of Common Stock issuable pursuant to the terms of this Warrant in excess of the Maximum Percentage shall not be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Holder or the Attribution Parties for any purpose including for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules promulgated thereunder or Section 16 of the Exchange Act and the rules promulgated thereunder, including Rule 16a-1(a)(1). No prior inability to exercise this Warrant pursuant to this paragraph shall have any effect on the applicability of the provisions of this paragraph with respect to any subsequent determination of exercisability. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of Section 11(a) to the extent necessary to correct this paragraph or any portion of this paragraph which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended beneficial ownership limitation contained in Section 11(a) or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation. The limitation contained in this paragraph may not be waived and shall apply to a successor holder of this Warrant.

12. No Fractional Shares. No fractional Warrant Shares will be issued in connection with any exercise of this Warrant. In lieu of any fractional shares that would otherwise be issuable, the number of Warrant Shares to be issued shall be rounded down to the next whole number and the Company shall pay the Holder in cash the fair market value (based on the Closing Sale Price) for any such fractional shares.

13. Notices. Any and all notices or other communications or deliveries hereunder (including, without limitation, any Exercise Notice) shall be in writing and shall be deemed given and effective on the earliest of (i) the date of transmission, if such notice or communication is delivered confirmed e-mail at the e-mail address specified in the books and records of the Transfer Agent prior to 5:30 P.M., New York City time, on a Trading Day, (ii) the next Trading Day after the date of transmission, if such notice or communication is delivered via confirmed e-mail address specified in the books and records of the Transfer Agent on a day that is not a Trading Day or later than 5:30 P.M., New York City time, on any Trading Day, (iii) the Trading Day following the date of mailing, if sent by nationally recognized overnight courier service specifying next business day delivery, or (iv) upon actual receipt by the Person to whom such notice is required to be given, if by hand delivery.

14. Warrant Agent. The Company shall initially serve as warrant agent under this Warrant. Upon thirty (30) days' notice to the Holder, the Company may appoint a new warrant agent. Any corporation into which the Company or any new warrant agent may be merged or any corporation resulting from any consolidation to which the Company or any new warrant agent shall be a party or any corporation to which the Company or any new warrant agent

transfers substantially all of its corporate trust or shareholders services business shall be a successor warrant agent under this Warrant without any further act. Any such successor warrant agent shall promptly cause notice of its succession as warrant agent to be mailed (by first class mail, postage prepaid) to the Holder at the Holder's last address as shown on the Warrant Register.

15. Miscellaneous.

(a) <u>No Rights as a Stockholder</u>. Except as otherwise set forth in this Warrant, the Holder, solely in such Person's capacity as a holder of this Warrant, shall not be entitled to vote or receive dividends or be deemed the holder of share capital of the Company for any purpose, nor shall anything contained in this Warrant be construed to confer upon the Holder, solely in such Person's capacity as the Holder of this Warrant, any of the rights of a stockholder of the Company or any right to vote, give or withhold consent to any corporate action (whether any reorganization, issue of stock, reclassification of stock, consolidation, merger, amalgamation, conveyance or otherwise), receive notice of meetings, receive dividends or subscription rights, or otherwise, prior to the issuance to the Holder of the Warrant Shares which such Person is then entitled to receive upon the due exercise of this Warrant. In addition, nothing contained in this Warrant shall be construed as imposing any liabilities on the Holder to purchase any securities (upon exercise of this Warrant or otherwise) or as a stockholder of the Company, whether such liabilities are asserted by the Company or by creditors of the Company.

(b) <u>Authorized Shares</u>. (i) Except and to the extent as waived or consented to by the Holder, the Company shall not by any action, including, without limitation, amending its certificate or articles of incorporation or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, dissolution, issue or sale of securities or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Warrant, but will at all times in good faith assist in the carrying out of all such terms and in the taking of all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to protect the rights of Holder as set forth in this Warrant against impairment. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company will (a) not increase the par value of any Warrant Shares above the amount payable therefor upon such exercise immediately prior to such increase in par value, (b) take all such action as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and non-assessable Warrant Shares upon the exercise of this Warrant, and (c) use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain all such authorizations, exemptions or consents from any public regulatory body having jurisdiction thereof as may be necessary to enable the Company to perform its obligations under this Warrant.

(ii) Before taking any action which would result in an adjustment in the number of Warrant Shares for which this Warrant is exercisable or in the Exercise Price, the Company shall obtain all such authorizations or exemptions thereof, or consents thereto, as may be necessary from any public regulatory body or bodies having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. Subject to compliance with applicable securities laws, this Warrant may be assigned by the Holder. This Warrant may not be assigned by the Company without the written consent of the Holder, except to a successor in the event of a Fundamental Transaction. This Warrant shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the Company and the Holder and their respective successors and assigns. Subject to the preceding sentence, nothing in this Warrant shall be construed to give to any Person other than the Company and the Holder any legal or equitable right, remedy or cause of action under this Warrant. This Warrant may be amended only in writing signed by the Company and the Holder, or their successors and assigns.

(d) <u>Amendment and Waiver</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of the Warrants may be amended and the Company may take any action herein prohibited, or omit to perform any act herein required to be performed by it, only if the Company has obtained the written consent of the Holder.

(e) <u>Acceptance</u>. Receipt of this Warrant by the Holder shall constitute acceptance of and agreement to all of the terms and conditions contained herein.

(f) <u>Governing Law; Jurisdiction</u>. This Warrant shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the substantive laws of the State of New York, without regard to its or any other jurisdiction's choice of law rules. Any and all disputes arising out of, concerning, or related to this Warrant, or to the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation thereof, shall be referred to and resolved by the federal courts located in New York, New York or, to the extent no such court has subject matter jurisdiction, the state courts of the State of New York located in New York, New York (the "*Specified Courts*"). Each of the Company and the Holder irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Specified Courts, waives any objection to the laying of venue of any suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum. EACH OF THE COMPANY AND THE HOLDER HEREBY WAIVES ITS RIGHTS TO A JURY TRIAL OF ANY CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION BASED UPON OR ARISING OUT OF THIS WARRANT. THE SCOPE OF THIS WAIVER IS INTENDED TO BE ALL-ENCOMPASSING OF ANY AND ALL DISPUTES THAT MAY BE FILED IN ANY COURT AND THAT RELATE TO THE THIS WARRANT. THIS SECTION HAS BEEN FULLY DISCUSSED BY EACH OF THE COMPANY AND THE HOLDER HEREBY PROVISIONS WILL NOT BE SUBJECT TO ANY EXCEPTIONS. EACH OF THE COMPANY AND THE HOLDER HEREBY FURTHER WARRANTS AND REPRESENTS THAT SUCH PARTY HAS REVIEWED THIS WAIVER WITH ITS LEGAL COUNSEL, AND THAT SUCH PARTY KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WAIVES ITS JURY TRIAL RIGHTS FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL.

(g) <u>Headings</u>. The headings herein are for convenience only, do not constitute a part of this Warrant and shall not be deemed to limit or affect any of the provisions hereof.

(h) <u>Severability</u>. In case any one or more of the provisions of this Warrant shall be invalid or unenforceable in any respect, the validity and enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions of this Warrant shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby, and the Company and the Holder will attempt in good faith to agree upon a valid and enforceable provision which shall be a commercially reasonable substitute therefor, and upon so agreeing, shall incorporate such substitute provision in this Warrant.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Warrant to be duly executed by its authorized officer as of the date first indicated above.

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By:

Name: Title:

SCHEDULE 1

FORM OF EXERCISE NOTICE

[To be executed by the Holder to purchase shares of Common Stock under the Warrant]

Ladies and Gentlemen:

- (1) The undersigned is the Holder of Warrant No. [●] (the "Warrant") issued by **MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.**, a Delaware corporation (the "*Company*"). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein have the respective meanings set forth in the Warrant.
- (2) The undersigned hereby exercises its right to purchase Warrant Shares pursuant to the Warrant.
- (3) The Holder intends that payment of the Exercise Price shall be made as (check one):
 - □ Cash Exercise
 - □ "Cashless Exercise" under Section 10 of the Warrant
- (4) If the Holder has elected a Cash Exercise, the Holder shall pay the sum of $[\bullet]$ in immediately available funds to the Company in accordance with the terms of the Warrant.
- (5) Pursuant to this Exercise Notice, the Company shall deliver to the Holder Warrant Shares determined in accordance with the terms of the Warrant.
- (6) By its delivery of this Exercise Notice, the undersigned represents and warrants to the Company that in giving effect to the exercise evidenced hereby the Holder will not beneficially own in excess of the number of shares of Common Stock (as determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) permitted to be owned under Section 11(a) of the Warrant to which this notice relates.

Dated: ____

Name of Holder:

By: ____

Name: ____

Title: ____

(Signature must conform in all respects to name of Holder as specified on the face of the Warrant)

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

SECURITIES PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Securities Purchase Agreement (the "*Agreement*") is made as of February 7, 2024 (the "*Effective Date*"), by and between **Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc.**, a Delaware corporation (the "*Company*"), and each of the purchasers whose names and addresses are set forth on <u>Schedule A</u> hereto (each, a "*Purchaser*" and, collectively, the "*Purchasers*").

Whereas, the Purchasers desire to purchase, severally and not jointly, and the Company has agreed to sell, (i) shares (the "*Shares*") of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "*Common Stock*"), and (ii) pre-funded warrants, in the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>, to purchase shares of Common Stock (each, a "*Pre-Funded Warrant*" and collectively, the "*Pre-Funded Warrants*") (the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants, the "*Warrant Shares*"). The Shares, Pre-Funded Warrants and Warrant Shares are collectively referred to herein as the "*Securities*."

Whereas, in connection with the issuance and sale of the Securities to the Purchasers on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement, the Company has entered into engagement letters with each of BofA Securities, Inc. and Evercore Group L.L.C. (collectively, the *"Placement Agents"*).

AGREEMENT

In consideration of the mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Company and the Purchasers hereby agree, severally and not jointly, as follows:

SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION OF SALE OF SECURITIES.

The Company has authorized the sale and issuance of the Securities to the Purchasers on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

SECTION 2. AGREEMENT TO SELL AND PURCHASE THE SECURITIES.

2.1 **Purchase**. At the Closing, the Company will issue, sell and deliver to each Purchaser, and such Purchaser will purchase, severally and not jointly, from the Company, that number of Shares and, if elected by such Purchaser, Pre-Funded Warrants set forth opposite such Purchaser's name on <u>Schedule A</u> hereto, at a price per Share and, if applicable, Pre-Funded Warrant equal to the Per Share Purchase Price and aggregate purchase price set forth thereon (the "*Purchase Price*"). The election to receive Pre-Funded Warrants is solely at the option of the Purchaser.

2.2 **Definitions**. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(a) "*Affiliate*" means, with respect to any Person, any Person that, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with such Person, as such terms are used in and construed under Rule 405 under the Securities Act.

(b) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which banks in New York City are open for the general transaction of business.

(c) "GAAP" means United States generally accepted accounting principles.

(d) *"Governmental Entity"* means any national, federal, state, county, municipal, local or foreign government, or other political subdivision thereof or any other governmental, administrative, judicial, arbitral, legislative, executive, regulatory or self-regulatory authority

(including the Trading Market), instrumentality, agency, commission or body and any entity exercising executive, legislative, judicial, regulatory, taxing or administrative functions of or pertaining to government.

(e) "*Knowledge of the Company*" shall mean, with respect to the Company, the knowledge, following due inquiry, of any of Jon Congleton, Adam Levy and David Rodman, M.D. Such individuals will be deemed to have "knowledge" of a particular fact or other matter if such individual has or at any time had actual knowledge of such fact or other matter or if, in the absence of such actual knowledge, such person reasonably should have known such fact or other matter based on their role in the Company.

(f) "*Law*" means any federal, state, local or foreign law (including common law), statute, code, ordinance, rule, regulation, order, judgment, writ, stipulation, award, injunction, decree, arbitration award or finding or any other legally enforceable requirement.

(g) "*Material Adverse Effect*" means any change, event, development, condition, occurrence or effect that, individually or in the aggregate with all other changes, events, developments, conditions, occurrences or effects (a) is, or could reasonably be expected to be, materially adverse to the business, financial condition, prospects, assets, liabilities or results of operations of the Company and its subsidiaries considered as one enterprise, or (b) materially impairs the ability of the Company to comply, or prevents the Company from complying, with its material obligations with respect to the Closing or would reasonably be expected to do so, or (c) is, or could reasonably be expected to be, materially adverse to the validity of the Securities purchased hereunder or the legal authority of the Company to comply in all material respects with the terms of this Agreement; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that none of the following will be deemed in themselves, either alone or in combination, to constitute, and that none of the following will be taken into account in determining whether there has been or will be, a Material Adverse Effect under subclause (a) of this definition:

- i. any change generally affecting the economy, financial markets or political, economic or regulatory conditions in the United States or any other geographic region in which the Company conducts business, if the Company is not disproportionately affected thereby;
- ii. general financial, credit or capital market conditions, including interest rates or exchange rates, or any changes therein, if the Company is not disproportionately affected thereby;
- iii. any change that generally affects industries in which the Company conducts business, if the Company is not disproportionately affected thereby;
- iv. changes in Laws after the date hereof, if the Company is not disproportionately affected thereby;
- v. changes in GAAP after the date of this Agreement, if the Company is not disproportionately affected thereby; or

vi. any change arising in connection with earthquakes, hostilities, acts of war, sabotage or terrorism or military actions or any escalation or material worsening of any such hostilities, acts of war, sabotage or terrorism or military actions;

provided, that the underlying cause of any change described in the foregoing clauses (i) through (vi) may be deemed to constitute, or be taken into account in determining whether there has been or will be, a Material Adverse Effect under subclause (a) of this definition, except to the extent any such change would otherwise be excepted from this definition in accordance with the foregoing.

(h) *"Per Share Purchase Price"* equals \$13.50, subject to adjustment for reverse and forward stock splits, stock dividends, stock combinations and other similar transactions of the Common Stock that occur after the date of this Agreement and prior to the Closing, provided that the purchase price per Pre-Funded Warrant shall be the Per Share Purchase Price minus \$0.001.

(i) *"Person"* means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, business trust, association, joint stock company, joint venture, sole proprietorship, unincorporated organization, governmental authority or any other form of entity not specifically listed herein.

(j) "*subsidiary*" means any individual or entity the Company wholly-owns or controls, or in which the Company, directly or indirectly, owns a majority of the voting stock or similar voting interest, in each case that would be disclosable pursuant to Item 601(b)(21) of Regulation S-K promulgated under the Securities Act (as defined below).

- (k) "Trading Day" means a day on which the Trading Market is open for trading.
- (1) "Trading Market" means the Nasdaq Global Select Market.

All references herein to "subsidiaries" or "a subsidiary" of the Company (other than the references appearing in this <u>Section 2.2</u> and <u>Section 4.1</u>) shall be disregarded, <u>mutatis mutandis</u>.

SECTION 3. CLOSING, CLOSING CONDITIONS AND CLOSING DELIVERIES.

3.1 **Closing**. The closing of the purchase and sale of the Securities pursuant to this Agreement (the "*Closing*") shall occur on February 12, 2024, subject to the satisfaction or waiver of all of the conditions set forth in <u>Section 3.2</u> and the delivery of all of the closing deliveries set forth in <u>Section 3.3</u> (such date, the "*Closing Date*"), at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 12670 High Bluff Drive, San Diego, CA, 92130, or at such other time and place as may be agreed to by the Company and the Purchasers.

3.2 Closing Conditions.

(a) <u>Mutual Closing Condition</u>. There shall have been no Law enacted, entered, promulgated, enforced or deemed applicable by any Governmental Entity of competent jurisdiction that is in effect and makes illegal or otherwise prohibits or materially delays the consummation of the Closing.

(b) <u>Conditions to Purchaser's Obligations</u>. Each Purchaser's obligation to purchase the Securities at the Closing is subject to the fulfillment, on or before the Closing, of each of the following conditions, unless waived:



- i. The Company's representations and warranties in <u>Section 4</u> shall be true and correct in all material respects at the date of the Closing (or, to the extent representations or warranties are qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect, in all respects), with the same force and effect as if they had been made on and as of the Closing Date, other than the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Sections 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.5, 4.8, 4.9</u>, and <u>4.14</u> which shall be true and correct in all respects as if they had been made on and as of the Closing Date.
- ii. The Company shall have performed and complied with in all material respects all agreements and conditions herein required to be performed or complied with by the Company on or before the Closing, or any breach or failure to do so has been cured.
- iii. There shall have been no Material Adverse Effect with respect to the Company since the date hereof.
- iv. From the date hereof to the Closing Date, trading in the Common Stock shall not have been suspended by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") or the Trading Market, nor shall suspension have been threatened either (A) in writing by the Commission or the Trading Market or (B) by falling below the minimum maintenance requirements of the Trading Market, and, at any time prior to the Closing Date, trading in securities generally as reported by Bloomberg L.P. shall not have been suspended or limited, or minimum prices shall not have been established on securities whose trades are reported by such service, or on the Trading Market, nor shall a banking moratorium have been declared by the United States, New York State or California authorities.
- v. The Company shall have filed with the Trading Market a Listing of Additional Shares notification form for the listing of the Shares and the Warrant Shares. No objection shall have been raised by the Trading Market with respect to the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- vi. The Company shall have delivered the closing deliverables set forth in <u>Section 3.3</u> to the Purchasers.
- vii. The Company shall have obtained any and all consents, permits, approvals, registrations and waivers necessary for the consummation of the purchase and sale of the Securities and the consummation of the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the waiver of any applicable registration rights that could affect the rights of the Purchasers hereunder, all of which shall be in full force and effect.

(c) <u>Conditions to the Company's Obligations</u>. The Company's obligation to issue and sell the Securities at the Closing to a Purchaser is subject to the fulfillment, on or before the Closing, of each of the following conditions, unless waived:

- i. Such Purchaser's representations and warranties in <u>Section 5</u> shall be true and correct in all material respects at the date of the Closing, with the same force and effect as if they had been made on and as of said date, except to the extent any such representation or warranty expressly speaks as of an earlier date, in which case such representation or warranty shall be true and correct in all material respects as of such earlier date.
- ii. Such Purchaser shall have performed and complied with in all material respects all agreements and conditions herein required to be performed or complied with by it on or before the Closing, or any breach or failure to do so has been cured.

3.3 Closing Deliveries.

(a) **Payment of the Purchase Price at Closing**. At the Closing, each Purchaser shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the Company, an amount equal to such Purchaser's aggregate Purchase Price as set forth on <u>Schedule A</u> hereto by wire transfer of immediately available funds to the Company's account pursuant to wire instructions set forth in <u>Schedule B</u>. Each Purchaser's obligations to pay the Purchase Price shall be several and not joint. If a Purchaser informs the Company (i) that it is an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, (ii) that it is advised by an investment adviser subject to regulation under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended, or (iii) that its internal compliance policies and procedures so require it, then (1) prior to the delivery by such Purchaser of its Purchase Price, the Company shall deliver evidence of the issuance of the Shares from the Company's transfer agent as described below in <u>Section 3.3(b)</u>, and (2) following receipt of such evidence, such Purchaser shall deliver at the Closing its Purchase Price.

(b) **Issuance of the Shares at the Closing**. At the Closing, the Company shall issue, or cause the Company's transfer agent to issue, to each Purchaser in global form through a book-entry account maintained by the Company's transfer agent the number of Shares purchased by such Purchaser, as set forth in <u>Schedule A</u> hereto, at the Closing against payment by such Purchaser of the Purchase Price (including providing a copy of the irrevocable instructions delivered by the Company's transfer agent instructing the transfer agent to issue such Shares to the Purchaser (or its nominee in accordance with such Purchaser's delivery instructions) by crediting such Shares to the Purchaser's account (or the account of its nominee in accordance with such Purchaser's delivery instructions) on the transfer agent's book-entry system on the Closing Date and confirmation from the transfer agent that such Shares were so issued on the date thereof, or if required by such Purchaser, a copy of the book-entry statement reflecting the issuance of such Shares). Such Shares shall be appropriately legended as set forth in <u>Section 5.11</u> herein.

(c) **Issuance of the Pre-Funded Warrants at the Closing**. At the Closing, if applicable for such Purchaser, the Company will deliver or cause to be delivered to each such Purchaser (or such Purchaser's designated custodian per its delivery instructions) a PDF copy of the Pre-Funded Warrant purchased by such Purchaser (with the original Pre-Funded Warrant to be delivered to Purchaser within five (5) Business Days of Closing), registered in such Purchaser's name. Such delivery shall be against payment of the Purchase Price therefor.

(d) Secretary's Certificate. At the Closing, the Purchasers shall have received a certificate signed by the Secretary of the Company, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Purchasers, (i) certifying the resolutions of the Board of Directors of the Company or a duly authorized committee thereof approving this Agreement and all of the transactions contemplated hereunder, (ii) certifying the current versions of the Company's Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws and (iii) attaching a certificate evidencing the good standing of the Company in Delaware issued by the Secretary of State of Delaware, as of a date within five Business Days of the Closing Date.

(e) **Compliance Certificate**. At the Closing, the Purchasers shall have received a certificate, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Purchasers, signed by the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company certifying to the fulfillment of the conditions set forth in <u>Section 3.2(b)</u>.

(f) **Opinion.** At the Closing, the Purchasers shall have received an opinion of Latham & Watkins LLP, counsel for the Company, dated as of the Closing Date, in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Purchasers.

SECTION 4. REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES AND COVENANTS OF THE COMPANY.

Except as disclosed in the SEC Documents (as defined below) prior to the Effective Date and only as and to the extent disclosed therein, the Company hereby represents, warrants and covenants to the Purchasers and Placement Agents as follows:

4.1 **Organization and Standing; Subsidiaries.** The Company has been duly incorporated or organized and is validly existing and in good standing under the laws of Delaware or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization, has full corporate or other power and authority necessary to own or lease its properties and conduct its business as presently conducted, and is duly qualified as a foreign corporation and in good standing in all jurisdictions in which the character of the property owned or leased or the nature of the business transacted by it makes qualification necessary, except where the failure to be so qualified would not have a Material Adverse Effect. The Company owns, directly or through subsidiaries, all of the issued outstanding equity securities of each of its subsidiaries. Each of the Company's subsidiaries has been duly incorporated or organized and is validly existing and in good standing under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation or organization, has full corporate or other power and authority necessary to own or lease its properties and conduct its business as presently conducted, and is duly qualified as a foreign corporation and in good standing in all jurisdictions in which the character of the property owned or leased or the nature of the business transacted by it makes qualification necessary to own or lease its properties and conduct its business as presently conducted, and is duly qualified as a foreign corporation and in good standing in all jurisdictions in which the character of the property owned or leased or the nature of the business transacted by it makes qualification necessary, except where the failure to be so qualified would not have a Material Adverse Effect. The Company has no subsidiaries.

4.2 **Corporate Power; Authorization**. The Company has all requisite corporate power and authority, and the Company and its Board of Directors have taken all requisite corporate action, to authorize, execute and deliver this Agreement and the Pre-Funded Warrants, to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and therein, including to sell, issue and deliver the Securities to the Purchasers, and to carry out and perform all of the Company's obligations hereunder and thereunder. This Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and (ii) as limited by equitable principles generally, including any specific performance.

4.3 **Issuance and Delivery of the Securities**. The Shares have been duly authorized and, when issued and paid for in compliance with the provisions of this Agreement, will be validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable. The Pre-Funded Warrants have been duly authorized by the Company and when executed and delivered by the Company will be valid and binding agreements of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their terms, except as the enforcement thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other similar laws relating to or affecting the rights and remedies of creditors or by general equitable principles. The issuance and delivery of the Shares or Pre-Funded Warrants is not subject to preemptive, co-sale, right of first refusal or any other similar rights of the stockholders of the Company or any other authorized and reserved for issuance and, when issued and delivered upon valid exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants in accordance therewith, will be validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable, and not subject to

preemptive, co-sale, right of first refusal or any other similar rights of the stockholders of the Company or any other Person or any liens, encumbrances or restrictions, other than encumbrances under applicable securities laws or the Pre-Funded Warrants. Assuming the accuracy of the representations made by the Purchasers in <u>Section 5</u>, the offer and issuance by the Company of the Securities is exempt from registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act").

4.4 SEC Documents; Financial Statements; Independent Accountants. The Company is not an "ineligible issuer" (as defined in Rule 405 promulgated under the Securities Act). The Company is subject to the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act"), and has filed or furnished or will file or furnish in a timely manner all reports, schedules, forms, statements and other documents that the Company was or is required to file with the Commission under either the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, for the one year preceding the date hereof (the foregoing documents (together with any documents filed by the Company under the Securities Act or Exchange Act, whether or not required), and in each case including all exhibits and schedules thereto and documents incorporated by reference therein and including all registration statements and prospectuses filed with the Commission, but excluding any information for which the Company has received confidential treatment from the Commission, being collectively referred to herein as the "SEC Documents"). As of their respective filing or furnishing dates (or, if amended prior to the date of this Agreement, when amended), all SEC Documents (including any audited or unaudited financial statements and any notes thereto or schedules included therein) complied in all material respects with the requirements of the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, as the case may be, and the rules and regulations of the Commission promulgated thereunder. None of the SEC Documents as of their respective filing or furnishing dates contained any untrue statement of material fact or omitted to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. There are no material outstanding or unresolved comments in comment letters from the staff of the Division of Corporation Finance of the Commission with respect to any SEC Documents. The Company expects to meet the requirements for the use of Form S-3 under the Securities Act on March 1, 2024. The financial statements (including the notes thereto) of the Company set forth in the SEC Documents (the "Financial Statements") comply in all material respects with applicable accounting requirements and with the published rules and regulations of the Commission with respect thereto. The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP consistently applied during the periods involved and fairly present the financial position of the Company at the dates thereof and the results of its operations and cash flows for the periods then ended (subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal recurring adjustments). Except as set forth in the Financial Statements filed prior to the date hereof, the Company has not incurred any liabilities, contingent or otherwise, except those incurred in the ordinary course of business, consistent (as to amount and nature) with past practices since the date of such Financial Statements, none of which, individually or in the aggregate, have had or would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. The accountants who certified the Financial Statements are independent public accountants as required by the Securities Act and the Exchange Act and the regulations thereunder and the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board.

4.5 **Capitalization**. The authorized capital stock of the Company consists of 500,000,000 shares of Common Stock and 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock. As set forth in the SEC Documents as of the date set forth therein, all of the Company's outstanding shares of capital stock have been duly authorized and validly issued and are fully paid and nonassessable, have been issued in compliance with all federal and state securities laws, and were not issued in violation of or subject to any preemptive right or other rights to subscribe for or purchase securities. Except as disclosed in the SEC Documents, there are no existing options, warrants, calls, subscriptions or other rights, agreements, arrangements or commitments of any character, relating to the issued or unissued capital stock of the Company, obligating the Company to issue, transfer, sell, redeem, purchase, repurchase or otherwise acquired or ocause to be issued, transferred, sold, redeemed, purchased, repurchased or otherwise acquired any capital stock or voting debt of, or other equity interest in, the Company or securities or rights convertible into or exchangeable for such shares or equity interests or obligations of the Company to grant, extend or enter into any such option, warrant, call, subscription or other

right, agreement, arrangement or commitment. Neither the execution of this Agreement nor the issuance of Common Stock or other securities pursuant to any provision of this Agreement or the Pre-Funded Warrants will give rise to any preemptive rights or rights of first refusal on behalf of any Person or result in the triggering of any anti-dilution or other similar rights (including a rights distribution under any "poison pill" plan or similar arrangement). Other than the Common Stock, there are no other shares of any other class or series of capital stock of the Company issued or outstanding. The Company's Certificate of Incorporation, as amended and as in effect on the date hereof (the "*Certificate of Incorporation*"), and the Company's Bylaws, as amended and as in effect on the date hereof (the "*Bylaws*"), are included in the SEC Documents, and the Company shall not amend or otherwise modify the Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws prior to the Closing. Except as disclosed in the SEC Documents, there are no voting agreements, buy-sell agreements, option or right of first purchase agreements or other agreements of any kind among the Company and any of the security holders of the Company held by them.

4.6 **Litigation**. There are no legal, governmental or regulatory actions, suits, investigations, charges, claims, complaints, audits, inquiries or other proceedings pending or, to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened against the Company or any of its subsidiaries, before or by any court, regulatory body or administrative agency or any other governmental agency or body, domestic or foreign, which actions, suits or proceedings, individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to (a) challenge this Agreement or prohibit or delay the transactions contemplated herein or (b) have a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries, is a party to or subject to the provisions of any injunction, judgment, decree or order of any court, regulatory body, administrative agency or other governmental agency or body that might have a Material Adverse Effect. The Commission has not issued any stop order or other order suspending the effectiveness of any registration statement filed by the Company under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.

4.7 **Governmental Consents**. No consent, approval, order or authorization of, or registration, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any federal, state, or local governmental authority or the Trading Market on the part of the Company is required in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement except for the filing of a Form D with the Commission under the Securities Act and compliance with the securities and blue sky laws in the states and other jurisdictions in which shares of Common Stock are offered and/or sold, which compliance will be effected by the Company in accordance with such laws.

4.8 **No Default or Consents**. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries, is in violation or default under its organizational documents. Neither the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement or the Pre-Funded Warrants by the Company nor the consummation of any of the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby (including the issuance, sale and delivery by the Company of the Securities) will: (i) give rise to a right to terminate or accelerate the due date of any payment due under, or conflict with or result in the breach of any term or provision of, or constitute a default (or an event which with notice or lapse of time or both would constitute a default) under, or require any consent or waiver under, or result in the execution or imposition of any lien, charge or encumbrance upon any properties or assets of the Company or any subsidiary pursuant to the terms of, any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust or other agreement or instrument to which the Company or any of its subsidiaries is a party or by which either or them or any of their respective properties or businesses are bound, or any franchise, license, permit, judgment, decree, order, statute, rule or regulation (including federal and state securities laws and regulations), and the rules and regulations, assuming the correctness of the representations and warranties applicable to the Company, or (ii) violate or conflict with any provision of the Certificate of Incorporation or the Bylaws, except in the case of clause (i) as would not cause, either individually or in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect, and except for such consents or waivers which have already been obtained and are in full force and effect.

4.9 No Material Adverse Change. Since September 30, 2023, except as specifically disclosed in the SEC Documents, there have been no events, occurrences or developments that have had or would reasonably be expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a Material

Adverse Effect. Except for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, no event, liability or development has occurred or exists with respect to the Company or any of its subsidiaries or their respective businesses, properties, operations or financial conditions that would be required to be disclosed by the Company under applicable securities laws at the Effective Date that has not been publicly disclosed at least one Trading Day prior to the Effective Date.

4.10 **No General Solicitation**. Neither the Company, nor any of its Affiliates, nor any Person acting on its or their behalf, has engaged in any form of general solicitation or general advertising (within the meaning of Regulation D promulgated under the Securities Act) in connection with the offer or sale of the Securities.

4.11 **No Integrated Offering.** None of the Company or any of its Affiliates, or any Person acting on its or their behalf has, directly or indirectly, made any offers or sales of any security or solicited any offers to buy any security, under circumstances that would require registration of any of the Securities under the Securities Act or cause this offering of the Securities to be integrated with prior offerings by the Company for purposes of the Securities Act or any applicable stockholder approval provisions, including under the rules and regulations of the Trading Market.

4.12 **Sarbanes-Oxley Act**. The Company is in material compliance with the requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 that are effective and applicable to the Company as of the date hereof, and the rules and regulations promulgated by the Commission thereunder that are effective and applicable to the Company as of the date hereof.

4.13 Intellectual Property. To the Knowledge of the Company, the Company and its subsidiaries own, possess, license or have rights to use, on terms that the Company believes to be reasonable, all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, trade names, copyrights, licenses, trade secrets, know-how and other similar rights that are necessary or material for use in connection with the businesses of the Company and its subsidiaries as described in the SEC Documents (collectively, the "Intellectual Property Rights"). Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has received a written notice that the Intellectual Property Rights used by the Company or any subsidiary violates or infringes upon the rights of any Person. To the Knowledge of the Company, all such Intellectual Property Rights are enforceable and there is no existing infringement by another Person of any of the Intellectual Property Rights. The Company and its subsidiaries have taken reasonable security measures to protect the secrecy and confidentiality of the Intellectual Property Rights (excluding any patents or patent applications that have or will become public), except where the failure to do so would not, individually or in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect. To the Knowledge of the Company, all material licenses or other material agreements under which the Company is granted rights to intellectual property, if any, are in full force and effect and there is no material default by any other party thereto. The Company has no reason to believe that the licensors under such licenses and other agreements, if any, do not have and did not have all requisite power and authority to grant the rights to the intellectual property purported to be granted thereby.

4.14 **Disclosure.** The Company understands and confirms that the Purchasers will rely on the representations, warranties and covenants set forth in this <u>Section 4</u> in effecting the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. All due diligence materials regarding the Company and its business and the transactions contemplated hereby (including the information referred to in <u>Section 5.8</u> hereof), furnished by or on behalf of the Company to the Purchasers upon their request are, when taken together with the SEC Documents, true and correct in all material respects and do not contain any untrue statement of material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading. The Company understands and agrees that each Purchaser, in making its decision to enter into this Agreement and purchase its Securities, will rely on such due diligence materials and SEC Documents.

4.15 Contracts.

(a) Each indenture, contract, lease, mortgage, deed of trust, note agreement, loan or other agreement or instrument of a character that is required to be described or summarized in the SEC Documents or to be filed as an exhibit to the SEC Documents under the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (collectively, the "*Material Contracts*") is so described, summarized or filed.

(b) The Material Contracts to which the Company or any of its subsidiaries is a party have been duly and validly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company or such subsidiary and constitute the legal, valid and binding agreements of the Company or such subsidiary, enforceable by and against the Company and its subsidiaries in accordance with their respective terms, except as such enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar laws relating to enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and general equitable principles relating to the availability of remedies, except as rights to indemnity or contribution may be limited by federal or state securities laws. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, any third party has violated any provision of, or failed to perform any obligation required under the provisions of, any of the Material Contracts. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, any third party has violated any provision of, or failed to perform any obligation required under the provisions of, any of the Material Contracts. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, no event has occurred that, with notice or lapse of time or both, would constitute such a breach or default pursuant to any Material Contract by the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has received written notice of the foregoing or from the counterparty to any Material Contract (or, to the Knowledge of the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has received written notice of the foregoing or from the counterparty to any Material Contract (or, to the Knowledge of the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has received written notice of the foregoing or from the counterparty to any Material Contract (whether as a result of a change of control or otherwise).

4.16 **Properties and Assets.** The Company and its subsidiaries have good and marketable title to all the properties and assets described as owned by them in the latest Financial Statements set forth in the SEC Documents, free and clear of all liens, mortgages, pledges or encumbrances of any kind except (a) those, if any, reflected in such Financial Statements or (b) those that are not material in amount and do not adversely affect the use made and proposed to be made of such property by the Company or any subsidiary. The Company and its subsidiaries hold their respective leased properties under valid and binding leases, except as would not have a Material Adverse Effect. The Company and its subsidiaries own or lease all such properties as are materially necessary to their respective operations as now conducted.

4.17 **Compliance and Regulatory**. The Company and its subsidiaries are in compliance with all applicable Laws of the jurisdictions in which they are conducting their business, including all applicable local, state and federal environmental Laws (including Laws relating to the use, disposal or release of hazardous or toxic substances or relating to the protection or restoration of the environment or human exposure to hazardous or toxic substances), and all applicable Laws enforced by the United States Food and Drug Administration (the "*FDA*"), (including the Federal Food, Drug And Cosmetic Act, as amended, and the regulations promulgated thereunder) or any applicable laws enforced by equivalent Governmental Entities outside the United States, except where failures to be so in compliance, individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Any preclinical tests and studies or clinical trials conducted by, on behalf of, or sponsored by the Company or any of its subsidiaries ("*Studies*"), were and, if still pending, are being conducted in all material respects in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations and protocols governing the conduct of such Studies, the protocols, procedures and controls submitted to the FDA or any foreign governmental body exercising comparable authority (together with the FDA, the "*Regulatory Authorities*"), and any conditions of approval and policies imposed by any institutional review board or committee responsible for the oversight of such preclinical tests and clinical trials. The descriptions of the Studies and clinical trials, the results of which are inconsistent with or would call into question the results described in the SEC Documents in any material respect; to the Knowledge of the Company, there are no other preclinical studies and clinical trials, the results of which are inconsistent with or would call into question the results described in the SEC Documents in any material respect; and neither the Company nor any

Regulatory Authority or institutional review board exercising comparable authority requiring or threatening the termination, suspension, or clinical hold of Studies, where such termination, suspension or clinical hold would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, and to the Knowledge of the Company, there are no reasonable grounds for the same.

4.18 **Taxes.** The Company and its subsidiaries have filed on a timely basis (giving effect to extensions) all required federal, state and foreign income and franchise tax returns and have timely paid or accrued all taxes shown as due thereon, including interest and penalties, and, to the Knowledge of the Company, there is no tax deficiency that has been or might be asserted or threatened against it or them that could have a Material Adverse Effect. All tax liabilities accrued through the date hereof have been adequately provided for on the books of the Company. There are no liens for material taxes upon the assets of the Company or any of its subsidiaries other than for current taxes not yet due and payable or for taxes that are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP has been made in the Company's most recent financial statements included in the SEC Documents.

4.19 **Investment Company.** The Company is not, and immediately after receipt of payment for the Securities will not be, an "investment company" or an "affiliated person" of, or "promoter" or "principal underwriter" for an investment company, within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, and the rules and regulations of the Commission promulgated thereunder.

4.20 **Insurance.** The Company maintains insurance underwritten by insurers of recognized financial responsibility, of the types and in the amounts that the Company reasonably believes is adequate for the businesses of the Company and its subsidiaries, including directors' and officers' liability insurance and insurance covering all real and personal property owned or leased by the Company or any of its subsidiaries against theft, damage, destruction, acts of vandalism and all other risks customarily insured against and against such risks which the Company believes it is prudent to insure against, with such deductibles as are customary for companies in the same or similar business, all of which insurance is in full force and effect.

4.21 **Price of Common Stock.** The Company has not taken, and will not take, and no Person acting on its behalf has taken or will take, directly or indirectly, any action designed to cause or result in, or that has constituted or that might reasonably be expected to constitute, the stabilization or manipulation of the price of any security of the Company to facilitate the sale or resule of the Securities.

4.22 Governmental Permits, Etc. The Company and its subsidiaries have all franchises, licenses, permits, certificates and other authorizations from such federal, state or local government or governmental agency, department or body that are currently necessary for the operation of their respective businesses as currently conducted, including, without limitation, all such certificates, approvals, authorizations, exemptions, licenses and permits required by the FDA or any other comparable Governmental Entities, including other Regulatory Authorities (collectively, "*Permits*"), except where the failure to possess such Permits would not reasonably be expected, individually or in the aggregate, to have a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has received any written notice requiring or threatening any revocation or modification of any such Permits, where such revocation or modification would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

4.23 Internal Control over Financial Reporting; Disclosure Controls. The Company maintains internal control over financial reporting (as such term is defined in paragraph (f) of Rule 13a-15 under the Exchange Act) as required by Rule 13a-15 under the Exchange Act. To the Knowledge of the Company, since the end of the Company's most recent audited fiscal year, there has been no material weakness in the design or operation of the Company's internal control over financial reporting (whether or not remediated) which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the Company's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information. The Company's "disclosure controls and procedures" (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) under the Exchange Act) are

designed to provide reasonable assurance that all information (both financial and non-financial) required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the Commission, and that all such information is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

4.24 **Foreign Corrupt Practices.** Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, any director, officer, agent, employee or other Person acting on behalf of the Company or any of its subsidiaries, has, in the course of its actions for, or on behalf of, the Company or any subsidiary (a) used any corporate funds for any unlawful contribution, gift, entertainment or other unlawful expenses relating to political activity; (b) made any direct or indirect unlawful payment to any foreign or domestic government official or employee from corporate funds; (c) violated or is in violation of any provision of the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended, the UK Bribery Act 2010 or any similar Law; or (d) made any unlawful bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment to any foreign or domestic government official or employee.

4.25 **Employee Relations.** No material labor dispute with the employees of the Company or any of its subsidiaries, or with the employees of any principal supplier, manufacturer, customer or contractor of the Company or any of its subsidiaries, exists or, to the Knowledge of the Company, is threatened or imminent. No executive officer of the Company (as defined in Rule 501(f) promulgated under the Securities Act) has notified the Company that such officer intends to leave the Company or otherwise terminate such officer's employment with the Company. To the Knowledge of the Company, no executive officer of the Company is, or is now expected to be, in violation of any material term of any employment contract, confidentiality, disclosure or proprietary information agreement, non-competition agreement, or any other agreement or any restrictive covenant involving or otherwise affecting such executive officer's relationship with the Company, and the continued employment of each such executive officer does not subject the Company to any material liability with respect to any of the foregoing matters.

4.26 **ERISA.** The Company and its subsidiaries are in compliance in all material respects with all presently applicable provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, including the regulations and published interpretations thereunder ("<u>ERISA</u>"); no "reportable event" (as defined in ERISA) has occurred with respect to any "pension plan" (as defined in ERISA) for which the Company or any subsidiary would have any material liability; neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has not incurred or expects to incur material liability under (a) Title IV of ERISA with respect to termination of, or withdrawal from, any "pension plan" or (b) Sections 412 or 4971 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, including the regulations and published interpretations thereunder (the "*Code*"); and each "Pension Plan" for which the Company or any of its subsidiaries would have liability that is intended to be qualified under Section 401(a) of the Code is so qualified in all material respects and to the Knowledge of the Company, nothing has occurred, whether by action or by failure to act, which would cause the loss of such qualification.

4.27 **Registration Rights and Other Stockholder Agreements.** No Person has any right to cause the Company to effect the registration under the Securities Act covering the transfer of any securities of the Company and there are no other stockholders agreements, voting agreements or other similar agreements with respect to the Company's capital stock to which the Company is a party or, to the Knowledge of the Company, between or among any of the Company's stockholders.

4.28 **Trading Market Compliance.** The Company has not, in the previous twelve (12) months, received, nor is there any reasonable basis for, (i) written notice from the Trading Market that the Company is not in compliance with the listing or maintenance requirements of the Trading Market that would result in immediate delisting or (ii) any notification, Staff Delisting Determination, or Public Reprimand Letter (as such terms are defined in applicable listing rules of the Trading Market) that requires a public announcement by the Company of any noncompliance or

deficiency with respect to such listing or maintenance requirements. The Company is in compliance with all listing and maintenance requirements of the Trading Market on the date hereof.

4.29 No "Bad Actor" Disqualification. No "bad actor" disqualifying event described in Rule 506(d)(1)(i)-(viii) of the Securities Act (a "Disqualification Event") is applicable to the Company or, to the Knowledge of the Company, any Company Covered Person (as defined below), except for a Disqualification Event to which Rule 506(d)(2)(ii-iv) or (d)(3) is applicable. "Company Covered Person" means, with respect to the Company as an "issuer" for purposes of Rule 506(d)(2)(ii-iv) or (d)(3) is applicable. "Company Covered Person" means, with respect to the Company as an "issuer" for purposes of Rule 506 promulgated under the Securities Act, any person listed in the first paragraph of Rule 506(d)(1).

4.30 **OFAC.** None of the Company, any of its subsidiaries or, to the Knowledge of the Company, any director, officer, agent, employee, Affiliate or representative of the Company or any of its subsidiaries is a Person that is, or is more than 50 percent owned in the aggregate by or acting on behalf of one or more Persons that are, currently the subject or target of any sanctions administered or enforced by the United States Government, including, without limitation, the U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control, the United Nations Security Council, the European Union, His Majesty's Treasury, or other relevant sanctions authority (collectively, "*Sanctions*"), nor is the Company located, organized or resident in a country or territory that is the subject of Sanctions; and the Company will not directly or indirectly use the proceeds of the sale of the Securities, or lend, contribute or otherwise make available such proceeds to any subsidiaries, joint venture partners or other Person, to fund any activities of or business (i) with any Person, or in any country or territory, that, at the time of such funding is a designated target of Sanctions, (ii) in or involving a country or territory which at the time of such funding is the subject of comprehensive country-wide or territory-wide Sanctions, or (iii) in any other manner that will result in a violation by any Person (including any Person participating in the transaction, whether as underwriter, advisor, investor or otherwise) of Sanctions. The Company has not knowingly engaged in, are not now knowingly engaged in, and will not engage in, any dealings or transactions with any Person, or in any country or territory, that at the time of the dealing or transaction is or was the subject of Sanctions.

4.31 Shell Company Status. The Company is not, and has never been, an issuer identified in Rule 144(i)(1).

4.32 **Compliance with Anti-Money Laundering Laws**. The operations of the Company and its subsidiaries are and have been conducted at all times in compliance in all material respects with applicable financial recordkeeping and reporting requirements, including those of the Currency and Foreign Transactions Reporting Act of 1970, as amended, the applicable money laundering statutes of all jurisdictions where the Company or any of its subsidiaries conducts business, the rules and regulations thereunder and any related or similar rules, regulations or guidelines issued, administered or enforced by any governmental or regulatory agency (collectively, the "*Anti-Money Laundering Laws*") and no action, suit or proceeding by or before any court or governmental or regulatory agency, authority or body or any arbitrator involving the Company or any of its subsidiaries with respect to the Anti-Money Laundering Laws is pending or, to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened.

4.33 No Additional Agreements. The Company has no other agreements or understandings (including side letters) with any Purchaser or any other Person to purchase Securities on terms more favorable to such Purchaser than as set forth herein.

4.34 **Transactions with Affiliates.** To the Knowledge of the Company, none of the officers or directors of the Company, the Company's stockholders, the officers or directors of any stockholder of the Company, or any family member or affiliate of any of the foregoing, has either directly or indirectly any interest in, or is a party to, any transaction that would be required to be disclosed as a related party transaction pursuant to Item 404 of Regulation S-K promulgated under the Securities Act.

4.35 Security. Except as would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, the Company and its subsidiaries' information technology assets and equipment, computers,

systems, networks, hardware, software, websites, applications, and databases (collectively, "IT Systems") are adequate for, and operate and perform in all material respects as required in connection with the operation of the business of the Company and its subsidiaries as currently conducted, and are free and clear of all material Trojan horses, time bombs, malware and other malicious code. Except as would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, the Company and its subsidiaries have implemented and maintained commercially reasonable physical, technical and administrative controls designed to maintain and protect the confidentiality, integrity, availability, privacy and security of all sensitive, confidential or regulated data ("Confidential Data") used or maintained in connection with their businesses and Personal Data, and the integrity, availability continuous operation, redundancy and security of all IT Systems. "*Personal Data*" means the following data used in connection with the Company's and its subsidiaries' businesses and in their possession or control: (i) a natural person's name, street address, telephone number, e-mail address, photograph, social security number or other tax identification number, driver's license number, passport number, credit card number, bank information, or customer or account number; (ii) information that identifies, relates to, or may reasonably be used to identify an individual; (iii) any information regarding an individual's medical history, mental or physical condition, or medical treatment or diagnosis by a health care professional; (iv) an individual's health insurance policy number or subscriber identification number, any unique identifier used by a health insurer to identify the individual, or any information in an individual's application and claims history; (v) any information which would qualify as "protected health information" under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (collectively, "*HIPAA*"); (vi) any information which would qualify as "personal data," "personal information" (or similar term) under the Privacy Laws (as defined in <u>Section 4.36</u>); and (vii) any other piece of information that alone, or combined with other information, allows the identification of such natural person, or his or her family, or permits the collection or analysis of any data related to an identified person's health or sexual orientation. To the Knowledge of the Company and except as would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, during the past three (3) years, there have been no breaches, outages or unauthorized uses of or accesses to the IT Systems, Confidential Data, and Personal Data.

4.36 **Compliance with Data Privacy Laws.** The Company and its subsidiaries are, and at all prior times were, in material compliance with all applicable state and federal data privacy and security Laws and regulations regarding the collection, use, storage, retention, disclosure, transfer, disposal, or any other processing (collectively "*Process*" or "*Processing*") of Personal Data, including HIPAA, the California Consumer Privacy Act, and the European Union General Data Protection Regulation (EU 2016/679) (collectively, the "*Privacy Laws*"). To ensure compliance with the Privacy Laws, the Company and its subsidiaries have in place, comply with, and take all appropriate steps necessary to ensure compliance in all material respects with their policies and procedures relating to data privacy and security, and the Processing of Personal Data and Confidential Data (the "*Privacy Statements*"). The Company and its subsidiaries have, except as would not reasonably be expected, individually or in the aggregate, to have a Material Adverse Effect, at all times since January 1, 2022 provided accurate notice of its Privacy Statements have been materially inaccurate, misleading, incomplete, or in material violation of any Privacy Laws. The Company further represents that neither it nor any of its subsidiaries: (i) has received notice of any actual or potential claim, complaint, proceeding, regulatory proceeding or liability under or relating to, or actual or potential violation of, any of the Privacy Laws, contracts related to the Processing of Personal Data or Confidential Data, or Privacy Statements, and has no knowledge of any event or condition that would reasonably be expected to result in any such notice; (ii) is currently conducting or paying for, in whole or in part, any investigation, remediation, or other corrective action pursuant to any Privacy Law or contract; or (iii) is a party to any order, decree, or agreement that imposes any obligation or liability under any Privacy Law.

SECTION 5. REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES AND COVENANTS OF THE PURCHASERS.

Each Purchaser, severally and not jointly, represents and warrants to and covenants with the Company that:

5.1 **Risk.** Such Purchaser, taking into account the personnel and resources it can practically bring to bear on the purchase of the Securities contemplated hereby, is knowledgeable, sophisticated and experienced in making, and is qualified to make, decisions with respect to investments in securities presenting an investment decision like that involved in the purchase of the Securities, including investments in securities issued by the Company, and has requested, received, reviewed and considered all information such Purchaser deems relevant (including the SEC Documents) in making an informed decision to purchase the Securities. Such Purchaser (a) has conducted its own investigation of the Company and the Securities and it has not relied on any statements or other information provided by the Placement Agents concerning the Company or the Securities or the offer and sale of the Securities, (b) has had access to, and an adequate opportunity to review, financial and other information as it deems necessary to make its decision to purchase the Securition, as it deemed necessary in connection with its decision to purchase the Securities, such Purchaser to its investment in the Securities, and (d) has made its own assessment and has satisfied in the transactions contemplated herein; has such knowledge and experience in financial and business matters as to be capable of evaluating the merits and risks of its prospective investment in the Securities; and has the ability to bear the economic risks of its prospective investment in the Securities; and has the ability to bear the economic risks of its prospective investment in the Securities; and has the ability to bear the economic risks of its prospective investment.

5.2 **Purchase for Investment.** Purchaser is acquiring the Securities pursuant to this Agreement for its own account for investment only and with no present intention of distributing any of such Securities or any arrangement or understanding with any other Persons regarding the distribution of such Securities, except in compliance with <u>Section 5.4</u>.

5.3 **Reliance.** Such Purchaser understands that the Securities are being offered and sold to it in reliance upon specific exemptions from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, the rules and regulations thereunder, and state securities laws and that the Company is relying upon the truth and accuracy of, and such Purchaser's compliance with, the representations, warranties, agreements, acknowledgments and understandings of such Purchaser set forth herein in order to determine the availability of such exemptions and the eligibility of such Purchaser to acquire the Securities. If any of the representations and warranties made by such Purchaser herein are no longer accurate in all material respects prior to Closing, such Purchaser shall promptly notify the Company. If such Purchaser is acquiring the Securities as a fiduciary or agent for one or more investor accounts, it represents that it has full power to make the foregoing representations, acknowledgements and agreements on behalf of such account.

5.4 **Compliance with the Securities Act**. Such Purchaser will not, directly or indirectly, offer, sell, pledge, transfer or otherwise dispose of (or solicit any offers to buy, purchase or otherwise acquire or take a pledge of) any of the securities purchased hereunder except in compliance with the Securities Act, applicable blue sky laws, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

5.5 Accredited Investor. Such Purchaser is (a) a qualified purchaser (as defined in Section 2(a)(51)(A) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended), (b) a qualified institutional buyer (as defined in Rule 144A of the Securities Act), and/or (c) an accredited investor as described in Rule 501(a)(1), (2), (3) or (7) of the Securities Act. Purchaser acknowledges that it has been informed that the offering of the Securities meets the exemptions from filing under Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") Rule 5123(b)(1)(B), (C) or (J).

5.6 **Power and Authority.** Such Purchaser has all requisite corporate power, and has taken all requisite corporate action, to authorize, execute and deliver this Agreement and each of the other agreements and instruments contemplated herein to which the Purchaser is a party, to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and therein and to carry out and perform all of such Purchaser's obligations hereunder and thereunder. Upon the execution and delivery of this Agreement, this Agreement shall constitute a valid and binding obligation of such Purchaser, enforceable in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and (ii) as limited by equitable principles generally, including any specific performance.

5.7 **Broker Dealer.** Such Purchaser is not a broker or dealer registered pursuant to Section 15 of the Exchange Act.

5.8 **Sophisticated Investor**. Such Purchaser (a) acknowledges that it is a sophisticated investor engaged in the business of assessing and assuming investment risks with respect to securities, including securities such as the Shares, Pre-Funded Warrants and Warrant Shares, and further acknowledges that the Company is entering into this Agreement in reliance on this acknowledgment, (b) is an institutional account as defined in FINRA Rule 4512(c), (c) is a sophisticated investor, experienced in investing in private equity transactions and capable of evaluating investment risks independently, both in general and with regard to all transactions and investment strategies involving a security or securities, and (d) has exercised independent judgment in evaluating our participation in the purchase of the Securities. Purchaser acknowledges that the offering of the Securities meets (i) the exemptions from filing under FINRA Rule 5123(b)(1)(A) and (ii) the institutional customer exemption under FINRA Rule 2111(b).

5.9 **Other Securities Transactions.** Such Purchaser has not, either directly or indirectly through an Affiliate, agent or representative of the Company, engaged in any transaction in the securities of the Company other than with respect to the transactions contemplated herein, since the time that the Purchaser was first contacted by the Company or any other Person regarding the transactions contemplated hereby until the date hereof, except as set forth in filings made with the Commission pursuant to the Exchange Act. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (a) in the case of a Purchaser that is a multi-managed investment vehicle whereby separate portfolio managers manage separate portions of such Purchaser's assets, the representation set forth above shall only apply with respect to the portion of assets managed by the portfolio manager that made the investment decision to purchase the Securities covered by this Agreement and (b) in the case of a Purchaser that is affiliated with other funds or investment vehicles or whose investment advisor or sub-advisor to other funds or investment vehicles, the representation set forth above shall only apply with respect to the personnel of such other funds or investment advisor or sub-advisor who had knowledge of the transactions contemplated hereby and not with respect to any personnel who have been effectively walled off by appropriate information barriers.

5.10 **Independent Advice.** Such Purchaser understands that nothing in this Agreement or any other materials presented to such Purchaser by or on behalf of the Company in connection with the purchase and sale of the Securities constitutes legal, tax or investment advice. Such Purchaser has consulted such legal, tax and investment advisors as it, in its sole discretion, has deemed necessary or appropriate in connection with its purchase of the Securities. In connection with the issue and purchase of the Securities, the Placement Agents have not acted as financial advisors or fiduciaries of such Purchaser. No disclosure or offering document has been prepared in connection with the offer and sale of the Shares by any of the Placement Agents. Each Purchaser agrees that none of the Placement Agents shall be liable to it (including in connection with the private placement of Securities laws or otherwise) for any action heretofore or hereafter taken or omitted to be taken by any of them in connection with the private placement of Securities necessary and their respective directors, officers, employees, representatives and controlling persons have made no independent investigation with respect to the Company or the Securities or the accuracy, completeness or adequacy as of any date of any information set forth in, or any omission from, any

valuation or other materials that may have been provided or made available to the Purchaser in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby. Each Purchaser is not relying upon, and has not relied upon, any statement, representation or warranty made by any person, including, without limitation, BofA Securities, Inc. and Evercore Group L.L.C., except for the statements, representations and warranties contained in this Agreement and the SEC Documents.

5.11 Legends. Such Purchaser understands that, until such time as the Securities may be sold pursuant to an effective registration statement or Rule 144 under the Securities Act ("*Rule 144*") (or any other applicable exemption from the registration requirements under the Securities Act), any certificates representing the Securities, whether maintained in a book entry system or otherwise, will bear one or more legends in substantially the following form and substance:

"THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), OR ANY OTHER APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS AND HAVE BEEN ISSUED IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND SUCH OTHER SECURITIES LAWS. NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR ANY INTEREST OR PARTICIPATION HEREIN MAY BE REOFFERED, SOLD, ASSIGNED, TRANSFERRED, PLEDGED, ENCUMBERED, HYPOTHECATED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR PURSUANT TO A TRANSACTION WHICH IS EXEMPT FROM, OR NOT SUBJECT TO, SUCH REGISTRATION, IN EACH CASE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS, AND, IN THE CASE OF A TRANSACTION EXEMPT FROM, OR NOT SUBJECT TO, SUCH REGISTRATION, THE HOLDER WILL NOTIFY ANY SUBSEQUENT PURCHASER OF THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE FROM IT OF SUCH RESALE RESTRICTIONS."

In addition, any stock certificates, whether maintained in a book entry system or otherwise, representing the Securities may contain any legend required by the blue sky laws of any state to the extent such laws are applicable to the sale of such Securities hereunder. The Company shall promptly help facilitate the removal of such legend as soon as it is legally permitted to do so under Rule 144, or to facilitate any transfer of the Securities under Rule 144 that may be requested by Purchasers, but shall not be obligated to incur any material, noncustomary costs or expenses in taking such actions other than as set forth herein.

5.12 **Restricted Securities.** Such Purchaser understands that the Securities are characterized as "restricted securities" under the federal securities laws inasmuch as they are being acquired from the Company in a transaction not involving a public offering and that under such laws and applicable regulations such Securities may be resold without registration under the Securities Act only in certain limited circumstances. Accordingly, such Purchaser represents that it is familiar with Rule 144 of the Securities Act, as presently in effect, and understands the resale limitations imposed thereby and by the Securities Act.

5.13 **Beneficial Ownership**. The purchase by the Purchaser of the Securities issuable to it at the Closing will not result in the Purchaser (individually or together with any other Person with whom the Purchaser has identified, or will have identified, itself as part of a "group" in a public filing made with the Commission involving the Company's securities, where such aggregation would be made according to Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) acquiring, or obtaining the right to acquire, in excess of 19.999% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock or the voting power of the Company on a post-transaction basis that assumes that such Closing shall have occurred. The Purchaser does not presently intend to, alone or together with others, make a public filing with the Commission to disclose that it has (or that it together with such other Persons have) acquired, or obtained the right to acquire, as a result of such Closing (when added to any other securities of the Company on a post-transaction basis that assumes that each Closing power of the Company of the outstanding shares of Closing shall have other securities of the Company on a post-transaction basis that assumes that each closing (when added to any other securities of the Company that it or they then own or have the right to acquire), in excess of 19.999% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock or the voting power of the Company on a post-transaction basis that assumes that each Closing

shall have occurred (including assuming the effectiveness of any "blocker" or similar limitations on beneficial ownership contained in the applicable documentation for the Securities).

SECTION 6. REGISTRATION OF THE SECURITIES AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE SECURITIES ACT.

6.1 Registration Procedures and Expenses.

Secondary Registration Statement. The Company shall prepare and file, on or before the date that is sixty (60) days after the Closing (a) (the "Filing Deadline"), with the Commission a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (except if the Company is not then eligible to register for resale the Shares and Warrant Shares (together with any shares of capital stock issued or issuable, from time to time, upon any reclassification, share combination, share subdivision, stock split, share dividend or similar transaction or event or otherwise as a distribution on, in exchange for or with respect to any of the foregoing, in each case held at the relevant time by a Purchaser the "*Registrable Securities*"), on Form S-3, in which case such registration shall be on Form S-1), as appropriate (the "*Secondary Registration Statement*"), relating to and providing for the resale of the Shares and Warrant Shares by the Purchasers on a continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act or, if Rule 415 is not available for offers and sales of the Registrable Securities, by such other means of distribution of Registrable Securities as the Purchasers may reasonably specify. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Commission prevents the Company from including any or all of the Registrable Securities on the Secondary Registration Statement due to limitations on the use of Rule 415 of the Securities Act for the resale of the Registrable Securities (and notwithstanding that the Company used diligent efforts to advocate with the staff of the Commission for the registration of all or a greater portion of the Registrable Securities), the Secondary Registration Statement shall register for resale such number of Registrable Securities that is equal to the maximum number of Registrable Securities as is permitted by the Commission. In such event, the number of Registrable Securities for which resale is to be registered for each selling shareholder named in the Secondary Registration Statement shall be reduced pro rata among all such selling shareholders and as promptly as practicable after being permitted to register additional Registrable Securities under Rule 415 under the Securities Act, the Company amend the Secondary Registration Statement or file one or more new registration statement(s) (such amendment or new registration statement, a "*Remainder Registration Statement*") to register such additional Registrable Securities not included in the Secondary Registration Statement and cause such Remainder Registration Statement to become effective as promptly as practicable after the filing thereof, but in any event no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the filing of such Remainder Registration Statement (the "Remainder Effectiveness Deadline"); provided, that the Remainder Effectiveness Deadline shall be extended to sixty (60) calendar days after the filing of such Remainder Registration Statement if the SEC notifies the Company that it will "review" such Remainder Registration Statement; provided, further, notwithstanding the foregoing, that the Company shall use reasonable best efforts to have such Remainder Registration Statement declared effective within five (5) business days after the date the Company is notified orally or in writing (whichever is earlier) by the Commission that such Remainder Registration Statement will not be reviewed or will not be subject to further review. Any failure by the Company to file the Secondary Registration Statement by the Filing Deadline or to effect the Secondary Registration Statement by the Effectiveness Deadline or the Remainder Registration Statement by the Remainder Effectiveness Deadline shall not otherwise relieve the Company of its obligations to file or effect the Secondary Registration Statement or Remainder Registration Statement set forth in this Section 6.1(a).

(b) The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts, subject to receipt of necessary information from the Purchasers, to cause the Commission to declare a Secondary Registration Statement covering the Shares and Warrant Shares effective as soon as practicable after the date of the filing thereof and in any event no later than the earlier of (i) sixty (60) days after such filing if the Secondary Registration Statement has been filed on Form S-3, and no later than ninety (90) days after such filing if such Secondary Registration Statement has been filed on Form S-1, and in either case, no later than forty-five (45) days after such filing in the event the Secondary Registration Statement is not reviewed by the Commission and (ii) the fifth (5th) Business Day after the date the Company is

notified (orally or in writing, whichever is earlier) by the Commission that the Secondary Registration Statement will not be reviewed or will not be subject to further review (in either case, such date, the "*Effectiveness Deadline*").

(c) The Company shall promptly prepare and file with the Commission such amendments and supplements to the Secondary Registration Statement and the prospectus used in connection therewith as may be necessary to keep the Secondary Registration Statement effective until the earliest of (i) such time as all of the Shares and Warrant Shares purchased by the Purchasers pursuant to the terms of this Agreement have been sold pursuant to the Secondary Registration Statement, or (ii) such time as the Shares and Warrant Shares become eligible for resale by non-Affiliates without any volume limitations or other restrictions pursuant to Rule 144(b)(1)(i) or any other rule of similar effect.

(d) Notwithstanding the foregoing obligations, the Company may, upon written notice to the Purchasers, for a reasonable period of time, not to exceed forty-five (45) days in the case of clauses (A) and (B) below, or thirty (30) days in the case of clause (C) below (each, a "Blackout Period"), delay the filing of a Secondary Registration Statement or a request for acceleration of the effective date, or suspend the effectiveness of any Secondary Registration Statement, in the event that (A) the Company is engaged in any activity or transaction or preparations or negotiations for any activity or transaction that the Company desires to keep confidential for business reasons, if the Company's Board of Directors determines in good faith that the public disclosure requirements imposed on the Company under the Securities Act in connection with the Secondary Registration Statement would require at that time disclosure of such activity, transaction, preparations or negotiations and such disclosure could result in material harm to the Company or its business transactions or activities, (B) the Company does not yet have appropriate financial statements of any acquired or to be acquired entities necessary for filing, either because such financial statements are not yet available or despite the Company using reasonable best efforts to procure such financial statements or (C) any other event occurs that makes any statement of a material fact made in such Secondary Registration Statement, including any document incorporated by reference therein, untrue or that requires the making of any additions or changes in the Registration Statement in order to make the statements therein not misleading; provided, however, that in the case of a Blackout Period pursuant to clause (A) above, the Blackout Period shall terminate upon the earlier of (i) such forty-five (45) day period or (ii) the completion, resolution or public announcement of the relevant transaction or event. If the Company suspends the effectiveness of a Secondary Registration Statement pursuant to this Section 6.1(d), the Company shall, as promptly as reasonably practicable following the termination of the circumstance which entitled the Company to do so, take such actions as may be necessary to reinstate the effectiveness of such Secondary Registration Statement and give written notice to the Purchasers authorizing the Purchasers to resume offerings and sales pursuant to such Registration Statement. If as a result thereof the prospectus included in such Secondary Registration Statement has been amended or supplemented to comply with the requirements of the Securities Act, the Company shall enclose such revised prospectus with the notice to each Purchaser given pursuant to this Section 6. The Company shall be entitled to exercise its rights under this Section 6.1(d) not more than once in any six (6) month period; provided, however, that the aggregate number of days of all Blackout Periods hereunder shall not exceed sixty (60) days in any twelve (12) month period. After the expiration of any Blackout Period and without further request from any Purchaser, the Company shall effect the filing (or if required amendment or supplement) of the Secondary Registration Statement, or the filing of other documents, as necessary to allow the Purchasers to resell the Registrable Securities as set forth herein. In providing to a Purchaser the written notice of a Blackout Period as contemplated by the first sentence of this Section 6.1(d), the Company shall not (without the prior written consent of such Purchaser) disclose to such Purchaser any material nonpublic information giving rise to or otherwise associated with such Blackout Period.

(e) Upon notification by the Commission that the Secondary Registration Statement will not be reviewed or is not subject to further review by the Commission, the Company shall within three Business Days following the date of such notification request acceleration of such Secondary Registration Statement (with the requested effectiveness date to be not more than two Business Days later).

(f) The Company shall furnish to the Purchasers with respect to the Shares and Warrant Shares registered under any Secondary Registration Statement (and to each underwriter, if any, of such Shares and Warrant Shares) such number of copies of prospectuses and such other documents as the Purchaser may reasonably request, in order to facilitate the public sale or other disposition of all or any of the Shares and/or Warrant Shares by the Purchaser.

(g) The Company shall bear all expenses in connection with the procedures in paragraphs (a) through (f) of this <u>Section 6.1</u> and the registration of the Shares and Warrant Shares pursuant to the Secondary Registration Statement, other than fees and expenses, if any, of counsel or other advisers to the Purchasers or underwriting discounts, brokerage fees and commissions incurred by the Purchaser, if any in connection with the offering of the Shares and Warrant Shares pursuant to the Secondary Registration Statement.

(h) In order to enable the Purchasers to sell the Shares and Warrant Shares under Rule 144, the Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to comply with the requirements of Rule 144, including without limitation, use its reasonable best efforts to comply with the requirements of Rule 144(c) (1) with respect to public information about the Company and to timely file all reports required to be filed by the Company under the Exchange Act.

(i) The Company shall provide the Purchasers a reasonable opportunity to review and comment on all disclosures regarding the Purchasers and any plan of distribution proposed by them in connection with the preparation of any Secondary Registration Statement not less than five (5) Business Days prior to the filing of such Secondary Registration Statement. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, in no event shall the Company be permitted to name any Purchaser or Affiliate of a Purchaser as an "underwriter" without the prior written consent of such Purchaser; *provided*, that if the Commission requires that a Purchaser be identified as a statutory underwriter in either the Secondary Registration Statement or a Remainder Registration Statement, such Purchaser will have the option, in its sole and absolute discretion, to either (i) have the opportunity to withdraw from the Secondary Registration Statement or Remainder Registration Statement, as the case may be, upon its prompt written request to the Company or (ii) be included as such in the Secondary Registration Statement or Remainder Registration Statement, as the case may be.

6.2 **Restrictions on Transfer**. Each Purchaser agrees that it will not effect any disposition of the Securities that would constitute a sale within the meaning of the Securities Act or pursuant to any applicable state securities laws, unless and until (1) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement or (2) such disposition is otherwise permitted by law, including pursuant to the procedures set forth in Rule 144 or any other applicable exemption from the registration requirements under the Securities Act. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, no restriction shall apply to a transfer by a Purchaser that is (i) a partnership transferring to its partners or former partners in accordance with partnership interests, or (ii) a limited liability company transferring to its members or former members in accordance with member interests.

6.3 **Indemnification**. For the purpose of this <u>Section 6.3</u>: (i) the term "*Purchaser/Affiliate*" shall mean any affiliate of the Purchaser, including, without limitation, any general partner or managing member of the Purchaser, any investment adviser of the Purchaser, or any transferee who is an affiliate of the Purchaser, and any person who controls the Purchaser or any affiliate of the Purchaser within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act; and (ii) the term "*Registration Statement*" shall include any preliminary prospectus, final prospectus (the "*Prospectus*"), free writing prospectus, exhibit, supplement or amendment included in or relating to, and any document incorporated by reference in, the Secondary Registration Statement referred to in <u>Section 6.1</u>.

(a) The Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Purchasers and each Purchaser/Affiliate, against any losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses, joint or several, that such Purchaser or Purchaser/Affiliate incurs, under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or any other

federal or state statutory law or regulation, or at common law or otherwise (including in settlement of any litigation, if such settlement is effected with the written consent of the Company, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed), insofar as such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses (or actions in respect thereof as contemplated below) (i) arise out of or are based upon any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in the Registration Statement, including the Prospectus, financial statements and schedules, and all other documents filed as a part thereof or incorporated by reference therein, as amended at the time of effectiveness of the Registration Statement, including any information deemed to be a part thereof as of the time of effectiveness pursuant to paragraph (b) of Rule 430A under the Securities Act, or pursuant to Rules 430B, 430C or 434 under the Securities Act, or the Prospectus, in the form first filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act, or filed as part of the Registration Statement at the time of effectiveness if no Rule 424(b) filing is required or any amendment or supplement thereto, or arise out of or are based upon the omission or alleged omission to state in any of them a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements in the Registration Statement or any amendment or supplement thereto not misleading or in the Prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto not misleading in light of the circumstances under which they were made, (ii) any violation or alleged violation by the Company or its agents of the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or any other federal or state securities law or any rule or regulation thereunder, in connection with the performance or non-performance of its obligations under this Agreement or any action or inaction required of the Company in connection with any registration or (iii) arise out of or are based in whole or in part on any inaccuracy in the representations or warranties of the Company contained in this Agreement, breach of any covenant of the Company contained in this Agreement or any failure of the Company to perform its other obligations hereunder or under law, and will promptly reimburse each Purchaser and each Purchaser/Affiliate for any legal and other out-of-pocket expenses as such expenses are reasonably incurred and documented by such Purchaser or such Purchaser/Affiliate in connection with investigating, defending or preparing to defend, settling, compromising or paying any such loss, claim, damage, liability, expense or action; provided, however, that the Company will not be liable for amounts paid in settlement of any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action if such settlement is effected without the written consent of the Company, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, and the Company will not be liable in any such case to the extent that any such loss, claim, damage, liability or expense arises out of or is based upon (i) an untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission made in the Registration Statement, the Prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto in reliance upon and in conformity with written information furnished to the Company by or on behalf of the Purchaser expressly for use therein, or (ii) the inaccuracy of any representation or warranty made by such Purchaser herein or (iii) any statement or omission in any Prospectus that is corrected in any subsequent Prospectus that was delivered to the Purchaser prior to the pertinent sale or sales by the Purchaser.

(b) Each Purchaser will severally, but not jointly, indemnify and hold harmless the Company, each of its directors, each of its officers who signed the Registration Statement and each person, if any, who controls the Company within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act, against any losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses that the Company, each of its directors, each of its officers who signed the Registration Statement or controlling person reasonably incurs, under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or any other federal or state statutory law or regulation, or at common law or otherwise (including in settlement of any litigation, but only if such settlement is effected with the written consent of such Purchaser, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) insofar as such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses (or actions in respect thereof as contemplated below) arise out of or are based upon any untrue or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in the Registration Statement, the Prospectus, or any amendment or supplement thereto not misleading or in the Prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto not misleading in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, in each case to the extent, but only to the extent, that such untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission was made in the Registration Statement, the Prospectus, or any amendment or supplement thereto, in

reliance upon and in conformity with written information furnished to the Company by or on behalf of such Purchaser expressly for use therein; and will reimburse the Company, each of its directors, each of its officers who signed the Registration Statement or controlling person for any legal and other expense reasonably incurred by the Company, each of its directors, each of its officers who signed the Registration Statement or controlling person in connection with investigating, defending, settling, compromising or paying any such loss, claim, damage, liability, expense or action; provided, however, that (i) each Purchaser's aggregate liability under this <u>Section 6</u> shall not exceed the amount of net proceeds received by such Purchaser on the sale of the Registrable Securities pursuant to the Registration Statement giving rise to such indemnification obligation, and (ii) a Purchaser will not be liable for amounts paid in settlement of any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action if such settlement is effected without the written consent of such Purchaser, and (iii) a Purchaser will not be liable in any such case to the extent that any such loss, claim, damage, liability or expense arises out of or is based upon the gross negligence, fraud or willful misconduct of the Company, any of Company's directors, any of Company's officers who signed the Registration Statement or any person who controls the Company within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act.

Promptly after receipt by an indemnified party under this Section 6.3 of notice of the threat or commencement of any action, such indemnified party will, if a claim in respect thereof is to be made against an indemnifying party under this <u>Section 6.3</u> promptly notify the indemnifying party in writing thereof, but the omission to notify the indemnifying party will not relieve it from any liability that it may have to any indemnified party for contribution or otherwise under the indemnity agreement contained in this Section 6.3 to the extent it is not prejudiced as a result of such failure. In case any such action is brought against any indemnified party and such indemnified party seeks or intends to seek indemnity from an indemnifying party, the indemnifying party will be entitled to participate in, and, to the extent that it may wish, jointly with all other indemnifying parties similarly notified, to assume the defense thereof with counsel reasonably satisfactory to such indemnified party; provided, however, if the defendants in any such action include both the indemnified party, and the indemnifying party and the indemnified party shall have reasonably concluded, based on an opinion of counsel reasonably satisfactory to the indemnifying party, that there may be a conflict of interest between the positions of the indemnifying party and the indemnified party in conducting the defense of any such action or that there may be legal defenses available to it and/or other indemnified parties that are different from or additional to those available to the indemnifying party, the indemnified party or parties shall have the right to select separate counsel to assume such legal defenses and to otherwise participate in the defense of such action on behalf of such indemnified party or parties. Upon receipt of notice from the indemnifying party to such indemnified party of its election to assume the defense of such action and approval by the indemnified party of counsel, the indemnifying party will not be liable to such indemnified party under this Section 6.3 for any legal or other expenses subsequently incurred by such indemnified party in connection with the defense thereof unless (i) the indemnified party shall have employed such counsel in connection with the assumption of legal defenses in accordance with the proviso to the preceding sentence (it being understood, however, that the indemnifying party shall not be liable for the expenses of more than one separate counsel, reasonably satisfactory to such indemnifying party, representing all of the indemnified parties who are parties to such action) or (ii) the indemnifying party shall not have employed counsel reasonably satisfactory to the indemnified party to represent the indemnified party within a reasonable time after notice of commencement of action, in each of which cases the reasonable fees and expenses of counsel shall be at the expense of the indemnifying party. In no event shall any indemnifying party be liable in respect of any amounts paid in settlement of any action unless the indemnifying party shall have approved in writing the terms of such settlement; provided that such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. No indemnifying party shall, without the prior written consent of the indemnified party, effect any settlement of or consent to the entry of any judgment in any pending or threatened proceeding in respect of which any indemnified party is or could have been a party and indemnification could have been sought hereunder by such indemnified party, unless such settlement or judgment (x) includes an unconditional release of such indemnified party from all liability on claims that are the subject matter of such proceeding, (y) imposes no liability or obligation on the indemnified person and (z) does not include any admission of fault, culpability, wrongdoing or malfeasance by or on behalf of the indemnified person. The

indemnifying party shall notify the indemnified party promptly of the institution, threat or assertion of any proceeding in connection with, arising out of, as a result of, relating to or based upon the transactions contemplated by this Agreement of which the indemnifying party is aware. Such indemnity shall remain in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of such indemnified party and shall survive the transfer of any of the Securities by any of the Purchasers as permitted by this Agreement. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, all reasonable and documented fees and expenses of the indemnified party (including reasonable and documented fees and expenses to the extent incurred in connection with investigating or preparing to defend such proceeding in a manner not inconsistent with this Section 6.3) shall be paid to such indemnified party, as incurred, within ten (10) Business Days of written notice thereof to the indemnifying party, provided that the indemnified party shall promptly reimburse the indemnifying party for that portion of such fees and expenses applicable to such actions for which such indemnified party is finally judicially determined by a court of competent jurisdiction (which determination is not subject to appeal or further review) not to be entitled to indemnification hereunder.

(d) If the indemnification provided for in this <u>Section 6.3</u> is required by its terms but is for any reason held to be unavailable to or otherwise insufficient to hold harmless an indemnified party under paragraphs (a), (b) or (c) of this Section 6.3 in respect to any losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses referred to herein, then each applicable indemnifying party shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by such indemnified party as a result of any losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses referred to herein (i) in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative benefits received by the Company and the Purchaser from the private placement of Securities hereunder or (ii) if the allocation provided by clause (i) above is not permitted by applicable law, in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect not only the relative benefits referred to in clause (i) above but the relative fault of the Company and the Purchaser in connection with the statements or omissions or inaccuracies in the representations and warranties in this Agreement and/or the Registration Statement that resulted in such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. The relative benefits received by the Company on the one hand and each Purchaser on the other shall be deemed to be in the same proportion as the amount paid by such Purchaser to the Company on the one main and each rational of the one main of decine to be in the same sold pursuant to the Registration Statement bears to the difference (the "<u>Difference</u>") between the amount such Purchaser paid for the Securities that were sold pursuant to the Registration Statement and the amount received by such Purchaser from such sale. The relative fault of the Company on the one hand and each Purchaser on the other shall be determined by reference to, among other things, whether the untrue or alleged statement of a material fact or the omission or alleged omission to state a material fact or the inaccurate or the alleged inaccurate representation and/or warranty relates to information supplied by the Company or by such Purchaser and the parties' relative intent, knowledge, access to information and opportunity to correct or prevent such statement or omission. The amount paid or payable by a party as a result of the losses, claims, damages, liabilities and expenses referred to above shall be deemed to include, subject to the limitations set forth in paragraph (c) of this Section 6.3, any legal or other fees or expenses reasonably incurred by such party in connection with investigating or defending any action or claim. The provisions set forth in paragraph (c) of this Section 6.3 with respect to the notice of the threat or commencement of any threat or action shall apply if a claim for contribution is to be made under this paragraph (d); provided, however, that no additional notice shall be required with respect to any threat or action for which notice has been given under paragraph (c) for purposes of indemnification. The Company and the Purchaser agree that it would not be just and equitable if contribution pursuant to this Section 6.3 were determined solely by pro rata allocation (even if the Purchaser were treated as one entity for such purpose) or by any other method of allocation which does not take account of the equitable considerations referred to in this paragraph. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 6.3, (i) no Purchaser shall be required to contribute any amount in excess of the amount by which the Difference exceeds the amount of any damages that such Purchaser has otherwise been required to pay by reason of such untrue or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission and (ii) each Purchaser's aggregate liability under this Section 6.3 shall not exceed the amount of net proceeds received by such Purchaser on the sale of the Registrable Securities pursuant to the Registration Statement giving rise to such indemnification or contribution obligation. No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the Securities Act)

shall be entitled to contribution from any person who was not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation. The Purchasers' obligations to contribute pursuant to this <u>Section 6.3</u> are several and not joint.

6.4 **Information Available**. The Company, upon the reasonable request of a Purchaser, shall make available for inspection by such Purchaser, any deemed underwriter participating in any disposition pursuant to the Secondary Registration Statement and any attorney, accountant or other agent retained by the Purchasers or any deemed underwriter, all financial and other records, pertinent corporate documents and properties of the Company.

6.5 Delay in Filing or Effectiveness of Secondary Registration Statement. If a Secondary Registration Statement covering the Shares and Warrant Shares is not filed on or prior to the Filing Deadline or is not declared effective by the Commission on or prior to the Effectiveness Deadline, then for each day following the Filing Deadline or Effectiveness Deadline, as applicable, until but excluding the date the Company files or the Commission declares the Secondary Registration Statement effective, as the case may be, the Company shall, for each such day, pay each Purchaser with respect to any such failure, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, an amount per thirty (30)-day period equal to 1.0% of the purchase price paid by such Purchaser for its Shares and Warrant Shares pursuant to this Agreement (calculated on a daily pro rata basis for any portion of such thirty (30)-day period prior to the cure of such failure); and for any such thirty (30)-day period (or earlier period if such failure is cured prior to thirty (30) days). Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, in no event shall the Company be obligated to pay any liquidated damages pursuant to this <u>Section 6.5</u> to more than one Purchaser in respect of the same Shares or Warrant Shares pursuant to this Agreement. Such payments shall be made to the Purchaser sin cash.

SECTION 7. NO BROKER'S FEE.

Each of the Company and the Purchasers (on a several but not joint basis) hereby represents that no broker, investment banker, financial advisor or other individual, corporation, general or limited partnership, limited liability company, firm, joint venture, association, enterprise, joint securities company, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity is entitled to any broker's, financial advisor's or other similar fee or commission in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, other than fees payable by the Company to the Placement Agents, which will be paid by the Company. The Company agrees to indemnify each Purchaser for any claims, losses or expenses incurred by such Purchaser as a result of the Company's representation in this <u>Section 7</u> being untrue.

SECTION 8. COVENANTS.

8.1 Form D; Blue Sky Filings. The Company agrees to timely file a Form D with respect to the Securities as required under Regulation D of the Securities Act. The Company will take such action as the Company shall reasonably determine is necessary in order to obtain an exemption from, or to qualify the Securities for, sale to the Purchasers at the Closing pursuant to this Agreement under applicable securities or "Blue Sky" laws of the states of the United States, and shall provide evidence of such actions promptly upon the written request of any Purchaser.

8.2 **Transfer Taxes.** On the Closing Date, all stock transfer or other taxes (other than income taxes) that are required to be paid in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of the Securities to the Purchasers hereunder will be fully paid or provided for by the Company and all laws imposing such taxes will have been fully complied with and the Purchasers and their respective Affiliates shall have no obligation therefor.

8.3 Listing of Common Stock. The Company shall promptly secure the listing of the Shares and Warrant Shares upon the Trading Market and each other national securities exchange and

automated quotation system that requires an application by the Company for listing, if any, upon which shares of Common Stock are then listed (subject to official notice of issuance) and shall maintain such listing, so long as any other shares of Common Stock shall be so listed. The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to maintain the Common Stock's listing on the Trading Market. The Company shall pay all fees and expenses in connection with satisfying its obligations under this <u>Section 8.3</u>.

8.4 **Reservation of Common Stock.** As of the date hereof, the Company has reserved and the Company shall continue to reserve and keep available at all times, free of preemptive rights, a sufficient number of shares of Common Stock for the purpose of enabling the Company to issue the Warrant Shares that are issuable upon the exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants.

8.5 Equal Treatment of Purchasers. No consideration (including any modification of documents related hereto) shall be offered or paid to any Person to amend or consent to a waiver or modification of any provision of this Agreement or any documents related hereto unless the same consideration is also offered to all Purchasers hereunder. For clarification purposes, this provision constitutes a separate right granted to each Purchaser by the Company and negotiated separately by each Purchaser, and is intended for the Company to treat the Purchasers as a class (subject to the proviso in the preceding sentence) and shall not in any way be construed as the Purchasers acting in concert or as a group (including a "group" within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act) with respect to the purchaser that affords such Purchaser any rights or terms with respect to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (including the exhibits hereto) that are more beneficial to such Purchaser than those afforded to all other Purchasers hereunder.

8.6 **Pledge of Securities**. The Company acknowledges and agrees that a Purchaser's Securities may be pledged by a Purchaser in connection with a bona fide margin agreement or other loan or financing arrangement that is secured by the Securities. The pledge of Securities shall not be deemed to be a transfer, sale or assignment of the Shares hereunder, and no Purchaser effecting a pledge of Securities shall be required to provide the Company with any notice thereof or otherwise make any delivery to the Company pursuant to this Agreement; provided that a Purchaser and its pledgee shall be required to comply with the provisions of this Agreement in order to effect a sale, transfer or assignment of Shares to such pledgee.

8.7 Adjustments in Share Numbers and Prices. In the event of any stock split, subdivision, dividend or distribution payable in shares of Common Stock (or other securities or rights convertible into, or entitling the holder thereof to receive directly or indirectly shares of Common Stock), combination or other similar recapitalization or event occurring after the date hereof and prior to the Closing, each reference this Agreement to a number of shares or a price per share shall be deemed to be amended to appropriately account for such event.

8.8 Legend Removal. The Company shall, at its sole expense, upon appropriate notice from any Purchaser stating that Registrable Securities have been sold pursuant to an effective Secondary Registration Statement, under Rule 144, or any other exemption from the registration requirements under the Securities Act, within two (2) Trading Days of such notice, cause its transfer agent to timely prepare and deliver certificates or book-entry shares representing the Shares and Warrant Shares to be delivered to a transferee pursuant to such sale, which certificates or book-entry shares shall be free of any restrictive legends and in such denominations and registered in such names as such Purchaser may request. Further, the Company shall, at its sole expense, cause its legal counsel or other counsel satisfactory to the transfer agent: (i) while the Secondary Registration Statement is effective, to issue to the transfer agent a "blanket" legal opinion to allow sales without restriction pursuant to the effective Secondary Registration Statement, and (ii) provide all other opinions as may reasonably be required by the transfer agent in connection with the removal of legends. A Purchaser may request that the Company agrees to authorize the removal of, any legend from such Securities, following the delivery by a Purchaser to the Company or the Company's transfer agent of either a legended certificate representing such Securities or, if the Securities are

issued in book-entry form, a written request for legend removal: (i) following any sale of such Securities pursuant to Rule 144 or any other applicable exemption from the registration requirements under the Securities Act, (ii) if such Securities are eligible for sale under Rule 144(b)(1), or (iii) following the time that the Secondary Registration Statement is declared effective. If a legend removal request is made pursuant to the foregoing, the Company will, no later than two (2) Trading Days following the delivery by a Purchaser to the Company or the Company's transfer agent of a legended certificate representing such Securities (or a request for legend removal, in the case of Securities issued in book-entry form), deliver or cause to be delivered to such Purchaser a certificate representing such Securities that is free from all restrictive legends or an equivalent book-entry position, as requested by the Purchaser. Certificates for Securities free from all restrictive legends may be transmitted by the Company's transfer agent to a Purchaser by crediting the account of the Purchaser's prime broker with the Depository Trust Company ("**DTC**") as directed by such Purchaser. The Company warrants that the Securities shall otherwise be freely transferable on the books and records of the Company as and to the extent provided in this Agreement. If a Purchaser effects a transfer of the Securities in accordance with Section 5.11, the Company shall permit the transfer and shall promptly instruct its transfer agent to issue one or more certificates or credit shares to the applicable balance accounts at DTC in such name and in such denominations as specified by such Purchaser to effect such transfer. Each Purchaser hereby agrees that the removal of the restrictive legend pursuant to this Section 8.8 is predicated upon the Company's reliance that such Purchaser will sell any such Securities pursuant to either the registration requirements of the Securities Act, including any applicable prospectus delivery requirements, or an exemption therefrom, and such Purchaser shall deliver a certificate reasonably satisfactory to the Company to the foregoing effect. Prior to the Company and its transfer agent agreeing to a form of representation letter to be given in connection with any legend removal opinion, the Company shall allow each Purchaser to review such form and shall cooperate, reasonably and in good faith, and accept reasonable comments thereto from the Purchasers; and provided, further, that in no event shall the Purchaser be required to agree to indemnify, defend or hold harmless any Person.

SECTION 9. NOTICES.

All notices, requests, consents and other communications hereunder shall be in writing, shall be sent by confirmed facsimile or electronic mail, or mailed by first-class registered or certified airmail, or nationally recognized overnight express courier, postage prepaid, and shall be deemed given when so sent in the case of facsimile or electronic mail transmission, or when so received in the case of mail or courier, and addressed as follows:

(a) if to the Company, to:

Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc. 150 N. Radnor Chester Rd., Suite F200 Radnor, PA 19087 Attn: Jon Congleton Email: [***]

with a copy to (which shall not constitute notice):

Latham & Watkins LLP 12670 High Bluff Drive San Diego, CA 92130 Attn: Cheston J. Larson; Matthew T. Bush Email: cheston.larson@lw.com; matt.bush@lw.com

or to such other Person at such other place as the Company shall designate to the Purchasers in writing; and

(b) if to the Purchasers, to the applicable address set forth <u>Schedule A</u> or to such other Person at such other place as the Purchasers shall designate to the Company in writing.

SECTION 10. MISCELLANEOUS.

10.1 Waivers and Amendments. Neither this Agreement nor any provision hereof may be changed, waived, discharged, terminated, modified or amended except upon the written consent of the Company and, if prior to the Closing, Purchasers that have subscribed for at least two-thirds of the Securities to be issued hereunder, and, if after the Closing, Purchasers holding at least two-thirds of the Securities issued hereunder and then held by all Purchasers, in the case of any change, discharge, termination, modification, or of the party hereto against whom the waiver is to be effective, in the case of a waiver, provided that (a) if any amendment or waiver disproportionately and adversely affects a Purchaser (or a subset of Purchasers) in any material respect, the consent of such disproportionately affected Purchaser (or each Purchaser shall be required and (b) the consent of each Purchaser shall be required for any change in the Purchase Price, any change in the type of security to be issued to Purchasers at Closing, or the amendment, modification or waiver of any default with respect to any provision, condition or requirement of this Agreement shall be deemed to be a continuing wavier in the future or a waiver of any subsequent default or a waiver of any other provision, condition or requirement hereof, nor shall any delay or omission of any party to exercise any right hereunder in any manner impair the exercise of any subsequently to require performance of that obligation.

10.2 **Headings; Interpretation.** The headings of the various sections of this Agreement have been inserted for convenience of reference only and shall not be deemed to be part of this Agreement. The terms "hereof," "herein," "hereby" and derivative or similar words refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement. Except when used together with the word "either" or otherwise for the purpose of identifying mutually exclusive alternatives, the term "or" has the inclusive meaning represented by the phrase "and/or." All references in this Agreement to "dollars" or "\$" shall mean United States dollars. Except where the context otherwise requires, wherever used the singular shall include the plural, the plural the singular, the use of any gender shall be applicable to all genders. The term "including" or "includes" means "including without limitation" or "includes without limitation."

10.3 **Severability.** In case any provision contained in this Agreement should be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

10.4 **Survival.** The representations and warranties contained herein shall survive the Closing and the delivery of the Securities. The agreements and covenants contained herein shall survive for the applicable statute of limitations.

10.5 **Governing Law; Jurisdiction.** This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the substantive laws of the State of New York, without regard to its or any other jurisdiction's choice of law rules. Any and all disputes arising out of, concerning, or related to this Agreement, or to the interpretation, performance, breach or termination thereof shall be referred to and resolved by the federal courts located in New York, New York or, to the extent no such court does not have subject matter jurisdiction, the state courts of the State of New York located in New York, New York (the "*Specified Courts*"). Each of the parties hereto irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Specified Courts, waives any objection to the laying of venue of any suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in SAGREEMENT, THE OTHER JURY TRIAL OF ANY CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION BASED UPON OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT, THE OTHER TRANSACTION DOCUMENTS, THE SECURITIES OR THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF OR THEREOF. THE SCOPE OF THIS WAIVER IS INTENDED TO BE ALL-ENCOMPASSING OF ANY AND ALL DISPUTES THAT MAY BE FILED IN ANY COURT AND THAT RELATE TO

THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THIS TRANSACTION, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, CONTRACT CLAIMS, TORT CLAIMS (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), BREACH OF DUTY CLAIMS, AND ALL OTHER COMMON LAW AND STATUTORY CLAIMS. THIS SECTION HAS BEEN FULLY DISCUSSED BY EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO AND THESE PROVISIONS WILL NOT BE SUBJECT TO ANY EXCEPTIONS. EACH PARTY HERETO HEREBY FURTHER WARRANTS AND REPRESENTS THAT SUCH PARTY HAS REVIEWED THIS WAIVER WITH ITS LEGAL COUNSEL, AND THAT SUCH PARTY KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WAIVES ITS JURY TRIAL RIGHTS FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL.

10.6 **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which, when taken together, shall constitute but one instrument, and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party hereto and delivered to the other party. Signatures to this Agreement transmitted by facsimile, by email in "portable document format" (".pdf"), or by any other electronic means intended to preserve the original graphic and pictorial appearance of this Agreement shall have the same effect as physical delivery of the paper document bearing original signature.

10.7 **Successors and Assigns.** Except as otherwise expressly provided herein, the provisions hereof shall inure to the benefit of, and be binding upon, the successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators of the parties hereto. None of the Purchasers may assign this Agreement or any rights or obligations hereunder, in whole or in part, without the prior written consent of the Company, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed; provided, however, that a Purchaser may assign its rights and delegate its duties hereunder in whole or in part to an Affiliate or to a third party acquiring some or all of the Securities in a transaction complying with applicable securities laws without the prior written consent of the Company, provided such assignee agrees in writing to be bound by the provisions hereof that apply to Purchasers. The Company may not assign this Agreement or any rights or obligations hereunder, in whole or in part, without the prior written consent of all Purchasers. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, in the event that the Company is a party to a merger, consolidation, share exchange or similar business combination transaction in which the Common Stock is converted into the equity securities of another Person, from and after the effective time of such transaction, such Person shall, by virtue of such transaction, be deemed to have assumed the obligations of the Company hereunder, the term "Company" shall be deemed to refer to such Person and the term "Shares", "Pre-Funded Warrants", or "Warrant Shares" shall be deemed to refer to the securities received by the Purchasers in exchange therefor in connection with such transaction. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer upon any party other than the parties hereto or their respective permitted successors and assigns any rights, remedies, obligations, or liabilities under or by reason of this Agreement, except as expressly provided in this Agreement.

10.8 No Third-Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement is intended for the benefit of the parties hereto and the Placement Agents and their respective successors and permitted assigns and is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any other Person, except as otherwise set forth in <u>Section 6.3</u> and this <u>Section 10.8</u>. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Placement Agents shall be the third-party beneficiaries of the representations and warranties of the Company in <u>Section 4</u> of this Agreement and the representations and warranties of the Purchasers in <u>Section 5</u> of this Agreement.

10.9 **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement and the other documents and instruments delivered pursuant hereto or thereto, including the exhibits and schedules hereto or thereto, constitute the full and entire understanding and agreement between the parties hereto with regard to the subjects hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements and understandings, both oral and written, between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof, *provided*, that any confidentiality agreement that the Company and any Purchaser may have entered into in contemplation of potentially entering into this Agreement, shall survive in accordance with its terms and provisions.

10.10 Independent Nature of Purchasers' Obligations and Rights. The obligations of each Purchaser under this Agreement are several and not joint with the obligations of any other Purchaser, and no Purchaser shall be responsible in any way for the performance of the obligations of any other Purchaser under this Agreement. The decision of each Purchaser to purchase Shares and, if applicable, Pre-Funded Warrants pursuant to this Agreement has been made by such Purchaser independently of any other Purchaser. Nothing contained herein and no action taken by any Purchaser pursuant thereto, shall be deemed to constitute the Purchasers as a partnership, an association, a joint venture or any other kind of entity, or create a presumption that the Purchasers are in any way acting in concert or as a group (within the meaning of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act or otherwise), or are deemed affiliates (as such term is defined under the Exchange Act) with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. Each Purchaser shall be entitled to independently protect and enforce its rights, including the rights arising out of this Agreement, and it shall not be necessary for any other Purchaser to be joined as an additional party in any proceeding for such purpose. Each Purchaser acknowledges (i) that it is not relying upon any Person other than the Company and its officers and directors, in making its investment or decision to invest in the Company and (ii) no other Purchaser has acted as agent for such Purchaser in connection with making its investment hereunder and that no Purchaser will be acting as agent of such Purchaser in connection with monitoring its investment in the Securities or enforcing its rights hereunder. Each Purchaser agrees that no Purchaser nor the respective controlling persons, officers, directors, partners, agents, or employees of any Purchaser shall be liable to any other Purchaser for any action heretofore or hereafter taken or omitted to be taken by any of them in connection with the purchase of the Securities. The Company acknowledges that each of the Purchasers has been provided with the same Agreement for the purpose of closing a transaction with multiple purchasers and not because it was required or requested to do so by any Purchaser. It is expressly understood that each provision contained in this Agreement is between the Company and a Purchaser, solely, and not between the Company and the Purchasers collectively and not between and among the Purchasers.

10.11 **Payment of Fees and Expenses.** Except as otherwise provided herein or in the other documents or instruments contemplated hereby, each of the Company and the Purchasers shall bear its own expenses and legal fees incurred on its behalf with respect to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby. If any action at law or in equity is necessary to enforce or interpret the terms of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney's fees, costs and necessary disbursements in addition to any other relief to which such party may be entitled.

10.12 **Further Actions.** Each party hereto agrees to execute, acknowledge, and deliver such further instruments, and to do all such other acts, as may be reasonably necessary or appropriate in order to carry out the purposes and intent of this Agreement.

10.13 **Securities Law Disclosure.** By no later than 9:00 A.M., New York City time, on the Trading Day immediately following the Effective Date (provided that, if this Agreement is executed between midnight and 9:00 A.M., New York City time on any Trading Day, no later than 9:01 A.M. on the Effective Date), the Company shall issue a press release and/or file a Current Report on Form 8-K with the Commission (the "*Disclosure Document*") disclosing all material terms of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; *provided*, that the Purchasers shall be given a reasonable opportunity to review and comment on the disclosure contained in the Disclosure Document prior to issuance or filing. In addition, unless it has already done so by filing the Disclosure Document, on or before the fourth (4th) Business Day following the Effective Date, the Company shall file a Current Report on Form 8-K with the Commission disclosing all material terms of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. From and after the issuance of the Disclosure Document, no Purchaser shall be in possession of any material non-public information received from the Company or from any other representative of the Company in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. Except for the Disclosure Document and the Current Report on Form 8-K contemplated by this <u>Section 10.13</u>, all public announcements regarding this Agreement shall be issued only in accordance with <u>Section 10.15</u>.

10.14 **Termination.** This Agreement (i) shall be terminated at any time prior to Closing automatically if the Closing has not been consummated on or prior to the fifth Business Day from the

Effective Date, or (ii) may be terminated by a Purchaser (with respect to itself) if any of the conditions set forth in Section 3.2(a) or Section 3.2(b) shall have become incapable of fulfillment, and shall not have been waived by such Purchaser, *provided, however*, that no such termination will affect the right of any party to sue for any breach by the other party (or parties), and, upon such termination pursuant to this <u>Section 10.14</u>, any purchase price wired to the Company by a Purchaser shall be promptly returned to the Purchaser, but in no event later than the first Trading Day following such termination.

10.15 **Public Announcement.** The Company shall not publicly disclose the name of any Purchaser or investment adviser of any Purchaser, or include the name of any Purchaser or an Affiliate of any Purchaser without the prior written consent of such Purchaser (i) in any press release or marketing materials or (ii) in any filing with the Commission or any regulatory agency or Trading Market, except as required by U.S. federal securities law (A) in connection with any Secondary Registration Statement contemplated by this Agreement and (B) to the extent such disclosure is required by law, request of the Commission's staff or Trading Market regulations, in which case the Company shall provide the Purchasers with prior written notice of and an opportunity to review such disclosure permitted under this subclause (ii).

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives as of the day and year first above written.

COMPANY:

MINERALYS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Adam Levy

Name:Adam LevyTitle:Chief Financial Officer

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO SECURITIES PURCHASE AGREEMENT]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives as of the day and year first above written.

PURCHASER:

By: _____ Name: Title:

EIN Number: _____

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Mineralys Therapeutics Announces \$120 Million Private Placement Financing

RADNOR, Pa., February 8, 2024 – Mineralys Therapeutics, Inc. (Nasdaq: MLYS), a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on developing medicines to target hypertension, chronic kidney disease ("CKD") and other diseases driven by abnormally elevated aldosterone, today announced that it has entered into a securities purchase agreement with institutional accredited investors to sell securities in a private placement financing (the "PIPE") for gross proceeds of approximately \$120 million, before deducting estimated fees and expenses.

The financing was led by new investor TCGX and existing investor RA Capital Management, with participation from new investors OrbiMed and Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, along with several existing investors including Samsara BioCapital and a large investment management firm.

In the PIPE, Mineralys is selling an aggregate of approximately 8.9 million shares of its common stock (or pre-funded warrants in lieu thereof) at a price of \$13.50 per share (or \$13.499 per pre-funded warrant). The pre-funded warrants will have an exercise price of \$0.001 per share of common stock, will be immediately exercisable and will not expire. The PIPE is expected to close on February 12, 2024, subject to customary closing conditions.

Mineralys expects to use the net proceeds from the PIPE to fund the research and development of lorundrostat, and for working capital and general corporate purposes.

BofA Securities and Evercore are acting as placement agents to the Company in connection with the PIPE.

The securities described above have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Accordingly, these securities may not be offered or sold in the United States, except pursuant to an effective registration statement or an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act. Mineralys has agreed to file a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) registering the resale of the shares of common stock and shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of the pre-funded warrants issued in this PIPE.

This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy these securities, nor shall there be any sale of these securities in any state or other jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to the registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such jurisdiction.

About Mineralys

Mineralys Therapeutics is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on developing medicines to target hypertension, CKD and other diseases driven by abnormally elevated aldosterone. Its initial product candidate, lorundrostat, is a proprietary, orally administered, highly selective aldosterone synthase inhibitor that Mineralys Therapeutics is developing for cardiorenal conditions affected by abnormally elevated aldosterone, including hypertension and CKD. Mineralys is based in Radnor, Pennsylvania, and was founded by Catalys Pacific.

Forward Looking Statements

Mineralys Therapeutics cautions you that statements contained in this press release regarding matters that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements are based on our current beliefs and expectations and include, but are not limited to, statements regarding: the timing, size and expectation of the closing of the PIPE; and expectations regarding market conditions,

the satisfaction of customary closing conditions related to the PIPE and the anticipated use of proceeds therefrom. Such forward-looking statements involve substantial risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results, performance or achievements to differ significantly from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. The inclusion of forward-looking statements should not be regarded as a representation by us that any of its plans will be achieved. Actual results may differ from those set forth in this press release due to the risks and uncertainties inherent in our business, including, without limitation: the risks and uncertainties associated with market conditions and the satisfaction of customary closing conditions related to the proposed financing; and other risks described in our filings with the SEC, including under the heading "Risk Factors" in our annual report on Form 10-K, and any subsequent filings with the SEC. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date hereof, and we undertake no obligation to update such statements to reflect events that occur or circumstances that exist after the date hereof. All forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement, which is made under the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

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