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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following represents the intellectual property to be licensed under the prospective agreement: PCT Patent Application Number PCT/US2020/024985, filed March 26, 2020, entitled "CD28H Domain-Containing Chimeric Antigen Receptors and Methods of Use" (HHS Reference No. E-097-2020-00-PCT), and U.S. and foreign patent applications claiming priority to the aforementioned application.

All rights in these inventions have been assigned to the Government of the United States of America.

The prospective exclusive patent commercialization license territory may be worldwide, and the field of use may be limited to: "Use of natural killer cell immunotherapies for the treatment of multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin lymphoma, and pancreatic cancer".

Engineered chimeric antigen receptors (CARs) that are expressed in cytotoxic T cells and natural killer (NK) cells have been used to specifically target tumor cells. However, CAR-T and CAR-NK cells are still subject to down regulation by their inhibitory receptors after injection into patients.

Scientists at NIAID have developed CAR constructs that overcome inhibition of NK cells by receptors for human major histocompatibility complex molecules HLA-E and HLA-C, based on in vitro studies. The CAR contains an antigen binding domain of receptor CD28 homolog (CD28H), a CD28H transmembrane domain (TM), a CD28H signaling domain, and other intracellular signaling domains, such as 2B4 (CD244) and CD3 zeta chain (CD3zeta). A variant of this CAR, in which the antigen binding domain of CD28H is replaced by a single-chain antibody variable region (scFv) that binds to CD19, rendered NK cells resistant to inhibition by HLA-E and HLA-C on CD19+ tumor cells. An abstract for this invention was published in the **Federal Register** on April 22, 2020.

This notice is made in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR part 404. The prospective exclusive patent commercialization license will be royalty bearing, and may be granted unless within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published notice, the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases receives written evidence and argument that establishes that the grant of the license would not

be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR part 404.

Complete applications for a license in the prospective field of use that are timely filed in response to this notice will be treated as objections to the grant of the contemplated exclusive patent commercialization license. In response to this Notice, the public may file comments or objections. Comments and objections, other than those in the form of a license application, will not be treated confidentially, and may be made publicly available. License applications submitted in response to this Notice will be presumed to contain business confidential information, and any release of information in these license applications will be made only as required and upon a request under the *Freedom of Information Act*, 5 U.S.C. 552.

Dated: October 19, 2021.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**Center for Scientific Review; Amended Notice of Meeting**

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the Cellular and Molecular Biology of Neurodegeneration Study Section, October 28, 2021, 10:00 a.m. to October 29, 2021, 06:00 p.m., National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 which was published in the **Federal Register** on September 24, 2021, FR Doc 2021-20784 86 FR 53084.

This meeting is being amended to change the Contact Person from Christine Jean DiDonato to Laurent Taupenot, Ph.D., Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (301) 435-1203. The meeting is closed to the public.

Dated: October 19, 2021.

**David W. Freeman,**

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**Center for Scientific Review; Notice of Closed Meetings**

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of the following meetings.

The meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; Fellowships: Physiology and Pathobiology of Cardiovascular and Respiratory Systems.

*Date:* November 16-17, 2021.

*Time:* 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Virtual Meeting).

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*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; Fellowships: Population Sciences and Epidemiology.

*Date:* November 17-18, 2021.

*Time:* 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Virtual Meeting).

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*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel; Infectious Disease and Reproductive Health.

*Date:* November 17-18, 2021.

*Time:* 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, Rockledge II, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Virtual Meeting).

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