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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

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: Integrative, Functional and Cognitive Neuroscience Integrated Review Group; Behavioral Neuroendocrinology, Neuroimmunology, Rhythms, and Sleep Study Section.

Date: June 1–2, 2022.

Time: 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

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

Contact Person: Michael Selmanoff, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5164, MSC 7844, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-1119, selmanom@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Emerging Technologies and Training Neurosciences Integrated Review Group; Bioengineering of Neuroscience, Vision and Low Vision Technologies Study Section.

Date: June 1–2, 2022.

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

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

Contact Person: Robert C. Elliott, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5190, MSC 7846, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-3009, elliottro@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Biological Chemistry and Macromolecular Biophysics Integrated Review Group; Synthetic and Biological Chemistry A Study Section.

Date: June 1–2, 2022.

Time: 10:00 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).

Contact Person: Anita Szajek, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4187, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-827-6276, anita.szajek@nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Cardiovascular and Respiratory Sciences Integrated Review Group; Lung Cellular, Molecular, and Immunobiology Study Section.

Date: June 1–2, 2022.

Time: 10:00 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).

Contact Person: George M. Barnas, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 2180, MSC 7818, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-0696, barnasg@csr.nih.gov.

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Prospective Grant of an Exclusive Patent License: LZK-Targeting Cancer Therapeutic

AGENCY: National Institutes of Health, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Cancer Institute (NCI), an institute of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), is contemplating the grant of an Exclusive Patent License to practice the inventions embodied in the Patents and Patent Applications listed in the Supplementary Information section of this Notice to Uereka Biosciences Inc. (“Uereka”), headquartered in East Wakefield, NH.

DATES: Only written comments and/or applications for a license which are received by the National Cancer

Institute’s Technology Transfer Center on or before May 18, 2022 will be considered.

ADDRESSES: Requests for copies of the patent applications, inquiries, and comments relating to the contemplated Exclusive Patent License should be directed to: Jasmine Yang, Ph.D., Senior Technology Transfer Manager, NCI Technology Transfer Center, Telephone: 301-624-8746; Email: jasmine.yang@nih.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Intellectual Property

- (1) HHS Ref. No.: E-163-2020-0, Entitled: Leucine Zipper-bearing Kinase (LZK) Targeting Degradation and Methods of Use
 - (a) US Provisional Patent Application No.: 63/073,835 HHS Ref. No.: E-163-2020-0-US-01 Filing Date: September 2, 2020
 - (b) PCT Patent Application No.: PCT/US2021/048600 HHS Ref. No.: E-163-2020-0-PCT-02 Filing Date: September 1, 2021
- (2) HHS Ref. No.: E-169-2021-0, Entitled: LZK-Targeting ATP-Competitive Catalytic Inhibitors Suppress LZK Catalytic Activity, Inhibit MYC Expression, Inhibit AKT Activation, and Promote Cancer Cell Death and Tumor Regression
 - (a) US Provisional Patent Application No.: 63/239,797 HHS Ref. No.: E-169-2021-0-US-01 Filing Date: September 1, 2021

The patent rights in these inventions have been assigned and/or exclusively licensed to the government of the United States of America.

The prospective exclusive license territory may be worldwide, and the field of use may be limited to the following:

“LZK-targeting small molecules inhibitors or PROTACs to treat cancers overexpressing LZK.”

Leucine-Zipper Kinase (LZK, encoded by MAP3K13, a resident gene of the 3q amplicon) is highly expressed in the mouse brain, particularly the cerebellum, but also in the intestine, olfactory bulb, liver, and kidney and shown to promote neurite growth. In addition, LZK overexpression and 3q amplification is associated with cancer such as squamous cell carcinomas (SCC). The Intellectual Property are directed to compositions of matter to LZK kinase inhibitors as well as the combination of a LZK binding moiety to an E3-ligase binding moiety via a linker and specific structures to each component as well as methods of using said compositions to treat LZK