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July 19, 2021

VIA EDGAR

Office of Life Sciences
Division of Corporation Finance
Securities and Exchange Commission
100 F Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20549
Attention: Cara Wirth
Mark Ransom

**Re: Absci Corporation
Request for Acceleration of Effective Date
File No. 333-257553**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 461 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Act**”), we, as representatives of the several underwriters of Absci Corporation’s (the “**Company**”) proposed public offering of its common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, hereby join the Company’s request for acceleration of the above-referenced Registration Statement, as amended, requesting effectiveness as of 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time on July 21, 2021, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, or at such later time as the Company or its outside counsel, Goodwin Procter LLP, may request via telephone call to the staff of the Division of Corporation Finance of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Pursuant to Rule 460 of the Act, we, as representatives of the several underwriters, wish to advise you that we have distributed approximately 2,033 copies of the Company’s Preliminary Prospectus dated July 15, 2021 through the date hereof to underwriters, dealers, institutions and others.

We, the undersigned, as representatives of the several underwriters, have complied and will continue to comply, and we have been informed by the participating underwriters that they have complied and will continue to comply, with the provisions of Rule 15c2-8 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

[Signature page follows]

Very truly
yours,

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC
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As representatives of the several Underwriters

By: J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

By: /s/ Benjamin Burdett
Name: Benjamin Burdett
Title: Managing Director

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By: /s/ Sumit Khedekar
Name: Sumit Khedekar
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By: /s/ Greg Butz
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Title: Managing Director

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By: /s/ Jamie Streator
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By: /s/ Nathan Thompson
Name: Nathan Thompson
Title: Director

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