## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION January 10, 2017

## ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Acusphere, Inc.

File No. 000-50405 - CF#30299

Acusphere, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting an extension of a previous grant of confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibit to a Form 10-Q filed on August 9, 2006.

Based on representations by Acusphere, Inc. that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibit will not be released to the public for the time period specified:

Exhibit 10.2 through October 31, 2023

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Brent J. Fields Secretary