

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
July 23, 2008

ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
File No. 0-49839 - CF#21159

Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibit to a Form 10-Q filed on November 8, 2007.

Based on representations by Idenix Pharmaceuticals, 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 exhibits will not be released to the public for the time periods specified:

Exhibit 10.1	through December 31, 2009
Exhibit 10.2	through December 31, 2009

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

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