

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
August 28, 2009**

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

Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc.

File No. 000-50767 - CF#23776

Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 8-K filed on June 18, 2009.

Based on representations by Cornerstone Therapeutics 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 10.1 through May 22, 2012

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

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