



DIVISION OF
CORPORATION FINANCE

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

April 7, 2021

Robert Foster, Ph.D.
Chief Executive Officer
Hepion Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
399 Thornall Street, First Floor
Edison, NJ 08837

Re: Hepion Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Registration Statement on Form S-3
Filed April 2, 2021
File No. 333-254996

Dear Dr. Foster:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Tim Buchmiller at (202) 551-36735 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance
Office of Life Sciences

cc: Jeffrey J. Fessler, Esq.