

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
January 3, 2018**

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

Summit Therapeutics plc

File No. 001-36866 - CF#35745

Summit Therapeutics plc submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting an extension of a previous grant of confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 20-F filed on May 12, 2016.

Based on representations by Summit Therapeutics plc 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(s) will not be released to the public for the time period(s) specified:

Exhibit 4.20 through December 4, 2020

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

Brent J. Fields
Secretary