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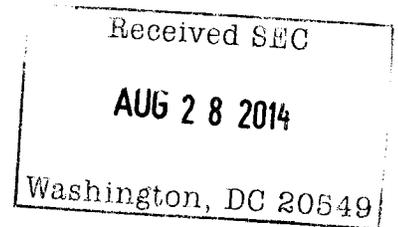
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August 28, 2014

Mr. Jeffrey Thomas  
Chief, IT Services  
Division of Corporation Finance  
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

Dear Mr. Thomas:

This is to certify that on June 19, 2014 The Nasdaq Stock Market (the "Exchange") received from Aurinia Pharmaceuticals Inc. (the "Registrant") a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 40-F 12(b) for the registration of the following security:

Common Shares, no par value

We further certify that the security described above has been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking immediate acceleration of the effective date of registration, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

*William Slattery*