March 19, 2024

Luke Jennings
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NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.
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Re: NGM

Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.

Schedule TO-T/13E-3

filed March 8, 2024

Filed by The Column

Group, LP et al.

File No. 005-90978

Dear Luke Jennings:

 $$\operatorname{\textsc{We}}$$ have reviewed your filing and have the following comments. In some of our

comments, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand your

disclosure.

 $\,$ Please respond to these comments by providing the requested information or advise us as

soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe our comments apply to your facts $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your

response to these comments, we may have additional comments.

Schedule TO-T/13E-3 filed March 8, 2024; Offer to Purchase

Position of Parent and Purchaser Regarding Fairness of the Offer and the Merger, page $18\,$

1. Please revise your disclosure to address all of the factors included in Instruction 2 to Item \$1014\$ of Regulation M-A.

Price Range of Shares; Dividends, page 21

2. It would appear that the top line of the table on page 22 should indicate a high price of \$1.91, rather than

\$1.54. Please revise accordingly, or advise.

Possible Effects of the Offer on the Market for the Shares; Nasdaq Listing; Exchange Act

Registration and Margin Regulations, page 22

3. The disclosure in this section is drafted in such a way as to suggest that there is a

reasonable likelihood

that shares will be purchased in the tender offer without the merger Luke Jennings

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being consummated. Given the Minimum Tender Condition, and what would appear to be

the absence of other problematic conditions, it is unclear why the drafting takes such tone.

Please revise, or advise.

Fees and Expenses, page 57

4. Please revise to provide a reasonably itemized statement of all expenses incurred or

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should include a quantification of legal expenses. Refer to Item 1007(c) Regulation M-A $\,$

and Item 10 of Schedule 13E-3.

We remind you that the filing persons are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff. $\,$

Please direct any questions to David Plattner at 202-551-8094.

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