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Heidy King-Jones, J.D., LL.M. Chief Legal Officer, Proventio Bio

Ms. King-Jones joined Proventio Bio in August 2020 as Chief Legal Officer. Prior to Proventio Bio, she served as Axcella's Corporate Secretary and led legal affairs and strategy outside of intellectual property matters. Prior to joining Axcella, Heidy managed the Corporate Law Department and was lead commercial counsel at Sarepta Therapeutics, Inc. She was responsible for and worked closely with her legal team and management on Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) and NASDAQ matters including shareholder meetings, periodic reports and filings, corporate governance and compensation matters. Heidy also provided legal support for business partners in all Sarepta departments on key projects including drafting, commenting on or negotiating contracts, policies, communications and documents for external and internal use. She was also on Sarepta's promotional review committee, medical review committee, 401(K) committee and the sponsorship and grants committees. Heidy was the legal lead in Sarepta's commercial readiness working group (responsible for negotiating and finalizing key commercial contracts and developing Sarepta's commercial compliance program and policies). Throughout 2017, Heidy was the lead attorney advising on Sarepta's global expansion efforts.

Prior to joining Sarepta, Heidy was an associate in the Securities and Public Company practice group at Ropes & Gray LLP where she focused her practice on representing public companies in corporate matters including mergers, acquisitions, corporate governance issues, SEC filings and compliance matters, initial public offerings and sales of common stock, bonds, debentures and notes. Heidy has experience representing clients in various industries including the utility, technology, retail and pharmaceutical industries. At Ropes & Gray LLP, Heidy also represented pro bono clients on asylum, immigration, medical and housing matters.

Heidy joined the Greater Boston Food Bank Board of Directors in October 2020.

Heidy holds a J.D. and LL.M in International and Comparative Law from Cornell Law School and a B.A. in Psychology and Sociology from Dartmouth College.

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