

SCYNEXIS, Inc.  
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September 11, 2018

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
Division of Corporation Finance  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, DC 20549

Attn: Christine Westbrook

**Re: SCYNEXIS, Inc.**  
**Registration Statement on Form S-3**  
**Filed August 31, 2018**  
**File No. 333-227167**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned registrant hereby requests that the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “*Commission*”) take appropriate action to cause the above-referenced Registration Statement on Form S-3 (the “*Filing*”) to become effective at 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on September 14, 2018, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Sincerely,

/s/ Eric Francois

Eric Francois  
Chief Financial Officer

cc: Marco Taglietti, M.D, *SCYNEXIS, Inc.*  
Matthew B. Hemington, *Cooley llp*  
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