

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

August 21, 2020

Judy Matthews Chief Financial Officer Iterum Therapeutics plc Block 2 Floor 3, Harcourt Centre Harcourt Street Dublin 2 Ireland

> Re: Iterum Therapeutics plc Registration Statement on Form S-1 Filed August 13, 2020 File No. 333-245661

Dear Ms. Matthews:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Margaret Schwartz at 202-551-7153 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Life Sciences