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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM D

Notice of Exempt Offering of Securities

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1. Issuer's Identity

CIK (Filer ID Number)

Previous
Names

X None

Entity Type

<u>0001501796</u> X Corporation

Name of Issuer Limited Partnership

Aura Biosciences, Inc.

Limited Liability Company

Jurisdiction of<br/>Incorporation/OrganizationGeneral PartnershipDELAWAREBusiness TrustOther (Specify)

Year of Incorporation/Organization

X Over Five Years Ago

Within Last Five Years (Specify Year)

Yet to Be Formed

2. Principal Place of Business and Contact Information

Name of Issuer

Aura Biosciences, Inc.

Street Address 1 Street Address 2

**85 BOLTON STREET** 

City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode Phone Number of Issuer

CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS 02140 (617)500-8864

3. Related Persons

Last Name First Name Middle Name

Takhar Karan

Street Address 1 Street Address 2

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode

Cambridge MASSACHUSETTS 02140

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name First Name Middle Name

Johnson David

Street Address 1 Street Address 2

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode

Cambridge MASSACHUSETTS 02140

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**Last Name First Name** Middle Name

de los Pinos, Ph.D. Elisabet

> **Street Address 1 Street Address 2**

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

ZIP/PostalCode City **State/Province/Country** 

Cambridge **MASSACHUSETTS** 02140

**Relationship:** X Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**Last Name** First Name Middle Name

Mariggi, Ph.D. Giovanni

> **Street Address 1 Street Address 2**

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

> State/Province/Country City ZIP/PostalCode

Cambridge **MASSACHUSETTS** 02140

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

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Feder Julie

> **Street Address 1 Street Address 2**

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

> State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode City

**MASSACHUSETTS** Cambridge 02140

**Relationship:** X Executive Officer Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

**Last Name First Name** Middle Name

Parekh, Ph.D. Raj

> **Street Address 1 Street Address 2**

c/o Aura Biosciences, Inc. 85 Bolton Street

> City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode

Cambridge **MASSACHUSETTS** 02140

**Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

## 4. Industry Group

Health Care Agriculture Retailing Banking & Financial Services X Biotechnology Restaurants Commercial Banking Health Insurance Technology

Insurance Hospitals & Physicians Computers Investing

Pharmaceuticals Telecommunications **Investment Banking** Pooled Investment Fund Other Health Care Other Technology

Is the issuer registered as Manufacturing Travel

an investment company under Real Estate Airlines & Airports the Investment Company

Tourism & Travel Services

Commercial Act of 1940? Lodging & Conventions Construction Yes No

Other Banking & Financial Services **REITS & Finance** Other Travel

**Business Services** 

Residential Other Energy

Other Real Estate Coal Mining

**Electric Utilities** 

**Energy Conservation** 

**Environmental Services** 

Oil & Gas

Other Energy

#### 5. Issuer Size

Revenue Range	OR	Aggregate Net Asset Value Range
No Revenues		No Aggregate Net Asset Value
\$1 - \$1,000,000		\$1 - \$5,000,000
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000
\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000		\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000
\$25,000,001 - \$100,000,000		\$50,000,001 - \$100,000,000
Over \$100,000,000		Over \$100,000,000
X Decline to Disclose		Decline to Disclose
Not Applicable		Not Applicable

## 6. Federal Exemption(s) and Exclusion(s) Claimed (select all that apply)

	Investment Company Act Section 3(c)		
Rule 504(b)(1) (not (i), (ii) or (iii))	Section 3(c)(1)	Section 3(c)(9)	
Rule 504 (b)(1)(i)	Section 3(c)(2)	Section 3(c)(10)	
Rule 504 (b)(1)(ii)	Section 3(c)(3)	Section 3(c)(11)	
Rule 504 (b)(1)(iii)	Section 3(c)(4)	Section 3(c)(12)	
X Rule 506(b)	Section 3(c)(5)	Section 3(c)(13)	
Rule 506(c) Securities Act Section 4(a)(5)		. , , ,	
Securites Net Section 4(a)(3)	Section 3(c)(6)	Section 3(c)(14)	
	Section 3(c)(7)		

## 7. Type of Filing

X New Notice Date of First Sale 2021-03-18 First Sale Yet to Occur Amendment

8. Duration of Offering

Does the Issuer intend this offering to last more than one year? Yes X No

9. Type(s) of Securities Offered (select all that apply)

X Equity **Pooled Investment Fund Interests** Debt Tenant-in-Common Securities Option, Warrant or Other Right to Acquire Another Security Mineral Property Securities Security to be Acquired Upon Exercise of Option, Warrant or Other (describe)

Other Right to Acquire Security

## 10. Business Combination Transaction

Is this offering being made in connection with a business combination transaction, such as a merger, acquisition or exchange offer?

Yes X No

#### 11. Minimum Investment

Minimum investment accepted from any outside investor \$0 USD

#### 12. Sales Compensation

Recipient CRD Number X None

(Associated) Broker or Dealer X None (Associated) Broker or Dealer CRD X None

Number

Street Address 1 Street Address 2

City State/Province/Country ZIP/Postal Code

State(s) of Solicitation (select all that apply)
Check "All States" or check individual

All

Check "All States" or check individual

States

Foreign/non-US

States

### 13. Offering and Sales Amounts

Total Offering Amount \$80,483,829 USD or Indefinite

Total Amount Sold \$80,483,829 USD

Total Remaining to be Sold \$0 USD or Indefinite

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

#### 14. Investors

Select if securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, and enter the number of such non-accredited investors who already have invested in the offering.

Regardless of whether securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, enter the total number of investors who already have invested in the offering:

41

## 15. Sales Commissions & Finder's Fees Expenses

Provide separately the amounts of sales commissions and finders fees expenses, if any. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

Sales Commissions \$0 USD Estimate
Finders' Fees \$0 USD Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

#### 16. Use of Proceeds

Provide the amount of the gross proceeds of the offering that has been or is proposed to be used for payments to any of the persons required to be named as executive officers, directors or promoters in response to Item 3 above. If the amount is unknown, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

\$0 USD Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Signature and Submission

Please verify the information you have entered and review the Terms of Submission below before signing and clicking SUBMIT below to file this notice.

Terms of Submission

In submitting this notice, each issuer named above is:

• Notifying the SEC and/or each State in which this notice is filed of the offering of securities described and undertaking to furnish them, upon written request, in the accordance with applicable law, the information furnished to offerees.\*

- Irrevocably appointing each of the Secretary of the SEC and, the Securities Administrator or other legally designated officer of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business and any State in which this notice is filed, as its agents for service of process, and agreeing that these persons may accept service on its behalf, of any notice, process or pleading, and further agreeing that such service may be made by registered or certified mail, in any Federal or state action, administrative proceeding, or arbitration brought against the issuer in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, if the action, proceeding or arbitration (a) arises out of any activity in connection with the offering of securities that is the subject of this notice, and (b) is founded, directly or indirectly, upon the provisions of: (i) the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Investment Company Act of 1940, or the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, or any rule or regulation under any of these statutes, or (ii) the laws of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business or any State in which this notice is filed.
- Certifying that, if the issuer is claiming a Regulation D exemption for the offering, the issuer is not disqualified from relying on Rule 504 or Rule 506 for one of the reasons stated in Rule 504(b)(3) or Rule 506(d).

Each Issuer identified above has read this notice, knows the contents to be true, and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

For signature, type in the signer's name or other letters or characters adopted or authorized as the signer's signature.

Issuer	Signature	Name of Signer	Title	Date
Aura Biosciences, Inc.	/s/ Julie Feder	Julie Feder	Secretary/CFO	2021-04-05

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