

August 8, 2023

Michael Richman
Chief Executive Officer
NextCure, Inc.
9000 Virginia Manor Road, Suite 200
Beltsville, Maryland 20705

Re: NextCure, Inc.
Registration

Statement on Form S-3

2023

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Dear Michael Richman:

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 Dillon

Hagius at 202-551-7967 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance

Office of Life Sciences

cc:

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