Matthew Kane President and Chief Executive Officer Precision BioSciences, Inc. 302 East Pettigrew St., Suite A-100 Durham, NC 27701

> Re: Precision BioSciences, Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-1 Response dated March 13, 2019 File No. 333-230034

Dear Mr. Kane:

We have reviewed your March 13, 2019 response to our comment letter and have the following comment.

Please respond to this letter by amending your registration statement and providing the requested information. If you do not believe our comment applies to your facts

circumstances or do not believe an amendment is appropriate, please tell us why in your

response.

After reviewing your response to this comment, we may have additional

Unless we note otherwise, our references to prior comments are to comments in our March 6, 2019 letter.

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We acknowledge your March 13, 2019 response to comment 1 of our March 6, 2019 letter

and your election to account for your 2019 Notes under the fair value option. Please tell

us why the fair value of your 2019 Notes is \$39.6 million upon the pro forma completion

of your offering when at least \$46.6 million worth of your common stock will be issued to

settle these notes.

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You may contact Mark Brunhofer at 202-551-3638 or Mary Mast at 202-551-3613 if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters. Please contact Jeffrey Gabor at 202-551-2544 or Joe McCann at 202-551-6262 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

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