## PepGen Inc.

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## VIA EDGAR

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance Office of Life Sciences 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Attn: Alan Campbell

Re: PepGen Inc.

Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-272378)

**Request for Acceleration of Effective Date** 

To whom it may concern:

Pursuant to Rule 461 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, PepGen Inc. (the "*Company*") hereby respectfully requests that the effective date of the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-272378), be accelerated by the Securities and Exchange Commission to 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, on June 16, 2023, or as soon thereafter as possible.

We request that we be notified of such effectiveness by a telephone call to Alicia M. Tschirhart of Goodwin Procter LLP at (415) 733 6156 and that such effectiveness also be confirmed in writing.

Very truly yours,

PepGen Inc.

By: /s/ James McArthur, Ph.D.

Name: James McArthur, Ph.D. Title: Chief Executive Officer

cc: James Xu, *Goodwin Procter LLP*Alicia M. Tschirhart, *Goodwin Procter LLP*