

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

April 29, 2024

Bas van der Baan Chief Executive Officer Lixte Biotechnology Holdings, Inc. 680 East Colorado Boulevard, Suite 180 Pasadena, California 91101

> Re: Lixte Biotechnology Holdings, Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed April 23, 2024 File No. 333-278874

Dear Bas van der Baan:

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 Tim Buchmiller at 202-551-3635 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Life Sciences

cc: David Ficksman, Esq.