

LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the New York State Urban Development Corporation, doing business as Empire State Development (“ESD” or the “Corporation”), pursuant to Section 16(2) of the New York State Urban Development Corporation Act (Chapter 174, Section 1, Laws of 1968, as amended) (the “Act”), has adopted a General Project Plan (the “Plan”) with respect to the project listed below. Copies of the Plan(s) are available without charge to any person who shall make a request.

The Corporation will file such Plan(s) in the office of the County Clerk of each Project location. A copy of the Plan is also on file at the principal office of the Corporation, 633 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10017, and is available for inspection by request. Send email requests to: Landprojectcomments@esd.ny.gov Subject: The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York – Life Science Initiative Fund (Capital and Working Capital Grant). Information regarding the Project is also provided below with the project listing.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that, a virtual public hearing to consider the Plan(s), open to all persons, will be held remotely by the Corporation on **Friday, January 20, 2023, from 2 -3 p.m.** utilizing the Zoom video communications and teleconferencing platform. Detailed instructions for participation in the virtual hearing can be viewed at <https://esd.ny.gov/esd-media-center/public-notices>. Additionally, the public is given an opportunity to comment on the Project(s) by submitting comments electronically to Landprojectcomments@esd.ny.gov Subject: Comment – The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York – Life Science Initiative Fund (Capital and Working Capital Grant) by 5:30 p.m. on **Friday, January 20, 2023**.

The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York – Life Science Initiative Fund (Capital and Working Capital Grant) – New York (New York City Region – New York County) - \$1,000,000 grant in connection with the recruitment of Dr. Simon John, a recognized expert in the use of animal models to develop a new understanding of and therapies for the treatment of a variety of blinding eye conditions, from The Jackson Laboratory in Bar Harbor, Maine. Total project cost is \$3,000,000. Although the primary goal of this project is not job creation, 14 jobs have been created to date.

DATED: January 10, 2023
New York, New York

New York State Urban Development Corporation
By: Deborah Royce, Corporate Secretary