Trevena, Inc. 955 Chesterbrook Boulevard, Suite 110 Chesterbrook, Pennsylvania 19087

December 1, 2020

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United States Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance Office of Life Sciences 100 F Street NE Washington, D.C. 20549 Attn: Courtney Lindsay

Re: Trevena, Inc.

Registration Statement on Form S-3

Filed November 27, 2020 (File No. 333-251006)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 461 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Trevena, Inc. (the "Company") hereby requests that the effective date of the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-251006) (the "Registration Statement") be accelerated so that the Company's Registration Statement will become effective at 4:01 PM, Eastern Time, on December 4, 2020, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Please contact Brian M. Katz, Esq. of Troutman Pepper Hamilton Sanders LLP, counsel to the Company, at (215) 981-4193 to provide notice of effectiveness, or if you have any questions or comments concerning this request.

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Very truly yours,

TREVENA, INC.

By: /s/ Carrie L. Bourdow

Name: Carrie L. Bourdow

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Acceleration Request]