Robert Blum President and Chief Executive Officer Cytokinetics, Incorporated 280 East Grand Avenue South San Francisco, CA 94080

> Re: Cytokinetics, Incorporated Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed May 9, 2019 File No. 333-231348

Dear Mr. Blum:

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 Joseph McCann at (202) 551-6262 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of

Corporation Finance

Healthcare & Insurance

Office of