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U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549-3720 Attention: Jeffrey Gabor

Re: Theravance Biopharma, Inc.

Dear Mr. Gabor:

On behalf of Theravance Biopharma, Inc. (the "Company"), the Company respectfully notes it is in receipt of the oral comment received on June 22, 2017 from the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Staff") whereby the Staff has requested the Company, in future filings, expand its disclosure regarding its license agreement with Janssen Pharmaceuticals to include the royalty rate and expiration term. In response to the Staff's comment, the Company hereby acknowledges it will include such disclosure in future filings.

Please contact me at (650) 463-5353 if you have any questions about this submission.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ David T. Young

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cc: Renee D. Gala, Senior VP and Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer Theravance Biopharma, Inc.

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