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ALZAMEND NEURO, INC. 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103 Atlanta, GA 30326

March 31, 2023

## Dear Stockholder:

You are cordially invited to attend the 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders ("Annual Meeting") of Alzamend Neuro, Inc. ("Alzamend Neuro") The meeting will be held on April 26, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. ET. The Annual Meeting will be held in a virtual meeting format only. You can attend the Annual Meeting online and vote your shares electronically during the Annual Meeting by visiting www.meetnow.global/MA2FCW7 .. You will not be able to attend the meeting in person.

Details regarding admission to the meeting and the business to be conducted are more fully described in the accompanying Notice of 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and proxy statement.

The agenda for this Annual Meeting includes the election of seven (7) directors, an advisory vote on the compensation paid to our named executive officers, an advisory vote on the frequency of future advisory votes on the compensation paid to our named executive officers, and the ratification of the appointment of Baker Tilly US, LLP as Alzamend Neuro's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2023.

Your vote is very important. Whether or not you plan to attend the Annual Meeting, please carefully review the proxy statement and then cast your vote, regardless of the number of shares you hold. If you are a stockholder of record, you may vote over the Internet, by telephone, or by completing, signing, dating and mailing the accompanying proxy card in the return envelope. Submitting your vote via the Internet in advance of the Annual Meeting or by telephone or proxy card will not affect your right to vote during the Annual Meeting if you decide to attend the Annual Meeting. If your shares are held in street name (held for your account by a broker or other nominee), you will receive instructions from your broker or other nominee explaining how to vote your shares, and you will have the option to cast your vote by telephone or over the Internet in advance of the Annual Meeting if your voting instruction form from your broker or nominee includes instructions and a toll-free telephone number or Internet website to do so. In any event, to be sure that your vote will be received in time, please cast your vote by your choice of available means at your earliest convenience.

We hope that you will join us on April 26, 2023. Your continuing interest in Alzamend Neuro is very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

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/s/ Stephan Jackman

Stephan Jackman Chief Executive Officer

You are cordially invited to attend the Annual Meeting. Whether or not you expect to attend the Annual Meeting virtually, please vote by telephone, through the Internet or by completing and returning the proxy card mailed to you, as promptly as possible in order to ensure your representation at the Annual Meeting. Voting instructions are printed on your proxy card and included in the accompanying Proxy Statement. If you participate virtually in the Annual Meeting, you may vote at that time, even if you previously submitted your vote. Please note, however, that if your shares are held of record by a brokerage firm, bank or other agent and you wish to vote at the Annual Meeting, you must obtain a proxy issued in your name from that agent in order to vote your shares that are held in such agent's name and account.

#### ALZAMEND NEURO, INC. 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103

Atlanta, GA 30326

## NOTICE OF 2023 ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

12:00 p.m., Eastern time

Date Wednesday, April 26, 2023

Virtual Meeting The Annual Meeting will be a virtual meeting through which you can listen to the meeting and vote online. To access the virtual meeting please click the Virtual Stockholder Meeting link: www.meetnow.global/MA2FCW7. To login to the virtual meeting you have two options: Join as a "Guest" or Join as a "Stockholder." If you join as a "Stockholder" you will be required to have a control number. Stockholders attending the virtual meeting will be afforded the same rights and opportunities to participate as they would at an in-person meeting.

- To elect the Board of Directors' nominees, William B. Horne, Stephan Jackman, Henry Nisser, Mark Gustafson, Lynne F. McGrath, Andrew Purpose (1)H. Woo and Jeffrey Oram, as members of the Board of Directors, to serve until the 2024 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and until their successors are duly elected and qualified.
  - (2) To approve, on advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers, as disclosed in this proxy statement.
  - (3)To indicate, on an advisory basis, the preferred frequency of stockholder advisory votes on the compensation of our named executive officers.
  - (4) To ratify the selection of Baker Tilly US, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2023.
  - (5) To transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

These items of business are more fully described in the proxy statement accompanying this notice.

**Record** Date The Board of Directors has fixed the close of business on March 31, 2023 as the record date for determining stockholders entitled to notice of and to vote at the meeting.

> A list of stockholders entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting will be available for inspection by any stockholder of record for purposes germane to the Annual Meeting for a period of ten (10) days prior to the Annual Meeting. Please contact the Secretary of the Company to make arrangements to inspect the list. In addition, during the Annual Meeting, that list of stockholders will be available for examination by any stockholder of record.

By order of the Board of Directors,

/s/ Stephan Jackman

Stephan Jackman Chief Executive Officer

Atlanta, Georgia March 31, 2023

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Alzamend Neuro 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to Be Held on April 26, 2023. This Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders and the accompanying Proxy Statement are available on the Internet at www.envisionreports.com/ALZN for registered holders and http://www.edocumentview.com/ALZN for street holders.

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## ALZAMEND NEURO, INC. 3480 PEACHTREE ROAD NE, SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 103 ATLANTA, GA 30326

PROXY STATEMENT FOR THE 2023 ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS TO BE HELD ON APRIL 26, 2023 AT 12:00 P.M. ET

## GENERAL INFORMATION

## When are this proxy statement and the accompanying materials scheduled to be sent to stockholders?

On or about April 7, 2023, we mailed you the Notice of 2023 Annual Meeting of Stockholders ("*Notice of Annual Meeting*"), this proxy statement, a proxy card and the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended April 30, 2022 (collectively, the "*Proxy Materials*"). The Proxy Materials are also available on the Internet at www.envisionreports.com/ALZN for registered holders and http://www.edocumentview.com/ALZN for street holders.

As used in this proxy statement, "we," "us," "our," "Alzamend Neuro" and "the Company" refer to Alzamend Neuro, Inc. The term "Annual Meeting," as used in this proxy statement, includes any adjournment or postponement of such meeting.

## Why is Alzamend Neuro conducting a virtual Annual Meeting?

Due to the public health crisis relating to COVID-19, we believe that utilizing the virtual meeting format will help protect the health and well-being of our directors, employees and stockholders who wish to attend the Annual Meeting. Stockholders attending the virtual meeting will be afforded the same rights and opportunities to participate as they would at an in-person meeting, including the ability to vote. We believe that hosting a virtual meeting is in the best interest of our stockholders and enables increased stockholder attendance and participation considering the current circumstances.

## How do I attend the Annual Meeting?

The Annual Meeting will be a completely virtual meeting of stockholders, which will be conducted exclusively by webcast. You are entitled to participate in the Annual Meeting only if you were a stockholder of the Company as of the close of business on the Record Date, or if you hold a valid proxy for the Annual Meeting. No physical meeting will be held.

You will be able to attend the Annual Meeting online by visiting www.meetnow.global/MA2FCW7. To log in to the virtual meeting you have two options: Join as a "Guest" or Join as a "Stockholder." If you join as a "Stockholder" you will be required to have a control number. You also will be able to vote your shares online by attending the Annual Meeting by webcast.

To participate in the Annual Meeting, you will need to review the information included on your Notice of Annual Meeting, on your proxy card or on the instructions that accompanied your Proxy Materials.

If you hold your shares through an intermediary, such as a bank or broker, you must register in advance using the instructions below. The online meeting will begin promptly at 12:00 p.m., Eastern Time. We encourage you to access the meeting prior to the start time leaving ample time for the check in. Please follow the registration instructions as outlined in this proxy statement.

## How do I register to attend the Annual Meeting virtually on the Internet?

If you are a registered stockholder (i.e., you hold your shares through our transfer agent, Computershare Trust Company, N.A. (*Computershare*")), you do not need to register to attend the Annual Meeting virtually on the Internet. Please follow the instructions on the notice or proxy card that you received.

If you hold your shares through an intermediary, such as a bank or broker, you must register in advance to attend the Annual Meeting virtually on the Internet.

To register to attend the Annual Meeting online by webcast you must submit proof of your proxy power (legal proxy) reflecting your ownership of Common Stock along with your name and email address to Computershare. Requests for registration must be labeled as "Legal Proxy" and be received no later than 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on April 25, 2023. You will receive a confirmation of your registration by email after we receive your registration materials.

Requests for registration should be directed to Computershare by:

By email: Forward the email from your broker, or attach an image of your legal proxy, to legalproxy@computershare.com

By mail: Computershare Trust Company, N.A. Alzamend Neuro Legal Proxy P.O. Box 43001 Providence, RI 02940-3001

## When is the record date for the Annual Meeting?

The Board of Directors (the "Board") has fixed the record date for the Annual Meeting as of the close of business on March 31, 2023.

#### Who can vote at the Annual Meeting?

Only stockholders of record at the close of business on March 31, 2023 will be entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. On the record date, a total of 96,940,124 shares of common stock of the Company were issued and outstanding and entitled to vote. Each share of common stock is entitled to one vote on each matter.

### Stockholder of Record: Shares Registered in Your Name

If on March 31, 2023, your shares were registered directly in your name with Computershare, then you are a stockholder of record. As a stockholder of record, you may vote at the meeting, vote by proxy over the telephone or through the internet, or vote by proxy using the proxy card that was sent to you in the Proxy Materials. Whether or not you plan to attend the meeting, we urge you to vote by proxy to ensure that your vote is counted.

## Beneficial Owner: Shares Registered in the Name of a Broker, Bank or Similar Organization

If on March 31, 2023, your shares were held, not in your name, but rather in an account at a brokerage firm, bank, dealer or other similar organization (the *record holder*"), then you are the beneficial owner of shares held in "street name" and the Proxy Materials are being made available to you by the record holder, along with voting instructions. As the beneficial owner, you have the right to direct the record holder how to vote your shares, and the record holder is required to vote your shares in accordance with your instructions. If you do not give instructions to your record holder, it will not be entitled to vote your shares on any proposal.

As the beneficial owner of shares, you are invited to attend the Annual Meeting. If you are a beneficial owner, however, you may not vote your shares at the Annual Meeting unless you obtain a legal proxy, executed in your favor, from the record holder of your shares.

## How do I vote?

Either (1) mail your completed and signed proxy card(s) to Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326, Attention: Corporate Secretary, (2) call the toll-free number printed on your proxy card(s) and follow the recorded instructions or (3) visit the website indicated on your proxy card(s) and follow the on-line instructions. If you are a registered stockholder and attend the Annual Meeting, then you may deliver your completed proxy card(s) or vote pursuant to the instructions on the proxy card. If your shares are held by your broker or bank, in "street name," then you will receive a form from your broker or bank seeking instructions as to how your shares should be voted. If you do not give instructions to your record holder, it will nevertheless be entitled to vote your shares in its discretion on the ratification of the appointment of the independent registered public accounting firm (Proposal No. 4), but not on any other proposal.

Internet proxy voting may be provided to allow you to vote your shares online, with procedures designed to ensure the authenticity and correctness of your proxy vote instructions. However, please be aware that you must bear any costs associated with your internet access, such as usage charges from internet access providers and telephone companies.

## What are the Board's recommendations on how to vote my shares?

The Board recommends a vote:

Proposal 1: FOR the election of the seven (7) director nominees (page 5);

Proposal 2: FOR the advisory vote on the executive compensation paid to our named executive officers (page 16);

Proposal 3: FOR every Three Years as the preferred frequency of stockholder advisory votes on the executive compensation of our named executive officers (page 17); and

Proposal 4: FOR ratification of the selection of Baker Tilly US, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm (page 18).

## Who pays the cost for soliciting proxies?

We will pay the entire cost of soliciting proxies. In addition to these Proxy Materials, our directors and employees may also solicit proxies in person, by telephone, or by other means of communication. Directors and employees will not be paid any additional compensation for soliciting proxies. We will also reimburse brokers, banks, custodians, other nominees and fiduciaries for forwarding these materials to their principals to obtain the authorization for the execution of proxies.

#### If I am a stockholder of record and I do not vote, or if I return a proxy card or otherwise vote but do not make specific choices?

If you are a stockholder of record and do not vote by completing your proxy card, by telephone, through the internet or online at the annual meeting, your shares will not be voted.

If you return a signed and dated proxy card or otherwise vote without marking voting selections, your shares will be voted, as applicable, "For" the election of each nominee for director, "For" the advisory approval of executive compensation, for "Three Years" as the preferred frequency of advisory stockholder vote to approve executive compensation and "For" ratification of the selection of Baker Tilly US, LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm. If any other matter is properly presented at the meeting, your proxyholder (one of the individuals named on your proxy card) will vote your shares using his or her best judgment.

#### If I am a beneficial owner of shares held in street name and I do not provide my broker or bank with voting instructions, what happens?

If you are a beneficial owner of shares held in street name and you do not instruct your broker, bank or other agent how to vote your shares, your broker, bank or other agent may still be able to vote your shares in its discretion. Under the rules of the New York Stock Exchange ("*NYSE*"), brokers, banks and other securities intermediaries that are subject to NYSE rules may use their discretion to vote your "uninstructed" shares with respect to matters considered to be "routine" under NYSE rules, but not with respect to "non-routine" matters. Proposals 1, 2 and 3 are considered to be "non-routine" matter under NYSE rules meaning that your broker may not vote your shares on those proposals in the absence of your voting instructions. However, Proposal 4 is considered to be a "routine" matter under NYSE rules meaning that if you do not return voting instructions to your broker in its discretion on Proposal 4.

# If you are a beneficial owner of shares held in street name, and you do not plan to attend the meeting, in order to ensure that your shares are voted in the way you would prefer, you <u>must</u> provide voting instructions to your broker, bank or other agent by the deadline provided in the materials that you receive from your broker, bank or other agent.

## Can I change my vote?

## Stockholder of Record: Shares Registered in Your Name

Yes. If you are the stockholder of record for your shares, you may revoke your proxy at any time before the final vote at the Annual Meeting in one of the following ways:

- by notifying our Secretary in writing at 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326 that you are revoking your proxy;
- by submitting another properly completed proxy with a later date;
- by transmitting a subsequent vote over the Internet or by telephone prior to by 1:00 a.m., Eastern Time on April 26, 2023; or
- by attending and voting online during the Annual Meeting.

## Beneficial Owner: Shares Registered in the Name of a Broker, Bank or Similar Organization

If your shares are held in street name, you must contact your broker or nominee for instructions as to how to change your vote. Your attendance at the Annual Meeting does not revoke your proxy. Your last vote, whether prior to or at the Annual Meeting, is the vote that we will count.

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#### How is a quorum reached?

A quorum of stockholders is necessary to hold a valid meeting. A quorum will be present if stockholders holding at least a majority of the outstanding shares entitled to vote are present at the Annual Meeting or represented by proxy. Shares held of record by stockholders or brokers, bankers or other nominees who do not return a valid proxy or attend the Annual Meeting will not be considered present or represented at the Annual Meeting and will not be counted in determining the presence of a quorum. The inspectors of election appointed for the Annual Meeting will determine whether a quorum is present.

Abstentions and broker non-votes, if any, will be counted for purposes of determining whether a quorum is present for the transaction of business at the meeting. If there is no quorum, the chairperson of the Annual Meeting or the holders of a majority of shares present at the Annual Meeting or represented by proxy may adjourn the Annual Meeting to another date.

#### What are "broker non-votes"?

As discussed above, when a beneficial owner of shares held in "street name" does not give instructions to the broker or nominee holding the shares as to how to vote on matters deemed to be "non-routine," the broker or nominee cannot vote the shares. These unvoted shares are counted as "broker non-votes."

## What vote is required to approve each item and how are votes counted?

The following table summarizes the minimum vote needed to approve each proposal and the effect of abstentions and broker non-votes, provided that votes on proposals 2 and 3 is advisory and therefore not binding on the Board or the Company.

Proposal			Effect of	Effect of Broker	
Number	<b>Proposal Description</b>	Vote Required for Approval	Abstentions	Non-Votes	Matter
1	Election of Directors	Directors will be elected by a plurality of the votes cast by the	No effect	No effect	Non-routine
		holders of shares present or represented by proxy and entitled to			
		vote on the election of directors. The seven (7) nominees receiving			
		the most "For" votes will be elected as directors.			

2	Advisory approval of the executive"For" votes from the holders of a majority of the voting power of compensation of our named executivethe shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to officers vote on the matter.	Against	No effect	Non-routine
3	Advisory vote on the frequency of the frequency receiving the most votes of the holders of the voting stockholder advisory votes onpower of the shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to vote on the matter.	No effect	No effect	Non-routine
4	Ratification of the selection of Baker For' votes from the holders of a majority of the voting power of Tilly US, LLP as the Company's the shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to independent registered public vote on the matter.	Against	Not applicable <sup>(1)</sup>	Routine

(1) This proposal is considered to be a "routine" matter. Accordingly, if you hold your shares in street name and do not provide voting instructions to your broker, bank or other agent that holds your shares, your broker, bank or other agent has discretionary authority to vote your shares on this proposal.

#### Could other matters be decided at the Annual Meeting?

accounting firm

We do not know of any other matters that may be presented for action at the Annual Meeting. Should any other business come before the meeting, the persons named on the proxy will have discretionary authority to vote the shares represented by such proxies in accordance with their best judgment. If you hold shares through a broker, bank or other nominee as described above, they will not be able to vote your shares on any other business that comes before the Annual Meeting unless they receive instructions from you with respect to such matter.

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#### What happens if the meeting is postponed or adjourned?

Your proxy may be voted at the postponed or adjourned meeting. You will still be able to change your proxy until it is voted.

### How can I find out the results of the voting at the Annual Meeting?

Preliminary voting results will be announced at the Annual Meeting. Final voting results will be published in a Current Report on Form 8-K, or Form 8-K, that we expect to file with the SEC within four business days after the Annual Meeting. If final voting results are not available to us in time to file a Form 8-K within four business days after the Annual Meeting, we intend to file a Form 8-K to publish preliminary results and, within four business days after the final results are known to us, file an additional Form 8-K to publish the final results.

## What does it mean if I receive more than one set of Proxy Materials?

It means that your shares may be registered in one or more names or multiple accounts at the transfer agent or with brokers. Please complete, sign and return each proxy card to ensure that all of your shares are voted.

## I share the same address with another stockholder of the Company. Why has our household only received one set of proxy materials?

The rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission's ("SEC") permit us to deliver a single set of proxy materials to one address shared by two or more of our stockholders. This practice, known as "householding," is intended to reduce the Company's printing and postage costs. We have delivered only one set of proxy materials to stockholders who hold their shares through a bank, broker or other holder of record and share a single address, unless we received contrary instructions from any stockholder at that address.

#### When are stockholder proposals due for the 2024 Annual Meeting of Stockholders?

If you wish to submit proposals for inclusion in our proxy statement for the 2024 annual meeting of stockholders, or the 2024 Annual Meeting, we must receive them on or before December 9, 2023. Nothing in this paragraph shall require us to include in our proxy statement and proxy card for the 2024 Annual Meeting any stockholder proposal that does not meet the requirements of the SEC in effect at the time. Any such proposal will be subject to Rule 14a-8 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "*Exchange Act*").

If you wish to nominate a director or submit a proposal for presentation at the 2024 Annual Meeting, without including such proposal in next year's proxy statement, you must be a stockholder of record and provide timely notice in writing to our Secretary at c/o Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326. To be timely, we must receive the notice not less than 90 days nor more than 120 days prior to the first anniversary of the Annual Meeting, that is, between December 28, 2023 and January 26, 2024; provided, however, that in the event that the date of the 2024 Annual Meeting is more than 30 days before or more than 60 days after such anniversary date, we must receive your notice (a) no earlier than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the currently proposed 2024 Annual Meeting and (b) no later than the close of business on the later of the 90th day prior to the 2024 Annual Meeting or the 10th day following the day on which we first make a public announcement of the date of the 2024 Annual Meeting. Your written notice must contain specific information required in Section 2.15 of our amended and restated bylaws ("*Bylaws*"). For additional information about our director nomination requirements, please see our Bylaws.

## Who should I call if I have any additional questions?

If you are the stockholder of record for your shares, please call the Company at (844) 722-6333. If your shares are held in street name, please contact the telephone number provided on your voting instruction form or contact your broker or nominee holder directly.

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## **PROPOSAL 1: ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

#### General

At the Annual Meeting, the stockholders will elect seven (7) directors to serve until the next annual meeting of stockholders or until their respective successors are elected and qualified. Vacancies on the Board may be filled only by persons elected by a majority of the remaining directors. A director elected by the Board to fill a vacancy, including vacancies created by an increase in the number of directors, shall serve for the remainder of the term and until the director's successor is duly elected and qualified. There are currently no vacancies on the Board.

Upon the recommendation of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, our Board has nominated the seven (7) individuals listed in the table below for

election as directors at the Annual Meeting. Each of the nominees listed below is currently a director of the Company. If you elect the nominees listed below, they will each hold office until the 2024 Annual Meeting and until each of their successors has been duly elected and qualified, or, if sooner, until the director's death, resignation or removal. All nominees are currently serving on our Board and have consented to being named in this proxy statement and to serve if elected.

If any nominee is unable or does not qualify to serve, you or your proxy may vote for another nominee proposed by the Board. If, for any reason, these nominees prove unable or unwilling to stand for election or cease to qualify to serve as directors, the Board will nominate alternates or reduce the size of the Board to eliminate the vacancies. The Board has no reason to believe that any of the nominees would prove unable to serve if elected.

#### Vote Required

Directors are elected by a plurality of the votes of the shares present during the meeting or represented by proxy and entitled to vote on the election of directors. Accordingly, the seven (7) nominees receiving the most "FOR" votes will be elected as directors. You may not vote your shares cumulatively for the election of directors. Shares represented by executed proxies will be voted, if authority to do so is not withheld, for the election of the three nominees named above. If any nominee becomes unavailable for election because of an unexpected occurrence, your shares will be voted for the election of a substitute nominee proposed by our Board. Your proxy cannot be voted for a greater number of persons than the number of director nominees named in this proxy statement.

#### **Our Recommendation**

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE FOR EACH OF THESE DIRECTOR NOMINEES FOR DIRECTOR (PROPOSAL 1 ON YOUR PROXY CARD)

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## INFORMATION ABOUT OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

			<b>Director</b>
<u>Nominees</u>	<u>Age <sup>(1)</sup></u>	Position(s) Held	Since
William B. Horne	54	Chairman of the Board	2016
Stephan Jackman	47	Chief Executive Officer and Director	2020
Henry Nisser	54	Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Director	2020
Mark Gustafson	63	Director	2021
Lynne F. McGrath	68	Director	2021
Andrew H. Woo	60	Director	2021
Jeffrey Oram	55	Director	2021

(1) Ages as of March 31, 2023.

The principal occupation, business experience and education of each nominee for election as director and each continuing and retiring director are set forth below. Unless otherwise indicated, principal occupations shown for each director have extended for five or more years.

William B. Horne has served as a director of our company since June 2016 and upon the effectiveness of our initial public offering in June 2021, Mr. Horne become our Chairman of the Board. Mr. Horne served as our Chief Financial Officer from June 2016 through December 2018. Mr. Horne has been a member of the board of directors of Ault Alliance, Inc. ("Ault Alliance") since October 2016. In January 2018, Mr. Horne was appointed as Ault Alliance's Chief Financial Officer until August 2020, when he resigned as its Chief Financial Officer and was appointed as its President. On January 12, 2021, Mr. Horne resigned as Ault Alliance's President and became its Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Executive Officer of Ault Disruptive"), since its inception in February 2021. Mr. Horne has a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Financial Officer of Ault Disruptive"), since its inception in February 2021. Mr. Horne has a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has served as a director and Chief Financial Officer of Avalanche since June 2016. Mr. Horne has a Bachelor of Arts Magna Cum Laude in Accounting from Seattle University. We believe that Mr. Horne's extensive financial and accounting experience in diversified industries and with companies involving complex transactions give him the qualifications and skills to serve as one of our directors.

Stephan Jackman joined our company as Chief Executive Officer in November 2018. Mr. Jackman was elected as a director in September 2020. He has played an intricate role in the development of therapeutic treatments, products and programs from the research stage to market and commercialization. Mr. Jackman has demonstrated a dedicated dual focus of creating value for internal and external stakeholders while developing strategic alliances and cross-function teams to meet and exceed goals. Prior to joining our company, from October 2017 to November 2018, Mr. Jackman was the Chief Operating Officer of Ennaid Therapeutics, an emerging biopharmaceutical company focusing on cures for mosquito borne infectious diseases such as Zika and Dengue viruses. From October 2015 to October 2017, Mr. Jackman was Chief Operating Officer of Exit 9 Technologies, a technology startup with a digital platform that connects retailers, publishers and customers. Additionally, from August 2014 to October 2015, he was an independent project and management consultant assisting startups, Fortune 500 companies and non-profits with major strategic initiatives. He has also held positions of Science in Management and a Bachelor of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering from Stevens Institute of Technology. Mr. Jackman's 15 years of experience in life sciences and growth companies, day-to-day operational leadership of our company and in-depth knowledge of our drug candidates make him well qualified as a member of the Board.

Henry C.W. Nisser has served as our Executive Vice President and General Counsel on a part-time basis since May 2019. Mr. Nisser was appointed as a director in September 2020. Since May 2019, Mr. Nisser has served as the Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Ault Alliance and as one of its directors since September 2020; he became Ault Alliance's President on January 12, 2021. Since February 2021, Mr. Nisser has served as the President, General Counsel and a director of Ault Disruptive. Mr. Nisser is the Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Avalanche. From October 2011 through April 2019, Mr. Nisser was an associate and subsequently a partner with Sichenzia Ross Ference LLP, a law firm in New York. While with this law firm, his practice was concentrated on national and international corporate law, with a particular focus on U.S. securities compliance, public as well as private M&A, equity and debt financings and corporate governance. Mr. Nisser drafted and negotiated a variety of agreements related to reorganizations, share and asset purchases, indentures, public and private offerings, tender offers and going private transactions. Mr. Nisser is fluent in French and Swedish, as well as conversant in Italian. Mr. Nisser received his B.A. degree from Connecticut College, where he majored in International Relations and Economics. He received his LL.B. from University of Buckingham School of Law in the United Kingdom. We believe that Mr. Nisser's extensive legal experience involving complex transactions and comprehensive knowledge of securities laws and corporate governance requirements applicable to listed companies give him the qualifications and skills to serve as one of our directors.

with over 35 years of corporate, private and public company experience. Since January 2023, Mr. Gustafson has been a director and non-executive Chairman of BrainLuxury, Inc., a private U.S. company that is developing and selling nutrients for the brain. Since April 2021, Mr. Gustafson has been the Chief Financial Officer, and since January 2022, a director, for PharmaKure Limited, a private London-based biopharmaceutical company dedicated to the treatment of neurodegenerative diseases. Since December 2021, Mr. Gustafson has served as an independent director and Chairman of the Audit Committee of Ault Disruptive. Since June 2020, Mr. Gustafson has served as the founder and director of Alpha Helium Inc., a private Canadian-based company helium exploration company. From 2014 to 2020, he was the Chief Executive Officer of Challenger Acquisitions Limited, a London Stock Exchange listed entertainment company. From 2010 to 2012, Mr. Gustafson was the President and Chief Executive Officer of Euromax Resources Limited, a Toronto Stock Exchange listed mineral exploration company. From 2005 to 2009, he served as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Triangle Energy Corporation, a New York Stock Exchange listed oil and gas exploration company, from 2004 to 2006, he served as President and Chief Executive Officer of Torrent Energy Corporation, a private oil and gas company, and from 2001 to 2002, he served as a financial consultant for Samson Oil & Gas and Peavine Resources, two private oil and gas companies. From 1997 to 1999, Mr. Gustafson served as President and Chief Executive Officer of Total Energy Services Ltd., a Toronto Stock Exchange listed oilfield services company, from 1993 to 1995, he served as the Chief Financial Officer of Q/media Software Corporation, a Toronto Stock Exchange listed software company, and from 1987 to 1993, he served initially as the Chief Financial Officer and then as a Vice President in charge of two operating divisions at EnServ Corporation, a Toronto Stock Exchange listed oilfield services company. From 1981 to 1987, he served as an audit manager at Price Waterhouse in Calgary Alberta. Mr. Gustafson received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Wilfrid Laurier University. Mr. Gustafson has been a Chartered Accountant since 1983. We believe that Mr. Gustafson's over 35 years of corporate, private and public company operational and financial experience gives him the qualifications and skills to serve as one of our directors and as Chairman of the Audit Committee.

Lynne Fahey McGrath, M.P.H., Ph.D. joined our Board of Directors in June 2021. Dr. McGrath has served as a consultant to various companies in the biopharmaceutical industry, including: to the executive team of Nobias Therapeutics, Inc., a biotechnology product development company, between May 2020 and December 2021; a regulatory consultant with FoxKiser, LLC, a biotechnology consulting firm, from August 2018 to March 2020; and a regulatory consultant with Catalyst Healthcare Consulting, a biotechnology consulting firm, from 2020 to 2021. Dr. McGrath was a senior lead and Vice President of Regulatory Affairs at Regenxbio, Inc., where she headed global strategy for its portfolio of gene therapy products, from April 2015 to July 2018. Previously, she held senior positions at Novartis Corporation including Vice President, Global Head of Regulatory Affairs at Novartis Consumer Health and U.S. Head of Regulatory Affairs at Novartis Consecutive a B.S. degree from the University of Connecticut, M.S. in Environmental Science from Rutgers University and M.P.H. and Ph.D. in Public Health from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey Robert Wood Johnson Medical School. We believe that Dr. McGrath's expertise in regulatory affairs and pharmaceutical product development across a range of therapeutic categories and her more than 30 years of experience directing worldwide approvals of more than 50 new drugs and indications makes her well qualified to serve as one of our directors.

Andrew H. Woo, M.D., Ph.D. joined our Board of Directors in June 2021. Dr. Woo is in private practice at Santa Monica Neurological Consultants and serves as an Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurology at the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA and Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. He also serves on the board for the Multiple Sclerosis Association of America and its Navigating MS International Steering Committee. He has been presented with UCLA clinical faculty teaching awards in 2006, 2012 and 2019 and is listed in America's Top Physicians by the Consumer Research Council of America and Castle Connolly America's Top Doctors 2006, 2007, 2010-2021, Southern California Super Doctors since 2008, and Los Angeles Magazine Top Doctors. He is an invited speaker at the Muntada International Symposium in Abu Dhabi. Dr. Woo received his B.A. from Cornell University and completed his M.D. and Ph.D. in Neuroimmunology in the Department of Molecular and Cell Biology at Brown University. He completed his medicine internship at Weil-Cornell Presbyterian Hospital/Cornell Medical Center in New York, his neurology residency at UCLA, and his fellowship in neurophysiology at Harbor-UCLA. We believe that Dr. Woo's extensive medical experience gives him the qualifications and skills and relevant insight to serve as one of our directors.

Jeffrey Oram joined our Board of Directors in June 2021. Mr. Oram is a business professional with more than 25 years of corporate, private and institutional investment experience. Mr. Oram has spent the last 13 years in the institutional real estate capital markets. Since 2016, he has been a Principal at Godby Realtors, a private real estate investment and brokerage firm. From 2010 to 2018, Mr. Oram served as an Executive Member of the New Jersey State Investment Council, which oversees the investment of the State of New Jersey's pension fund. From 2011 to 2016, he served as Executive Managing Director at Colliers International, from 2009 to 2011 he served as Director at Marcus and Millichap, and from 2003 to 2009, served as First Vice President at CB Richard Ellis. Mr. Oram received a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology from Princeton University. We believe that Mr. Oram's 25 years of corporate, private and institutional investment experience gives him the qualifications and skills to serve as one of our directors.

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## **EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

The following table sets forth information regarding our executive officers who are not directors, as of the date of this proxy statement:

Name	Age	Position(s)
David J. Katzoff	61	Chief Financial Officer
Kenneth S. Cragun	62	Senior Vice President of Finance

David J. Katzoff joined our company on a part-time basis in November 2019, serving as our Senior Vice President of Operations from November 2019 to December 2020, as our Chief Operating Officer from December 2020 until August 2021 and currently serves as our Chief Financial Officer since August 2021. Mr. Katzoff has served as Senior Vice President of Finance of Ault Alliance since January 2019. Since December 2021, Mr. Katzoff has served as the Chief Financial Officer of Imperalis Holding Corp., a publicly listed company. Since February 2021, Mr. Katzoff has served as the Vice President of Finance of Ault Disruptive. From 2015 to 2018, Mr. Katzoff served as Chief Financial Officer of Lumina Media, LLC, a privately-held media company and publisher of life-style publications. From 2003 to 2017, Mr. Katzoff served a Vice President of Finance of Local Corporation, a publicly-held local search company. Mr. Katzoff received a B.S. degree in Business Management from the University of California at Davis.

Kenneth S. Cragun joined our company on a part-time basis in December 2018. Since February 2021, Mr. Cragun has served as the Chief Financial Officer of Ault Disruptive. Since August 2020, Mr. Cragun has served as the Chief Financial Officer of Ault Alliance and between October 2018 and August 2020, served as its Chief Accounting Officer. Since September 2018, Mr. Cragun has served on the board of directors and Chairman of the Audit Committee of Verb Technology Company, Inc. Since July 2022, Mr. Cragun has served on the board of directors of The Singing Machine Company, Inc. (Nasdaq: MICS), a publicly-traded company that is the worldwide leader in consumer karaoke products. He served as a CFO Partner at Hardesty, LLC, a national executive services firm between October 2016 and October 2018. His assignments at Hardesty included serving as Chief Financial Officer of CorVel Corporation, a publicly traded company and a nationwide leader in technology driven, healthcare-related, risk management programs, and of RISA Tech, Inc., a private structural design and optimization software company. Mr. Cragun was also Chief Financial Officer of two Nasdaq-traded companies, Local Corporation, April 2009 to September 2016, which operated Local.com, a U.S. top 100 website, and Modtech Holdings, Inc., from June 2006 to March 2009, a supplier of modular buildings. Prior thereto, he had financial leadership roles with increasing responsibilities at MIVA, Inc., ImproveNet, Inc., NetCharge Inc., C-Cube Microsystems, Inc, and 3-Com Corporation. Mr. Cragun began his professional career at Deloitte. Mr. Cragun holds a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting from Colorado State University-Pueblo.

#### THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ITS COMMITTEES

## **Board Diversity**

As required by the Nasdaq Rules that were approved by the SEC in August 2021, the Company is providing information about the gender and demographic diversity of its directors in the format required by Nasdaq Rules. The information in the matrix below is based solely on information provided by our directors about their gender and

demographic self-identification. Directors who did not answer or indicated that they preferred not to answer a question are shown under "did not disclose demographic background" or "did not disclose gender" below.

## Board Diversity Matrix (as of March 31, 2023):

Total Number of Directors			7	
	Female	Male	Non- Binary	Did Not Disclose Gender
Part I: Gender Identity				
Directors	1	6	-	_
Part II: Demographic Background				
African American or Black	-	1	-	-
Alaskan Native or Native American	_	-	-	_
Asian		1	_	—
Hispanic or Latinx	-	_	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	_	-	-	_
White	1	4	_	—
Two or More Races or Ethnicities	_	-	-	_
LGBTQ+			1	-
Did Not Disclose Demographic Background			-	

## **Board Independence**

Rule 5605 of the Nasdaq Listing Rules requires that independent directors compose a majority of a listed company's board of directors. In addition, the Nasdaq Listing Rules require that, subject to specified exceptions, each member of a listed company's audit, compensation, and nominating and corporate governance committees be independent and that audit committee members also satisfy independence criteria set forth in Rule 10A-3 under the Exchange Act. Under Nasdaq Listing Rule 5605(a)(2), a director will only qualify as an "independent director" if, in the opinion of our Board, that person does not have a relationship that would interfere with the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the responsibilities of a director. To be considered independent for purposes of Rule 10A-3 under the Exchange Act, a member of an audit committee of a listed company may not, other than in his or her capacity as a member of the audit committee, the board of directors, or any other board committee: (i) accept, directly or indirectly, any consulting, advisory, or other compensatory fee from the company or any of its subsidiaries; or (ii) be an affiliated person of the company or any of its subsidiaries. In addition to satisfying general independence requirements under the Nasdaq Listing Rule 5605(d)(2). Pursuant to Rule 10C-1 under the Exchange Act and Nasdaq Listing Rule 5605(d)(2), in affirmatively determining the independence of a member of a compensation committee of a listed company, the board of directors must consider all factors specifically relevant to determining whether that member has a relationship with the company tails in material to that member's ability to be independent from management in connection with the duties of a compensation committee member; and (b) whether such member is affiliated with the Company, a subsidiary of the Company or an affiliate of a subsidiary of the Company.

Consistent with these considerations, after review of all relevant identified transactions or relationships between each director, or any of his or her family members, and the Company, its senior management and its independent auditors, our Board has affirmatively determined that all our directors, except William Horne, who serves as our Chairman of the Board, Stephan Jackman, who serves as our Chief Executive Officer, and Henry Nisser, who serves as our Executive Vice President and General Counsel, are independent directors within the meaning of the applicable Nasdaq Listing Rules and SEC rules. In making this determination, our Board has determined, upon the recommendation of our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, that none of these directors has a relationship that would interfere with the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the responsibilities of a director and is independent within the meaning of the director independence standards established by the SEC and the Nasdaq Listing Rules, as applicable.

At least annually, our Board will evaluate all relationships between us and each director considering relevant facts and circumstances for the purposes of determining whether a material relationship exists that might signal a potential conflict of interest or otherwise interfere with such director's ability to satisfy his or her responsibilities as an independent director. Based on this evaluation, our Board will make an annual determination of whether each director is independent within the meaning of Nasdaq and the SEC independence standards.

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## **Board Meetings and Attendance**

Our Board held seven (7) meetings during the fiscal year ended April 30, 2022, the Audit Committee held four (4) meetings, the Compensation Committee held two (2) meetings and the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee did not hold a meeting, and the Board and various committees also took other actions by unanimous written consent. Each of the incumbent directors attended at least 75% of the meetings of the Board or committees of the Board on which he or she served during the fiscal year ended April 30, 2022 (in each case, which were held during the period for which he or she was a director and/or a member of the applicable committee). We encourage, but do not require, our Board members to attend the annual meeting of stockholders.

## **Board Committees**

Our Board has established three (3) standing committees: the Audit Committee, the Compensation Committee and the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, each of which is composed solely of independent directors and is described more fully below. Each committee operates pursuant to a written charter and each committee reviews and assesses the adequacy of its charter and submits its charter to the Board for approval. The charters for each committee are all available on our website, www.alzamend.com. The inclusion of our website address here and elsewhere in this proxy statement does not include or incorporate by reference the information on our website into this proxy statement. Our Board may establish other committees from time to time.

The following table provides membership information for each committee:

		Nominating and Corporate	
Name	Audit Committee	Governance Committee	Compensation Committee
Mark Gustafson	** ***		*
Lynne F. McGrath		*	**

Andrew H. Woo	*	*
Jeffrey Oram	*	**

\* Member of Committee

\*\* Chairman of Committee

\*\*\* "Audit committee financial expert" as defined in SEC regulations.

Below is a description of each committee of the Board.

#### Audit Committee

Messrs. Gustafson, Woo and Oram currently serve as members of the Audit Committee, with Mr. Gustafson serving as chair of the committee. Our Board has determined that each current member of the Audit Committee meets the independence requirements of Rule 10A-3 under the Exchange Act and the applicable listing standards of Nasdaq. Our Board determined that Mr. Gustafson is an "audit committee financial expert," both within the meaning of the SEC regulations and applicable listing standards of Nasdaq. The report of the Audit Committee is included in this proxy statement under "Report of the Audit Committee." The functions of our Audit Committee include, among other things:

- appointing, approving the compensation of, and assessing the independence of our independent registered public accounting firm;
- approving audit and permissible non-audit services, and the terms of such services, to be provided by our independent registered public accounting firm;
- reviewing the audit plan with the independent registered public accounting firm and members of management responsible for preparing our financial statements;
- reviewing and discussing with management and the independent registered public accounting firm our annual and quarterly financial statements and related disclosures as well as critical accounting policies and practices used by us;
- reviewing the adequacy of our internal control over financial reporting;
- establishing policies and procedures for the receipt and retention of accounting-related complaints and concerns;

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- recommending, based upon the Audit Committee's review and discussions with management and the independent registered public accounting firm, whether our audited financial statements shall be included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K;
- monitoring the integrity of our financial statements and our compliance with legal and regulatory requirements as they relate to our financial statements and accounting matters;
- preparing the Audit Committee report required by the rules of the SEC to be included in our annual proxy statement; and
- reviewing all related party transactions for potential conflict of interest situations and approving all such transactions.

## AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

The material in this report is not "soliciting material," is not deemed filed with the SEC and is not to be incorporated by reference in any filing of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date hereof and irrespective of any general incorporation language in any such filing.

The audit committee has reviewed and discussed the audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2022 with management of the Company. The audit committee has discussed with our independent registered public accounting firm, Baker Tilly US, LLP, the matters required to be discussed by the applicable requirements of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board ("*PCAOB*") and the SEC. The audit committee has also received the written disclosures and the letter from Baker Tilly US, LLP required by applicable requirements of the PCAOB regarding Baker Tilly US, LLP's communications with the audit committee concerning independence, and has discussed with Baker Tilly US, LLP the firm's independence. Based on the foregoing, the audit committee recommended to the Board that our audited financial statements be included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2022 for filing with the SEC.

Alzamend Neuro, Inc. Audit Committee

Mark Gustafson, Chair Andrew H. Woo Jeffrey Oram

#### **Compensation Committee**

Ms. McGrath and Messrs. Gustafson and Oram currently serve as members of the Compensation Committee, with Ms. McGrath serving as chair of the committee. Our Board has determined that each current member of the Compensation Committee is "independent" as defined under the applicable listing standards of Nasdaq. The functions of our Compensation Committee include, among other things:

- · annually reviewing and approving corporate goals and objectives relevant to the compensation of our Chief Executive Officer;
- evaluating the performance of our Chief Executive Officer considering such corporate goals and objectives and determining the compensation of our Chief Executive Officer;
- reviewing and approving the compensation of our other executive officers and certain other members of senior management;
- appointing, compensating and overseeing the work of any compensation consultant, legal counsel or other advisor retained by the Compensation Committee;

- conducting the independence assessment outlined in Nasdaq rules with respect to any compensation consultant, legal counsel or other advisor retained by the Compensation Committee;
- annually reviewing and reassessing the adequacy of the committee charter in its compliance with the listing requirements of Nasdaq;
- reviewing and establishing our overall management compensation, philosophy and policy;
- overseeing and administering our compensation and similar plans;

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- reviewing and approving our policies and procedures for the grant of equity-based awards;
- reviewing and making recommendations to the Board with respect to director compensation;
- reviewing and discussing with management the compensation discussion and analysis to be included in our annual proxy statement or Annual Report on Form 10-K; and
- reviewing and discussing with the Board corporate succession plans for the Chief Executive Officer and other key officers.

In fulfilling its responsibilities, the Compensation Committee may delegate any or all its responsibilities to a subcommittee of the Compensation Committee, but only to the extent consistent with our amended and restated certificate of incorporation, Bylaws, our Corporate Governance Guidelines, Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "*Code*") (as applicable), the Nasdaq Listing Rules and other applicable law. In addition, pursuant to its charter, the Compensation Committee has the sole authority, in its sole discretion, to retain compensation consultants to assist the Compensation Committee with its functions, including any studies or investigations. The Compensation Committee did not engage a compensation consultant during the year ended April 30, 2022.

#### Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee

Ms. McGrath and Messrs. Oram and Woo currently serve as members of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, with Mr. Oram serving as chair of the committee. Our Board has determined that each member of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee is "independent" as defined under the applicable listing standards of Nasdaq. The functions of our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee include, among other things:

- developing and recommending to the Board criteria for membership of the Board and committees;
- establishing procedures for identifying and evaluating Board candidates, including candidates recommended by stockholders;
- identifying individuals qualified to become members of the Board;
- recommending to the Board the persons to be nominated for election as directors and to each of the committees of the Board;
- developing and recommending to the Board a set of corporate governance guidelines; and
  - overseeing the evaluation of the Board and management.

### Identifying and Evaluating Director Nominees

Our Board is responsible for selecting its own members. The Board delegates the selection and nomination process to the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, with the expectation that other members of the Board, and of management, will be requested to take part in the process as appropriate.

Generally, our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee identifies candidates for director nominees in consultation with management, using search firms or other advisors, through the recommendations submitted by stockholders or through such other methods as the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee deems to be helpful to identify candidates. Once candidates have been identified, our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee confirms that the candidates meet all the minimum qualifications for director nominees established by the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. In the case of incumbent directors whose terms of office are set to expire, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee reviews these directors' overall service to us during their tenure, including the number of meetings attended, level of participation, quality of performance and any other relationships and transactions that might impair the directors' independence. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee agents to be appropriate in the evaluation process. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee then meets as a group to discuss and evaluate the qualities and skills of each candidate, both on an individual basis and considering the overall composition and needs of our Board. Based on the results of the evaluation process, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee recommended by stockholders. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee does not intend to alter the way it evaluates based on whether the candidate was recommended by a stockholders.

In accordance with our Bylaws and the charter of our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, nominations and recommendations of individuals for election to our Board at an annual meeting of stockholders may be made by any stockholder of record entitled to vote for the election of directors at such meeting who provides timely notice in writing to our Secretary at our principal executive offices. To be timely, we must receive the notice not less than 90 days nor more than 120 days prior to the first anniversary of the date of the prior year's annual meeting; provided, however, that in the event that the date of the annual meeting is more than 30 days before or more than 60 days after such anniversary date, we must receive the stockholder's notice (i) no earlier than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the proposed date of the annual meeting and (ii) no later than the close of business on the later of the annual meeting. The stockholder's written notice must contain specific information required in Section 2.15 of our Bylaws. For additional information about our director nomination requirements, please see our Bylaws.

## Minimum Qualifications

Our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee considers, among other things, the following qualifications, skills and attributes when recommending candidates for the Board's selection as director nominees for the Board and as candidates for appointment to the Board's committees: a director nominee shall have the highest personal and professional integrity, shall have demonstrated exceptional ability and judgment, and shall be most effective, in conjunction with the other director nominees to the

Board, in collectively serving the long-term interests of the stockholders.

In evaluating proposed director candidates, our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee may consider, in addition to the minimum qualifications and other criteria for board membership approved by the Board from time to time, all facts and circumstances that it deems appropriate or advisable, including, among other things, diversity considerations, the skills of the proposed director candidate, his or her depth and breadth of professional experience or other background characteristics, his or her independence and the needs of the Board. We have no formal policy regarding board diversity, but believe that our Board, taken as a whole, should embody a diverse set of skills, experiences and backgrounds. In this regard, the committee also takes into consideration the diversity (for example, with respect to gender, race and national origin) of our board members. The committee does not make any particular weighting of diversity or any other characteristic in evaluating nominees and directors. Our committee's priority in selecting board members is identification of persons who will further the interests of our company through his or her established record of professional accomplishment, the ability to contribute positively to the collaborative culture among board members, and professional and personal experiences and experiences and expertise relevant to our growth strategy.

## **Certain Board Arrangements**

In May 2021, the Board of Directors of our company and Mr. Ault, our Founder and Chairman Emeritus, agreed to certain arrangements with regard to our Board composition and other matters. Contemporaneously with the effectiveness of the initial public offering, and in consideration for (i) the conversion of 750 shares of our series A convertible preferred stock beneficially owned by Mr. Ault through Ault Life Sciences, Inc. ("ALSP") into 15,000,000 shares of our common stock, (ii) the extension of the maturity date of the note in the original principal amount of \$15,000,000 issued to us by Ault Life Sciences Fund, LLC ("ALSP") to December 31, 2023, and (iii) the retirement by Mr. Ault as a director and executive officer of our company, the Board agreed that William B. Horne will become our Chairman of the Board and remain in that position for so long as Mr. Ault beneficially owns no less than 5% of the outstanding shares of our common stock (for which Mr. Horne will be paid \$50,000 per year for his services), and Mr. Nisser will remain a member of our Board of Directors for so long as Mr. Ault beneficially owns no less than 5% of the outstanding shares of our common stock (for which Mr. Horne will be paid \$50,000 per year for his services), and Mr. Nisser will remain a member of our Board of Directors for so long as Mr. Ault beneficially owns no less than 5% of the outstanding shares of our common stock (for no additional remuneration). Additionally, Mr. Ault will hold the position of Founder and Chairman Emeritus and, as such, have the right to nominate an observer to our Board of Directors for a period of five years after the closing date of the initial public offering. Following the closing of the initial public offering, we entered into a five-year consulting agreement with Mr. Ault under which he will provide strategic advisory and consulting services to us in consideration for annual fees of \$50,000.

## Leadership Structure and Risk Oversight

Our Board is currently chaired by Mr. Horne. Mr. Horne has been a director since June 2016 and served as our Chief Financial Officer from June 2016 until December 2018. Given Mr. Horne's extensive history with and knowledge of our company, we believe his role as our Chairman facilitates a regular flow of information between the Board and management and ensures that they both act with a common purpose.

One of the key functions of our Board is informed oversight of our risk management process. Our Board does not have a standing risk management committee, but rather administers this oversight function directly through the Board as a whole, as well as through various standing committees of our Board that address risks inherent in their respective areas of oversight. In particular, our Board is responsible for monitoring and assessing strategic risk exposure, including a determination of the nature and level of risk appropriate for us. Our Audit Committee has the responsibility to consider and discuss our major financial risk exposures and the steps our management has taken to monitor and control these exposures, including guidelines and policies to govern the process by which risk assessment and management is undertaken. The Audit Committee also monitors compliance with legal and regulatory requirements, in addition to oversight of the performance of our internal audit function. Our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee monitors the effectiveness of our corporate governance guidelines, including whether they are successful in preventing illegal or improper liability-creating conduct. Our Compensation Committee assesses and monitors whether any of our compensation policies and programs has the potential to encourage excessive risk-taking.

#### **Code of Business Conduct and Ethics**

Our Board has adopted a written code of business conduct and ethics, revised effective May 25, 2021, that applies to our directors, officers and employees, including our principal executive officer, principal financial officer and principal accounting officer or controller, or persons performing similar functions (the "*Code of Conduct and Ethics*"). In addition, on May 25, 2021, we adopted Code of Ethics for our Chief Executive Officer and our Senior Financial Officers (the *Code of Ethics*"). We have posted on our website a current copy of both codes and all disclosures that are required by law in regard to any amendments to, or waivers from, any provision of the Code of Conduct and Ethics.

#### Stockholder Communications with Our Board of Directors

Stockholders wishing to communicate directly with our Board may send correspondence to our Secretary, c/o Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326. Our Secretary will forward all comments directly to the Board. These communications will be reviewed by the Secretary of the Company designated by the Board who will determine whether the communication is appropriate for presentation to the Board or the relevant director. The purpose of this screening is to allow the Board to avoid having to consider irrelevant or inappropriate communications (such as advertisements, solicitations and hostile communications).

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## **PROPOSAL 2: ADVISORY VOTE ON EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

Under the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (the "Dodd-Frank Act") and Section 14A of the Exchange Act, our stockholders are entitled to vote to approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as disclosed in this proxy statement in accordance with SEC rules.

This vote is not intended to address any specific item of compensation, but rather the overall compensation of our named executive officers and the philosophy, policies and practices described in this proxy statement. The compensation of our named executive officers subject to the vote is disclosed in the compensation tables and the related narrative disclosure contained in this proxy statement. We believe that our compensation policies and decisions are consistent with current market practices. Compensation of our named executive officers is designed to enable the Company to attract and retain talented and experienced executives to lead us successfully in a competitive environment.

Accordingly, the Board is asking the shareholders to indicate their support for the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as described in this proxy statement by casting a non-binding advisory vote "FOR" the following resolution:

"RESOLVED, that the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers, as disclosed pursuant to Item 402 of Regulation S-K, including the compensation tables and narrative discussion, is hereby APPROVED."

The vote is advisory and therefore not binding on the Board or the Company. Nevertheless, the views expressed by our stockholders, whether through this vote or otherwise, are important to management and the Board and, accordingly, the Board and the Compensation Committee intend to consider the results of this vote in making

determinations in the future regarding executive compensation arrangements.

#### Vote Required

Advisory (non-binding) approval of our executive compensation requires the approval of the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting.

## **Our Recommendation**

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PAID TO OUR NAMED EXECUTIVE OFFICERS (PROPOSAL 2 ON YOUR PROXY CARD)

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## PROPOSAL 3: ADVISORY VOTE ON THE FREQUENCY OF SOLICITATION OF ADVISORY STOCKHOLDER APPROVAL OF EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The Dodd-Frank Act and Section 14A of the Exchange Act also enable our stockholders, at least once every six years, to indicate their preference regarding how frequently we should solicit a non-binding advisory vote on the compensation of our named executive officers as disclosed in the Company's proxy statement. Accordingly, we are asking stockholders to indicate whether they would prefer an advisory vote every year, every other year or every three years. Alternatively, stockholders may abstain from casting a vote.

In considering the interests of our shareholders and the Company, the Board has determined that the recommended frequency for which the Company should hold a stockholder advisory vote to approve the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers should be every three years. We believe that every three years is the appropriate frequency to hold a say-on-pay vote for several reasons. As our compensation programs reward both short-term and long-term performance, shareholder input on executive compensation would be most useful if the effectiveness of our compensation program is evaluated and judged over a multi-year period. Further, a three year interval provides the Board and the Compensation Committee with sufficient time to evaluate the effectiveness of its compensation policies and implement changes in response to its evaluation and the results of the advisory vote. Thus, the Board recommends that stockholders approve a frequency of every three years.

This non-binding "frequency" vote is required to be submitted to our stockholders at least once every six (6) years. We expect to conduct our next shareholder vote on "say-on-pay" frequency at our 2029 annual meeting of shareholders.

## Vote Required

While the Board believes that its recommendation is appropriate at this time, the stockholders are not voting to approve or disapprove that recommendation, but are instead asked to indicate their preferences, on an advisory basis, as to whether the non-binding advisory vote on the approval of our executive officer compensation practices should be held every year, every other year or every three years. The option among those choices that receives the votes of the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to vote at the annual meeting will be deemed to be the frequency preferred by the stockholders.

The Board and the Compensation Committee value the opinions of the stockholders in this matter and, to the extent there is any significant vote in favor of one frequency over the other options, even if less than a majority, the Board will consider the stockholders' concerns and evaluate any appropriate next steps. The Board may decide, however, because this vote is advisory and, therefore, not binding on the Board or the Company, that it is in the best interests of the stockholders that the Company hold an advisory vote on executive compensation more or less frequently than the option preferred by the stockholders. The vote will not be construed to create or imply any change or addition to the fiduciary duties of the Company or the Board.

#### **Our Recommendation**

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE FOR "THREE YEARS" (PROPOSAL 3 ON YOUR PROXY CARD)

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## PROPOSAL 4: RATIFICATION OF SELECTION OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

The firm of Baker Tilly US, LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, has been selected by the Audit Committee as our auditors for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2023. Baker Tilly US, LLP has acted as the independent registered public accounting firm for Alzamend Neuro since 2019. A representative of Baker Tilly US, LLP is expected to be available at the Annual Meeting with the opportunity to make a statement if he or she desires.

The Company's organizational documents do not require that the stockholders ratify the selection of Baker Tilly US, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm. Alzamend Neuro requests such ratification as a matter of good corporate practice. If the stockholders do not ratify the selection, the Audit Committee will reconsider whether to retain Baker Tilly US, LLP, but still may retain this firm. Even if the selection is ratified, the Audit Committee, in its discretion, may change the appointment at any time during the year if it determines that such a change would be in the best interests of Alzamend Neuro and its stockholders.

## Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Fees

The following table shows the aggregate fees billed to us for professional services by Baker Tilly US, LLP for the years ended April 30, 2022 and 2021:

	2022	2021
Audit Services	\$ 165,400	\$ 107,000
Audit Related Services		_
Tax Services	18,600	—
All Other Services	_	—
Total	\$ 184,000	\$ 107,000

Audit Fee. This category includes the aggregate fees billed for professional services rendered for the audits of our financial statements for the years ended April 30, 2022 and 2021, for the reviews of the interim financial statements during the years ended April 30, 2022 and 2021, and for other services that are normally provided by the

independent auditors in connection with statutory and regulatory filings or engagements for the relevant years.

Audit-Related Fees. This category includes the aggregate fees billed in each of the last two years for assurance and related services by the independent auditors that are reasonably related to the performance of the audits or reviews of the financial statements and are not reported above under "Audit Fees," and generally consist of fees for other engagements under professional auditing standards, accounting and reporting consultations, internal control-related matters, and audits of employee benefit plans.

Tax Fees. This category includes the aggregate fees billed in each of the last two years for professional services rendered by the independent auditors for tax compliance, tax planning and tax advice.

All Other Fees. This category includes the aggregate fees billed in each of the last two years for products and services provided by the independent auditors that are not reported above under "Audit Fees," "Audit-Related Fees," or "Tax Fees."

## **Pre-Approval Policy**

The Audit Committee's policy is to pre-approve all services provided by our independent auditors. These services may include audit services, audit-related services, tax services and other services. The Audit Committee may also pre-approve particular services on a case-by-case basis. Our independent auditors are required to report periodically to the Audit Committee regarding the extent of services they provide in accordance with such pre-approval.

## Vote Required

The affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to vote on the matter at the Annual Meeting will be required to ratify the selection of Baker Tilly US, LLP.

#### **Our Recommendation**

#### THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE FOR THE RATIFICATION OF THE SELECTION OF BAKER TILLY US, LLP AS THE COMPANY'S INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM (PROPOSAL 4 ON YOUR PROXY CARD)

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## EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND DIRECTOR COMPENSATION

#### **Executive Officer Compensation**

## Summary Compensation Table

The following table sets forth summary compensation information for the following persons: (i) all persons serving as our principal executive officer during the years ended April 30, 2022 and 2021, and (ii) our two other most highly compensated executive officers who received compensation during the years ended April 30, 2022 and 2021, who were executive officers on the last day of our fiscal year. We refer to these persons as our "named executive officers" in this proxy statement. The following table includes all compensation earned by the named executive officers for the respective period, regardless of whether such amounts were actually paid during the period:

		Salary	Bonus	Stock award	Option Awards <sup>(1)</sup>	All Other Compensation	
Name and principal position	Year	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	Total (\$)
Stephan Jackman	2022	303,125	170,000				473,125
Chief Executive Officer	2021	225,000				_	225,000
Lien Escalona <sup>(2)</sup>	2022	105,000	_	_	1,077,302	_	1,182,302
Chief Financial Officer							
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Kenneth S. Cragun	2021	100,000		_	_	_	100,000

Senior VP of Finance

- The values reported in the "Option Awards" column represents the aggregate grant date fair value, computed in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification 718 Share Based Payments, of grants of stock options to each of our named executive officers and directors.
- (2) Ms. Escalona resigned as Chief Financial Officer on August 1, 2022.

#### **Employment Agreements**

Stephan Jackman. On June 17, 2021, we entered into an employment agreement (the "Agreement") with Stephan Jackman to continue to serve as our Chief Executive Officer through July 1, 2024. Pursuant to the Agreement, Mr. Jackman will be paid a base salary of \$300,000 per annum (the "Base Salary"). In addition, Mr. Jackman shall be eligible to earn a cash and/or equity bonus as our Board may determine, from time to time, based on meeting performance objectives and bonus criteria to be identified by the Board (the "Performance Bonus"), which Performance Bonus may consist of cash or, in the Board's sole discretion, our common stock. The determination of whether we have achieved a certain financial performance objective in any year for the purposes of the Performance Bonus shall be made by our independent registered public accounting firm regularly retained or employed by us within 90 days after the end of each fiscal year.

Further, Mr. Jackman is entitled to receive equity participation as follows: (A) options to purchase 5,000,000 shares of common stock, which options were previously granted and are exercisable for a period of 10 years at an exercise price of \$1.00 per share (the "\$1.00 Options"), and (B) options to purchase 2,000,000 shares of our common stock, which options shall be exercisable for a period of 10 years at an exercise price of \$1.50 per share (the "\$1.50 Options", and collectively with the \$1.00 Options, the "*Options*").

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Agreement, the Options shall vest pursuant to the following schedule: (1) 3,000,000 shares of common stock subject to the \$1.00 Options shall vest ratably over 48 months, commencing on November 16, 2018; (2) 1,000,000 shares of common stock subject to the \$1.00 Options shall vest upon approval of a NDA for AL001 by the FDA, provided that such approval occurs on or prior to November 1, 2022; (3) 1,000,000 shares of common stock subject to the \$1.00 Options shall vest upon the approval of an NDA for AL002 by the FDA, provided that such approval occurs on or prior to November 1, 2022; and (4) the \$1.50 Options shall vest upon satisfaction of mutually agreed upon performance criteria as set forth in Mr. Jackman's Non-Qualified Stock Option Grant dated November 26, 2019.

Mr. Jackman's bonuses, if any, and all stock based compensation shall be subject to "Company Clawback Rights" if during the period that Mr. Jackman is employed by us and upon the termination of Mr. Jackman's employment and for a period of two years thereafter, if there is a restatement of any of our financial results from which any bonuses and stock based compensation to Mr. Jackman shall have been determined.

Upon termination of Mr. Jackman's employment (other than upon the expiration of the employment). Mr. Jackman shall be entitled to receive: (A) any earned but unpaid Base Salary through the termination date; (B) all reasonable expenses paid or incurred; and (C) any accrued but unused vacation time.

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Further, unless Mr. Jackman's employment is terminated as a result of his death or disability or for cause or he terminates his employment without good reason, then upon the termination of Mr. Jackman's employment, the Company shall pay to Mr. Jackman a "Separation Payment" as follows: (a) an amount equal to 12 months of the Base Salary (as in effect immediately prior to the termination date); and (b) a prorated Performance Bonus amount calculated in accordance with the Performance Bonus criteria set forth in the Agreement and the actual number of days Mr. Jackman worked in the calendar year prior to the termination date. In addition, all of Mr. Jackman's Options shall immediately vest and shall be exercisable for a period of 12 months after such termination.

Kenneth S. Cragun. In November 2018, we entered into an offer letter with Kenneth S. Cragun to serve as our Chief Financial Officer for a period of four years. For his services, Mr. Cragun is paid a base salary of \$100,000 per year, which amount would be increased to \$120,000 upon the approval of a listing application submitted on behalf of our company to have our shares of common stock listed on a national securities exchange. In addition, Mr. Cragun will be eligible to receive an annual cash bonus equal to a percentage of his annual base salary based on achievement of applicable performance goals determined by the Board. The annual bonus, if any, will in part be determined based upon the successful attainment of the same milestones as are applicable for Mr. Jackman. In June 2021, Mr. Cragun became our Senior Vice President of Finance.

Mr. Cragun received a stock option to purchase 1,500,000 shares of our common stock exercisable for a period of 10 years from December 15, 2018 at a per share price of \$1.00. The option will vest in equal increments over 48 months beginning on December 15, 2018; however, 500,000 shares of our common stock vested immediately upon the approval of a listing application submitted on behalf of our company to have our shares of common stock listed on a national securities exchange.

In November 2019, the Board of Directors granted 1,000,000 performance- and market-contingent awards to Mr. Cragun. These awards have an exercise price of \$1.50 per share. These awards have multiple separate market triggers for vesting based upon either (i) the successful achievement of stepped target closing prices on a national securities exchange for 90 consecutive trading days later than 180 days after our initial public offering of common stock, or (ii) stepped target prices for a change in control transaction. The target prices range from \$15 per share to \$40 per share. In the event any the stock price milestones are not achieved within three years, the unvested portion of the performance options will be reduced by 25%.

Henry Nisser. In May 2019, we entered into a four-year employment agreement with Henry C.W. Nisser to serve as our Executive Vice President and General Counsel. For his services, Mr. Nisser is paid a base salary of \$50,000 per year and is eligible to receive an annual cash bonus equal to a percentage of his annual base salary based on achievement of applicable performance goals determined by our Board of Directors.

Mr. Nisser received a stock option to purchase 1,250,000 shares of our common stock exercisable for a period of five years at an exercise price of \$1.50 per share. The shares of our common stock underlying the option vest in equal monthly installments over the 48 months beginning on June 1, 2019.

## **Outstanding Equity Awards at Fiscal Year End**

The following table provides information on outstanding equity awards as of April 30, 2022 awarded to our named executive officers:

	OUTSTANDING	EQUITY AWARDS AT Option Awards	APRIL 30, 2022		
Name	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Exercisable	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Unexercisable	Equity Incentive Plan Awards: Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Unearned Options (#)	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date
Stephan Jackman	-	1,000,000	1,000,000	1.00	11/01/2022
	-	1,000,000	1,000,000	1.00	11/01/2022
	2,562,500	437,500	-	1.00	11/15/2028
	-	2,000,000	2,000,000	1.50	11/18/2029
Lien T. Escalona	83,330	216,670	-	5.00	8/13/2031
Kenneth S. Cragun	1,250,000	250,000	-	1.00	12/15/2028
	-	1,000,000	1,000,000	1.50	11/18/2029
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## **Incentive Compensation Plans**

#### 2016 Stock Incentive Plan

In April 2016, our stockholders approved our company's 2016 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2016 Plan"). The 2016 Plan provides for the issuance of a maximum of 12,500,000 shares of our common stock to be offered to our directors, officers, employees and consultants. On March 1, 2019, our stockholders approved an additional 7,500,000 shares to be available for issuance under the 2016 Plan. Options granted under the 2016 Plan have an exercise price equal to or greater than the fair value of the underlying common stock at the date of grant and become exercisable based on a vesting schedule determined at the date of grant. The options expire between five and 10 years from the date of grant. Restricted stock awards granted under the 2016 Plan are subject to a vesting period determined at the date of grant.

#### 2021 Stock Incentive Plan

In February 2021, our Board of Directors adopted, and our stockholders approved, the Alzamend Neuro, Inc. 2021 Stock Incentive Plan (the '2021 Plan'). The 2021 Plan authorizes the grant to eligible individuals of (1) stock options (incentive and non-statutory), (2) restricted stock, (3) stock appreciation rights, or SARs, (4) restricted stock units, and (5) other stock-based compensation.

Stock Subject to the 2021 Plan. The maximum number of shares of our common stock that may be issued under the 2021 Plan is 10,000,000 shares, which number will be increased to the extent that compensation granted under the 2021 Plan is forfeited, expires or is settled for cash (except as otherwise provided in the 2021 Plan). Substitute awards (awards made or shares issued by us in assumption of, or in substitution or exchange for, awards previously granted, or the right or obligation to make future awards, in each case by a company that we acquire or any subsidiary of ours or with which we or any subsidiary combines) will not reduce the shares authorized for grant under the 2021 Plan, nor will shares subject to a substitute award be added to the shares available for issuance or transfer under the 2021 Plan.

*No Liberal Share Recycling.* Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, any and all stock that is (i) withheld or tendered in payment of an option exercise price; (ii) withheld by us or tendered by the grantee to satisfy any tax withholding obligation with respect to any award; (iii) covered by a SAR that it is settled in stock, without regard to the number of shares of stock that are actually issued to the grantee upon exercise; or (iv) reacquired by us on the open market or otherwise using cash proceeds from the exercise of options, will not be added to the maximum number of shares of stock that may be issued under the 2021 Plan.

*Eligibility.* Employees of, and consultants to, our company or our affiliates and members of our Board of Directors are eligible to receive equity awards under the 2021 Plan. Only our employees, and employees of our parent and subsidiary corporations, if any, are eligible to receive incentive stock options. Employees, directors (including non-employee directors) and consultants of or for our company and our affiliates are eligible to receive non-statutory stock options, restricted stock, purchase rights and any other form of award the 2021 Plan authorizes.

*Purpose.* The purpose of the 2021 Plan is to promote the interests of our company and our stockholders by providing executive officers, employees, non-employee directors, and key advisors of our company and our subsidiaries with appropriate incentives and rewards to encourage them to enter into and remain in their positions with us and to acquire a proprietary interest in our long-term success, as well as to reward the performance of these individuals in fulfilling their personal responsibilities for long-range and annual achievements.

Administration. Unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors, the Compensation Committee administers the 2021 Plan. The Compensation Committee is composed solely of "non-employee directors" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act, "outside directors" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code, and "independent directors" within the meaning of the Nasdaq Marketplace Rules. The Compensation Committee has the power, in its discretion, to grant awards under the 2021 Plan, to select the individuals to whom awards are granted, to determine the terms of the grants, to interpret the provisions of the 2021 Plan and to otherwise administer the 2021 Plan. Except as prohibited by applicable law or any rule promulgated by a national securities exchange to which our company may in the future be subject, the Compensation Committee may delegate all or any of its responsibilities and powers under the 2021 Plan. In one or more of its members, including, without limitation, the power to designate participants and determine the amount, timing and term of awards under the 2021 Plan. In one event, however, will the Compensation Committee have the power to accelerate the payment or vesting of any award, other than in the event of death, disability, retirement or a change of control of our company.

The 2021 Plan provides that members of the Compensation Committee will be indemnified and held harmless by us from any loss or expense resulting from claims and litigation arising from actions related to the 2021 Plan.

*Term.* The 2021 Plan was effective as of February 17, 2021, and awards may be granted through February 16, 2031. No awards may be granted under the 2021 Plan subsequent to that date. The Board of Directors may suspend or terminate the 2021 Plan without stockholder approval or ratification at any time or from time to time.

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Amendments. Subject to the terms of the 2021 Plan, the Compensation Committee, as administrator, has the sole discretion to interpret the provisions of the 2021 Plan and outstanding awards. Our Board of Directors generally may amend or terminate the 2021 Plan at any time and for any reason, except that no amendment, suspension or termination may impair the rights of any participant without his or her consent, and except that approval of our stockholders is required for any amendment which, among provisions, increases the number of shares of common stock subject to the 2021 Plan, decreases the price at which grants may be granted and reprices existing options.

*Repricing Prohibition.* Other than in connection with certain corporate events, the Compensation Committee will not, without the approval of our stockholders, (a) lower the option price per share of an option or SAR after it is granted, (b) cancel an option or SAR when the exercise price per share exceeds the fair market value of one share in exchange for cash or another award (other than in connection with a change of control), or (c) take any other action with respect to an option or SAR that would be treated as a repricing under the rules and regulations of the principal U.S. national securities exchange on which our shares are then listed.

Minimum Vesting Requirement. Grantees of full-value awards (i.e., awards other than options and SARs), will be required to continue to provide services to us or an affiliated company) for not less than one-year following the date of grant in order for any such full-value awards to fully or partially vest (other than in case of death, disability or a Change of Control). Notwithstanding the foregoing, up to 5% of the available shares of stock authorized for issuance under the 2021 Plan may provide for vesting of full-value awards, partially or in full, in less than one year.

Adjustments upon Changes in Capitalization. In the event of any merger, reorganization, consolidation, recapitalization, dividend or distribution (whether in cash, shares or other property, other than a regular cash dividend), stock split, reverse stock split, spin-off or similar transaction or other change in our corporate structure affecting our common stock or the value thereof, appropriate adjustments to the 2021 Plan and awards will be made as the Board of Directors determines to be equitable or appropriate, including adjustments in the number and class of shares of stock available for issuance under the 2021 Plan, the number, class and exercise or grant price of shares subject to awards outstanding under the 2021 Plan, and the limits on the number of awards that any person may receive.

*Change of Control.* Agreements evidencing awards under the 2021 Plan may provide that upon a Change of Control (as defined in the 2021 Plan), unless otherwise provided in the agreement evidencing an award), outstanding awards may be cancelled and terminated without payment if the consideration payable with respect to one share of stock in connection with the Change of Control is less than the exercise price or grant price applicable to such award, as applicable.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of the 2021 Plan to the contrary, the vesting, payment, purchase or distribution of an award may not be accelerated by reason of a Change of Control for any participant unless the Grantee's employment is involuntarily terminated as a result of the Change of Control as provided in the Award agreement or in any other written agreement, including an employment agreement, between us and the participant. If the Change of Control results in the involuntary termination of participant's employment, outstanding awards will immediately vest, become fully exercisable and may thereafter be exercised.

Generally, under the 2021 Plan, a Change of Control occurs upon (i) the consummation of a reorganization, merger or consolidation of our company with or into another entity, pursuant to which our stockholders immediately prior to the transaction do not own more than 50% of the total combined voting power after the transaction, (ii) the consummation of the sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of our assets, (iii) certain changes in the majority of our Board of Directors from those in office on the effective date of the 2021 Plan, (iv) the acquisition of more than 50% of the total combined voting power in our outstanding securities by any person, or (v) we are dissolved or liquidated.

## Types of Awards

Stock Options. Incentive stock options and non-statutory stock options are granted pursuant to award agreements adopted by our Compensation Committee. Our Compensation Committee determines the exercise price for a stock option, within the terms and conditions of the 2021 Plan; provided, that the exercise price of an incentive stock option cannot be less than 100% of the fair market value of our common stock on the date of grant. Options granted under the 2021 Plan vest at the rate specified by our Compensation Committee.

The Compensation Committee determines the term of stock options granted under the 2021 Plan, up to a maximum of 10 years, except in the case of certain Incentive Stock Options, as described below. The Compensation Committee will also determine the length of period during which an optionee may exercise their options if an optionee's relationship with us, or any of our affiliates, ceases for any reason; for incentive stock options, this period is limited by applicable law. The Compensation Committee may extend the exercise period in the event that exercise of the option following termination of service is prohibited by applicable securities laws. In no event, however, may an option be exercised beyond the expiration of its term unless the term is extended in accordance with applicable law.

Acceptable consideration for the purchase of common stock issued upon the exercise of a stock option will be determined by the Compensation Committee and may include (a) cash or its equivalent, (b) delivering a properly executed notice of exercise of the option to us and a broker, with irrevocable instructions to the broker promptly to deliver to us the amount necessary to pay the exercise price of the option, (c) any other form of legal consideration that may be acceptable to the Compensation Committee or (d) any combination of (a), (b) or (c).

Unless the Compensation Committee provides otherwise, options are generally transferable in accordance with applicable law, provided that any transferee of such options agrees to become bound by the terms of the 2021 Plan. An optionee may also designate a beneficiary who may exercise the option following the optionee's death.

Incentive or Non-statutory Stock Options. Incentive stock options may be granted only to our employees, and the employees of our parent or subsidiary corporations, if any. The Compensation Committee may grant awards of incentive or non-statutory stock options that are fully vested on the date made, to any of our employees, directors or consultants. Option awards are granted pursuant to award agreements adopted by our Compensation Committee. To the extent required by applicable law, the aggregate fair market value, determined at the time of grant, of shares of our common stock with respect to incentive stock options that are exercisable for the first time by an optionee during any calendar year may not exceed \$100,000. To the extent required by applicable law, no incentive stock option may be granted to any person who, at the time of the grant, owns or is deemed to own stock possessing more than 10% of our total combined voting power or that of any of our affiliates unless (a) the option exercise price is at least 110% of the fair market value of the stock subject to the option on the date of grant and (b) the term of the incentive stock option does not exceed five years from the date of grant.

Stock Appreciation Rights. An SAR is the right to receive stock, cash, or other property equal in value to the difference between the grant price of the SAR and the market price of our common stock on the exercise date. SARs may be granted independently or in tandem with an option at the time of grant of the related option. An SAR granted in tandem with an option will be exercisable only to the extent the underlying option is exercisable. An SAR confers on the grantee a right to receive an amount with respect to each share of common stock subject thereto, upon exercise thereof, equal to the excess of (A) the fair market value of one share of common stock on the date of exercise over (B) the grant price of the SAR (which in the case of an SAR granted in tandem with an option will be equal to the exercise price of the underlying option, and which in the case of any other SAR will be such price as the Compensation Committee may determine but in no event will be less than the fair market value of a share of common stock on the date of grant of such SAR).

Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units. Restricted stock is common stock that we grant subject to transfer restrictions and vesting criteria. A restricted stock unit is a right to receive stock or cash equal to the value of a share of stock at the end of a specified period that we grant subject to transfer restrictions and vesting criteria. The grant of these awards under the 2021 Plan are subject to such terms, conditions and restrictions as the Compensation Committee determines consistent with the terms of the 2021 Plan.

At the time of grant, the Compensation Committee may place restrictions on restricted stock and restricted stock units that will lapse, in whole or in part, only upon the attainment of performance goals; provided that such performance goals will relate to periods of performance of at least one fiscal year, and if the award is granted to a 162(m) officer, the grant of the award and the establishment of the performance goals will be made during the period required under Internal Revenue Code Section 162(m). Except to the extent restricted under the award agreement relating to the restricted stock, a grantee granted restricted stock will have all of the rights of a stockholder, including the right to vote restricted stock and the right to receive dividends.

Unless otherwise provided in an award agreement, upon the vesting of a restricted stock unit, there will be delivered to the grantee, within 30 days of the date on which such award (or any portion thereof) vests, the number of shares of common stock equal to the number of restricted stock units becoming so vested.

Other Stock-Based Awards. The 2021 Plan also allows the Compensation Committee to grant "Other Stock-Based Awards," which means a right or other interest that may be denominated or payable in, valued in whole or in part by reference to, or otherwise based on, or related to, common stock. Subject to the limitations contained in the 2021 Plan, this includes, without limitation, (i) unrestricted stock awarded as a bonus or upon the attainment of performance goals or otherwise as permitted under the 2021 Plan, and (ii) a right to acquire stock from us containing terms and conditions prescribed by the Compensation Committee. At the time of the grant of other stock-based awards, the Compensation Committee may place restrictions on the payout or vesting of other stock-based awards that will lapse, in whole or in part, only upon the attainment of performance goals; provided that such Performance goals will relate to periods of performance of at least one fiscal year, and if the award is granted to a 162(m) Officer, the grant of the Award and the establishment of the performance goals will be made during the period required under Internal Revenue Code Section 162(m). Other Stock-Based Awards may not be granted with the right to receive dividend equivalent payments.

*Performance Awards.* Performance awards provide participants with the opportunity to receive shares of our common stock, cash or other property based on performance and other vesting conditions. Performance awards may be granted from time to time as determined at the discretion of the Board, or the Compensation Committee (as applicable). Subject to the share limit and maximum dollar value set forth above under *"Limits per Participant,*" the Board, or the Compensation Committee (as applicable), has the discretion to determine (i) the number of shares of common stock under, or the dollar value of, a performance award and (ii) the conditions that must be satisfied for grant or for vesting, which typically will be based principally or solely on achievement of performance goals.

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*Performance Criteria.* With respect to awards intended to qualify as performance-based compensation under Code Section 162(m), a committee of "outside directors" (as defined in Code Section 162(m)) with authority delegated by our Board will determine the terms and conditions of such awards, including the performance criteria. The performance goals for restricted stock awards, restricted stock units, performance awards or other share-based awards will be based on the attainment of specified levels of, among other metrics, the attainment of certain target levels of, or a specified percentage increase in, revenues, earnings, income before taxes and extraordinary items, net income, operating income, earnings before or after deduction for all or any portion of income tax, earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization or a combination of any or all of the foregoing.

The performance goals may be based solely by reference to our performance or the performance of one or more of our subsidiaries, parents, divisions, business segments or business units, or based upon the relative performance of other companies or upon comparisons of any of the indicators of performance relative to other companies. The authorized committee of outside directors may also exclude under the terms of the performance awards, the impact of an event or occurrence that the committee determines should appropriately be excluded, including restructurings, discontinued operations, extraordinary items, and other unusual or non-recurring charges, or changes in generally accepted accounting principles or practices.

#### **Director Compensation**

The Company pays each independent director an annual base amount of \$25,000. In April 2022, the Board approved a bonus payment of \$50,000 for each independent director. Additionally, our Board makes recommendations for adjustments to an independent director's compensation when the level of services provided are significantly above what was anticipated.

The table below sets forth, for each non-employee director, the total amount of compensation related to his or her service during the year ended April 30, 2022:

Name	Fees earned or paid in cash (\$)	Stock awards (\$)	Options awards (\$)	All other compensation (\$)	Total (\$)
William B. Horne	43,756	_			43,756
Mark Gustafson	64,583	250,000	530,897		845,480
Lynne Fahey McGrath	64,583	250,000	530,897		845,480
Andy H. Woo	64,583	250,000	530,897		845,480
Jeffrey Oram	64,583	250,000	530,897	—	845,480

## Limitation on Liability and Indemnification Agreements

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws contain provisions limiting the liability of directors and provide that we will indemnify each of our directors to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law. Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws also provide our Board with discretion to indemnify our officers and employees when determined appropriate by the Board. In addition, we have entered into indemnification agreements with each of our directors and executive officers. These agreements provide for the indemnification of such persons for all reasonable expenses and liabilities incurred in connection with any action or proceeding brought against them by reason of the fact that they are or were serving in such capacity. We have also obtained director and officer liability insurance to cover liabilities our directors and officers may incur in connection with their services to us.

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## CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

## **Certain Relationships**

Our company is controlled by Milton C. (Todd) Ault III, our Founder and current Chairman Emeritus, directly and through his controlling interests in Ault Lending, LLC (formerly, Digital Power Lending, LLC), a California limited liability company ("*Ault Lending*"), ALSI and ALSF. Mr. Ault is also the Executive Chairman and single largest stockholder (through Ault Alpha LP) of Ault Alliance. The Board of Directors and executive officers of our company and the board of directors and executive officers of Ault Alliance contain some of the same individuals. William B. Horne, the Chairman of the Board of our company, is the Chief Executive Officer and a director of Ault Alliance, Henry C.W. Nisser, our Executive Vice President, General Counsel and a director of our company, is the President, General Counsel and a director of Ault Alliance, and Kenneth S. Cragun, our Senior Vice President of Finance is the Chief Financial Officer of Ault Alliance. Additionally, Mr. Ault is the Chairman of Avalanche, of which Mr. Horne is a director and its Chief Financial Officer and Mr. Nisser is its Executive Vice President and General Counsel.

#### **Transactions with Related Persons**

To the best of our knowledge, during our most recent fiscal year end on April 30, 2022, other than as set forth below, there were no material transactions, or series of similar transactions, or any currently proposed transactions, or series of similar transactions, to which we were or are to be a party, in which the amount involved exceeds \$87,145, or 1% of the average total assets at year-end for the last two completed fiscal years, and in which any director or executive officer, or any security holder who is known by us to own of record or beneficially more than 5% of any class of our common stock, or any member of the immediate family of any of the foregoing persons, has an interest (other than compensation to our officers and directors in the ordinary course of business).

On April 10, 2018, we entered into a note receivable agreement with Avalanche in the amount of \$995,500, subject to the terms and conditions stated in the AVLP Note. The AVLP Note accrued interest at 10% per annum and included a 10% original issue discount. The balance outstanding on the AVLP Note as of April 30, 2020 was \$100,915. In August 2020, the principal and accrued interest on the AVLP Note was paid in full.

On April 30, 2019, we entered into a securities purchase agreement with ALSF for the sale of 10,000,000 shares of our common stock, plus 5,000,000 warrants with a five-year term and an exercise price of \$3.00 per share and vesting upon issuance (the "*ALSF Warrants*"). The total purchase price of \$15,000,000 was in the form of a note from ALSF. The note balance as of April 30, 2020 was reduced by \$16,800 reflecting payments made during the year ended April 30, 2020. The note balance as of April 30, 2021 was reduced by \$99,905 reflecting payments made during the year ended April 30, 2021. As of April 30, 2022, the note balance was \$14,883,295. The control person of ALSF is Mr. Ault, our Founder and Chairman Emeritus. ALSF is wholly owned by ALSI. ALSI is almost entirely wholly owned by Ault & Co., Inc., of which MCKEA Holdings, LLC ("*MCKEA*"), of which Mr. Ault's spouse is the managing member, is the majority owner. As such, MCKEA is indirectly the majority owner of ALSF.

The note is secured by a Stock Pledge Agreement dated June 11, 2019. While the securities purchase agreement provides for ALSF's ability to pledge the securities acquired thereby, given that the purchased securities are subject to the securities purchase agreement, we and ALSF agreed that such securities may not be pledged to any third party until the current pledge agreement has been terminated through full repayment of the note.

Pursuant to the securities purchase agreement, ALSF is entitled to full ratchet anti-dilution protection, most-favored nation status, denying our company the right to enter into a variable rate transaction absent its consent, and the right to participate in any future financing we may consummate. All these rights, other than the right to participate in future financings which will not terminate until ALSF no longer holds any shares of our common stock or any ALSF Warrants, will terminate on the earlier to occur of such date that we have (i) completed a Qualified Financing, or (ii) received approval by the FDA for any of our product candidates in Phase III clinical trial. For purposes of the securities purchase agreement, a "Qualified Financing" means the sale of equity securities by us in a single transaction or a series of related transactions whether or not registered under the Securities Act, resulting in gross proceeds to us of no less than \$25,000,000.

In March 2021, we entered into a securities purchase agreement with Ault Lending, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ault Alliance, pursuant to which we agreed to sell 6,666,667 shares of our common stock for an aggregate of \$10 million, or \$1.50 per share, which sales will be made in tranches. On March 9, 2021, Ault Lending paid \$4 million, less the \$1.8 million in advances and the surrender for cancellation of a \$50,000 convertible promissory note for 2,666,667 shares of our common stock. Under the terms of the securities purchase agreement, Ault Lending purchased an additional (i) 1,333,333 shares of our common stock upon approval by the FDA of our IND for our opening Phase I clinical trial for a purchase price of \$2 million, and (ii) 2,666,667 shares of our common stock once we completed the opening Phase I clinical trial for a purchase price of \$2 million, and (ii) 2,666,667 shares of our common stock once we completed the opening Phase I clinical trial for a purchase on July 28, 2021 and the second milestone in the fourth fiscal quarter of 2022. In addition, we issued Ault Lending warrants to purchase an aggregate of 6,666,667 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$3.00 per share. Finally, we agreed that for a period of 18 months following the date of the payment of the final tranche of \$4 million, Ault Lending will have the right to invest an additional \$10 million on the same terms, except that no specific milestones have been determined with respect to the additional \$10 million investment as of the date hereof.

In May 2021, the Board of Directors of our company and Mr. Ault, our Founder and Chairman Emeritus, agreed to certain arrangements with regard to our Board composition and other matters. Contemporaneously with the consummation of the initial public offering, and in consideration for (i) the conversion of 750 shares of our series A convertible preferred stock beneficially owned by Mr. Ault through ALSI into 15,000,000 shares of our common stock, (ii) the extension of the maturity date of the note in the original principal amount of \$15,000,000 issued to us by ALSF to December 31, 2023, and (iii) the resignation of Mr. Ault as a director and executive officer of our company, the Board agreed that William B. Horne be named our Chairman of the Board and remain in that position for so long as Mr. Ault beneficially owns no less than 5%

of the outstanding shares of our common stock (for which Mr. Horne will be paid \$50,000 per year for his services), and Mr. Nisser remains a member of our Board of Directors for so long as Mr. Ault beneficially owns no less than 5% of the outstanding shares of our common stock (for no additional remuneration). Additionally, Mr. Ault will hold the position of Founder and Chairman Emeritus and, as such, have the right to nominate an observer to our Board of Directors for a period of five years after the closing date of the initial public offering. Immediately following the closing of the initial public offering in June 2021, we entered into a five-year consulting agreement with Mr. Ault under which he will provide strategic advisory and consulting services to us in consideration for annual fees of \$50,000.

Our accounting and finance department use shared office space within the Costa Mesa offices of Ault Alliance.

Ault Lending purchased \$10.0 million (2,000,000 shares) of common stock in the initial public offering at \$5.00 per share, the same price and on the same terms as other investors in the initial public offering, except that a reduced underwriting discount was paid to the underwriters for the sale of common stock to Ault Lending. Milton C. Ault III, our Founder and Chairman Emeritus, is an executive officer and director of Ault Alliance, as are several other officers and board members of our company.

## **Future Transactions**

Our Board of Directors has adopted a policy whereby any future transactions between our company and any of our subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, principal stockholders or any affiliates of the foregoing will be on terms no less favorable to us than could reasonably be obtained in "arm's length" transactions with independent third parties, and any such transactions will also be approved by a majority of our disinterested outside directors.

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## SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS

## Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management

The following table sets forth certain information known to us regarding the beneficial ownership of our common stock as of March 31, 2023, by: (i) each of our named executive officers; (ii) each of our directors; (iii) all our executive officers and directors as a group; and (iv) each person, or group of affiliated persons, known by us to beneficially own more than 5% of any class of our voting securities.

Information with respect to beneficial ownership is based on information furnished to us by each director, executive officer or stockholder who holds more than 5% of our outstanding common stock, and Schedules 13G or 13D filed with the SEC, as the case may be. Beneficial ownership is determined according to the rules of the SEC and generally means that a person has beneficial ownership of a security if he or she possesses sole or shared voting or investment power of that security, and includes options and warrants that are currently exercisable within 60 days of March 31, 2023. Options to purchase shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days of March 31, 2023, are deemed to be beneficially owned by the persons holding these options for the purpose of computing percentage ownership of that person, but are not treated as outstanding for the purpose of computing any other person's ownership percentage. Except as indicated in the footnotes below, each of the beneficial owners named in the table below has, to our knowledge, sole voting and investment power with respect to all shares of common stock listed as beneficially owned by him or her, except for shares owned jointly with that person's spouse.

We have based our calculation of beneficial ownership on 96,940,124 shares of our common stock outstanding as of March 31, 2023. Unless otherwise indicated, the address for each of the stockholders in the table below is c/o Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326.

Greater than 5% Beneficial Owners:	Number of shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned	Percentage of Shares Beneficially Owned
Milton C. Ault, III <sup>(1)</sup> (2) (3) (4)	43,884,652	43.04%
Ault Life Sciences, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	14,942,984	15.41%
Ault Life Sciences Fund, LLC <sup>(2)</sup>	15,000,000	14.71%
Ault Lending, LLC <sup>(3)</sup>	11,060,001	11.41%
Directors and Executive Officers		
Stephan Jackman <sup>(5)</sup>	3,008,500	3.01%
Henry C.W. Nisser <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	1,250,000	1.27%
Kenneth S. Cragun <sup>(6)</sup>	1,500,000	1.52%
David J. Katzoff <sup>(8)</sup>	1,399,500	1.42%
William B. Horne <sup>(9)</sup>	2,750,000	2.79%
Mark Gustafson <sup>(10)</sup>	310,000	*
Lynne Fahey McGrath, M.P.H., Ph.D. <sup>(11)</sup>	335,000	*
Jeffrey Oram <sup>(10)</sup>	350,000	*
Andrew H. Woo, M.D., Ph.D. <sup>(12)</sup>	350,000	*
All directors and named executive officers as a group (9 persons)	11,253,000	10.53%

\* Less than 1% of outstanding shares.

- (1) Milton C. (Todd) Ault III, our Founder and Chairman Emeritus, has sole voting and investment power with respect to the shares held of record by ALSI.
- (2) Represents 10,000,000 shares of our common stock and 5,000,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants. Mr. Ault has sole voting and investment power with respect to the securities held of record by ALSF.
- (3) Mr. Ault has voting and investment power with respect to the securities held by Ault Lending. Excludes 3,333,333 shares of our common stock underlying currently exercisable warrants held by Ault Lending due to a beneficial ownership blocker limitation provision contained therein.
- (4) Includes (i) 2,500,000 shares of our common stock held by Mr. Ault, (ii) 365,000 shares of our common stock held by Ault Alpha LP, and (iii) 16,667 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants held by Ault Alliance. Mr. Ault is the Manager of Ault Alpha GP LLC ("*Ault GP*") and Ault Capital Management LLC ("*Ac Management*"). Ault GP and AC Management are the general partner and investment manager to Ault Alpha LP, respectively. As such, Mr. Ault is deemed to beneficially own the shares held by Ault Alpha LP.

- (5) Consists of 8,500 shares of our common stock and 3,000,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.
- (6) Represents shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options, which are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.
- (7) Mr. Nisser's address is 100 Park Avenue, Suite 1658, New York, New York 10017.
- (8) Consists of 28,000 shares of our common stock, 9,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants and 1,362,500 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.
- (9) Consists of 1,000,000 shares of our common stock and 1,750,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.
- (10) Consists of 60,000 shares of our common stock and 250,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.
- (11) Consists of 75,000 shares of our common stock and 250,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days owned by Mrs. McGrath, and 10,000 shares of our common stock in an individual retirement account owned by Mrs. McGrath's spouse. Mrs. McGrath disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by her spouse, and the inclusion of these shares shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (12) Consists of 100,000 shares of our common stock and 250,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days.

## **Equity Compensation Information**

The following table summarizes information about our equity compensation plans as of April 30, 2022.

	Number of securities to be issued upon exercise of outstanding options, warrants and rights	Weighted- average exercise price of outstanding options, warrants and rights	Number of securities remaining available for future issuance under equity compensation plans (excluding securities reflected in column (a))
Plan Category	(a)	(b)	(c)
Equity compensation plans approved by stockholders	15,700,000	1.20	8,800,000
Equity compensation plans not approved by stockholders	-	-	-
Total	15,700,000	1.20	8,800,000

## HOUSEHOLDING OF PROXY MATERIALS

The SEC has adopted rules that permit companies and intermediaries (e.g., brokers) to satisfy the delivery requirements for proxy statements and annual reports with respect to two or more stockholders sharing the same address by delivering a single proxy statement addressed to those stockholders. This process, which is commonly referred to as "householding," potentially means extra convenience for stockholders and cost savings for companies.

This year, several brokers with account holders who are our stockholders will be "householding" our Proxy Materials. A single set of Proxy Materials will be delivered to multiple stockholders sharing an address unless contrary instructions have been received from the affected stockholders. Once you have received notice from your broker that they will be "householding" communications to your address, "householding" will continue until you are notified otherwise or until you revoke your consent. If, at any time, you no longer wish to participate in "householding" and would prefer to receive a separate set of Proxy Materials, please notify your broker or Alzamend Neuro. Direct your written request to: Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326, Attn: Secretary.

Stockholders who currently receive multiple sets of Proxy Materials at their addresses and would like to request "householding" of their communications should contact their brokers.

## **OTHER MATTERS**

The Board knows of no business to be brought before the 2023 Annual Meeting which is not referred to in the accompanying Notice of Annual Meeting. Should any such matters be presented, the persons named in the proxy shall have the authority to take such action regarding such matters as in their judgment seems advisable. If you hold shares through a broker, bank or other nominee as described above, they will not be able to vote your shares on any other business that comes before the 2023 Annual Meeting unless they receive instructions from you with respect to such matter.

A copy of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2022 is available without charge upon written request to: Alzamend Neuro, Inc., 3480 Peachtree Road NE, Second Floor, Suite 103, Atlanta, GA 30326, Attn: Secretary.



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The 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Alzamend Neuro, Inc. will be held on Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 12:00 pm ET, virtually via the Internet at www.meetnow.global/NA2FCW7. To access the virtual meeting, you must have the information that is printed in the shaded bar located on the reverse side of this form.

Important notice regarding the Internet availability of proxy materials for the Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The material is available at: www.envisionreports.com/ALZN



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## Notice of 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders

## Proxy Solicited by Board of Directors for Annual Meeting - April 26, 2023

Stephan Jackman and David J. Katzoff, or any of them, each with the power of substitution, are hereby authorized to represent and vote the shares of the undersigned, with all the powers which the undersigned would possess if personally present, at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Alzamend Neuro, Inc. to be held on April 26, 2023 or at any postponement or adjournment thereof.

Shares represented by this proxy will be voted by the stockholder. If no such directions are indicated, the Proxies will have authority to vote FOR the election of the Board of Directors, FOR Proposals 2 and 4, and 3 YEARS on Proposal 3.

In their discretion, the Proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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