May 13, 2020

Daniel P. Gold, Ph.D. President & Chief Executive Officer MEI Pharma, Inc. 3611 Valley Centre Drive, Suite 500 San Diego, California 92130

> Re: MEI Pharma, Inc. Registration

Statement on Form S-3

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Dear Dr. Gold:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

 $\,$ Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you

that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their $\,$

disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Irene

Paik at 202-551-6553 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance

Office of Life Sciences

cc: Finnbarr D. Murphy