

# Lysogene Announces Licensing Agreement for LYS-SAF302, a Late-stage Gene Therapy, to Sarepta for the US and Markets Outside of Europe

## Torreya Advised Lysogene on Licensing Transaction

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Lysogene, a biopharmaceutical company specializing in gene therapy targeting the central nervous system (CNS), signed a license agreement with Sarepta Therapeutics, Inc., a leader in precision genetic medicine for rare diseases, for the development of LYS-SAF302, a gene therapy to treat Mucopolysaccharidosis type IIIA (MPS IIIA). MPS IIIA is a rare, severe



and fatal inherited neurodegenerative lysosomal storage disorder. Sarepta will also have certain option rights to an additional Lysogene CNS-targeted gene therapy candidate.

Lysogene will receive \$15 million (€13m) on closing, with payments in 2018 totaling \$26 million (€22m). Payments from Sarepta to Lysogene for all items, if all milestones are met, would total approximately \$125 million (€108m) plus royalties. As part of the transaction, Sarepta will make an equity investment in Lysogene of \$2.5 million (€2.1m) at a 30% premium. Sarepta receives full commercial rights to LYS-SAF302 in the U.S. and other markets outside of Europe, while Lysogene retains full commercial rights in Europe, and Sarepta will be responsible for manufacture of LYS-SAF302 globally.

Torreya served as the exclusive financial advisor to Lysogene on this transaction.

This transaction reinforces Torreya's strength and leadership position as an advisor to biotechnology companies. Torreya has advised on 20 completed strategic and financing transactions in the life sciences industry thus far in 2018.

#### **ABOUT LYSOGENE**

For more information about Lysogene, please see: www.lysogene.com

## ABOUT SAREPTA THERAPEUTICS, INC.

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