ATAI Life Sciences B.V.

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June 15, 2021

## VIA EDGAR AND E-MAIL

United States Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549-6010

Attention: Gary Newberry

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Re: ATAI Life Sciences B.V.

Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-255383)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 461 of Regulation C of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, we hereby request acceleration of the effective date of the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-255383) (the "*Registration Statement*") of ATAI Life Sciences B.V. (the "*Company*"). We respectfully request that the Registration Statement become effective as of 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on June 17, 2021, or as soon as practicable thereafter. Once the Registration Statement has been declared effective, please orally confirm that event with our counsel, Latham & Watkins LLP, by calling Nathan Ajiashvili at (212) 906-2916.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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Very truly yours,

## ATAI Life Sciences B.V.

By: /s/ Florian Brand

Name: Florian Brand Title: Chief Executive Officer

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