UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION January 8, 2018

ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1933 AND THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Senomyx, Inc. File Nos. 000-50791 and 333-113998

CF#35798

Senomyx, Inc. submitted an application under Rules 406 and 24b-2 requesting an extension of previous grants of confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form S-1 filed on March 29, 2004, as amended, and multiple 34 Act reports filed between May 5, 2006 and March 3, 2011.

Based on representations by Senomyx, Inc. that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibits will not be released to the public for the time periods specified:

| | | | Confidential Treatment |
|----------------|---------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Exhibit | to Form | Filed on | Granted |
| 10.11 | S-1 | March 29, 2004 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.3 | 10-Q | May 5, 2006 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.35 | 10-K | February 23, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.36 | 10-K | February 23, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.37 | 10-K | February 23, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.38 | 10-K | February 23, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.2 | 10-Q | May 3, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.2 | 10-Q | August 9, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.2 | 10-Q | November 2, 2007 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.1 | 10-Q | May 7, 2009 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.1 | 10-Q | November 5, 2009 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.22 | 10-K | February 4, 2010 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.44 | 10-K | February 4, 2010 | through February 4, 2021 |
| 10.33 | 10-K | March 3, 2011 | through February 4, 2021 |
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For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Brent J. Fields Secretary