## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION February 24, 2022

## ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

## Novan, Inc.

## File No. 001-37880 - CF#37285

Novan, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting an extension of a previous grant of confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 10-K filed on March 27, 2018.

Based on representations by Novan, 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 exhibit(s) will not be released to the public for the time period(s) specified:

| Exhibit 10.21 | through February 28, 2025 |
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| Exhibit 10.23 | through February 28, 2025 |

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Larry Spirgel Office Chief, Disclosure Review Program