

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

AMENDMENT NO. 8
TO
SCHEDULE TO/A
TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D)(1) OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

EXEGENICS INC.
(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

FOUNDATION GROWTH INVESTMENTS LLC (Parent of Offeror)
EI ACQUISITION INC. (Offeror)
(Names of Filing Persons
(identifying status as offeror, issuer or other person))

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE
SERIES A CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE
(Title of Class of Securities)

301610 (Common Stock)
(CUSIP not applicable for Preferred Stock)
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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EI Acquisition Inc.
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INTRODUCTION

This Amendment No. 8 to Schedule TO relates to the offer by Foundation Growth Investments LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and EI Acquisition Inc., a Delaware corporation (collectively, the "Purchaser"), to purchase all outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and all outstanding shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of eXegenics Inc., a Delaware corporation ("eXegenics"), upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase dated May 29, 2003, as amended on June 13, 2003, June 16, 2003, June 25, 2003, July 17, 2003, July 31, 2003, August 7, 2003, August 15, 2003 and as amended herein (the "Offer to Purchase"), and in the related Letter of Transmittal, as amended on June 13, 2003, June 16, 2003, June 25, 2003, July 17, 2003, July 31, 2003, August 7, 2003, August 15, 2003 and as amended herein (which, together with any amendments or supplements thereto, collectively constitute the "Offer"). The Offer is described in a Schedule TO (as amended or supplemented from time to time, the "Schedule TO"), initially filed by Purchaser with the SEC on May 29, 2003, as amended on June 13, 2003, June 16, 2003, June 25, 2003, July 17, 2003, July 31, 2003, August 7, 2003, August 15, 2003 and as herein amended. Copies of the Offer to Purchase and the Letter of Transmittal have been filed as Exhibits 12(a)(1) and 12(a)(2), respectively, of the Purchaser's Schedule TO and are incorporated herein by reference.

All information in (i) the Offer to Purchase, including all schedules thereto, (ii) the Letter of Transmittal, (iii) the Amendment No. 1 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on June 13, 2003, (iv) the Amendment No. 2 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on June 16, 2003, (v) the Amendment No. 3 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on June 26, 2003, (iv) the Amendment No. 4 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on July 17, 2003, (v) the Amendment No. 5 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on July 31, 2003, (vi) the Amendment No. 6 to Purchaser's Schedule TO filed on August 7, 2003, and (vii) the Amendment No. 7 filed on August 15, 2003 are incorporated by reference in answer to all of this items in this Schedule TO. Additional items with respect to this Schedule TO are set forth below. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Schedule TO.

ITEMS 1 THROUGH 12

Items 1 through 12 of the Schedule TO, which incorporate by reference the information contained in the Offer to Purchase, are hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

(1) Purchaser hereby amends and supplements the Offer to Purchase and the related Letter of Transmittal to provide that the expiration date of the Offer is hereby extended to 12:00 Midnight, New York City time, on September 8, 2003, unless otherwise extended. Accordingly, all references to "Expiration Date" shall mean 12:00 Midnight, New York City time, on September 8, 2003, unless Purchaser in its sole discretion, extends the period of time for which the Offer is open, in which case the term "Expiration Date" will mean the time and date at which the Offer, as so extended, will expire.

(2) The price to purchase all outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and all outstanding shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of eXegenics is increased from \$0.51 per Share to \$0.60 per Share, net to the seller in cash, without interest thereon. Accordingly all references to "Offer Price" shall mean \$0.60 per Share, net to the seller in cash, without interest thereon.

ITEM 12. EXHIBITS.

Item 12 is hereby amended and supplemented to add the following exhibit:

- (a) (16) Press Release, dated August 22, 2003.

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

EI ACQUISITION INC.

By: /s/ Terry Robbins

Name: Terry Robbins

Title: President

FOUNDATION GROWTH INVESTMENTS LLC

By: Foundation Growth Management LLC

Its: Member

By: /s/ Terry Robbins

Name: Terry Robbins

Title: Manager

Dated: August 22, 2003

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FOUNDATION GROWTH INCREASES EXEGENICS TENDER OFFER PRICE TO \$0.60 PER SHARE IN CASH AND EXTENDS OFFER TO SEPTEMBER 8, 2003

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, August 22, 2003 - Foundation Growth Investments LLC and EI Acquisition Inc. announced today that they are increasing their offer price to \$0.60 per share in CASH for all of the outstanding shares of Common Stock and Series A Convertible Preferred Stock of eXegenics Inc. (Nasdaq: EXEG). They further announced that they are extending the expiration date of their offer to 12:00 Midnight, New York City time on Monday, September 8, 2003.

Timothy Leonard, President of EI Acquisition Inc., made the following statement today: "Our offer to the eXegenics common stockholders continues to be higher than the value of the AVI BioPharma, Inc. (Nasdaq: AVII) offer. We are offering the eXegenics stockholders the certainty of CASH while AVII is offering its highly volatile stock. Since the merger announcement, AVII stock has lost 20% of its value. As the AVII stock falls, so does the value of its offer to the eXegenics stockholders. We remain committed to acquiring all of the outstanding stock of eXegenics."

NOTICE FOR EXEGENICS STOCKHOLDERS

The complete terms and conditions of the offer are set forth in an offer to purchase, letter of transmittal, and other related materials which were filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 29, 2003, as amended, and distributed to eXegenics stockholders. eXegenics stockholders are urged to read the tender offer documents because they contain important information. Investors are able to receive such documents free of charge at the SEC's web site, www.sec.gov, or by contacting Morrow & Co., Inc., the Information Agent for the transaction, at (800) 607-0088, or William Blair & Company, the Dealer Manager and financial adviser for the transaction, at (800) 621-0687 ext. 5333.

THIS ANNOUNCEMENT IS NEITHER AN OFFER TO PURCHASE NOR A SOLICITATION OF AN OFFER TO SELL SHARES OF EXEGENICS INC.

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This announcement should not be construed to constitute a solicitation of any consent. Foundation Growth Investments has filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission a preliminary consent statement relating to the solicitation of consents with respect to the removal of removal of all directors from the eXegenics board and the appointment of a new slate of directors. Foundation Growth Investments will furnish to eXegenics' stockholders, a definitive consent statement and may file other consent solicitation materials. Investors and security holders are urged to read the consent statement and any other consent solicitation materials (when they become available) because they will contain important information.

Investors and security holders are able to obtain a free copy of the preliminary consent statement and the definitive consent statement (when it is available) and other documents filed by Foundation Growth Investments with the Commission at the Commission's website at www.sec.gov. In addition, you will also be able to obtain a free copy of the definitive consent statement (when it is available) by contacting Morrow & Co., Inc., the Information Agent for the transaction, at (800) 607-0088, or William Blair & Company, the Dealer Manager and financial

adviser for the transaction, at (800) 621-0687 ext. 5333.

Detailed information regarding the names, affiliations and interests of individuals who may be deemed participants in the solicitation of consents of eXegenics stockholders are available in the preliminary consent statement filed by Foundation Growth Investments with the SEC on Schedule 14A.