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Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Titan Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Registration Statement on Form 8-A/A

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of the Company, we hereby withdraw the Company's Application for Registration of Certain Classes of Securities on Form 8-A/A, filed with the Commission on September 8, 1997 pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Very truly yours,

BACHNER, TALLY, POLEVOY & MISHER LLP

By: /s/ Steven M. Skolnick

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