# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

#### WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 13, 2009

NEOSTEM, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

0-10909

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number) 22-2343568

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 450, New York, New York 10170 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

> (212) 584-4180 Registrant's Telephone Number

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

# Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

# Item 2.04. Triggering Events that Accelerate or Increase a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation Under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement.

# Item 3.02. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

On April 13, 2009, NeoStem, Inc. (the "Company") completed a private placement financing totaling \$11 million from three Asia-based investors. The financing consisted of the issuance of 880,000 units priced at \$12.50 per unit, with each unit consisting of one share of the Company's Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock (convertible, subject to shareholder approval as described below, into 10 shares of common stock) and ten warrants each to purchase one share of common stock.

Upon the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of the voting power of the Company's stock required pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated By-Laws and the NYSE Amex, each share of Series D Stock will automatically be converted into ten (10) shares of Company Common Stock at an initial conversion price of \$1.25 per share; provided that if by October 31, 2009 such affirmative vote is not achieved, the Company must redeem all shares of Series D Stock at a redemption price per share of \$12.50 plus the accrued dividends as of such date. The Series D Stock has an accruing dividend of ten percent (10%) per annum, payable (i) annually in cash on each anniversary of the issue date, provided that the shares of Series D Stock remain outstanding on such date or (ii) upon a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company. The Series D Stock (i) ranks senior to all of the Company's capital stock with respect to the payment of dividends and to the distribution of assets upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up, (ii) does not have any voting rights, (iii) does not have any anti-dilution protection, and (iv) does not have any preemptive rights.

The warrants have a per share exercise price equal to \$2.50 and are callable by the Company if the common stock trades at a price equal to a minimum of \$3.50. Subject to the affirmative vote of the Company's shareholders and the rules of the NYSE Amex, the warrants will become exercisable for a period of five years.

The investing firms are RimAsia Capital Partners, LP, a pan-Asia private equity firm operating in partnership with a regional network of strategic investors drawn from leading Asian families and companies, investing \$5 million for 400,000 units; Enhance Biomedical Holding Corporation based in Shanghai, also investing \$5 million for 400,000 units and Elancrest Investments Ltd., a Singapore-based firm, investing \$1 million for 80,000 units. RimAsia Capital Partners previously invested \$1.25 million in NeoStem, as was announced on September 3, 2008.

The funds will be used to support the development of NeoStem's VSEL (very small embryonic-like stem cells) technology licensed from the University of Louisville and help advance NeoStem's expansion activities in China, including those relating to its pending acquisitions and medical tourism – defined as travel by people whose primary and explicit purpose is to access in a foreign country medical treatment not yet available in their own nation. Through its connections with leading physicians in China and the U.S., NeoStem expects to connect U.S. citizens with advanced therapies not yet available in the U.S., and attract people from other countries to seek safe and effective regenerative therapies as they become available here. A portion of the funds also will be used to expand U.S.-based operations. In addition, a portion of the proceeds were used to repay \$1,150,000 in bridge financing (represented by the Notes described below) received from RimAsia Capital Partners, LP in February and March, plus \$12,014 in interest on the bridge financing and other costs recently advanced by RimAsia in connection with the Company's expansion activities in China totaling \$472,559.09. As previously reported by the Company on a Current Report on Form 8-K dated February 25, 2009, on February 25, 2009 and March 6, 2009, respectively, the Company issued promissory notes to RimAsia in the principal amounts of \$400,000 and \$750,000, respectively, bearing interest at the rate of 10% per annum and due and payable on October 31, 2009 (the "Maturity Date"), except that all principal and accrued interest on the Notes would be immediately due and payable in the event the Company raised over \$10 million in equity financing prior to the Maturity Date. As a result of the private placement financing, such amounts became due and have been paid as described above.



The securities sold were sold without registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Act") pursuant to Regulation S and Regulation D, each promulgated under the Act and may not be resold in the United States or to U.S. persons unless registered under the Act or pursuant to an exemption from registration under the Act.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 4.1 – Certificate of Designations for Series D Preferred Stock

- Exhibit 4.2 Form of Warrant issued in connection with April 2009 private placement
- Exhibit 4.3 Form of subscription agreement

# SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, NeoStem has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

# NEOSTEM, INC.

By: /s/ Catherine M. Vaczy

Name: Catherine M. Vaczy Title: Vice President and General Counsel

Date: April 15, 2009

# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION of SERIES D CONVERTIBLE REDEEMABLE PREFERRED STOCK of NEOSTEM, INC. (Pursuant to Section 151(g) of the Delaware General Corporation Law)

It is hereby certified that:

1. The name of the corporation is NeoStem, Inc. (hereinafter called the "Corporation").

2. The Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation, as amended (the "<u>Certificate of Incorporation</u>") authorizes the issuance of 5,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$.01 per share, and expressly vests in the Board of Directors of the Corporation the authority to issue any or all of said shares in one or more series and by resolution to fix the designation and number of shares of the class and series acted upon, the full or limited voting powers or the denial of voting powers, and the relative rights, preferences and limitations and other distinguishing characteristics of each such class and series to be issued.

3. Pursuant to such authority, the following resolutions were duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation as required by Subsection 151(g) of the Delaware General Corporation Law by unanimous consent on March \_\_\_, 2009 creating a series of Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock.

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the authority granted to and vested in the Board of Directors of this Corporation in accordance with the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation, the Board of Directors hereby creates a series of Preferred Stock, par value \$.01 per share, of the Corporation and hereby states the designation and number of shares, and fixes the relative rights, preferences, and limitations thereof (in addition to the provisions set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation, which are applicable to the Preferred Stock of all series) as follows:

# ARTICLE THIRTEENTH SERIES D CONVERTIBLE REDEEMABLE PREFERRED STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 PER SHARE

# Section 1. Designation and Amount; Rank

There is hereby established a series of preferred stock which is designated "Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock" (referred to herein as "<u>Series</u> <u>D Preferred Stock</u>"). The number of shares which will constitute such series shall be [\_\_\_\_\_\_] (\_\_\_\_\_\_). The Series D Preferred Stock shall rank senior to all of the Corporation's capital stock with respect to the payment of dividends and to the distribution of assets upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up.

#### Section 2. Dividends.

From and after the date of the issuance of any shares of Series D Preferred Stock, dividends at the rate per annum of \$1.25 per share shall accrue on such shares of Series D Preferred Stock (subject to appropriate adjustment in the event of any stock dividend, stock split, combination or other similar recapitalization with respect to the Series D Preferred Stock) (the "Accruing Dividends"). Accruing Dividends shall accrue from day to day, whether or not declared, and shall be cumulative; provided however, that except as set forth in the following sentence of this Section 2 or Section 6, such Accruing Dividends shall be payable in cash on April [\_\_] of each year beginning on April [\_\_], 2010 provided that such shares of Series D Preferred Stock remain issued and outstanding on each such date. The Corporation shall not declare, pay or set aside any dividends on shares of any other class or series of capital stock of the Corporation (other than dividends on shares of Common Stock payable in shares of Common Stock) unless (in addition to the obtaining of any consents required elsewhere in the Certificate of Incorporation) the holders of the Series D Preferred Stock then outstanding shall first receive, or simultaneously receive, a dividend on each outstanding share of Series D Preferred Stock in an amount at least equal to the greater of (i) the amount of the aggregate Accruing Dividends then accrued on such share of Series D Preferred Stock and not previously paid and (ii) (A) in the case of a dividend on Common Stock or any class or series that is convertible into Common Stock, that dividend per share of Series D Preferred Stock as would equal the product of (1) the dividend payable on each share of such class or series determined, if applicable, as if all shares of such class or series had been converted into Common Stock and (2) the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of a share of Series D Preferred Stock, in each case calculated on the record date for determination of holders entitled to receive such dividend or (B) in the case of a dividend on any class or series that is not convertible into Common Stock, at a rate per share of Series D Preferred Stock determined by (1) dividing the amount of the dividend payable on each share of such class or series of capital stock by the original issuance price of such class or series of capital stock (subject to appropriate adjustment in the event of any stock dividend, stock split, combination or other similar recapitalization with respect to such class or series) and (2) multiplying such fraction by an amount equal to the Series D Original Issue Price (as defined below); provided that, if the Corporation declares, pays or sets aside, on the same date, a dividend on shares of more than one class or series of capital stock of the Corporation, the dividend payable to the holders of Series D Preferred Stock pursuant to this Section 2 shall be calculated based upon the dividend on the class or series of capital stock that would result in the highest Series D Preferred Stock dividend. The "Series D Original Issue Price" shall mean \$12.50 per share, subject to appropriate adjustment in the event of any stock dividend, stock split, combination or other similar recapitalization with respect to the Series D Preferred Stock.

#### Section 3. General, Class and Series Voting Rights.

Except as otherwise provided by law, each share of the Series D Preferred Stock shall not have any voting rights.

#### Section 4. Redemption.

(A) If by October 31, 2009 the affirmative vote of the number of holders of the Corporation's stock required pursuant to the Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Corporation and subject to the rules of the NYSE Amex to convert the shares of Series D Preferred Stock into Common Stock pursuant to Section 5(A) has not been achieved, the Company shall automatically redeem all shares of Series D Preferred Stock at the redemption price per share of \$12.50 plus the Accruing Dividends as of such date.

(B) In the event of a redemption of the shares of Series D Preferred Stock, the Corporation shall give notice to the holders of record of shares of the Series D Preferred Stock being so redeemed by first class mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses as shown on the stock registry books of the Corporation, that said shares have been redeemed, provided that without limiting the obligation of the Corporation hereunder to give the notice provided in this Section 4(B), the failure of the Corporation to give such notice shall not invalidate any corporate action by the Corporation. Each such notice shall state: (i) the redemption date; (ii) that all of the shares of Series D Preferred Stock have been redeemed; (iii) that the redemption price is \$12.50 plus the Accruing Dividends as of such date per share; and (iv) the place or places where certificates for such shares are to be surrendered for payment of the redemption price.

(C) Notice having been mailed as aforesaid, from and after the redemption date, said shares shall no longer be deemed to be outstanding, and all rights of the holders thereof as stockholders of the Corporation (except the right to receive from the Corporation the redemption price) shall cease. Upon surrender of the certificates for any shares so redeemed (properly endorsed or assigned for transfer, if the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall so require and the notice shall so state), such shares shall be redeemed by the Corporation at the redemption price aforesaid.

(D) Any shares of Series D Preferred Stock which shall at any time have been redeemed shall, after such redemption, have the status of authorized but unissued shares of Preferred Stock, without designation as to series, until such shares are once more designated as part of a particular series by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

#### Section 5. Conversion.

(A) Upon the affirmative vote of the number of holders of the Corporation's stock required pursuant to the Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Corporation and subject to the rules of the NYSE Amex (such date, the "<u>Conversion Date</u>"), each share of Series D Preferred Stock shall automatically convert into such number of fully paid and nonassessable shares of Common Stock as is determined by dividing (i) the Series D Original Issue Price by (ii) \$1.25 (the "<u>Conversion Rate</u>"). The Conversion Rate shall be subject to adjustment as provided below.

(B) Each holder of shares of Series D Preferred Stock shall surrender the certificates representing such shares, accompanied by transfer instruments satisfactory to the Corporation and sufficient to transfer the Series D Preferred Stock being converted to the Corporation free of any adverse interest, at any of the offices or agencies maintained for such purpose by the Corporation (<u>Conversion Agent</u>"), together with a written notice to the Corporation at such Conversion Agent stating the names, together with addresses, in which the certificates for shares of Common Stock which shall be issuable on such conversion shall be issued. As promptly as practicable after the surrender of such shares of Series D Preferred Stock as aforesaid, the Corporation shall issue and shall deliver at such Conversion Agent to such holder a certificate for the number of full shares of Common Stock issuable upon the conversion of such shares in accordance with the provisions hereof. Each conversion shall be deemed to have been effected immediately prior to the close of business on the Conversion Date, and the persons in whose names any certificates for shares of Common Stock shall be issuable upon such conversion shall be deemed to have become the holders of record of the Common Stock represented thereby at such time. Any such conversion shall be at the Conversion Rate in effect on the Conversion Date.

(C) In the case of any share of Series D Preferred Stock which is converted after any record date with respect to the payment of a dividend on the Series D Preferred Stock and on or prior to the Dividend Payment Date related to such record date, the dividend due on such Dividend Payment Date shall be payable on such Dividend Payment Date to the holder of record of such share as of such preceding record date notwithstanding such conversion.

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(D) No fractional shares or scrip representing fractions of shares of Common Stock shall be issued upon conversion of any shares of Series D Preferred Stock. Instead of any fractional interest in a share of Common Stock which would otherwise be deliverable upon the conversion of a share of Series D Preferred Stock, the Corporation shall round the number of shares of Common Stock down to the nearest whole share. If more than one certificate representing shares of Series D Preferred Stock shall be surrendered for conversion at one time by the same holder, the number of full shares issuable upon conversion thereof shall be computed on the basis of the aggregate number of shares of Series D Preferred Stock represented by such certificates, or the specified portions thereof to be converted, so surrendered.

(E) The Conversion Rate shall be adjusted from time to time as follows:

(i) In case outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be subdivided into a greater number of shares of Common Stock and the Series D Preferred Stock is not similarly subdivided, the Conversion Rate in effect at the opening of business on the day following the day upon which such subdivision becomes effective shall be proportionately increased, and, conversely, in case outstanding shares of Common Stock shall each be combined into a smaller number of shares of Common Stock and the Series D Preferred Stock is not similarly subdivided, the Conversion Rate in effect at the opening of business on the day following the day upon which such combination becomes effective shall be proportionately decreased, such reduction or increase, as the case may be, to become effective immediately after the opening of business on the day following the day upon which such subdivision becomes effective.

(ii) Whenever the Conversion Rate is adjusted as herein provided, (x) the Corporation shall promptly file with any Conversion Agent a certificate of a firm of independent public accountants setting forth the Conversion Rate after such adjustment and setting forth a brief statement of the facts requiring such adjustment, and the manner of computing the same, which certificate shall be conclusive evidence of the correctness of such adjustment, and (y) a notice stating that the Conversion Rate has been adjusted and setting forth the adjusted Conversion Rate shall forthwith be given by the Corporation to any Conversion Agent and mailed by the Corporation to each holder of shares of Series D Preferred Stock at their last address as the same appears on the books of the Corporation.

(F) In case of any consolidation of the Corporation with, or merger of the Corporation into, any other entity (other than a merger or consolidation in which the Corporation is the continuing Corporation) or any sale or conveyance to another Corporation of the property of the Corporation as an entirety or substantially as an entirety, or in the case of a statutory exchange of securities with another Corporation, or any reclassification of shares, the Conversion Rate shall not be adjusted but each holder of a share of Series D Preferred Stock then outstanding shall have the right thereafter to convert such share only into the kind and amount of securities, cash and other property which such holder would have owned or have been entitled to receive immediately after such consolidation, merger, sale, conveyance, exchange or reclassification. Provision shall be made in any such consolidation, merger, sale, conveyance, exchange or reclassification. Provision shall be made in any such consolidation, merger, sale, conveyance, exchange or reclassification. The above provisions shall similarly apply to successive consolidations, mergers, sales, conveyances, exchange or reclassifications, mergers, sales, conveyances, exchange or reclassifications.

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For purposes of this Section 5, "Common Stock" includes any stock of any class of the Corporation which has no preference in respect of dividends or of amounts payable in the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation and which is not subject to redemption by the Corporation. However, subject to the provisions of paragraph (F) above, shares issuable on conversion of shares of Series D Preferred Stock shall include only shares of the class designated as Common Stock of the Corporation on the date of the initial issuance of Series D Preferred Stock by the Corporation, or shares of any class or classes resulting from any reclassification or reclassifications thereof and which have no preference in respect of dividends or of amounts payable in the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation and which are not subject to redemption by the Corporation.

In case:

(i) the Corporation shall declare a stocks split, stock dividend (or any other distribution) on its Common Stock that would cause an adjustment to the Conversion Rate of the Series D Preferred Stock pursuant to the terms of subparagraph (i) of Paragraph (E) above; or

(ii) of any reclassification of the Common Stock of the Corporation (other than a subdivision or combination of its outstanding shares of Common Stock), or of any consolidation, merger or share exchange to which the Corporation is a party and for which approval of any stockholders of the Corporation is required, or of the sale or conveyance, of the property of the Corporation as an entirety or substantially as an entirety; or

(iii) of the voluntary or involuntary dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Corporation;

then the Corporation shall cause to be filed with any Conversion Agent, and shall cause to be mailed to all holders of shares of Series D Preferred Stock at each such holder's last address as the same appears on the books of the Corporation, at least 20 days (or 10 days in any case specified in clause (i) above) prior to the applicable record or effective date hereinafter specified, a notice stating (x) the date on which a record is to be taken for the purpose of such dividend, distribution, rights or warrants, or, if a record is not to be taken, the date as of which the holders of Common Stock of record to be entitled to such dividend, distribution, rights or warrants are to be determined, or (y) the date on which such reclassification, consolidation, merger, share exchange, sale, conveyance, dissolution, liquidation or winding up is expected to become effective, and the date as of which it is expected that holders of Common Stock of record shall be entitled to exchange their shares of Common Stock for securities, cash or other property deliverable upon such reclassification, consolidation, merger, share exchange, sale, conveyance, dissolution, liquidation or winding up. Neither the failure to give such notice nor any defect therein shall affect the legality or validity of the proceedings described in clauses (i) through (iii) above.

The Corporation will pay any and all documentary stamp or similar issue or transfer taxes payable in respect of the issue or delivery of shares of Common Stock on conversions of shares of Series D Preferred Stock pursuant hereto; provided, however, that the Corporation shall not be required to pay any tax which may be payable in respect of any transfer involved in the issue or delivery of shares of Common Stock in a name other than that of the holder of the shares of Series D Preferred Stock to be converted and no such issue or delivery shall be made unless and until the person requesting such issue or delivery has paid to the Corporation the amount of any such tax or has established, to the satisfaction of the Corporation, that such tax has been paid.

The Corporation covenants that all shares of Common Stock which may be delivered upon conversions of shares of Series D Preferred Stock will upon delivery be duly and validly issued and fully paid and non-assessable, free of all liens and charges and not subject to any pre-emptive rights. The Corporation further covenants that, if necessary, it shall reduce the par value of the Common Stock so that all shares of Common Stock delivered upon conversion of shares of Series D Preferred Stock are fully paid and non-assessable. The Corporation covenants that it will at all times reserve and keep available, free from pre-emptive rights, out of its authorized but unissued shares of Common Stock or its issued shares of Common; Stock held in its treasury, or both, for the purpose of effecting conversions of shares of Series D Preferred Stock, the full number of shares of Common Stock deliverable upon the conversion of all outstanding shares of Series D Preferred Stock not theretofore converted. For purposes of this reservation of Common Stock, the number of shares of Common Stock which shall be deliverable upon the conversion of all outstanding shares of Series D Preferred Stock were held by a single holder. The issuance of shares of Common Stock upon conversion of shares of Series D Preferred Stock is authorized in all respects.

#### Section 6. Liquidation.

In the event of any voluntary or involuntary dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Corporation (for the purposes of this Section 6, a "<u>Liquidation</u>"), prior to any distribution of assets to the holders of the Series B Preferred Stock and any other class or series of stock of the Corporation, the holder of each share of Series D Preferred Stock then outstanding shall be entitled to be paid out of the assets of the Corporation available for distribution to its stockholders an amount per share equal to \$12.50 plus the Accruing Dividends (the "<u>Series D Preference</u>"). Following the payment of the Series D Preference and the payment of any distributions required to be made to the holders of the Series B Preferred Stock in respect of distributions upon the Liquidation of the Corporation, the holder of each share of Series D Preferred Stock then outstanding shall be entitled to be paid out of the remaining assets of the Corporation available for distribution an amount on a pari passu basis equal to ten (10) times the amount per share distributed to the holders of the Corporation.

The voluntary sale, conveyance, lease, exchange or transfer of the property of the Corporation as an entirety or substantially as an entirety, or the merger or consolidation of the Corporation into or with any other Corporation, or the merger of any other Corporation into the Corporation, or any purchase or redemption of some or all of the shares of any class or series of stock of the Corporation, shall not be deemed to be a Liquidation of the Corporation for the purposes of the Section 6 (unless in connection therewith the Liquidation of the Corporation is specifically approved).

The holder of any shares of Series D Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to receive any payment owed for such shares under this Section 6 until such holder shall cause to be delivered to the Corporation (i) the certificate or certificates representing such shares of Series D Preferred Stock and (ii) transfer instrument or instruments satisfactory to the Corporation and sufficient to transfer such shares of Series D Preferred Stock to the Corporation free of any adverse interest. As in the case of the redemption price, no interest shall accrue on any payment upon Liquidation after the due date thereof.

After payment of the full amount of the liquidating distribution to which they are entitled, the holders of shares of the Series D Preferred Stock will not be entitled to any further participation in any distribution of assets by the Corporation.

#### Section 7. Status of Reacquired Shares.

Shares of Series D Preferred Stock issued and reacquired by the Corporation shall have the status of authorized and unissued shares of Preferred Stock, undesignated as to series, subject to later issuance.

#### Section 8. Preemptive Rights.

Holders of shares of Series D Preferred Stock are not entitled to any preemptive or subscription rights in respect of any securities of the Corporation.

# Section 9. Legal Holidays.

In any case where any Dividend Payment Date, redemption date or the last date on which a holder of Series D Preferred Stock has the right to convert such holder's shares of Series D Preferred Stock shall not be a Business Day (as defined below), then (notwithstanding any other provision of this Certificate of Designation of the Series D Preferred Stock) payment of a dividend due or a redemption price or conversion of the shares of Series D Preferred Stock need not be made on such date, but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the Dividend Payment Date or the last day for conversion, provided that, for purposes of computing such payment, no interest shall accrue for the period from and after such Dividend Payment Date or redemption date, as the case may be. As used in this Section 9, "Business Day" means each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday which is not a day on which banking institutions in the City of New York or the State of New Jersey are authorized or obligated by law or executive order to close.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the statements contained in the foregoing resolutions creating and designating the said Series D issue of Preferred Stock and fixing the number, voting rights, powers, preferences and relative, optional, participating, and other special rights and the qualifications, limitations, restrictions, and other distinguishing characteristics thereof shall, upon the effective date of said series, be deemed to be included in and be a part of the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Sections 104 and 151 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, NEOSTEM, INC. has caused this certificate to be signed by its President, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

# NEOSTEM, INC.

#### By:

Name: Robin Smith Title: Chief Executive Officer

# Exhibit 4.2

#### Exhibit A-1 for Purchase Under Regulation D

THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), OR ANY OTHER APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS AND HAVE BEEN ISSUED IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND SUCH OTHER SECURITIES LAWS. NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR ANY INTEREST OR PARTICIPATION HEREIN MAY BE SOLD, ASSIGNED, TRANSFERRED, ENCUMBERED, OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED.

Warrant No. \_\_\_\_

#### WARRANT TO PURCHASE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK

# OF

#### NEOSTEM, INC.

THIS CERTIFIES that, for value received, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is entitled to purchase from NEOSTEM, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "*Corporation*"), subject to the terms and conditions hereof, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) shares (the "*Warrant Shares*") of common stock, \$.001 par value (the "*Common Stock*"). This warrant, together with all warrants hereafter issued in exchange or substitution for this warrant, is referred to as the "*Warrant*" and the holder of this Warrant is referred to as the "*Holder*." The number of Warrant Shares is subject to adjustment as hereinafter provided. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, this Warrant shall expire at 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2014 (the "*Termination Date*").

1. <u>Exercise of Warrants</u>. The Holder understands that under the rules of the NYSE Alternext US, approval of the stockholders of the Corporation is required for this warrant to be exercisable. The Holder may, at any following the affirmative vote of the number of holders of the Corporation's stock required pursuant to the Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Corporation and subject to the rules of the NYSE Alternext US and prior to the Termination Date, exercise this Warrant in whole or in part at an exercise price per share equal to \$2.50 per share, subject to adjustment as provided herein (the "*Exercise Price*"), by the surrender of this Warrant (properly endorsed) at the principal office of the Corporation, or at such other agency or office of the Corporation in the United States of America as the Corporation of the Exercise Price in lawful money of the United States by check or wire transfer for each share of Common Stock being purchased. Upon any partial exercise of this Warrant, there shall be executed and issued to the Holder a new Warrant in respect of the shares of Common Stock as to which this Warrant shall not have been exercised. In the event of the exercise of the rights represented by this Warrant shall have been so exercised.

2. <u>Reservation of Warrant Shares</u>. The Corporation agrees that, prior to the expiration of this Warrant, it will at all times have authorized and in reserve, and will keep available, solely for issuance or delivery upon the exercise of this Warrant, the number of Warrant Shares as from time to time shall be issuable by the Corporation upon the exercise of this Warrant.

3. <u>No Stockholder Rights; No Rights to Net Cash Settle</u>. This Warrant shall not entitle the holder hereof to any voting rights or other rights as a stockholder of the Corporation. In no event may this Warrant be net cash settled.

4. <u>Transferability of Warrant</u>. Prior to the Termination Date and subject to compliance with applicable Federal and State securities and other laws, this Warrant and all rights hereunder are transferable, in whole or in part, at the office or agency of the Company by the Holder in person or by duly authorized attorney, upon surrender of this Warrant together with the Assignment Form annexed hereto properly endorsed for transfer. Any registration rights to which this Warrant may then be subject shall be transferred together with the Warrant to the subsequent Investor.

5. <u>Certain Adjustments</u>. With respect to any rights that Holder has to exercise this Warrant and convert into shares of Common Stock, Holder shall be entitled to the following adjustments:

(a) <u>Merger or Consolidation</u>. If at any time there shall be a merger or a consolidation of the Corporation with or into another entity when the Corporation is not the surviving corporation, then, as part of such merger or consolidation, lawful provision shall be made so that the holder hereof shall thereafter be entitled to receive upon exercise of this Warrant, during the period specified herein and upon payment of the aggregate Exercise Price then in effect, the number of shares of stock or other securities or property (including cash) of the successor corporation resulting from such merger or consolidation, to which the holder hereof as the holder of the stock deliverable upon exercise of this Warrant would have been entitled in such merger or consolidation if this Warrant had been exercised immediately before such transaction. In any such case, appropriate adjustment shall be made in the application of the provisions of this Warrant with respect to the rights and interests of the holder hereof as the holder of this Warrant after the merger or consolidation.

(b) <u>Reclassification, Recapitalization, etc.</u> If the Corporation at any time shall, by subdivision, combination or reclassification of securities, recapitalization, automatic conversion, or other similar event affecting the number or character of outstanding shares of Common Stock, or otherwise, change any of the securities as to which purchase rights under this Warrant exist into the same or a different number of securities of any other class or classes, this Warrant shall thereafter represent the right to acquire such number and kind of securities as would have been issuable as the result of such change with respect to the securities that were subject to the purchase rights under this Warrant immediately prior to such subdivision, combination, reclassification or other change.

(c) <u>Split or Combination of Common Stock and Stock Dividend</u>. In case the Corporation shall at any time subdivide, redivide, recapitalize, split (forward or reverse) or change its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a greater number of shares or declare a dividend upon its Common Stock payable solely in shares of Common Stock, the Exercise Price shall be proportionately reduced and the number of Warrant Shares proportionately increased. Conversely, in case the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Corporation shall be combined into a smaller number of shares, the Exercise Price shall be proportionately reduced.

6. <u>Legend and Stop Transfer Orders</u>. Upon exercise of any part of the Warrant, the Corporation shall instruct its transfer agent to enter stop transfer orders with respect to such Warrant Shares, and all certificates or instruments representing the Warrant Shares shall bear on the face thereof substantially the following legend:

THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE U.S. SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), OR ANY OTHER APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS AND HAVE BEEN ISSUED IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND SUCH OTHER SECURITIES LAWS. NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR ANY INTEREST OR PARTICIPATION HEREIN MAY BE SOLD, ASSIGNED, TRANSFERRED, ENCUMBERED, OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF, EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED.

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7. <u>Redemption of Warrant</u>. This Warrant is subject to redemption by the Company as provided in this <u>Section 7</u>.

(a) This Warrant may be redeemed, at the option of the Company, in whole and not in part, at a redemption price of \$.0001 per Warrant (the "<u>Redemption Price</u>"), provided (i) the average closing price of the Common Stock as quoted by Bloomberg, LP., or the Principal Trading Market (as defined below) on which the Common Stock is included for quotation or trading, shall equal or exceed \$3.50 per share (taking into account all adjustments) for twenty (20) out of thirty (30) consecutive trading days.

(b) If the conditions set forth in <u>Section 7(a)</u> are met, and the Company desires to exercise its right to redeem this Warrant, it shall mail a notice (the "<u>Redemption Notice</u>") to the registered holder of this Warrant by first class mail, postage prepaid, at least ten (10) business days prior to the date fixed by the Company for redemption of the Warrants (the "<u>Redemption Date</u>").

(c) The Redemption Notice shall specify (i) the Redemption Price, (ii) the Redemption Date, (iii) the place where the Warrant certificates shall be delivered and the redemption price paid, and (iv) that the right to exercise this Warrant shall terminate at 5:00 p.m. (New York time) on the business day immediately preceding the Redemption Date. No failure to mail such notice nor any defect therein or in the mailing thereof shall affect the validity of the proceedings for such redemption except as to a holder (a) to whom notice was not mailed, or (b) whose notice was defective. An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company that the Redemption Notice has been mailed shall, in the absence of fraud, be *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein.

(d) Any right to exercise a Warrant shall terminate at 5:00 p.m. (New York time) on the business day immediately preceding the Redemption Date. On and after the Redemption Date, the holder of this Warrant shall have no further rights except to receive, upon surrender of this Warrant, the Redemption Price.

(e) From and after the Redemption Date, the Company shall, at the place specified in the Redemption Notice, upon presentation and surrender to the Company by or on behalf of the holder thereof the warrant certificates evidencing this Warrant being redeemed, deliver, or cause to be delivered to or upon the written order of such holder, a sum in cash equal to the Redemption Price of this Warrant. From and after the Redemption Date, this Warrant shall expire and become void and all rights hereunder and under the warrant certificates, except the right to receive payment of the Redemption Price, shall cease.

8. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. This Warrant shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. All the covenants and provisions of this Warrant by or for the benefit of the Corporation shall bind and inure to the benefit of its successors and assigns hereunder. Nothing in this Warrant shall be construed to give to any person or corporation other than the Corporation and the holder of this Warrant any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under this Warrant. This Warrant shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the Corporation and the Holder. The section headings herein are for convenience only and are not part of this Warrant and shall not affect the interpretation hereof. Upon receipt of evidence satisfactory to the Corporation of the loss, theft, destruction, or mutilation of this Warrant, and of indemnity reasonably satisfactory to the Corporation, if lost, stolen, or destroyed, and upon surrender and cancellation of this Warrant, if mutilated, the Corporation shall execute and deliver to the Holder a new Warrant of like date, tenor, and denomination.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused this Warrant to be executed by its duly authorized officers under its seal, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_2009.

NEOSTEM, INC.

Robin L. Smith, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer

# WARRANT EXERCISE FORM

# To Be Executed by the Holder in Order to Exercise Warrant

To:	NeoStem, Inc.	Dated:	, 20
	420 Lexington Avenue		
	Suite 450		
	New York, New York 10170		
	Attn: Chairman and CEO		
	The undersigned, pursuant to the provisions set forth in the attached Warrant No.	, hereby irrevocably elects to purchase	shares of
	the Common Stock of NeoStem, Inc. covered by such Warrant.		

□ The undersigned herewith makes payment of the full purchase price for such shares at the price per share provided for in such Warrant. Such payment takes the form of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ in lawful money of the United States.

The undersigned hereby requests that certificates for the Warrant Shares purchased hereby be issued in the name of:

(please print or type name and address)

(please insert social security or other identifying number)

and be delivered as follows:

(please print or type name and address)

(please insert social security or other identifying number)

and if such number of shares of Common Stock shall not be all the shares evidenced by this Warrant Certificate, that a new Warrant for the balance of such shares be registered in the name of, and delivered to, Holder.

Signature of Holder

SIGNATURE GUARANTEE:

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# ASSIGNMENT FORM

(To assign the foregoing warrant, execute this form. Do not use this form to exercise the warrant.)

# FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to

is		whose address		
			Dated:	, 20
	Holder's Signature: Holder's Address:			
Signature Guaranteed:				

NOTE: The signature to this Assignment Form must correspond with the name as it appears on the face of the Warrant, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever, and must be guaranteed by a bank or trust Corporation. Officers of corporations and those acting in a fiduciary or other representative capacity should file proper evidence of authority to assign the foregoing Warrant.

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# Exhibit A-2 for Purchase Under Regulation S

"THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "ACT"), AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISTRIBUTED, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, IN THE UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES, POSSESSIONS, OR AREAS SUBJECT TO ITS JURISDICTION, OR TO OR FOR THE ACCOUNT OR BENEFIT OF A "U.S. PERSON" AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN RULE 902 OR REGULATION S OF THE ACT, AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO ONE (1) YEAR AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THIS CERTIFICATE, IN THE ABSENCE OF (i) AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR THE SECURITIES UNDER THE ACT, OR (ii) AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED PURSUANT TO A VALID EXEMPTION THEREFROM FROM UNDER THE ACT. HEDGING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING THE SHARES REPRESENTED HEREBY MAY NOT BE CONDUCTED UNLESS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ACT. ANY SALES, TRANSFERS OR OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE SECURITIES MUST BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF REGULATION S OF THE ACT. THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE SURRENDERED TO THE COMPANY OR ITS TRANSFER AGENT AS A CONDITION PRECEDENT TO THE SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISTRIBUTION OF ANY INTEREST IN ANY OF THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE."

Warrant No. \_\_\_\_

#### WARRANT TO PURCHASE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK

#### OF

## NEOSTEM, INC.

THIS CERTIFIES that, for value received, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is entitled to purchase from NEOSTEM, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "*Corporation*"), subject to the terms and conditions hereof, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) shares (the "*Warrant Shares*") of common stock, \$.001 par value (the "*Common Stock*"). This warrant, together with all warrants hereafter issued in exchange or substitution for this warrant, is referred to as the "*Warrant*" and the holder of this Warrant is referred to as the "*Holder*." The number of Warrant Shares is subject to adjustment as hereinafter provided. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, this Warrant shall expire at 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2014 (the "*Termination Date*").

1. Exercise of Warrants. The Holder understands that under the rules of the NYSE Alternext US, approval of the stockholders of the Corporation is required for this warrant to be exercisable. The Holder may, at any following the affirmative vote of the number of holders of the Corporation's stock required pursuant to the Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Corporation and subject to the rules of the NYSE Alternext US and prior to the Termination Date, exercise this Warrant in whole or in part at an exercise price per share equal to \$2.50 per share, subject to adjustment as provided herein (the "Exercise Price"), by the surrender of this Warrant (properly endorsed) at the principal office of the Corporation, or at such other agency or office of the Corporation in the United States of America as the Corporation may designate by notice in writing to the Holder at the address of such Holder appearing on the books of the Corporation, and by payment to the Corporation of the Exercise Price in lawful money of the United States by check or wire transfer for each share of Common Stock being purchased. Upon any partial exercise of this Warrant, there shall be executed and issued to the Holder a new Warrant in respect of the shares of Common Stock as to which this Warrant shall not have been exercised. In the event of the exercise of the rights represented by this Warrant, a certificate or certificates for the Warrant Shares so purchased, as applicable, registered in the name of the Holder, shall be delivered to the Holder hereof as soon as practicable after the rights represented by this Warrant shall have been so exercised. The Holder acknowledges that the Holder shall not be entitled to exercise the Warrant unless it provides the Corporation with: (1) written certification that the Holder is not a U.S. Person (within the meaning of Regulation S ("Regulation S") promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act")) and the Warrant is not being exercised on behalf of a U.S. Person; or (2) a written opinion of counsel, satisfactory to the Corporation, to the effect that the Warrant and the Warrant Shares delivered upon exercise hereof have been registered under the Securities Act or are exempt from registration thereunder. Without limiting the foregoing, the Holder further acknowledges that the Holder shall not be entitled to exercise the Warrant unless it provides the Corporation with a written opinion of counsel, satisfactory to the Corporation, to the effect that (a) the Warrant is not being exercised within the United States (within the meaning of Regulation S), and the Warrant Shares are not being delivered within the United States other than in an offering deemed to meet the definition of "offshore transaction" pursuant to Rule 902(h) of Regulation S, or (b) the Warrant and the Warrant Shares are registered under the Act or an exemption from such registration is available.

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2. <u>Reservation of Warrant Shares</u>. The Corporation agrees that, prior to the expiration of this Warrant, it will at all times have authorized and in reserve, and will keep available, solely for issuance or delivery upon the exercise of this Warrant, the number of Warrant Shares as from time to time shall be issuable by the Corporation upon the exercise of this Warrant.

3. <u>No Stockholder Rights; No Rights to Net Cash Settle</u>. This Warrant shall not entitle the holder hereof to any voting rights or other rights as a stockholder of the Corporation. In no event may this Warrant be net cash settled.

4. <u>Transferability of Warrant</u>. Prior to the Termination Date and subject to compliance with applicable Federal and State securities and other laws, this Warrant and all rights hereunder are transferable, in whole or in part, at the office or agency of the Company by the Holder in person or by duly authorized attorney, upon surrender of this Warrant together with the Assignment Form annexed hereto properly endorsed for transfer. Any registration rights to which this Warrant may then be subject shall be transferred together with the Warrant to the subsequent Investor.

5. <u>Certain Adjustments</u>. With respect to any rights that Holder has to exercise this Warrant and convert into shares of Common Stock, Holder shall be entitled to the following adjustments:

(a) <u>Merger or Consolidation</u>. If at any time there shall be a merger or a consolidation of the Corporation with or into another entity when the Corporation is not the surviving corporation, then, as part of such merger or consolidation, lawful provision shall be made so that the holder hereof shall thereafter be entitled to receive upon exercise of this Warrant, during the period specified herein and upon payment of the aggregate Exercise Price then in effect, the number of shares of stock or other securities or property (including cash) of the successor corporation resulting from such merger or consolidation, to which the holder hereof as the holder of the stock deliverable upon exercise of this Warrant would have been entitled in such merger or consolidation if this Warrant had been exercised immediately before such transaction. In any such case, appropriate adjustment shall be made in the application of the provisions of this Warrant with respect to the rights and interests of the holder hereof as the holder of this Warrant after the merger or consolidation.

(b) <u>Reclassification, Recapitalization, etc.</u> If the Corporation at any time shall, by subdivision, combination or reclassification of securities, recapitalization, automatic conversion, or other similar event affecting the number or character of outstanding shares of Common Stock, or otherwise, change any of the securities as to which purchase rights under this Warrant exist into the same or a different number of securities of any other class or classes, this Warrant shall thereafter represent the right to acquire such number and kind of securities as would have been issuable as the result of such change with respect to the securities that were subject to the purchase rights under this Warrant immediately prior to such subdivision, combination, reclassification or other change.

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(c) <u>Split or Combination of Common Stock and Stock Dividend</u>. In case the Corporation shall at any time subdivide, redivide, recapitalize, split (forward or reverse) or change its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a greater number of shares or declare a dividend upon its Common Stock payable solely in shares of Common Stock, the Exercise Price shall be proportionately reduced and the number of Warrant Shares proportionately increased. Conversely, in case the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Corporation shall be combined into a smaller number of shares, the Exercise Price shall be proportionately increased and the number of Warrant Shares proportionately increased and the number of Warrant Shares proportionately reduced.

6. <u>Legend and Stop Transfer Orders</u>. Upon exercise of any part of the Warrant, the Corporation shall instruct its transfer agent to enter stop transfer orders with respect to such Warrant Shares, and all certificates or instruments representing the Warrant Shares shall bear on the face thereof substantially the following legend:

"THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "ACT"), AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISTRIBUTED, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, IN THE UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES, POSSESSIONS, OR AREAS SUBJECT TO ITS JURISDICTION, OR TO OR FOR THE ACCOUNT OR BENEFIT OF A "U.S. PERSON" AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN RULE 902 OR REGULATION S OF THE ACT, AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO ONE (1) YEAR AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THIS CERTIFICATE, IN THE ABSENCE OF (i) AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR THE SECURITIES UNDER THE ACT, OR (ii) AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED PURSUANT TO A VALID EXEMPTION THEREFROM FROM UNDER THE ACT. HEDGING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING THE SHARES REPRESENTED HEREBY MAY NOT BE CONDUCTED UNLESS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ACT. ANY SALES, TRANSFERS OR OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE SECURITIES MUST BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF REGULATION S OF THE ACT. THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE SURRENDERED TO THE COMPANY OR ITS TRANSFER AGENT AS A CONDITION PRECEDENT TO THE SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISTRIBUTION OF ANY INTEREST IN ANY OF THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE."

7. <u>Redemption of Warrant</u>. This Warrant is subject to redemption by the Company as provided in this <u>Section 7</u>.

(a) This Warrant may be redeemed, at the option of the Company, in whole and not in part, at a redemption price of \$.0001 per Warrant (the "<u>Redemption Price</u>"), provided (i) the average closing price of the Common Stock as quoted by Bloomberg, LP, or the Principal Trading Market (as defined below) on which the Common Stock is included for quotation or trading, shall equal or exceed \$3.50 per share (taking into account all adjustments) for twenty (20) out of thirty (30) consecutive trading days.

(b) If the conditions set forth in <u>Section 7(a)</u> are met, and the Company desires to exercise its right to redeem this Warrant, it shall mail a notice (the "<u>Redemption Notice</u>") to the registered holder of this Warrant by first class mail, postage prepaid, at least ten (10) business days prior to the date fixed by the Company for redemption of the Warrants (the "<u>Redemption Date</u>").

(c) The Redemption Notice shall specify (i) the Redemption Price, (ii) the Redemption Date, (iii) the place where the Warrant certificates shall be delivered and the redemption price paid, and (iv) that the right to exercise this Warrant shall terminate at 5:00 p.m. (New York time) on the business day immediately preceding the Redemption Date. No failure to mail such notice nor any defect therein or in the mailing thereof shall affect the validity of the proceedings for such redemption except as to a holder (a) to whom notice was not mailed, or (b) whose notice was defective. An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company that the Redemption Notice has been mailed shall, in the absence of fraud, be *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein.

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(d) Any right to exercise a Warrant shall terminate at 5:00 p.m. (New York time) on the business day immediately preceding the Redemption Date. On and after the Redemption Date, the holder of this Warrant shall have no further rights except to receive, upon surrender of this Warrant, the Redemption Price.

(e) From and after the Redemption Date, the Company shall, at the place specified in the Redemption Notice, upon presentation and surrender to the Company by or on behalf of the holder thereof the warrant certificates evidencing this Warrant being redeemed, deliver, or cause to be delivered to or upon the written order of such holder, a sum in cash equal to the Redemption Price of this Warrant. From and after the Redemption Date, this Warrant shall expire and become void and all rights hereunder and under the warrant certificates, except the right to receive payment of the Redemption Price, shall cease.

8. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. This Warrant shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. All the covenants and provisions of this Warrant by or for the benefit of the Corporation shall bind and inure to the benefit of its successors and assigns hereunder. Nothing in this Warrant shall be construed to give to any person or corporation other than the Corporation and the holder of this Warrant any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under this Warrant. This Warrant shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the Corporation and the Holder. The section headings herein are for convenience only and are not part of this Warrant and shall not affect the interpretation hereof. Upon receipt of evidence satisfactory to the Corporation of the loss, theft, destruction, or mutilation of this Warrant, and of indemnity reasonably satisfactory to the Corporation, if lost, stolen, or destroyed, and upon surrender and cancellation of this Warrant, if mutilated, the Corporation shall execute and deliver to the Holder a new Warrant of like date, tenor, and denomination.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused this Warrant to be executed by its duly authorized officers under its seal, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_2009.

NEOSTEM, INC.

Robin L. Smith, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer

# WARRANT EXERCISE FORM

#### To Be Executed by the Holder in Order to Exercise Warrant

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_

To: NeoStem, Inc. 420 Lexington Avenue Suite 450 New York, New York 10170 Attn: Chairman and CEO

The undersigned, pursuant to the provisions set forth in the attached Warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_, hereby irrevocably elects to purchase \_\_\_\_\_\_ shares of the Common Stock of NeoStem, Inc. covered by such Warrant.

□ The undersigned herewith makes payment of the full purchase price for such shares at the price per share provided for in such Warrant. Such payment takes the form of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ in lawful money of the United States.

The undersigned hereby requests that certificates for the Warrant Shares purchased hereby be issued in the name of:

(please print or type name and address)

(please insert social security or other identifying number)

and be delivered as follows:

(please print or type name and address)

(please insert social security or other identifying number)

and if such number of shares of Common Stock shall not be all the shares evidenced by this Warrant Certificate, that a new Warrant for the balance of such shares be registered in the name of, and delivered to, Holder.

Signature of Holder

SIGNATURE GUARANTEE:

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# ASSIGNMENT FORM

(To assign the foregoing warrant, execute this form. Do not use this form to exercise the warrant.)

# FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to

		whose		
address is				
			Dated:	, 20
	Holder's Signature:			
	Holder's Address:			
	Holder's Signature: Holder's Address:		Dated:	, 20

Signature Guaranteed:

NOTE: The signature to this Assignment Form must correspond with the name as it appears on the face of the Warrant, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever, and must be guaranteed by a bank or trust Corporation. Officers of corporations and those acting in a fiduciary or other representative capacity should file proper evidence of authority to assign the foregoing Warrant.

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# SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT

NeoStem, Inc. 420 Lexington Avenue Suite 450 New York, New York 10170 Attention: Chief Executive Officer

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned investor (the "*Investor*") under the following terms and conditions, offers to subscribe (the "*Offer*") for the securities of NeoStem, Inc., a Delaware corporation. (the "*Company*" or "*NeoStem*"). The Company is issuing units ("*Units*") at a per Unit price of \$12.50 with each Unit consisting of (a) one share (the "*Preferred Shares*") of Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock, \$0.01 par value (the "*Preferred Stock*") (the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Preferred Shares (10 Common Shares for each Preferred Share) are referred to as the "*Conversion Shares*")and (b) one accompanying warrant (each, a "*Warrant*" and together the "*Warrants*") for the purchase of ten shares of the Company's common stock, \$0.001 par value (the "*Common Stock*") at an exercise price equal to \$2.50 per share, subject to adjustment, expiring five years from the date of issuance (the shares of Common Stock issuable under the Warrants are referred to as the "*Warrant Shares*"). The form of the Warrants is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A-1</u> for an Investor purchasing under the exemption from registration under Regulation D promulgated under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "*Securities Act*" or the "*Act*") and <u>Exhibit A-2</u> for an Investor purchasing under the Securities Act (*see below*). The Certificate of Designation of Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit B</u>. The Company is offering up to 1,280,000 Units (the "*Offering*"); however the Company reserves the right to increase the Offering to up to 1,680,000 Units.

The Investor understands that the Units are being issued pursuant to one or more exemptions from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, in either a private placement pursuant to an exemption from registration under Regulation D promulgated under Section 4(2) and Rule 506 of the Act and/or an exemption from registration under Regulation S promulgated under the Securities Act. As such, the Preferred Shares, the Conversion Shares, the Warrants and the Warrant Shares each are *"restricted securities"* and may not be sold or transferred absent a registration statement declared effective under the Act or an exemption from the registration requirements of the Act.

#### 1. <u>Subscription</u>.

The closing (the "*Closing*") of the transactions hereunder shall take place at the offices of the Company or at such other location as the Company may determine after the receipt by the Company of subscriptions for Units from Investors from time to time and after it has been determined that all conditions in this Subscription Agreement have been met. At the Closing, funds equal to the Subscription Amount of each Investor shall be delivered to the Company and the Company shall promptly thereafter deliver to each such Investor his, her or its respective Preferred Shares and Warrants as provided herein. The Company may close on any number of Units it may choose in its sole determination and is not required to sell all 1,280,000 Units in this Offering nor is it required to increase the size of the Offering to 1,680,000 Units.

Subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth in this Subscription Agreement, and the Company's due execution of this Subscription Agreement, the Investor hereby offers to subscribe for Units as set forth in the Investor Signature Page attached hereto and contemporaneously herewith makes payment for the purchase of the Units by wire transfer or bank check.

# 2. <u>Conditions</u>.

The Offer is made subject to the following conditions: (i) that the Company, acting in good faith, shall have the right to accept or reject this Offer, in whole or in part, for any reason; (ii) that the Investor agrees to comply with the terms of this Subscription Agreement.

Acceptance of this Offer shall be deemed given by the countersigning of this Subscription Agreement by the Company. In the event the Company does not accept the Offer, any and all proceeds for the purchase of the Units by the Investor shall be returned to Investor.

# 3. <u>Representations and Warranties of the Investor</u>.

The Investor, in order to induce the Company to accept this Offer, hereby warrants and represents as set forth below; provided, that Investor may choose to either make the representations in (b) (Regulation D) or in (c) (Regulation S) by checking the appropriate box.

# PLEASE CHECK ONE OR BOTH OF THE TWO BOXES BELOW AS APPROPRIATE

o Investor is purchasing under Regulation D

OR

# o Investor is purchasing under Regulation S

(a) <u>Organization; Authority</u>. The Investor, if not an individual, is an entity duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organization with the requisite power and authority to enter into and to consummate the transactions contemplated by this Subscription Agreement and otherwise to carry out its obligations hereunder. The purchase by Investor of the Units hereunder has been duly authorized by all necessary action on the part of Investor. This Subscription Agreement has been duly executed by Investor, and when delivered by Investor in accordance with the terms hereof, will constitute the valid and legally binding obligation of Investor, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by general equitable principles and applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other laws of general application affecting enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief or other equitable remedies.

#### (b) <u>Investor Representation for Purchase under Regulation D</u>.

(i) <u>Restricted Securities</u>. Investor understands that the Units, Preferred Shares, the Conversion Shares, Warrants and Warrant Shares (collectively, the "*Securities*") are each "restricted securities" and have not been registered under the Securities Act or qualified under any applicable state securities law by reason of their issuance in a transaction that does not require registration or qualification (based in part on the accuracy of the representations and warranties of the Investor contained herein), and that such securities must be held indefinitely unless a subsequent disposition is registered under the Securities Act or any applicable state securities laws or is exempt from such registration. The Investor hereby agrees that the Company may insert the following or similar legend on the face of the certificates evidencing the Units, Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares, Warrants and Warrant Shares, if required in compliance with federal and state securities laws:

"THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT") NOR UNDER THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE. THEY MAY NOT BE SOLD, OFFERED FOR SALE, OR HYPOTHECATED IN THE ABSENCE OF A REGISTRATION STATEMENT IN EFFECT WITH RESPECT TO THE SECURITIES UNDER SUCH ACT OR AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED PURSUANT TO A VALID EXEMPTION THEREFROM UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT."

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The Investor understands and acknowledges that the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "*Commission*") currently takes the position that coverage of short sales of shares of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares "against the box" prior to the effective date of a registration statement registering the re-sale of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares is a violation of Section 5 of the Securities Act, as set forth in Item 65, Section 5 under Section A, of the Manual of Publicly Available Telephone Interpretations, dated July 1997, compiled by the Office of Chief Counsel, Division of Corporation Finance. Accordingly, without limiting the restrictions set forth herein, the Investor agrees not to use any of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares to cover any short sales made prior to the effective date of such registration statement.

(ii) <u>No Distribution</u>. Investor is acquiring the Units as principal for its own account, in the ordinary course of its business, and not with a view to or for distributing or reselling such Units or any part thereof. Investor has no present intention of distributing any of such Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares, Warrants or Warrant Shares and has no agreement or understanding, directly or indirectly, with any other individual, corporation, partnership, trust, incorporated or unincorporated association, joint venture, limited liability company, joint stock company, government (or an agency or subdivision thereof), or other entity of any kind (each, a "*Person*") regarding the distribution of such Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares, Warrants or Warrant Shares pursuant to a Registration Statement or otherwise in compliance with applicable federal and state securities laws).

(iii) <u>Investor Status</u>. Investor is, and on each date on which it exercises any Warrants it will be an "Accredited Investor" as defined in Rule 501(a)(1), (a)(2), (a)(3), (a)(7), or (a)(8) under the Securities Act. In general, an Accredited Investor is deemed to be an institution with assets in excess of \$5,000,000 or individuals with net worth in excess of \$1,000,000 or annual income exceeding \$200,000, or \$300,000 jointly with their spouse and is defined on Schedule A hereto..

(iv) <u>Experience of Investor</u>. Investor, either alone or together with its representatives, has such knowledge, sophistication, and experience in business and financial matters so as to be capable of evaluating the merits and risks of the prospective investment in the Units, and has so evaluated the merits and risks of such investment. The Investor has not authorized any Person to act as his Purchaser Representative (as that term is defined in Regulation D of the General Rules and Regulations under the Act) in connection with this transaction. Investor is able to bear the economic risk of an investment in the Units and, at the present time, is able to afford a complete loss of such investment.

(v) <u>General Solicitation</u>. Investor is not purchasing the Units as a result of any advertisement, article, notice or other communication regarding the Units published in any newspaper, magazine, or similar media or broadcast over television or radio or presented at any seminar or any other general solicitation or general advertisement.

(c) <u>Investor Representations for Purchase under Regulation S.</u>

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(i) <u>Restricted Securities</u>. Investor understands that the Units, Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares, Warrants and Warrant Shares (collectively, the "*Securities*") are each "restricted securities" and have not been registered under the Securities Act or qualified under any applicable state securities law by reason of their issuance in a transaction that does not require registration or qualification (based in part on the accuracy of the representations and warranties of the Investor contained herein), and that such securities must be held indefinitely unless a subsequent disposition is registered under the Securities Act or any applicable state securities laws or is exempt from such registration. The Investor hereby agrees that the Company may insert the following or similar legend on the face of the certificates evidencing the Units, Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares, Warrants and Warrant Shares, if required in compliance with federal and state securities laws:

"THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "ACT"), AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISTRIBUTED, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, IN THE UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES, POSSESSIONS, OR AREAS SUBJECT TO ITS JURISDICTION, OR TO OR FOR THE ACCOUNT OR BENEFIT OF A "U.S. PERSON" AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN RULE 902 OR REGULATION S OF THE ACT, AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO ONE (1) YEAR AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THIS CERTIFICATE, IN THE ABSENCE OF (i) AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR THE SECURITIES UNDER THE ACT, OR (ii) AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY THAT SUCH REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED PURSUANT TO A VALID EXEMPTION THEREFROM FROM UNDER THE ACT. HEDGING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING THE SHARES REPRESENTED HEREBY MAY NOT BE CONDUCTED UNLESS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ACT. ANY SALES, TRANSFERS OR OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE SECURITIES MUST BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF REGULATION S OF THE ACT. THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE SURRENDERED TO THE COMPANY OR ITS TRANSFER AGENT AS A CONDITION PRECEDENT TO THE SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISTRIBUTION OF ANY INTEREST IN ANY OF THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE."

The Investor understands and acknowledges that the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "*Commission*") currently takes the position that coverage of short sales of shares of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares "against the box" prior to the effective date of a registration statement registering the re-sale of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares or the Warrant Shares is a violation of Section 5 of the Securities Act, as set forth in Item 65, Section 5 under Section A, of the Manual of Publicly Available Telephone Interpretations, dated July 1997, compiled by the Office of Chief Counsel, Division of Corporation Finance. Accordingly, without limiting the restrictions set forth herein, Investor agrees not to use any of the Preferred Shares, Conversion Shares to cover any short sales made prior to the effective date of such registration statement.

(ii) <u>Non-U.S. Person</u>. The Investor is a Non-U.S. Person (as defined herein). As used herein, the term "<u>United States</u>" means and includes the United States of America, its territories and possessions, any State of the United States, and the District of Columbia, and the term "<u>Non-U.S. Person</u>" means any person who is not a U.S. Person, within the meaning of Regulation S, the definition of which is set forth on <u>Schedule B</u> attached hereto, or is deemed not to be a U.S. Person pursuant to Rule 902(k)(2) of Regulation S, as set forth on <u>Schedule C</u> attached hereto.

(1) The Investor has been advised and acknowledges that:

(1) the Securities have not been, and when issued, will not be registered pursuant to the Securities Act, the securities laws of any state of the United States or the securities laws of any other country;

- (2) in issuing and selling the Securities to the Investor pursuant hereto, the Company is relying upon the "safe harbor" provided by Regulation S;
- (3) it is a condition to the availability of the Regulation S "safe harbor" that the Securities not be offered or sold in the United States or to a U.S. Person until the expiration of a period of one year following the Closing (the *"Restricted Period"*); and
- (4) notwithstanding the foregoing, prior to the expiration of the Restricted Period the Securities may be offered or sold by the holder thereof if such offer and sale is made in compliance with the terms of this Agreement and either: (A) if the offer or sale is within the United States or to or for the account of a U.S. Person (as such terms are defined in Regulation S), the sale is made pursuant to an effective registration statement or pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act; or (B) the offer and sale is outside the United States and to other than a U.S. Person.
- (iii) The Investor agrees that with respect to the Securities until the expiration of the Restricted Period:
  - (1) the Investor, its agents or its representatives have not and will not solicit offers to buy, offer for sale or sell any of the Securities, or any beneficial interest therein in the United States or to or for the account of a U.S. Person during the Restricted Period; and
  - (2) notwithstanding the foregoing, prior to the expiration of the Restricted Period the Securities shall not be offered or sold by the holder thereof unless such offer and sale is made in compliance with the terms of this Agreement and either: (A) if the offer or sale is within the United States or to or for the account of a U.S. Person (as such terms are defined in Regulation S), the sale is made pursuant to an effective registration statement or pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act; or (B) the offer and sale is outside the United States and to other than a U.S. Person; and
  - (3) the Investor will not engage in hedging transactions with regard to the Securities unless in compliance with the Securities Act.

The foregoing restrictions are binding upon subsequent transferees of the Securities, except for transferees pursuant to an effective registration statement. The Investor agrees that after the Restricted Period, the Securities may be offered or sold within the United States or to or for the account of a U.S. Person only pursuant to applicable securities laws, including, without limitation, Regulation S.

(iv) The Investor is not purchasing the Securities as a result of any advertisement, article, notice or other communication regarding the Securities published in any newspaper, magazine or similar media or broadcast over television or radio or presented at any seminar or other general solicitation or advertisement. The Investor has not engaged, nor is it aware that any party has engaged, and the Investor will not engage or cause any third party to engage, in any :directed selling efforts," as such term is defined in Regulation S, in the United States with respect to the Securities.

(v) The Investor: (1) is domiciled and has its principal place of business outside the United States; (2) certifies it is not a U.S. Person and is not acquiring the Securities for the account or benefit of any U.S. Person; and (3) at the time of the Closing, the Investor or persons acting on the Investor's behalf in connection therewith will be located outside the United States.

(vi) At the time of offering to the Investor and communication of the Investor's order to purchase the Securities and at the time of the Investor's execution of this Agreement, the Investor or persons acting on the Investor's behalf in connection therewith were located outside the United States.

(vii) The Investor is not a "distributor" (as defined in Regulation S) or a "dealer" (as defined in the Securities Act).

(viii) The Investor acknowledges that upon exercising the Warrants, the holder shall be required to give: (1) written certification that it is not a U.S. Person and the warrant is not being exercised on behalf of a U.S. Person; or (2) a written opinion of counsel to the effect that the Warrant and the Warrant Shares delivered upon exercise thereof have been registered under the Securities Act or are exempt from registration thereunder. The Investor further acknowledges that procedures set forth in the Warrant have been implemented to ensure that the Warrant may not be exercised within the United States, and that the Warrant Shares may not be delivered within the United States upon exercise, other than in offerings deemed to meet the definition of "offshore transaction pursuant to Rule 902(h) under Regulation S, unless registered under the Act or an exemption from such registration is available.

(ix) The Investor acknowledges that the Company shall make a notation in its stock books regarding the restrictions on transfer set forth in this Agreement and shall transfer such shares on the books of the Company only to the extent consistent therewith. In particular, the Investor acknowledges that the Company shall refuse to register any transfer of the Securities not made in accordance with the provisions of Regulation S, pursuant to registration pursuant to the Securities Act or pursuant to an available exemption from registration.

(x) The Investor hereby represents that the Investor is satisfied as to the full observance of the laws of the Investor's jurisdiction in connection with any invitation to subscribe for the Securities or any use of the Agreement, including (i) the legal requirements within such Investor's jurisdiction for the purchase of the Securities, (ii) any foreign exchange restrictions applicable to such purchase, (iii) any governmental or other consents that may need to be obtained and (iv) the income tax and other tax consequences, if any, that may be relevant to the purchase, holding, redemption, sale or transfer of the Securities. The Investor's subscription and payment for, and the Investor's continued beneficial ownership of, the Securities will not violate any applicable securities or other laws of the Investor's jurisdiction.

(xi) The Investor is a resident of a country (an "*International Jurisdiction*") other than Canada or the United States and the decision to subscribe for the Securities was taken in such International Jurisdiction.

(xii) The delivery of this Subscription Agreement, the acceptance of it by the Company and the issuance of the Securities to the Investor complies with all laws applicable to the Investor, including the laws of the Investor's jurisdiction of formation, and all other applicable laws, and will not cause the Company to become subject to, or require it to comply with, any disclosure, prospectus, filing or reporting requirements under any applicable laws of the International Jurisdiction.

(xiii) The Investor is knowledgeable of, or has been independently advised as to, the application or jurisdiction of the securities laws of the International Jurisdiction which would apply to the subscription (other than the securities laws of Canada and the United States).

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(xiv) The Investor is purchasing the Securities pursuant to exemptions from the prospectus and registration requirements (or their equivalent) under the applicable securities laws of that International Jurisdiction or, if such is not applicable, each is permitted to purchase the Securities under the applicable securities laws of the International Jurisdiction without the need to rely on an exemption.

(xv) The applicable securities laws do not require the Company to register any of the Securities, file a prospectus or similar document, or make any filings or disclosures or seek any approvals of any kind whatsoever from any regulatory authority of any kind whatsoever in the International Jurisdiction.

(xvi) The Investor will not sell, transfer or dispose of the Securities except in accordance with all applicable laws, including, without limitation, applicable securities laws of each of International Jurisdiction, Canada and the United States, and the Investor acknowledges that the Company shall have no obligation to register any such purported sale, transfer or disposition which violates applicable, International Jurisdiction, Canadian or United States or other securities laws.

(xvii) <u>Investor Status</u>. Investor is, and on each date on which it exercises any Warrants it will be an "Accredited Investor" as defined in Rule 501(a)(1), (a)(2), (a)(3), (a)(7), or (a)(8) under the Securities Act. In general, an Accredited Investor is deemed to be an institution with assets in excess of \$5,000,000 or individuals with net worth in excess of \$1,000,000 or annual income exceeding \$200,000, or \$300,000 jointly with their spouse and is defined on Schedule A hereto..

(xviii) <u>Experience of Investor</u>. The Investor, either alone or together with its representatives, has such knowledge, sophistication, and experience in business and financial matters so as to be capable of evaluating the merits and risks of the prospective investment in the Securities, and has so evaluated the merits and risks of such investment. The Investor is able to bear the economic risk of an investment in the Securities and, at the present time, is able to afford a complete loss of such investment.

Access to Information. The Investor has reviewed the SEC Reports (as that term is defined in Section 4(g)) as well as certain (d)supplemental information (the "Supplemental Information") provided to Investor on a confidential basis relating to (i) a voluntary production of certain documents to the SEC and (ii) the Proposed Acquisition Transactions (as hereinafter defined) and neither the Company nor any of its representatives have made any other representations or warranties to the Investor with respect to the Company except as contained herein, in the SEC Reports or in the Supplemental Information. Specifically, the Investor acknowledges that the SEC Reports include two Form 8-Ks filed by the Company on November 6, 2008, and disclose that (A) On November 2, 2008, the Company entered into a Share Exchange Agreement (the "Share Exchange Agreement"), with China StemCell Medical Holding Limited, a Hong Kong company (the "HK Entity"), Shandong New Medicine Research Institute of Integrated Traditional and Western Medicine Limited Liability Company, a China limited liability company ("Shandong"), Beijing HuaMeiTai Bio-technology Limited Liability Company ("WFOE") and Zhao Shuwei, the sole shareholder of the HK Entity ("HK Shareholder"), pursuant to which NeoStem agreed to acquire from the HK Entity all of the outstanding interests in the HK Entity, and through a series of contractual arrangements, establish control over Shandong, and (B) on November 2, 2008, NeoStem, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("NeoStem"), entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"), with China Biopharmaceuticals Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("CBH"), China Biopharmaceuticals Corp., a British Virgin Islands corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of CBH ("CBC"), and CBH Acquisition LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of NeoStem ("Merger Sub") (the "Proposed Acquisition Transactions") and the Supplemental Information contains additional information with respect thereto as well as with respect to the Company's other initiatives to expand operations into China. Investor acknowledges that there can be no assurance that any acquisition will be consummated, including but not limited to the Proposed Acquisition Transactions and that in the event the Proposed Acquisition Transactions are consummated they may not be consummated on the terms disclosed to the Investor. The Investor has also been afforded the opportunity to ask questions of, and receive answers from, the officers and/or directors of the Company concerning the terms and conditions of the Offering, the Proposed Acquisition Transactions and any other information disclosed in the Supplemental Information and to obtain any additional information, to the extent that the Company possesses such information, which Investor considers necessary and appropriate in order to permit Investor to evaluate the merits and risks of an investment in the Units. It is understood that all documents, records, and books pertaining to this investment have been made available for inspection by the Investor during reasonable business hours at the Company's principal place of business. Notwithstanding the foregoing, it is understood that the Investor is purchasing the Units without being furnished any prospectus setting forth all of the information that would be required to be furnished under the Securities Act and this Offering has not been passed upon or the merits thereof endorsed or approved by any state or federal authorities.

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(e) <u>Placement Agent Fees.</u> The Investor has been advised by any placement agent (the "Placement Agent") through whom the Units have been purchased of the fees being paid to the Placement Agent in connection with its acting as Placement Agent in the Offering which fees shall not exceed 8% of the aggregate price paid for the Units by the Investor and Investor has no objections to the fees being paid.

### 4. <u>Representations and Warranties of the Company</u>.

The Company hereby makes the following representations and warranties to the Investor:

(a) <u>Organization and Qualification</u>. Each of the Company and its subsidiaries (each, a "Subsidiary") is an entity duly incorporated or otherwise organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation or organization (as applicable), with the requisite power and authority to own and use its properties and assets and to carry on its business as currently conducted. Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary is in violation or default of any of the provisions of its respective certificate or articles of incorporation, bylaws or other organizational or charter documents. Each of the Company and the Subsidiaries is duly qualified to conduct business and is in good standing as a foreign corporation or other entity in each jurisdiction in which the nature of the business conducted or property owned by it makes such qualification necessary, except where the failure to be so qualified or in good standing, as the case may be, would not have or reasonably be expected to result in (i) a material adverse effect on the legality, validity or enforceability of this Subscription Agreement, (ii) a material adverse effect on the results of operations, assets, business, prospects or financial condition of the Company and the Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, or (iii) a material adverse effect. (iii) a material adverse effect.) and no Proceeding has been instituted in any such jurisdiction revoking, limiting or curtailing or seeking to revoke, limit or curtail such power and authority or qualification.

(b) <u>Authorization; Enforcement</u>. The Company has the requisite corporate power and authority to enter into and to consummate the Offering, to issue the Units and, upon due exercise of the Warrants or conversion of the Preferred Shares, to duly issue the shares of Common Stock deliverable thereunder. The execution and delivery of this Subscription Agreement and the Units by the Company and the consummation by it of the transactions contemplated hereby have been duly authorized by all necessary action on the part of the Company and no further consent or action is required by the Company, other than the Required Approvals and the Stockholder Approval (each as defined below). This Subscription Agreement, when executed and delivered in accordance with the terms hereof, will constitute the valid and binding obligation of the Company enforceable against the Company in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, and other laws of general application affecting enforcement of creditors' rights generally and (ii) as limited by laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief or other equitable remedies.

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(c) <u>No Conflicts</u>. The execution, delivery, and performance of this Subscription Agreement by the Company and the consummation by the Company of the Offering and issuance of the Units does not and will not: (i) conflict with or violate any provision of the Company's or any Subsidiary's certificate or articles of incorporation, bylaws or other organizational or charter documents or (ii) subject to obtaining the Required Approvals, conflict with, or constitute a default (or an event that with notice or lapse of time or both would become a default) under, or give to others any rights of termination, amendment, acceleration or cancellation (with or without notice, lapse of time or both) of any agreement, credit facility, debt, or other instrument (evidencing the Company's or a Subsidiaries' debt or otherwise) or other understanding to which the Company or either of the Subsidiaries is a party or by which any property or asset of the Company or its Subsidiaries is bound or affected, or (iii) result in a violation of any law, rule, regulation, order, judgment, injunction, decree, or other restriction of any court or governmental authority as currently in effect to which the Company or any of the Subsidiaries is subject (including federal and state securities laws and regulations), or by which any property or asset of the Company or either of the Subsidiaries is bound or affected; except in the case of each of clauses (ii) and (iii), such as could not, individually or in the aggregate have a Material Adverse Effect.

(d) <u>Filings, Consents, and Approvals</u>. Neither the Company nor any of the Subsidiaries is required to obtain any consent, waiver, authorization, or order of, give any notice to, or make any filing or registration with, any court or other federal, state, local, or other governmental authority or other Person in connection with the execution, delivery and performance by the Company of this Subscription Agreement, other than: (i) the filing with the Commission of the Registration Statement pursuant to Section 5, (ii) the filing with the Commission of a Form D pursuant to Commission Regulation D (as applicable), and (iii) any applicable Blue Sky filings (collectively, the "*Required Approvals*").

(e) <u>Issuance of the Units</u>. The Units, and each component or underlying security, are duly authorized and, when issued and paid for in accordance with this Subscription Agreement, will be duly and validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable, free and clear of all liens, and not subject to any preemptive rights. The Company will reserve from its duly authorized capital stock a number of shares of Common Stock required for issuance of the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares.

(f) <u>Capitalization</u>. The number of shares and type of all authorized, issued, and outstanding capital stock of the Company is as set forth in the SEC Reports as of the respective dates set forth therein. No Person has any right of first refusal, preemptive right, right of participation, or any similar right to participate in the Offering. Other than the stockholder approval required by Section 5(A) of the Company's Certificate of Designation of Series D Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock in order to permit holders to have voting rights and to be able to exercise the Warrants under the rules of the NYSE Amex (the *"Stockholder Approval"*), no further approval or authorization of any stockholder, the Board of Directors of the Company, or others except as may be required in connection with the Proposed Acquisition Transactions, is required for the issuance and sale of the Units and the underlying Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares. Upon exercise of the Warrants in accordance with their terms, the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares issuable thereby will be deemed duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and non-accessible in all respects.

(g) <u>SEC Reports; Financial Statements</u>. The Company has filed all reports required to be filed by it under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act, including pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) thereof, for the one year preceding the date hereof (or such shorter period as the Company was required by law to file such material) (the foregoing materials being collectively referred to herein as the "*SEC Reports*"). As of their respective dates, the SEC Reports complied in all material respects with the requirements of the Securities Act and the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations of the Commission promulgated thereunder, and none of the SEC Reports, when filed, contained any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. The Company has advised Investor(s) that a copy of each of the SEC Reports (together with all exhibits and schedules thereto and as amended to date) is available at <u>http://www.sec.gov</u>, a website maintained by the Commission where Investor(s) may view the SEC Reports.

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(h) <u>Material Changes</u>. Since the date of the latest audited financial statements included in the SEC Reports, except as disclosed in the SEC Reports or referred to in this Subscription Agreement and the Supplemental Information, (i) there has been no event, occurrence, or development that has had a Material Adverse Effect, (ii) the Company has not incurred any liabilities (contingent or otherwise) other than (A) trade payables and accrued expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and (B) liabilities not required to be reflected in the Company's financial statements pursuant to GAAP or required to be disclosed in filings made with the Commission, (iii) the Company has not altered its method of accounting or the identity of its auditors, and (iv) the Company has not declared or made any dividend or distribution of cash or other property to its stockholders except in the ordinary course of business consistent with prior practice, or purchased, redeemed or made any agreements to purchase or redeem any shares of its capital stock except consistent with prior practice or pursuant to existing Company stock option or similar plans.

(i) <u>Litigation</u>. Except as set forth in the SEC Reports or Supplemental Information, there is no action, suit, inquiry, notice of violation, proceeding, or investigation pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against or affecting the Company, the Subsidiaries or any of its properties before or by any court, arbitrator, governmental or administrative agency or regulatory authority (federal, state, county, local, or foreign) (collectively, an "*Action*") which: (i) adversely affects or challenges the legality, validity or enforceability of this Subscription Agreement or the Units or (ii) could, if there were an unfavorable decision, individually or in the aggregate, have or reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(j) <u>Compliance</u>. Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary (i) is in default under or in violation of (and no event has occurred that has not been waived that, with notice or lapse of time or both, would result in a default by the Company or any Subsidiary under), nor has the Company or any Subsidiary received notice of a claim that it is in default under or that it is in violation of, any indenture, loan or credit agreement, (ii) is in violation of any order of any court, arbitrator or governmental body, or (iii) is in violation of any statute, rule or regulation of any governmental authority, including without limitation all foreign, federal, state and local laws applicable to its business except in each case as could not have a Material Adverse Effect.

(k) <u>Regulatory Permits</u>. The Company and the Subsidiaries possess the certificates, authorizations, and permits issued by the appropriate federal, state, local or foreign regulatory authorities necessary to conduct its business as described in the SEC Reports, except where the failure to possess such permits would not, individually or in the aggregate, have or reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect (*"Material Permits"*).

(l) <u>Title to Assets</u>. Except as set forth in the SEC Reports, the Company and the Subsidiaries have good and marketable title in all real and personal property owned by them that is material to the business of the Company and the Subsidiaries, in each case free and clear of any liens, encumbrances or other restrictions.

(m) Patents and Trademarks. To the best of the Company's knowledge, the Company and the Subsidiaries have, or have rights to use, all patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark applications, service marks, trade names, copyrights, licenses, and other similar rights necessary or material for use in connection with their respective businesses as described in the SEC Reports and which the failure to so have could have a Material Adverse Effect (collectively, the "Intellectual Property Rights"). Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary has received a written notice that the Intellectual Property Rights used by the Company or any Subsidiary violates or infringes upon the rights of any Person. To the knowledge of the Company, all such Intellectual Property Rights are enforceable and there is no existing infringement by another Person of any of the Intellectual Property Rights of others.

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(n) <u>Insurance</u>. The Company is insured by insurers of recognized financial responsibility against such losses and risks and in such amounts as are prudent in the Company's reasonable discretion. The Company has no reason to believe that it will not be able to renew its existing insurance coverage as and when such coverage expires or to obtain similar coverage from similar insurers as may be necessary to continue its business.

(o) <u>Private Placement</u>. Assuming the accuracy of the Investor representations and warranties set forth in Section 3, no registration under the Securities Act is required for the offer and sale of the Units by the Company to the Investor as contemplated hereby or the exercise of the Warrants.

(p) <u>No General Solicitation</u>. Neither the Company nor any Person acting on behalf of the Company has offered or sold any of the Units by any form of general solicitation or general advertising. The Company has offered the Units for sale only to each investor in the Offering and certain other "accredited investors" within the meaning of Rule 501 under the Securities Act.

(q) <u>Foreign Corrupt Practices</u>. The Company has not to its knowledge (i) directly or indirectly, used any corrupt funds for unlawful contributions, gifts, entertainment or other unlawful expenses related to foreign or domestic political activity, (ii) made any unlawful payment to foreign or domestic government officials or employees or to any foreign or domestic political parties or campaigns from corporate funds, (iii) failed to disclose fully any contribution made by the Company (or made by any person acting on its behalf of which the Company is aware) which is in violation of law, or (iv) violated in any material respect any provision of the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended

(r) <u>Accountants</u>. The Company's accountants are set forth in the SEC Reports. To the Company's knowledge, such accountants, who the Company expects will express their opinion with respect to the financial statements to be included in the Company's upcoming financial statements, are a registered public accounting firm as required by the Securities Act.

(s) <u>Listing and Maintenance Requirements</u>. The Company's Common Stock currently is quoted on the NYSE Amex.

# 5. <u>Registration Rights</u>.

The Company grants registration rights to the Investor under the following terms and conditions:

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The Company will prepare and file (which may include the preparation and filing of one or more pre-effective amendments to any (a) registration statements that relates to the Company's securities, which may be currently on file or may be subsequently filed with the Commission), at its own expense, a registration statement under the Securities Act (the "Registration Statement") with the Commission no later than October 31, 2009 for the non-underwritten public offering and resale of the Conversion Shares and the Warrant Shares (subject to adjustment as set forth in the Warrants) (the "Registrable Securities") through the facilities of all appropriate securities exchanges, if any, on which the Company's Common Stock is being sold or on the over-the-counter market if the Company's Common Stock is quoted thereon. Such registration statement may include other securities required to be included by the Company pursuant to registration rights granted by the Company prior to the date of this Subscription Agreement. Notwithstanding anything in this Subscription Agreement to the contrary, if the Commission refuses to declare a Registration Statement filed pursuant to this Agreement effective as a valid secondary offering under Rule 415 promulgated pursuant to the Securities Act due to the number of securities included in such Registration Statement relative to the outstanding number of shares of Common Stock, then, without any liability under Section 5(f) or any further obligation to register such excess Registrable Securities, the Company shall be permitted to reduce the number of Registrable Securities included in such Registration Statement to an amount such that the number of securities included in such Registration Statement does not exceed an amount that the Commission allows for the offering thereunder to qualify as a valid secondary offering under Rule 415. In this event, Investor will have priority with respect to the inclusion of the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares vis-à-vis any shareholder investing in the Company after the date of the Closing. The Company shall not be liable for liquidated damages pursuant to Section 5(f) under this Agreement or otherwise as to any Registrable Securities which are not permitted by the Commission to be included in a Registration Statement due solely to SEC Guidance from the time that it is determined that securities are not permitted to be registered due to SEC Guidance or as to any delay occasioned by such SEC Guidance solely to the extent it relates to the time needed to reduce the amount of securities included in the Registration Statement. In such case, the liquidated damages shall be calculated to only apply to the percentage of Registrable Securities which are permitted in accordance with SEC Guidance to be included in such Registration Statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Registrable Securities shall not include those Securities defined in Section 4(c)(ii) and 4(c)(iii) below (the "Freely Tradable Securities").

"SEC Guidance" means (i) any written or oral guidance, comments, requirements or requests of the Commission staff and (ii) the Securities Act.

(b) The Company will use its reasonable best efforts to cause such Registration Statement to become effective. Subject to Section 5(a), the number of shares designated in the Registration Statement to be registered shall include appropriate language regarding reliance upon Rule 416 to the extent permitted by the Commission.

(c) The Company will maintain the Registration Statement or post-effective amendment filed under the terms of this Subscription Agreement effective under the Securities Act until the earlier of (i) the date that the Investor's Registrable Securities have been sold pursuant to such Registration Statement, (ii) the Investor's Registrable Securities have been otherwise transferred to Persons who may trade such shares without restriction under the Securities Act, and the Company has delivered a new certificate or other evidence of ownership for such securities not bearing a restrictive legend, (iii) the Investor's Registrable Securities may be sold at any time, without volume or manner of sale limitations pursuant to Rule 144(b)(1) or any similar provision then in effect under the Securities Act in the opinion of counsel to the Company, or (iv) one year from the effective date of the Registration Statement (the "Effectiveness Period").

(d) All fees, disbursements and out-of-pocket expenses and costs incurred by the Company in connection with the preparation and filing of the Registration Statement, in making filings with FINRA (including without limitation, pursuant to FINRA Rule 2710) and in complying with applicable federal securities laws (including, without limitation, all attorneys' fees of the Company) shall be borne by the Company. The Investor shall bear any cost of underwriting and/or brokerage discounts, fees, and commissions, if any, applicable to the Registrable Securities being registered and sold by an underwriter for the Investor and the fees and expenses of their counsel. The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to qualify the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares in the State of residence of the Investor. However, the Company shall not be required to qualify to do business in such state or require the Company to file therein any general consent to service of process. The Company at its expense will supply the Investor with copies of the applicable Registration Statement and any prospectus included therein and other related documents in such quantities as may be reasonably requested by the Investor.

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(e) Certificates evidencing the Registrable Securities shall not contain any legend: (i) following any sale of Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares pursuant to Rule 144, or (ii) if such Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares are eligible for sale under Rule 144(b)(1); or (iii) following any sale of Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares pursuant to the Registration Statement; *provided, however*, in connection with the sale or transfer of the Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares, Investor hereby agrees to adhere to and abide by all prospectus delivery requirements under the Securities Act and rules and regulations of the Company's transfer agent promptly upon request of the Investor if required by the Company's transfer agent to effect the removal of the legend hereunder.

(f) In the event that the Registration Statement is not filed as set forth in above, and the Company does not use its reasonable best efforts to respond to any comments of the SEC within twenty (20) business days following receipt thereof, then the Company will issue to each Investor one percent (1%) of the net proceeds received from such Investor in the Offering for no additional cost. Additionally, for every thirty (30) days that the Company continues to be delayed from filing the Registration Statement with the Commission or continues to fail to use its reasonable best efforts to respond to any comments from the Commission, the Company will issue to each Investor 1% of the net proceeds received from such Investor in the Offering for no additional cost. All additional amounts that may be issued as provided herein shall not exceed 5% of the net proceeds received in the Offering. Such amounts shall be as partial compensation for such failure and not as a penalty. The provisions of this paragraph 5(f) shall not apply in the event the Company does not file as set forth above the Registration Statement because the Company does not have available audited financial statements required by the SEC of a company with which the Company has a letter of intent or definitive agreement to acquire.

(g) The Company will use its reasonable best efforts to prepare and make publicly available in accordance with Rule 144(c) such information as is required for Investor to sell the Registrable Securities under Rule 144 in the event the Registration Statement is unavailable. The Company further covenants that, in the event the Registration Statement is unavailable, it will take such further action as any holder of Registrable Securities may reasonably request, all to the extent required from time to time to enable such Person to sell such Registrable Securities without registration under the Securities Act within the limitation of the exemptions provided by Rule 144.

(h) In the case of each registration effected by the Company pursuant to any section herein, the Company will:

(i) Prepare and file with the Commission such amendments and supplements to such registration statement and the prospectus used in connection with such registration statement as may be necessary to comply with the provisions of the Securities Act with respect to a disposition of all securities covered by such registration statement;

(ii) Notify the Investor at any time when a prospectus relating thereto is required to be delivered under the Securities Act, of the happening of any event as a result of which the prospectus included in such registration statement, as then in effect, includes an untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading or incomplete in light of the circumstances then existing, and at the request of the shareholders, prepare and furnish to them a reasonable number of copies of a supplement to or an amendment of such prospectus as may be necessary so that, as thereafter delivered to the Investor, such prospectus shall not include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading or incomplete in light of the circumstances then existing; provided that, for not more than 120 consecutive business days (or a total of not more than 240 calendar days in any 12-month period), the Company may delay the disclosure of material non-public information concerning the Company the public disclosure of which at the time is not, in the good faith opinion of the Company in the best interests of the Company and which may, based on advice of outside counsel, be delayed under applicable law or regulation (an "Allowed Delay"); provided, further, that the Company shall promptly (a) notify each Investor in writing of the existence of (but in no event, without the prior written consent of such Investor, shall the Company disclose to such Investor any of the facts or circumstances regarding) material non-public information giving rise to an Allowed Delay and (b) advise each Investor in writing to cease all sales under such registration statement until the termination of the Allowed Delay; provided, further; that the provisions of this section shall not apply to Investors who hold Freely Tradeable Securities. Use its reasonable best efforts to prevent the issuance of any stop order or other suspension of effectiveness of a registration statement, and, if such an order is issued, to obtain the withdrawal of such order at the earliest possible moment and to notify Investor (and, in the event of an underwritten offering, the managing underwriter) of the issuance of such order and the resolution thereof;

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(iii) If FINRA Rule 2710 requires any broker-dealer to make a filing prior to executing a sale of Registrable Securities by an Investor, make an Issuer Filing with the FINRA Corporate Financing Department pursuant to FINRA Rule 2710 and respond within five business days to any comments received from FINRA in connection therewith.

(iv) Otherwise use its reasonable best efforts to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the Commission.

(i) To the extent Investor includes any Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares in a registration statement pursuant to the terms hereof, the Company will indemnify and hold harmless Investor, its directors and officers, and each Person, if any, who controls Investor within the meaning of the Securities Act, from and against, and will reimburse Investor, its directors and officers and each controlling Person with respect to, any and all loss, damage, liability, cost, and expense to which Investor or such controlling Person may become subject under the Securities Act or otherwise, insofar as such losses, damages, liabilities, costs, or expenses are caused by any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in such registration statement, any prospectus contained therein or any amendment or supplement thereto, or arise out of or are based upon the omission or alleged omission to state therein a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading; *provided, however*, that the Company will not be liable in any such case to the extent that any such loss, damage, liability, cost or expense arises out of or is based upon any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission so made in conformity with information furnished by Investor or any such controlling Person in writing specifically for use in the preparation thereof.

(j) To the extent Investor includes any Conversion Shares or Warrant Shares in a registration statement pursuant to the terms hereof, Investor will indemnify and hold harmless the Company, its directors and officers and any controlling Person from and against, and will reimburse the Company, its directors and officers or such controlling Person with respect to, any and all loss, damage, liability, cost, or expense to which the Company, its directors and officers or such controlling Person may become subject under the Securities Act or otherwise, insofar as such losses, damages, liabilities, costs, or expenses are caused by any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in such registration statement, any prospectus contained therein or any amendment or supplement thereto, or arise out of or are based upon the omission or alleged omission to state therein a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading, in each case to the extent, but only to the extent, that such untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or alleged omission was so made in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished by or on behalf of the Investor specifically for use in the preparation thereof and provided further, that the maximum amount that may be recovered from Investor shall be limited to the amount of proceeds received by Investor from the sale of such shares of Common Stock.

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(k) To the extent any indemnification by an indemnifying party is prohibited or limited by law, the indemnifying party agrees to make the maximum contribution with respect to any amounts for which it would otherwise be liable hereunder to the extent permitted by law, provided that (i) no contribution shall be made under circumstances where the indemnifying party would not have been liable for indemnification pursuant to the provisions hereof, (ii) no seller of securities guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the Securities Act) shall be entitled to contribution from any seller of securities who was not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation, and (iii) the amount of the contribution together with any other payments made in respect of such loss, damage, liability, or expense, by any seller of securities shall be limited to the net amount of proceeds received by such seller from the sale of such securities.

(1) The Investor will cooperate with the Company in connection with this Subscription Agreement, including timely supplying all information and executing and returning the Selling Securityholder Notice and Questionnaire attached hereto as <u>Exhibit C</u>, and any other documents requested by the Company that are required to enable the Company to perform its obligations to register the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares and to the extent Investor fails to provide the Questionnaire Investor's right to include Investor's Registrable Securities under this Section 5 in any Registration Statement shall cease following written notice from the Company ...

# 6. <u>Other Agreements of the Company and the Investor</u>.

(a) <u>Acknowledgment of Dilution</u>. The Company and Investor acknowledge that the issuance of the Preferred Shares (and the Conversion Shares issuable thereof) and the Warrant Shares will result in dilution of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, which dilution may be substantial.

(b) <u>Exercise Procedures</u>. Other than the Stockholder Approval required under NYSE Amex rules, the form of Notice of Exercise included in the Warrants sets forth the totality of the procedures required of the Investor in order to exercise the Warrants.

(c) <u>Use of Proceeds</u>. The Company shall use the net proceeds from the sale of the Units hereunder for general working capital purposes including the pursuit of strategic relationships and investments, the purchase of equipment related to the conduct of research and development, marketing and sales, the payment of costs associated with the Proposed Acquisition Transactions and the payment of accrued payroll.

(d) <u>Press Releases</u>. The Company shall issue a press release or file a Current Report on Form 8-K as required disclosing all material terms of the transactions contemplated hereby upon the final closing of the offering and in its reasonable discretion.

(e) <u>Confidentiality</u>. Each Investor agrees that he, she or it will keep confidential and will not disclose, divulge or use for any purpose any confidential, proprietary or secret information, including the Supplemental Information, which such Investor may obtain from the Company pursuant to financial statements, reports and other materials or information submitted by the Company to such Investor pursuant to or in connection with this Subscription Agreement or otherwise (but not including the SEC Reports) ("Confidential Information"), unless such Confidential Information is known, or until such Confidential Information becomes known, to the public (other than as a result of a breach of this section by such Investor); <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that an Investor may disclose Confidential Information (i) to his, her or its attorneys, accountants, consultants, and other professionals to the extent necessary to obtain their services in connection with monitoring his, her or its investment in the Company, or (ii) as may otherwise be required by law, provided that the Investor takes reasonable steps to minimize the extent of any such required disclosure and promptly notifies the Company when it becomes aware of such legal requirement.

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# 7. <u>Miscellaneous</u>.

(a) <u>Termination</u>. The Investor agrees that he shall not cancel, terminate, or revoke this Subscription Agreement or any agreement of the Investor made hereunder other than as set forth herein, and that this Subscription Agreement shall survive the death or disability of the Investor. If the Company elects to cancel this Subscription Agreement, provided that it returns to the Investor, without interest and without deduction, all sums paid by the Investor, this Offer shall be null and void and of no further force and effect, and no party shall have any rights against any other party hereunder.

(b) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Subscription Agreement, together with the exhibits hereto, contains the entire understanding of the Company and the Investor with respect to the subject matter hereof.

(c) <u>Notices</u>. Any and all notices or other communications or deliveries required or permitted to be provided hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed given and effective on the earliest of (a) the second Business Day following the date of mailing, if sent by U.S. nationally recognized overnight courier service, or (b) upon actual receipt by the party to whom such notice is required to be given. The address for such notices and communications shall be to the Investor at his address set forth on the Investor Signature Page, and to the Company at the addresses set forth in the SEC Reports.

(d) <u>Amendments; Waivers</u>. No provision of this Agreement may be waived or amended except in a written instrument signed, in the case of an amendment, or in the case of a waiver, by the Company and the individual Investor. No waiver of any default with respect to any provision, condition or requirement of this Agreement shall be deemed to be a continuing waiver in the future or a waiver of any subsequent default or a waiver of any other provision, condition or requirement hereof, nor shall any delay or omission of either party to exercise any right hereunder in any manner impair the exercise of any such right.

(e) <u>Construction</u>. The headings herein are for convenience only, do not constitute a part of this Subscription Agreement and shall not be deemed to limit or affect any of the provisions hereof.

(f) <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Subscription Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their successors and permitted assigns. The Company may not assign this Subscription Agreement or any rights or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of each Investor in the Offering. Investor may assign any or all of its rights under this Agreement to any Person to whom Investor assigns or transfers any of the Preferred Shares (or the Conversion Shares issuable thereof) or Warrant Shares.

(g) <u>No Third-Party Beneficiaries</u>. This Subscription Agreement is intended for the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns and is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any other Person.

Governing Law. All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement, and interpretation of this Subscription Agreement shall (h) be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the internal laws of the State of New York, without regard to the principles of conflicts of law thereof. Each party agrees that all legal proceedings concerning the interpretations, enforcement and defense of the transactions contemplated by this Subscription Agreement (whether brought against a party hereto or its respective affiliates, directors, officers, shareholders, employees, or agents) shall be commenced exclusively in the state and federal courts sitting in the City of New York. Each party hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or with any transaction contemplated hereby or discussed herein, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is improper or inconvenient venue for such proceeding. Each party hereby irrevocably waives personal service of process and consents to process being served in any such suit, action or proceeding by mailing a copy thereof via registered or certified mail or overnight delivery (with evidence of delivery) to such party at the address in effect for notices to it under this Subscription Agreement and agrees that such service shall constitute good and sufficient service of process and notice thereof. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. The parties hereby waive all rights to a trial by jury. If either party shall commence an action or proceeding to enforce any provisions of this Subscription Agreement, then the prevailing party in such action or proceeding shall be reimbursed by the other party for its attorneys' fees and other costs and expenses incurred with the investigation, preparation, and prosecution of such action or proceeding.

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(i) <u>Survival</u>. The representations and warranties contained herein shall survive the closing of the transaction hereunder.

(j) <u>Execution</u>. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission, such signature shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such facsimile signature page were an original thereof. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which shall together constitute one and the same instrument.

(k) <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Subscription Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable in any respect, the validity and enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions of this Subscription Agreement shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby and the parties will attempt to agree upon a valid and enforceable provision that is a reasonable substitute therefor, and upon so agreeing, shall incorporate such substitute provision in this Subscription Agreement.

(1) <u>Remedies</u>. In addition to being entitled to exercise all rights provided herein or granted by law, including recovery of damages, each of Investor and the Company will be entitled to specific performance under this Subscription Agreement. The parties agree that monetary damages may not be adequate compensation for any loss incurred by reason of any breach of obligations described in the foregoing sentence and hereby agrees to waive in any action for specific performance of any such obligation the defense that a remedy at law would be adequate.

(m) <u>Fees and Expenses</u>. Except as provided in writing, the parties hereto shall be responsible for their own legal and other expenses, if any, in connection with this transaction.

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# INVESTOR SIGNATURE PAGE FOR NEOSTEM, INC. SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT Please print or type, Use ink only. (All Parties Must Sign)

The undersigned Investor hereby certifies that he (i) has received and relied solely upon the SEC Reports, this Subscription Agreement and their respective exhibits and schedules, (ii) agrees to all the terms and conditions of this Subscription Agreement, (iii) meets the suitability standards set forth herein and (iv) is a resident of the state or foreign jurisdiction indicated below.

Dollar Amount of Units Subscribed for: \$\_\_\_\_

Name of Investor (Print)

Name of Joint Investor (if any) (Print)

Signature of Investor

Signature of Joint Investor (if any)

Capacity of Signatory (if applicable)

Social Security or Taxpayer Identification Number

Investor Address:

Street Address

City	State	Zip Code
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Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

Fax: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_

Address for Delivery of Units (if different from above):

City

State Zip Code

If other than individual check one and indicate capacity of signatory under the signature:

- o Trust
- o Estate
- o Uniform Gifts to Minors Act State of\_\_\_\_\_
- o Attorney-in-fact
- o Corporation
- o Other

If Joint Ownership, Check one: o Joint Tenants with Right of

- Survivorship
- Tenants in Common
- Tenants by the Entirety Community Property
- Backup Withholding Statement:
- o Please check this box only if the investor is subject to backup withholding

Foreign Person:

 Please check this box only if the investor is a nonresident alien, foreign foreign partnership, foreign trust, corporation, or foreign estate

Country	_
Passport #	_
ID #	_
ID Туре	_

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NEOSTEM, INC.

By:	
Name:	Robin Smith
Title:	Chairman of the Board and CEO

# Schedule A

# Accredited Investor

# An "accredited Investor" means:

- i. a bank, insurance company, registered investment company, business development company, or small business investment company;
- ii. an employee benefit plan, within the meaning of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, if a bank, insurance company, or registered investment adviser makes the investment decisions, or if the plan has total assets in excess of \$5 million;
- iii. a charitable organization, corporation, or partnership with assets exceeding \$5 million;
- iv. a director, executive officer, or general partner of the company selling the securities;
- v. a business in which all the equity owners are accredited investors;
- vi. a natural person who has individual net worth, or joint net worth with the person's spouse, that exceeds \$1 million at the time of the purchase;
- vii. a natural person with income exceeding \$200,000 in each of the two most recent years or joint income with a spouse exceeding \$300,000 for those years and a reasonable expectation of the same income level in the current year; or
- viii. a trust with assets in excess of \$5 million, not formed to acquire the securities offered, whose purchases a sophisticated person makes.

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# Schedule B

#### U.S. Person

#### A "U.S. person" means:

- i. Any natural person resident in the United States;
- ii. Any partnership or corporation organized or incorporated under the laws of the United States;
- iii. Any estate of which any executor or administrator is a U.S. person;
- iv. Any trust of which any trustee is a U.S. person;
- v. Any agency or branch of a foreign entity located in the United States;
- vi. Any non-discretionary account or similar account (other than an estate or trust) held by a dealer or other fiduciary for the benefit or account of a U.S. person;
- vii. Any discretionary account or similar account (other than an estate or trust) held by a dealer or other fiduciary organized, incorporated, or (if an individual) resident in the United States; and
- viii. Any partnership or corporation if:
  - A. Organized or incorporated under the laws of any foreign jurisdiction; and
  - B. Formed by a U.S. person principally for the purpose of investing in securities not registered under the Act, unless it is organized or incorporated, and owned, by accredited investors (as defined in <u>Rule 501(a)</u>) who are not natural persons, estates or trusts.

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# Schedule C

#### Non-U.S. Person

The following are not "U.S. persons":

- i. Any discretionary account or similar account (other than an estate or trust) held for the benefit or account of a non-U.S. person by a dealer or other professional fiduciary organized, incorporated, or (if an individual) resident in the United States;
- ii. Any estate of which any professional fiduciary acting as executor or administrator is a U.S. person if:
  - A. An executor or administrator of the estate who is not a U.S. person has sole or shared investment discretion with respect to the assets of the estate; and
  - B. The estate is governed by foreign law;
- iii. Any trust of which any professional fiduciary acting as trustee is a U.S. person, if a trustee who is not a U.S. person has sole or shared investment discretion with respect to the trust assets, and no beneficiary of the trust (and no settlor if the trust is revocable) is a U.S. person;
- iv. An employee benefit plan established and administered in accordance with the law of a country other than the United States and customary practices and documentation of such country;
- v. Any agency or branch of a U.S. person located outside the United States if:
  - A. The agency or branch operates for valid business reasons; and
  - B. The agency or branch is engaged in the business of insurance or banking and is subject to substantive insurance or banking regulation, respectively, in the jurisdiction where located; and
- vi. The International Monetary Fund, the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, the Inter-American Development Bank, the Asian Development Bank, the African Development Bank, the United Nations, and their agencies, affiliates and pension plans, and any other similar international organizations, their agencies, affiliates and pension plans.

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