October 6, 2021

Jack Kong Chairman Nano Labs Ltd 30th Floor Dikaiyinzuo No. 29, East Jiefang Road Hangzhou, Zhejiang People's Republic of China

> Re: Nano Labs Ltd Confidential Draft

Registration Statement on Form F-1

Submitted September

9, 2021

File No. 377-05474

Dear Mr. Kong:

We have reviewed your draft registration statement and have the following comments. In

some of our comments, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better $% \left(1\right) =\left\{ 1\right\} =\left\{ 1\right$

understand your disclosure.

 $\hbox{ Please respond to this letter by providing the requested information and either submitting }$

an amended draft registration statement or publicly filing your registration statement on $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +$

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{EDGAR}}.$ If you do not believe our comments apply to your facts and circumstances or do not

believe an amendment is appropriate, please tell us why in your response.

 $\qquad \qquad \text{After reviewing the information you provide in response to these comments and your } \\$

amended draft registration statement or filed registration statement, we may have additional $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right$

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Prospectus Cover Page, page i

Provide prominent 1. disclosure about legal and operational risks associated with being based in or having the majority of the company's operations in China. Your disclosure should make clear whether these risks could result in a material change in your operations and/or the value of your ADSs, or could significantly limit or completely hinder your ability to offer or continue to offer securities to investors and cause the value of such securities to significantly decline or be worthless. Your disclosure should address how recent statements and regulatory actions by China's government, such as those related to Jack Kong FirstName Nano Labs LastNameJack Kong Comapany **October** NameNano Labs Ltd 6, 2021 October 0 Page 2 6, 2021 Page 2

or other foreign
exchange. Your prospectus summary should address, but not necessarily be limited to, the
risks highlighted on the prospectus cover page.

data security or anti-monopoly concerns, has or may impact the

conduct its business, accept foreign investments, or list on an U.S.

Please disclose prominently on the prospectus cover page that you are not a Chinese operating company but a Cayman Islands holding company with operations conducted by your subsidiaries based in China and that this structure involves unique risks to investors. Disclose that investors may never directly hold equity interests in the Chinese operating company. Your disclosure should acknowledge, if true, that Chinese regulatory authorities could disallow this structure, which would likely result in a material change in your operations and/or value of your ADSs, including that it could cause the value of such securities to significantly decline or become worthless. Provide a cross-reference to your detailed discussion of risks facing the company and the offering as a result of this structure. Clearly disclose how you will refer to the holding company and subsidiaries when providing the disclosure throughout the document so that it is clear to investors which entity the disclosure is referencing and which subsidiaries or entities are conducting the business operations. Refrain from using terms such as our when describing activities or functions of a subsidiary. Disclose clearly the entity (including the domicile) in which investors are purchasing their interest. Prospectus Summary, page 1 In your summary of risk factors, disclose the risks that your corporate structure and being based in or having the majority of the company's operations in China poses to investors. In particular, describe the significant regulatory, liquidity, and enforcement risks with cross-references to the more detailed discussion of these risks in the example, specifically discuss risks arising from the legal system in China, including risks and uncertainties regarding the enforcement of laws and that rules and regulations in China can change quickly with little advance notice; and the risk that the Chinese government may intervene or influence your operations at any time, or

may exert more

control over offerings conducted overseas and/or foreign investment in

issuers, which could result in a material change in your operations and/or the value of

your ADSs. Acknowledge any risks that any actions by the Chinese government to exert

more oversight and control over offerings that are conducted overseas and/or foreign

investment in China-based issuers could significantly limit or completely hinder your

ability to offer or continue to offer securities to investors and cause the value of such

securities to significantly decline or be worthless.

Disclose each permission that you or your subsidiaries are required to obtain from Chinese

authorities to operate and issue these securities to foreign investors. State whether you or

your subsidiaries are covered by permissions requirements from the CSRC, CAC, or any

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other entity that is required to approve of operations, and state affirmatively whether you

have received all requisite permissions and whether any permissions

have been denied.

6. Provide a clear description of how cash is transferred through your organization. Disclose

your intentions to distribute earnings or settle amounts owed under agreements. Quantify

any cash flows and transfers of other assets by type that have occurred between the

holding company and its subsidiaries, and direction of transfer.

Quantify any dividends or

distributions that a subsidiary has made to the holding company and which entity made $\,$

such transfer, and their tax consequences. Similarly, quantify dividends or distributions $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +$

made to U.S. investors, the source, and their tax consequences.

Describe any restrictions

on foreign exchange and your ability to transfer cash between

entities, across borders, and to U.S. investors. Describe any restrictions and limitations on your

ability to distribute
earnings from your business, including subsidiaries, to the parent
company and U.S.

investors, as well as the ability to settle amounts owed under

agreements.
7. Clearly disclose how you will refer to the holding company and subsidiaries when

providing the disclosure throughout the document so that it is clear to investors which

entity the disclosure is referencing and which subsidiaries or entities are conducting the $\,$

business operations. Refrain from using terms such as "we" or "our" when describing

activities or functions of a VIE. Disclose clearly the entity (including the domicile) in

which investors are purchasing their interest.

8. Disclose that trading in your securities may be prohibited under the Holding Foreign

Companies Accountable Act if the PCAOB determines that it cannot inspect or fully

investigate your auditor, and that as a result an exchange may determine to delist your $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

securities. If the PCAOB has been or is currently unable to inspect your auditor, revise

your disclosure to so state.

Risk Factors, page 14

9. In light of recent events indicating greater oversight by the Cyberspace Administration of

China over data security, particularly for companies seeking to list on a foreign exchange,

please revise your disclosure (page 39-40) to explain how this oversight impacts your

business and your offering and to what extent you believe that you are compliant with the $\,$

regulations or policies that you have been issued by the CAC to date.

10. Given the Chinese government's significant oversight and discretion over the conduct of

your business, please revise to separately highlight the risk that the Chinese government

may intervene or influence your operations at any time, which could result in a material

change in your operations and/or the value of your ADSs. Also, given recent statements $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left$

by the Chinese government indicating tan intent to exert more oversight and control over

offerings that are conducted overseas and/or foreign investment in China-based issuers,

acknowledge the risk that any such action could significantly limit or completely hinder

your ability to offer or continue to offer securities to investors and

cause the value of such

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securities to significantly decline or be worthless.

ADS Holders may not be entitled to a jury trial, page 57

11. In this risk factor, you say that ADS holders waive the right to a jury trial, including with

respect to claims under the federal securities laws. Your disclosure on page 59 indicates $\,$

and ADS holders and the depositary may elect to have any claim settled by arbitration.

Similarly, your disclosure on page 154 indicates that any lawsuit must be brought in state

or federal court in New York. Please reconcile.

12. Regarding the waiver of jury trial, arbitration and choice of forum in state or federal court

in New York, please revise to state clearly whether each provision applies to claims

arising under the federal securities laws. In that regard, we note that Section 27 of the

Exchange Act creates exclusive federal jurisdiction over all suits brought to enforce any

duty or liability created by the Exchange Act or the rules and equlations thereunder, and

regulations thereunder, and
Section 22 of the Securities Act creates concurrent jurisdiction for
federal and state courts

over all suits brought to enforce any duty or liability created by the Securities Act or the

rules and regulations thereunder. If the provision applies to Securities Act claims, please

also revise your prospectus to state that there is uncertainty as to whether a court would $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$

enforce such provision and that investors cannot waive compliance with the federal $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$

securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder. If this provision does not apply to

actions arising under the Securities Act or Exchange Act, please also ensure that the

exclusive forum provision in the governing documents states this clearly, or tell us how

you will inform investors in future filings that the provision does not apply to any actions

arising under the Securities Act or Exchange Act.

Use of Proceeds, page 63

13. Please revise to describe in more detail the intended use of proceeds referenced in the $\ensuremath{\mathsf{I}}$

second bullet. For example, do you intend to transition from the fabless business model $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

described in this submission? Are the amount of proceeds you intend to devote to this

purpose or will you require additional capital? Board of Directors, page 124

14. Please revise to state clearly the home country practices on which you intend to rely. In

this regard, we note the disclosure on page 53 that you intend to rely on "some" of those

exemptions. Also, we note the disclosure on the prospectus cover page that you will be a $\ensuremath{\mbox{}}$

"controlled company" following this offering. If so, please revise to describe the

exemptions from corporate governance on which you will be entitled to rely and the $\,$

related risks to investors.

Transactions with Certain Related Parties, page 128

15. Please revise to clarify the purpose of the borrowings from your affiliates. Please also

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General

16. Provide more information on the certifications mentioned on Page 21, and specifically,

whether you paid for the control certifications, or if they were acquired via independent

third party inspection.

17. We note the disclosure that you are a foreign private issuer offering voting securities in $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

the United States. Please tell us how you will determine whether more than 50 percent of

its outstanding voting securities are owned of record by U.S. residents for purposes of

satisfying the foreign private issuer definition.

You may contact Effie Simpson at 202-551-3346 or Jean Yu at 202-551-3305

questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters. Please contact

Erin Donahue at 202-551-6001 or Geoffrey Kruczek at 202-551-3641 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

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cc: Dan Ouyang
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