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Ms S Hong Senior Adviser, Listings Compliance ASX Compliance Pty Ltd 20 Bridge Street, Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Shannon

Response to ASX Price Query

We refer to your letter dated 17 August 2015 regarding the above and respond to your questions as follows:

1. Is the Entity aware of any information concerning it that has not been announced to the market which, if known by some in the market, could explain the recent trading in its securities?

Response: King Solomon Mines Limited (ASX:KSO or the Company) is not aware of any information concerning it that has not been previously announced to the market, which, if known, could be an explanation for recent trading in the securities of the Company. We refer to the Company's announcement of 3 August 2015 concerning the Company's conditional binding term sheet to acquire Xref Pty Ltd. Xref is an easy-to-use, mobile-ready, fully-reportable, cloud-based platform that recruitment teams use to conduct pre-employment reference checks. The announcement on the proposed change to the nature of the Company's business referred to the number of conditions precedent, including KSO shareholders' approval, completion of a capital raising, compliance with Chapters 1 and 2 of the ASX Listing Rules, and readmission to the official list of ASX. The capital raising includes KSO completing a capital raising of at least A\$3 million; and Xref completing the interim funding capital raising, to raise gross proceeds of up to A\$550,000 from existing and new investors, through the issue of an unsecured converting equity instrument. The A\$550,000 raising by Xref is expected to be finalised in the coming few days.

2. If the answer to question 1 is "yes": a) Is the Entity relying on Listing Rule 3.1A not to announce that information under Listing Rule 3.1; b) Can an announcement be made immediately; and c) If an announcement cannot be made immediately, why not and when is it expected that an announcement will be made?

Response: Not applicable.

3. If the answer to question 1 is "no", is there any other explanation that the Entity may have for the recent trading in its securities?

Response: The Company is not aware of any other explanation for the price change and increase in volume in the securities of the Company, other than as mentioned in the response to Question 1 above.

4. Please confirm that the Entity is in compliance with the Listing Rules and, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.

Response: King Solomon Mines Limited confirms that it is in compliance with the ASX Listing Rules, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.

Yours sincerely

King Solomon Mines Limited

Stephen McPhail Managing Director



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Robert Waring Company Secretary King Solomon Mines Limited 242 Marine Parade Otaki 5512 New Zealand

By email

Dear Robert,

King Solomon Mines Limited (the "Entity"): ASX price query

We have noted a change in the price of the Entity's securities from a low of \$0.004 to a high of \$0.007 today, Monday, 17 August 2015.

We also note an increase in the trading volume of the Entity's securities.

In light of the price and volume increase, ASX asks you to respond separately to each of the following questions:

- 1. Is the Entity aware of any information concerning it that has not been announced to the market which, if known by some in the market, could explain the recent trading in its securities?
- 2. If the answer to question 1 is "yes":
 - a) Is the Entity relying on Listing Rule 3.1A not to announce that information under Listing Rule 3.1?
 - Please note that the recent trading in the Entity's securities would suggest to ASX that such information may have ceased to be confidential and therefore the Entity may no longer be able to rely on Listing Rule 3.1A. Accordingly, if the answer to this question is "yes", you need to contact us immediately to discuss the situation.
 - b) Can an announcement be made immediately?
 - Please note, if the answer to this question is "no", you need to contact us immediately to discuss requesting a trading halt (see below).
 - c) If an announcement cannot be made immediately, why not and when is it expected that an announcement will be made?
- 3. If the answer to question 1 is "no", is there any other explanation that the Entity may have for the recent trading in its securities?
- 4. Please confirm that the Entity is in compliance with the Listing Rules and, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.



When and where to send your response

This request is made under, and in accordance with, Listing Rule 18.7. Your response is required as soon as reasonably possible and, in any event, by 4:15 PM AEST, Monday, 17 August 2015. If we do not have your response by then, ASX will have no choice but to consider suspending trading in the Entity's securities under Listing Rule 17.3.

You should note that if the information requested by this letter is information required to be given to ASX under Listing Rule 3.1 and it does not fall within the exceptions mentioned in Listing Rule 3.1A, the Entity's obligation is to disclose the information "immediately". This may require the information to be disclosed before the deadline set out in the previous paragraph.

ASX reserves the right to release a copy of this letter and your response on the ASX Market Announcements Platform under Listing Rule 18.7A. Accordingly, your response should be in a form suitable for release to the market.

Your response should be sent to me by e-mail at shannon.hong@asx.com.au. It should <u>not</u> be sent directly to the ASX Market Announcements Office. This is to allow me to review your response to confirm that it is in a form appropriate for release to the market, before it is published on the ASX Market Announcements Platform.

Listing Rule 3.1

Listing Rule 3.1 requires a listed entity to give ASX immediately any information concerning it that a reasonable person would expect to have a material effect on the price or value of the entity's securities. Exceptions to this requirement are set out in Listing Rule 3.1A.

The obligation of the Entity to disclose information under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A is not confined to, nor is it necessarily satisfied by, answering the questions set out in this letter.

In responding to this letter, you should have regard to the Entity's obligations under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A and also to Guidance Note 8 *Continuous Disclosure: Listing Rules 3.1 – 3.1B.*

Trading halt

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, or if the answer to question 1 is "yes" and an announcement cannot be made immediately, you should discuss with us whether it is appropriate to request a trading halt in the Entity's securities under Listing Rule 17.1.

If you wish a trading halt, you must tell us:

- the reasons for the trading halt;
- how long you want the trading halt to last;
- the event you expect to happen that will end the trading halt;
- that you are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted; and
- any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt, or that we ask for.

We may require the request for a trading halt to be in writing. The trading halt cannot extend past the commencement of normal trading on the second day after the day on which it is granted.

You can find further information about trading halts in Guidance Note 16 Trading Halts & Voluntary Suspensions.



If you have any queries or concerns about any of the above, please contact me immediately.

Yours sincerely

[Sent electronically without signature]

Shannon Hong

Senior Adviser, Listings Compliance