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Re: Notice of Policy Amendments - Policy 5.8 – *Issuer Names, Issuer Name Changes, Share Consolidations and Splits* and UPDATE regarding Four Character Stock Symbols

TSX Venture Exchange (the "Exchange") is providing an update to the Exchange Bulletins dated April 26, 2016 and October 11, 2016 with respect to the adoption of root symbols that consist of four letters of the alphabet ("four letter symbols").

As previously indicated, the Exchange will be able to accommodate trading of four letter symbols as of November 1, 2016. Accordingly, the Exchange has revised Policy 5.8 - *Issuer Names, Issuer Name Changes, Share Consolidations and Splits* ("Policy 5.8") of the Exchange's Corporate Finance Manual to reflect this change to root symbols and to concurrently make minor changes to update the sections on CUSIP and ISIN application procedures and security split procedures. The Exchange has received all required regulatory approvals to formally amend Policy 5.8. Accordingly, the Exchange is implementing its amended Policy 5.8 – *Issuer Names, Issuer Name Changes, Share Consolidations and Splits*, effective immediately.

The full text of the amended Policy 5.8 along with a blackline to the previously existing version of Policy 5.8 (dated August 14, 2013) are now available on the Exchange's website at the following page:

http://www.tsx.com/listings/tsx-and-tsxv-issuer-resources/tsx-venture-exchange-issuer-resources/tsx-venture-exchange-corporate-finance-manual/tsxv-corporate-finance-manual-policies?lang=en

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