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RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT GROUP LTD ("RDG"): Response to ASX letter dated 20 February 2023

I refer to your letter dated 20 February 2023 and hereby provide the following responses to your queries:

1. On this occasion, both Appendix 3Y's were not lodged within the prescribed time period due to an administrative oversight by the Company Secretary rather than a systemic problem with the Company's existing share trading policies and procedures.
2. The Company has an internal corporate Governance policy which mandates the disclosure of its Directors' declarations. Unfortunately, due to an internal administrative oversight, the disclosure of the declarations was delayed. The Corporate Governance policy related to Directors' disclosure is circulated to all Directors and the Company considers that the internal procedures are adequate to comply with the ASX listing rules.
3. The Company has reviewed its processes and will ensure that disclosures are released to the ASX in accordance with the timing requirements of the ASX listing rules in the future.

Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned below.

Yours sincerely

Michael Kenyon
Company Secretary

This announcement is authorised for market release by the Board of Resource Development Group Ltd.



20 February 2023

Reference: 68550

Mr Michael Kenyon
Company Secretary
Resource Development Group Limited

By email

Dear Mr Kenyon

Resource Development Group Limited ('RDG'): Appendix 3Y – Change of Director's Interest Notice Query

ASX refers to the following:

1. RDG's Appendix 3Y forms lodged on the ASX Market Announcements Platform ('MAP') on 17 February 2023 for Messrs Mark Wilson and Mike Grey (the 'Notices');
2. Listing Rule 3.19A which requires an entity to tell ASX the following:

3.19A.1 *'The notifiable interests of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) at the following times.*

- *On the date that the entity is admitted to the official list.*
- *On the date that a director is appointed.*

The entity must complete Appendix 3X and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the entity's admission or a director's appointment.

3.19A.2 *A change to a notifiable interest of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) including whether the change occurred during a closed period where prior written clearance was required and, if so, whether prior written clearance was provided. The entity must complete Appendix 3Y and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the change occurs.*

3.19A.3 *The notifiable interests of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) at the date that the director ceases to be a director. The entity must complete Appendix 3Z and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the director ceases to be a director.'*

3. Listing rule 3.19B which states that:

'An entity must make such arrangements as are necessary with a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) to ensure that the director discloses to the entity all the information required by the entity to give ASX completed Appendices 3X, 3Y and 3Z within the time period allowed by listing rule 3.19.A. The entity must enforce the arrangements with the director.'

The Notices indicate that a change in Messrs Wilson and Grey's respective notifiable interests occurred on 27 January 2023. It appears these Notices should have been lodged with ASX by 3 February 2023. Consequently, RDG may have breached Listing Rules 3.19A and/or 3.19B. It also appears that Messrs Wilson and Grey may have breached section 205G of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

Request for Information

Under Listing Rule 18.7, we ask that you answer each of the following questions having regard to Listing Rules 3.19A and 3.19B and *Guidance Note 22: Director Disclosure of Interests and Transactions in Securities - Obligations of Listed Entities*.

1. Please explain why the Appendix 3Y forms were lodged late.
2. What arrangements does RDG have in place under Listing Rule 3.19B with its directors to ensure that it is able to meet its disclosure obligations under Listing Rule 3.19A?
3. If the current arrangements are inadequate or not being enforced, what additional steps does RDG intend to take to ensure compliance with Listing Rule 3.19B?

When and where to send your response

This request is made under Listing Rule 18.7. Your response is required as soon as reasonably possible and, in any event, by no later than **9:00 AM AWST Wednesday, 22 February 2023**. 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, RDG'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 and may require RDG to request a trading halt immediately.

Your response should be sent to me by e-mail at ListingsCompliancePerth@asx.com.au. It should not 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.

Trading halt

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, you should discuss with us whether it is appropriate to request a trading halt in RDG'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 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*.

Suspension

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, ASX will likely suspend trading in RDG's securities under Listing Rule 17.3.

Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A

In responding to this letter, you should have regard to RDG's obligations under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A and also to Guidance Note 8 *Continuous Disclosure*: Listing Rules 3.1 – 3.1B. It should be noted that RDG's obligation to disclose information under Listing Rule 3.1 is not confined to, nor is it necessarily satisfied by, answering the questions set out in this letter.

Release of correspondence between ASX and entity

We reserve the right to release a copy of this letter, your reply and any other related correspondence between us to the market under Listing Rule 18.7A.

Questions

If you have any questions in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Damian Dinelli
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