## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**September 12, 2019** 

In the Matter of

Aurum, Inc. and Ecosphere Technologies, Inc.,

File No. 500-1

ORDER OF SUSPENSION OF TRADING

It appears to the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") that there is a lack of current and accurate information concerning the securities of Aurum, Inc. ("AURM<sup>1</sup>") (CIK No. 1450708), a void Delaware corporation located in Southbank, Victoria, Australia with a class of securities registered with the Commission pursuant to Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") Section 12(g) because it is delinquent in its periodic filings with the Commission, having not filed any periodic reports since it filed a Form 10-K for the period ended October 31, 2016. On April 29, 2019, the Commission's Division of Corporation Finance ("Corporation Finance") sent a delinquency letter to AURM requesting compliance with its periodic filing requirements, but AURM did not receive the delinquency letter due to its failure to maintain a valid address on file with the Commission as required by Commission rules (Rule 301 of Regulation S-T, 17 C.F.R. Section 232.301 and Section 5.4 of EDGAR Filer Manual). As of June 26, 2019, the common stock of AURM was quoted on OTC Link operated by OTC Markets Group Inc. (formerly "Pink Sheets") ("OTC Link"), had six market makers, and was eligible for the "piggyback" exception of Exchange Act Rule 15c2-11(f)(3).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The short form of each issuer's name is also its stock symbol.

It appears to the Commission that there is a lack of current and accurate information

concerning the securities of Ecosphere Technologies, Inc. ("ESPH") (CIK No. 1071760), a void

Delaware corporation located in Stuart, Florida with a class of securities registered with the

Commission pursuant to Exchange Act Section 12(g) because it is delinquent in its periodic

filings with the Commission, having not filed any periodic reports since it filed a Form 10-Q for

the period ended September 30, 2017. On March 28, 2019, Corporation Finance sent a

delinquency letter to ESPH requesting compliance with its periodic filing requirements, which

was delivered. As of June 26, 2019, the common stock of ESPH was quoted on OTC Link, had

eight market makers, and was eligible for the "piggyback" exception of Exchange Act Rule

15c2-11(f)(3).

The Commission is of the opinion that the public interest and the protection of investors

require a suspension of trading in the securities of the above-listed companies. Therefore, it is

ordered, pursuant to Section 12(k) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, that trading in the

securities of the above-listed companies is suspended for the period from 9:30 a.m. EDT on

September 13, 2019, through 11:59 p.m. EDT on September 26, 2019.

By the Commission.

Vanessa A. Countryman

Secretary

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