RANDGOLD RESOURCES LIMITED
Incorporated in Jersey, Channel Islands
Reg. No. 62686
LSE Trading Symbol: RRS
NASDAQ Trading Symbol: GOLD
("Randgold Resources" or the "Company")

Jersey, Channel Islands, 15 November 2016

TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES[i]		
1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached: [ii]	Randgold Resources Ltd	
2. Reason for the notification (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):		
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights		X
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached		
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments		
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights		
Other (please specify):		
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation: [iii]	FMR LLC	
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):[iv]	See Section 9	
5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached: [v]	10 November 2016	
6. Date on which issuer notified:	14 November 2016	
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached: [vi, vii]	5%	

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares [viii, ix]

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	**Situation previous to the triggering transaction**		**Resulting situation after the triggering transaction**				
	Number of Shares	**Number of Voting Rights**	**Number of shares**	**Number of voting rights**		**% of voting rights** [x]	
			Indirect	**Direct** [xi]	**Indirect** [xii]	**Direct**	**Indirect**
GB00B01C3S32	4,744,952	4,744,952	4,528,465		4,528,465		4.83%

B: Qualifying Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	**Expiration date** [xiii]	**Exercise/ Conversion Period** [xiv]	**Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised / converted.**	**% of voting rights**
Right of Recall			589,500	0.63%

C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments [xv, xvi]

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction

Type of financial instrument	**Exercise price**	**Expiration date** [xvii]	**Exercise/ Conversion period** [xviii]	**Number of voting rights instrument refers to**	**% of voting rights** [xix, xx]	
					Nominal	**Delta**

Total (A+B+C)

Number of voting rights	Percentage of voting rights
5,117,965	5.46%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable: [xxi]

Controlled Undertaking	Percentage Holding
Fidelity (Canada) Asset Management ULC	1.16
FIAM LLC	0.35
Fidelity Institutional Asset Management Trust Company	0.33
FMR CO., INC	3.31
FMR INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT (UK) LIMITED	0.30
FIDELITY MANAGEMENT TRUST COMPANY	0.01
Grand Total	**5.46**

Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will acquire/ cease to hold:	
12. Date on which proxy holder will acquire/ cease to hold voting rights:	
13. Additional information:	N/A
14. Contact name:	Sally-Ann Hatton
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