KINROSS GOLD CORP Form F-X May 21, 2018

# U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **FORM F-X**

# APPOINTMENT OF AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS AND UNDERTAKING

A.	Name of issuer or per	rson filing ( Filer ):	<b>Kinross Gold Corporation</b>
В.	(1) Thi	is is [check one]:	
x	an original filing for th	e Filer	
0	an amended filing for	the Filer	
(2) Rule 101(b)(9) o		oox if you are filing the Fo	rm F-X in paper in accordance with Regulation S-T
C.	Identify the filing in o	conjunction with which the	s form is being filed:
Name of Registrant:		Kinross Gold Corporation	
Form type:		Registration Statement on	Form F-10
File Number (if kno	wn):	333-225064	

Filed by:		Kinross Gold Corporation	
Date Filed (if filed concurrently	, so indicate):	May 18, 2018 (filed concurrently)	
D. principal place of 365-5123		d or organized under the laws of the province of Ontario, Canada and has Street, 17th Floor, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2V5; telephone number	
•	, Denver, Colorado	d appoints <b>Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.</b> (Agent), located at <b>5075 S. Sy 80237</b> ; <b>telephone</b> ( <b>303</b> ) <b>802-1445</b> , as the agent of the Filer upon whom nas, or other papers in:	
(a)	any investigation or	administrative proceeding conducted by the Commission; and	
any of its territor action arises out securities register	y appropriate court in ies or possessions or of or relates to or cor	on brought against the Filer or to which the Filer has been joined as defending any place subject to the jurisdiction of any state or of the United States of the District of Columbia, where the investigation, proceeding or causticerns: (i) any offering made or purported to be made in connection with the Filer on Form F-10 on May 18, 2018, or any purchases or sales of any lities in	s or of se of n the

relation to which the obligation to file an annual report on Form 40-F arises, or any purchases or sales of such securities; (iii) any tender offer for the securities of a Canadian issuer with respect to which filings are made by the Filer with the Commission on Schedule 13E-4F, 14D-1F or 14D-9F; or (iv) the securities in relation to which the Filer acts as trustee pursuant to Rule 10a-5 under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939. The Filer stipulates and agrees that any such civil suit or action or administrative proceeding may be commenced by the service of process upon, and that service of an administrative subpoena shall be effected by service upon such agent for service of process, and that service as aforesaid shall be taken and held in all courts and administrative tribunals to be valid and binding as if personal service thereof had been made.

- F. The Filer stipulates and agrees to appoint a successor agent for service of process and file an amended Form F-X if the Filer discharges the Agent or the Agent is unwilling or unable to accept service on behalf of the Filer at any time until six years have elapsed from the date the Filer has ceased reporting under the Exchange Act. The Filer further undertakes to advise the Commission promptly of any change to the Agent s name or address during the applicable period by amendment of this Form, referencing the file number of the relevant form in conjunction with which the amendment is being filed.
- G. The Filer undertakes to make available, in person or by telephone, representatives to respond to inquiries made by the Commission staff, and to furnish promptly, when requested to do so by the Commission staff, information relating to the forms, schedules, and offering statements described in General Instructions I.(a), I.(b), I.(c), I.(d) and I.(f) of this Form, as applicable; the securities to which such forms, schedules and offering statements relate, and the transaction in such securities.

The Filer certifies that it has duly caused this power of attorney, consent, stipulation and agreement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized, in Toronto, Ontario, Canada, this 18th day of May, 2018.

#### KINROSS GOLD CORPORATION

By: /s/ KATHLEEN M. GRANDY

Name: Kathleen M. Grandy

Title: Vice President, Assistant General Counsel

and Corporate Secretary

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This statement has been signed by the following person in the capacity and on the date indicated:

#### KINROSS GOLD U.S.A., INC.

(Agent for Service)

By: /s/ MARTIN D. LITT

Name: Martin D. Litt Title: Secretary

Dated: May 18, 2018

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