



DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

April 30, 2024

Haggai Alon  
Chief Executive Officer  
SMX (Security Matters) Public Ltd Co  
Mespil Business Centre, Mespil House  
Sussex Road, Dublin 4, Ireland

**Re: SMX (Security Matters) Public Ltd Co**  
**Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Registration Statement on Form F-1**  
**Filed April 22, 2024**  
**File No. 333-277553**

Dear Haggai Alon:

We have reviewed your post-effective amendment and have the following comment.

Please respond to this letter by amending your registration statement and providing the requested information. If you do not believe our comment applies to your facts and circumstances or do not believe an amendment is appropriate, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing any amendment to your registration statement and the information you provide in response to this letter, we may have additional comments.

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Selling Stockholders, page 101

1. You disclose that “no Selling Stockholder is a broker-dealer or an affiliate of a broker-dealer. We note, however, that EF Hutton LLC is one of the selling shareholders. Please revise your disclosure accordingly or advise. Please note that a registration statement registering the resale of shares being offered by a broker-dealer must identify the broker-dealer as an underwriter if the shares were not issued as underwriting compensation. For a selling stockholder that is an affiliate of a broker-dealer, your prospectus must state, if true, that: (1) the seller purchased the securities in the ordinary course of business; and (2) at the time of purchase of the securities you are registering for resale, the seller had no agreements or understandings, directly or indirectly, with any person, to distribute the securities. If you are unable to make these statements in the prospectus, please disclose that the selling stockholder is an underwriter.

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We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Marion Graham at 202-551-6521 or Matthew Crispino at 202-551-3456 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

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