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The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Rio Alto Mining Limited, Common Stock, no par value and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 40-F received on December 19, 2012. Tentative listing date – December 21, 2012.

Sincerely,