

🗆 6 January 2023

Dean Litis ASX Compliance Pty Limited Level 4, North Tower, Rialto 525 Collins Street Melbourne VIC 3000

Dear Dean

RESPONSE TO ASX PRICE QUERY

Spenda Limited ('Company') refers to your letter dated 6 January 2023.

Using the numbering in your letter, we respond to your questions as follows:

- No. The Company is not aware of any information concerning it that has not been announced to the market which, if known by some in the market, could explain the recent trading in the Company's securities.
- Not applicable given response to question 1.



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In December 2022, the Company announced that the Spenda Platform is being rolled out to the Carpet Court franchise network and that the Company had entered into a new two-year Payment Facilitator Agreement with Fiserv. These agreements will have a material positive impact on Spenda's future financial performance. Please see ASX announcements dated 7 December 2022 and 28 December 2022 for additional information.

The Company confirms that it is in compliance with Listing Rule 3.1. and that there is no information that should be given to ASX about its financial condition in accordance with that rule.

The Company confirms that the responses to the questions above have been authorised by Adrian Floate, CEO.

Yours faithfully

Justyn Stedwell Company Secretary On behalf of the Board of Directors



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About Spenda

Spenda Limited (ASX: SPX) is a transaction services business supplying industries with a broad range of B2B payment services, digital trading software and integrated solutions. Our goal is to convert EFT payments to card payments utilising the BPSP engagement coupled with our payments collaboration framework. Our competitive advantages deliver customers end-to-end e-invoicing integration, rapid ordering, digital trust and automated reconciliation.

Spenda supplies its customers a recipe of integrated software to create a vertical market standard operating environment (SOE) that enables the effective and seamless transfer of data from multiple, disparate software systems in one standardised technology solution, such as SpendaRetail. Spenda has licensing agreements with third-party software vendors that enable it to provide integrated SOE solutions to its customers.

For investors seeking information on the Company's activities that relate to marketing, customer events and other acknowledgement of customer activities, this information will be posted to the Company's news section of the website and on social media channels with the handle #getSpenda, active on Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram and Facebook.

For more information, see <u>https://spenda.co/investor-centre/</u>

Investor Enquiries

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Mr Justyn Stedwell Company Secretary Spenda Limited

By email

Dear Mr Stedwell

Spenda Limited ('SPX'): Price Query

ASX refers to the following:

- A. The change in the price of SPX's securities from a low of \$0.013 on 5 January 2023 to an intra-day high of \$0.0185 at the time of writing today.
- B. The significant increase in the volume of SPX's securities traded from 5 January 2023 to 6 January 2023.

Request for information

In light of this, ASX asks SPX to respond separately to each of the following questions and requests for information:

- 1. Is SPX aware of any information concerning it that has not been announced to the market which, if known by some in the market, could explain the recent trading in its securities?
- 2. If the answer to question 1 is "yes".
 - (a) Is SPX relying on Listing Rule 3.1A not to announce that information under Listing Rule 3.1? Please note that the recent trading in SPX's securities would suggest to ASX that such information may have ceased to be confidential and therefore SPX may no longer be able to rely on Listing Rule 3.1A. Accordingly, if the answer to this question is "yes", you need to contact us immediately to discuss the situation.
 - (b) Can an announcement be made immediately? Please note, if the answer to this question is "no", you need to contact us immediately to discuss requesting a trading halt (see below).
 - (c) If an announcement cannot be made immediately, why not and when is it expected that an announcement will be made?
- 3. If the answer to question 1 is "no", is there any other explanation that SPX may have for the recent trading in its securities?
- 4. Please confirm that SPX is complying with the Listing Rules and, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.
- 5. Please confirm that SPX's responses to the questions above have been authorised and approved under its published continuous disclosure policy or otherwise by its board or an officer of SPX with delegated authority from the board to respond to ASX on disclosure matters.

When and where to send your response

This request is made under Listing Rule 18.7. Your response is required as soon as reasonably possible and, in any event, by no later than **4:30 PM AEDT Friday**, **6 January 2023**. You should note that if the information requested by this letter is information required to be given to ASX under Listing Rule 3.1 and it does not fall

within the exceptions mentioned in Listing Rule 3.1A, SPX's obligation is to disclose the information 'immediately'. This may require the information to be disclosed before the deadline set out in the previous paragraph and may require SPX to request a trading halt immediately.

Your response should be sent to me by e-mail at **ListingsComplianceMelbourne@asx.com.au**. It should not be sent directly to the ASX Market Announcements Office. This is to allow me to review your response to confirm that it is in a form appropriate for release to the market, before it is published on the ASX Market Announcements Platform.

Trading halt

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, or if the answer to question 1 is "yes" and an announcement cannot be made immediately, you should discuss with us whether it is appropriate to request a trading halt in SPX's securities under Listing Rule 17.1. If you wish a trading halt, you must tell us:

- the reasons for the trading halt;
- how long you want the trading halt to last;
- the event you expect to happen that will end the trading halt;
- that you are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted; and
- any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt, or that we ask for.

We require the request for a trading halt to be in writing. The trading halt cannot extend past the commencement of normal trading on the second day after the day on which it is granted. You can find further information about trading halts in Guidance Note 16 *Trading Halts & Voluntary Suspensions*.

Suspension

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, ASX will likely suspend trading in SPX's securities under Listing Rule 17.3.

Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A

In responding to this letter, you should have regard to SPX's obligations under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A and also to Guidance Note 8 *Continuous Disclosure*: Listing Rules 3.1 - 3.1B. It should be noted that SPX's obligation to disclose information under Listing Rule 3.1 is not confined to, nor is it necessarily satisfied by, answering the questions set out in this letter.

Release of correspondence between ASX and entity

We reserve the right to release a copy of this letter, your reply and any other related correspondence between us to the market under Listing Rule 18.7A.

Questions

If you have any questions in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Dean Litis Principal Adviser, Listings Compliance