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## **Sandspring Resources Receives Shareholder Approval for Gran Colombia Gold Corp. as a “Control Person”**

**November 6, 2019 – Denver, Colorado and Vancouver, British Columbia – Sandspring Resources Ltd. (TSX-V: SSP, OTCQX: SSPXF) (“Sandspring” or the “Company”)** announces that the Company has received shareholder approval at its annual general meeting for Gran Colombia Gold Corp. (“**Gran Colombia**”) as a “Control Person” of the Company. Gran Colombia was issued 5,200,000 Subscription Receipts (“**Receipt**”) as part of its participation in the June 12, 2019 placement. The **Receipts** automatically converted upon the Company receiving shareholder approval. Each “**Receipt**” is convertible into one common share and one share purchase warrant entitling them to purchase one additional share at C\$0.165 until June 12, 2024. Upon conversion, Gran Colombia now owns 58,500,000 common shares and 37,000,000 share purchase warrants of the Company.

### **Early Warning**

Mr. Paes-Braga did not dispose of any securities of the Company, however as a result of the Gran Colombia conversion, Mr. Paes-Braga is no longer deemed a 10% holder and will not be required to complete any further regulatory filings. Mr. Paes-Braga holds 16,557,500 common shares, 12,369,000 warrants, and 400,000 options of the Company, representing 5.89% of the current issued and outstanding common shares of the Company and would own 29,326,500 common shares of the Company representing 9.98% on a partially diluted basis.

A copy of the early warning report filed by Brian Paes-Braga is available under the Company’s profile on SEDAR ([www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com)).

### **On behalf of the Board of Directors of Sandspring Resources Ltd.**

*“Richard A. Munson”*

Director and Chief Executive Officer

### **About Sandspring Resources Ltd.**

Sandspring Resources Ltd. is a Canadian junior mining company currently moving toward a feasibility study for the Toroparu Project in Guyana, South America with 7.4 million ounces of gold in the Measured and Indicated categories. A Preliminary Economic Assessment study (Preliminary Economic Assessment Report, Toroparu Gold Project, Upper Puruni River Area, Guyana, dated July 18, 2019 completed by SRK Consulting (U.S.), Inc.,) (the “PEA”) available on SEDAR ([www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com)) and on the Company’s website ([www.sandspringresources.com](http://www.sandspringresources.com)). Sandspring also holds a 100% interest in the Chicharrón Project located in the Segovia-Remedios mining district, Antioquia, Colombia. Additional information is available at [www.sandspringresources.com](http://www.sandspringresources.com) or by email at [sandspringinfo@sandspringresources.com](mailto:sandspringinfo@sandspringresources.com).

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