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## STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF BANKING AND SECURITIES

In the matter of )
Poloniex, LLC )
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ORDER NO: AK-MT-011397

LIMITED LICENSE AGREEMENT

## **AGREEMENT**

This Agreement is between the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Banking and Securities ("Division") and Poloniex LLC ("PLX").

On or about October 29, 2018, the Division received an application from PLX for a money transmission license under Alaska Statute (AS) 06.55.103. The Division's review of this application disclosed that PLX was applying for an Alaska money transmission license in order to provide "traditional" money transmission of fiat currency, as well as the transmission of virtual currency.

PLX is aware the Division is unable under current state law to license PLX to transmit virtual currency, yet wants to pursue a money transmission license regardless of this limitation. The Division is willing to issue PLX an Alaska money transmission license for transmission using fiat currency.

On the effective date of this agreement, the Division will issue PLX's Alaska money transmission license, limited as follows:

a. PLX shall not use its Alaska money transmission license to transmit virtual

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1 currency; 2 b. PLX shall not state, imply, or infer that it is licensed by the division to 3 transmit virtual currency; 4 c. Whenever and wherever PLX discloses that it holds an Alaska money transmission license, it must also disclose the license has not been issued for PLX to transmit virtual currency, using the following disclosure: Please note that this license does not cover the 6 7 transmission of virtual currency. 8 PLX understands and agrees that PLX's failure to comply with the terms of the limited 9 license agreement shall be deemed to be a violation of the Alaska Uniform Money Services Act 10 (AS 06.55 et seq) and may lead to formal administrative action, which may include, but not be 11 limited to license revocation or suspension and/or civil penalties under AS 06.55.605. 12 PLX understands that this Agreement is a public document and will be posted on the 13 Division's website. 14 Signing for the Division: 15 /s/ Patrice Walsh November 8, 2018 16 Date BY: Patrice Walsh, Acting Director 17 Division of Banking and Securities 18 Signing for Poloniex, LLC: 19 /s/ Jeremy Allaire November 7, 2018 Jeremy Allaire, Date 20 President, Poloniex, LLC 21 22 23 Contact Person: Tom Stevens 24 Financial Registration Examiner (907) 465-5448