## **CONSENT OF QUALIFIED PERSON**

June 28, 2021

British Columbia Securities Commission
Alberta Securities Commission
Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan
The Manitoba Securities Commission
Ontario Securities Commission
Autorité des marchés financiers
New Brunswick Securities Commission
Nova Scotia Securities Commission
Prince Edward Island Securities Registry
Securities Commission of Newfoundland and Labrador

Re: Golden Independence Mining Corp. ("Golden Independence")
Technical Report of James Ashton, P.E., SME-RM, and Carl E. Defilippi,
SME-RM, titled "Technical Report of the Independence Gold Project, Battle
Mountain Mining District, Lander County, Nevada, USA" with an effective
date of May 19, 2021 and a Report date of June 28, 2021 (the "Technical
Report")

Pursuant to section 8.3 of National Instrument 43-101 - *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects*, I hereby consent to the public filing of the Technical Report by Golden Independence.

I also consent to any extracts from or a summary of the Technical Report in the May 19, 2021 and June 28, 2021 news releases of Golden Independence.

I certify that I have read the aforementioned news releases filed by Golden Independence and that they fairly and accurately represent the information in the sections of the Technical Report for which I am responsible. I further confirm that I have no reason to believe that there are any misrepresentations in the information contained in the news releases that are derived from the Technical Report or that is within my knowledge as a result of the services performed by me in connection with the Technical Report.

Dated this 28th day of June, 2021.

(Signed) "James Ashton"
James Ashton, P.E., SME-RM