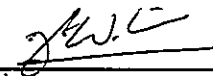


Central GoldTrust
PFIC Annual Information Statement
For the Year Ended January 15, 2016

1. This Information Statement applies to the taxable year of Central GoldTrust commencing on January 1, 2016 and ending on January 15, 2016.
2. Your pro-rata shares of the ordinary earnings (as defined by Code Section 1293(e)) and net capital gain (as defined by Treas. Reg. Section 1.1293-1(a)(2)) of Central GoldTrust for the taxable year commencing on January 1, 2016 and ending on January 15, 2016 are \$0.00 and \$0.00 respectively.
3. No cash or other property was distributed to you by Central GoldTrust during the year commencing on January 1, 2016 and ending on January 15, 2016.
4. Central GoldTrust will, on receipt of request, permit U.S. shareholders to inspect and copy its permanent books of account, records, and other such document as may be maintained by Central GoldTrust to establish that Central GoldTrust's ordinary earnings and net capital gain are computed according to U.S. tax principles, and to verify these amounts and your pro-rata shares thereof.

Central GoldTrust

Signature: 
John Wilson

Title: Trustee

Date: February 9, 2017