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Listing Qualifications

By Electronic Mail

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Division of Corporation Finance  
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

Division of Corporation Finance:

This is to certify that on November 1, 2019 The Nasdaq Stock Market (the "Exchange") received from Merida Merger Corp. I (the "Registrant") a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 8-A 12(b) for the registration of the following securities:

Units, each consisting of one share of common stock and one-half of one redeemable warrant

Common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share

Redeemable warrants, each whole warrant exercisable for shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$11.50 per share

We further certify that the securities described above have been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration upon official notice of issuance.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking effectiveness of the Form 8-A 12(b) concurrently with effectiveness of its 1933 Act Registration Statement, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'William Slattery'.