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## VIA EDGAR

Ms. Pam Howell Ms. Erin E. Martin Mr. Howard Efron Ms. Shannon Menjivar Office of Real Estate & Construction Division of Corporation Finance U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, NE Washington, D.C. 20549

## Re: KE Holdings Inc. (CIK No. 0001809587) Registration Statement on Form F-1 (File No. 333-240068)

Dear Ms. Howell, Ms. Martin, Mr. Efron and Ms. Menjivar:

On behalf of our client, KE Holdings Inc., a foreign private issuer organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands (the "**Company**"), we are filing herewith Amendment No. 1 to the Company's registration statement on Form F-1 ("**Registration Statement**") and certain exhibits via EDGAR with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "**Commission**").

The Company has updated the Registration Statement to (i) include its unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements as of June 30, 2020 and for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2019 and 2020 and (ii) reflect other recent developments.

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TOKYO TORONTO To facilitate the Staff's review, we are separately delivering to the Staff today five courtesy copies of the Registration Statement, marked to show changes to the registration statement filed with the Commission on July 24, 2020, and two copies of the filed exhibits.

The Company respectfully advises the Staff that it plans to file an amendment to the Registration Statement containing the estimated price range and offering size on or about August 7, 2020, and to launch the road show for the offering immediately thereafter. The Company would appreciate the Staff's timely assistance and support to the Company in meeting the proposed timetable for the offering.

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If you have any questions regarding the Registration Statement, please contact the undersigned by phone at +852 3740-4863 or via e-mail at julie.gao@skadden.com.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Z. Julie Gao

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