

ROYAL GOLD INC

Form 3

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**FORM 3****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting  
Person \*

Isto Mark

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring  
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/01/2016

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ROYAL GOLD INC [RGLD]4. Relationship of Reporting  
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer ☐ Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
Vice President Operations6. Individual or Joint/Group  
Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting  
Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One  
Reporting Person1660 WYNKOOP  
STREET, SUITE 1000

(Street)

DENVER, CO 80202

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities  
Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership  
Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect  
(I)  
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial  
Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

6,632 <sup>(1)</sup>

D

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially  
owned directly or indirectly.

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currently valid OMB control number.****Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and  
Expiration Date  
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of  
Securities Underlying  
Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)  
Title4. Conversion  
or Exercise  
Price of  
Derivative  
Security5. Ownership  
Form of  
Derivative  
Security:  
Direct (D)6. Nature of Indirect  
Beneficial  
Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options (ISO-Rights to Buy)	Â (2)	08/20/2025	Common Stock	1,768	\$ 56.54	D	Â
Stock Options (ISO-Right to Buy)	Â (3)	01/05/2025	Common Stock	1,518	\$ 65.85	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â (2)	08/20/2025	Common Stock	3,232	\$ 56.54	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â (3)	01/05/2025	Common Stock	655	\$ 65.85	D	Â
Performance Shares	Â (4)	08/20/2018	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 56.54	D	Â
Performance Shares	Â (4)	08/20/2020	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 56.54	D	Â
Performance Shares	Â (4)	01/05/2025	Common Stock	1,875	\$ 65.85	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Isto Mark 1660 WYNKOOP STREET SUITE 1000 DENVER,Â COÂ 80202	Â	Â	Â Vice President Operations	Â

## Signatures

Margaret A. Beck as Attorney-in-Fact for  
Mark Isto 07/08/2016

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) Includes 6,342 shares of restricted stock that have not yet vested.

(2) One-third vests annually over three years beginning on August 20, 2016.

(3) One-third vests annually over three years beginning on January 5, 2016.

(4) A performance award represents a contingent right to receive shares of common stock upon achievement of certain performance goals.

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