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Mr. Joshua Shainess
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Ms. Christie Wong
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Division of Corporation Finance
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
100 F Street, NE
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Re: RYB Education, Inc.

Registration Statement on Form F-1 (File No.333-220259)

Dear Mr. Spirgel, Mr. Shainess, Mr. French and Ms. Wong:

On behalf of our client, RYB Education, Inc., a company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands (the "Company"), we are filing herewith the Amendment No. 1 to the Company's registration statement on Form F-1 (the "Registration Statement") via EDGAR to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"). To facilitate your review, we have separately delivered to you five courtesy copies of the Registration Statement, marked to show changes to the registration statement filed with the Commission August 30, 2017.

Concurrently with the filing of the Registration Statement, the Company is hereby in this letter setting forth the Company's response to the comment contained in the letter from the staff of the Commission (the "Staff") dated September 7, 2017. The Staff's comment is repeated below in bold and are followed by the Company's response.

The Company will commence the marketing activities in connection with the offering shortly after the date hereof. The Company plans to request the Staff's declaration of the effectiveness of the Registration Statement on or about September 26, 2017, and would greatly appreciate the Staff's continuing assistance and support in meeting its timetable.

## Exhibit 5.1

1. Counsel's assumption contained in Section 2.3 to the legality opinion is unduly broad. Counsel may not assume material facts underlying the opinion or any readily ascertainable facts. Please file a revised opinion without such assumption. Please refer to Item II.B.3.a of Staff Legal Bulletin No. 19.

In response to the Staff's comment, the Company has filed a revised opinion without the aforementioned assumption with the Registration Statement.

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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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