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| Approval Security Futures  | § 41.23(b)           |
| Novel Derivative Product Notification  | § 40.12(a)           |
| Swap Submission  | § 39.5               |
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| Certification Made Available to Trade Determination  | § 40.6(a)            |
| Certification Security Futures   | § 41.24(a)           |
| Delisting (No Open Interest)   | § 40.6(a)            |
| Approval   | § 40.5(a)            |
| Approval Made Available to Trade Determination   | § 40.5(a)            |
| Approval Security Futures  | § 41.24(c)           |
| Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products  | § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a) |
| "Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change"  | § 40.4(b)(5)         |
| Notification   | § 40.6(d)            |
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March 1, 2017

## **VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick Office of the Secretariat Commodity Futures Trading Commission 3 Lafayette Center 1155 21st Street NW Washington, DC 20581

Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Amendments to CME/CBOT/NYMEX/COMEX Rule 588.H.

("Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges") Table.

NYMEX Submission No. 17-044 (3 of 4)

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") Regulation 40.6(a), Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME"), The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT"), New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX"), Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX") (collectively, the "Exchanges") hereby notify the Commission that they are self-certifying amendments to CME/CBOT/NYMEX/COMEX Rule 588.H. ("Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges") table (the "Table") effective on Wednesday, March 15, 2017 for trade date Thursday, March 16, 2017.

The Table is being amended to clarify that the CME Globex price adjustment or trade cancellation fee is \$1,000 per trade cancellation or price adjustment. The clarification is intended to eliminate confusion in certain circumstances whereby multiple adjustments or cancellations are necessary to occur as a result of a market participant's simultaneous entry of multiple orders, such as a mass quote or a multi-legged spread. In addition, the Table is being amended to include a maximum fee of \$20,000 per event, In addition, the amendments shall introduce the CME Globex non-reviewable ranges for non-Eurodollar, non-implied eligible, unidirectional inter-commodity combinations.

An administrative amendment is being made to refer to what was previously listed as non-Eurodollar, non-implied eligible, unidirectional <u>intra</u>-commodity spreads. The industry typically recognizes spreads as including both a buy leg and a sell leg. The amendment allows for combinations that may not include a buy leg and a sell leg that this reference is meant to encompass. Therefore, the amendment will replace the term spreads with the term combinations.

The amendments are set forth in Exhibit A, with additions underscored and deletions overstruck. The updated Table is attached in Exhibit B under separate cover.

The Exchanges have reviewed the designated contract market core principles ("DCM Core Principles") as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act ("CEA" or "Act") and identified that the amendments may have some bearing on the following DCM Core Principles:

<u>Protection of Market Participants</u>: The amendments to the Table continue to prevent disruption and manipulation by putting parameters around the cancellation and price adjustments of trades. As such, the amendments remain in compliance with this Core Principle.

<u>Availability of General Information</u>: As required by this Core Principle, The Exchanges will issue a Globex Notice to the marketplace regarding the amendments. The Globex Notice will also be publicly available on the CME Group website.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchanges certify that the amendments comply with the Act and regulations thereunder. There were no substantive opposing views to this proposal.

The Exchanges certify that this submission has been concurrently posted on the Exchanges' website at <a href="http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-fillings.html">http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-fillings.html</a>.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at 212.299.2200 or CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachment: Exhibit A: CME/CBOT/NYMEX/COMEX Rule 588.H. ("Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges") Table (blackline format and under separate cover)

## Exhibit A

## CME/CBOT/NYMEX/COMEX Rule 588.H. ("Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges") Table

(under separate cover)

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