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#### **VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Christopher J. Kirkpatrick
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Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
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Washington, D.C. 20581

RE: Modifications to the CME Bloomberg Dollar Spot Index<sup>SM</sup> Futures Market Maker

Program

CME Submission No. 16-255

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") of plans to modify the CME Bloomberg Dollar Spot Index<sup>SM</sup> Futures Market Maker Program ("Program"). The modifications to the Program will become effective on July 18, 2016.

Exhibit 1 sets forth the terms of this Program. Modifications appear below, with additions <u>underlined</u> and deletions <del>overstruck</del>.

CME reviewed the designated contract market core principles ("Core Principles") as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act ("CEA"). During the review, CME staff identified the following Core Principles as potentially being impacted: Prevention of Market Disruption, Execution of Transactions, Protection of Market Participants, Compliance with Rules, and Recordkeeping.

The Program does not impact the Exchange's ability to perform its trade practice and market surveillance obligations under the CEA. Exchange staff will monitor trading in the Program's products in order to prevent manipulative trading and market abuse. Additionally, the Exchange has implemented systems to track Program participants' volume to ensure proper distribution of earned incentives. The Program does not impact the Exchange's order execution. Participants in the Program will be selected by CME staff using criteria as set forth in Exhibit 1. Chapter 4 of the Exchange rules includes prohibitions against fraudulent, non-competitive, unfair or abusive practices. All participants must execute a contractual agreement with CME in which each participant will expressly agree to comply with, and be subject to, applicable regulations and Exchange rules. Additionally, the Program is subject to the Exchange's record retention policies, which comply with the CEA.

CME certifies that the Program complies with the CEA and the regulations thereunder. There were no substantive opposing views to this Program.

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

If you require any additional information regarding this submission, please e-mail <a href="mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com">CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com</a> or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:Rachel.Johnson@cmegroup.com">Rachel.Johnson@cmegroup.com</a>. Please reference our CME Submission No. 16-255 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Enclosure: Exhibit 1

## **EXHIBIT 1**

# **CME Bloomberg Dollar Spot Index** Futures Market Maker Program

## **Program Purpose**

The purpose of this Program is to incentivize participants to build initial volume and help develop liquidity in the product listed below. A more liquid contract on the central limit order book benefits all participants in the marketplace.

## **Product Scope**

CME Bloomberg Dollar Spot Index<sup>SM</sup> Futures ("BDI") traded on Globex® or submitted for clearing through CME ClearPort ("Product").

#### **Eligible Participants**

There is no limit to the number of participants in the Program. Participants may be CME members or non-members.

## **Program Term**

Start date is April 4, 2016. End date is December 31, 2016.

#### Hours

RTH <u>Session</u> (7:00am – 4:00pm CST) <u>ETH Session</u> (00:00am – 7:00am CST)

## **Obligations**

Minimum Quoting Obligations. In order to be eligible to receive Program incentives, participants must quote continuous two-sided markets in the Product at predetermined average bid/ask spreads and minimum quote sizes.

#### **Incentives**

Upon meeting all obligations, as determined by the Exchange, participants may be eligible to receive predetermined incentives.

#### **Monitoring and Termination of Status**

The Exchange shall monitor trading activity and participants' performance and shall retain the right to revoke Program participant status if it concludes from review that a Program participant has failed to meet the obligations of the Program.