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Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick Secretary of the Commission Office of the Secretariat **Commodity Futures Trading Commission** Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, NW Washington, DC 20581

#### Amendments to the ICE Futures U.S. Global NGL & Olefin Liquidity Provider Re: Program - Submission Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Act and Regulation 40.6

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC") Regulation 40.6(a), ICE Futures U.S., Inc. ("IFUS" or "Exchange") hereby submits by written certification, the amendment to the Global NGL & Olefin Liquidity Provider Program ("Program") set forth in Exhibit A. The Exchange believes that the Program, which was launched in July 2020 and currently set to expire on September 30, 2021, has incentivized additional liquidity and volume in NGL & Olefin futures and options contracts. Accordingly, the Exchange is extending the term of the Program through January 31, 2023.

The Exchange certifies that the new Program complies with the requirements of the Commodity Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In particular, the Program complies with Core Principle 4 (Monitoring of Trading), Core Principle 9 (Execution of Transactions) and Core Principle 12 (Protection of Market Participants). The Program does not impact order execution priority or otherwise give participants any execution preference or advantage. In addition, the Exchange's Market Regulation Department actively monitors for trading abuses using electronic exception reports and will take appropriate action against any participants engaging in market abuses.

The amendment extending the Program will become effective on October 1, 2021. The Exchange is not aware of any opposing views with regard to the Program and further certifies that, concurrent with this filing, a copy of this submission was posted on the Exchange's website at (https://www.theice.com/futures-us/regulation).

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at 212-748-4021 or at jason.fusco@theice.com.

Sincerely,

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# EXHIBIT A

# ICE Futures U.S. Global NGL & Olefin Liquidity Provider Program

#### **Program Purpose**

The purpose of the Program is to attract and incentivize participants to trade ICE Futures U.S. NGL & Olefin futures and options contracts in order to increase liquidity in the products; this enhanced liquidity will benefit all participants in the marketplace.

## **Product Scope**

All ICE Futures U.S. NGL & Olefin futures and option contracts, including screen and non-screen trades.

#### **Eligible Participants**

### [PARAGRAPH REDACTED]

#### **Program Term**

The initial term of the program shall end on [September 30]January 31, 202[1]3.

### **Program Incentives**

# [PARAGRAPH REDACTED]

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

The Exchange shall monitor trading activity and Participants' performance and shall retain the right to revoke Participants' status if it concludes from review that a Program Participant has failed to meet its obligations or no longer meets the eligibility requirements of this Program.