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Registered Entity Identifier Code (optional): 17-113

Organization: New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX")

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Filing Date (mm/dd/yy): March 23, 2017 Filing Description: Weekly Notification of Amendments Related to Product Terms and Conditions (Week of March 13, 2017)

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**Organization Rules and Rule Amendments**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification                       | § 40.6(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval                            | § 40.5(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Notification                        | § 40.6(d)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Advance Notice of SIDCO Rule Change | § 40.10(a) |
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**Rule Numbers:**

**New Product**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification                         | § 40.2(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification Security Futures        | § 41.23(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification Swap Class              | § 40.2(d)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval                              | § 40.3(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval Security Futures             | § 41.23(b) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Novel Derivative Product Notification | § 40.12(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Swap Submission                       | § 39.5     |

**Official Product Name:**

**Product Terms and Conditions (product related Rules and Rule Amendments)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Certification   | § 40.6(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Certification Made Available to Trade Determination     | § 40.6(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Certification Security Futures                          | § 41.24(a)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Delisting (No Open Interest)                            | § 40.6(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval  | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Made Available to Trade Determination          | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Security Futures                               | § 41.24(c)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products | § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | “Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change”                 | § 40.4(b)(5)         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Notification  | § 40.6(d)            |

**Official Name(s) of Product(s) Affected:** See filing.

**Rule Numbers:** See filing.



Christopher Bowen  
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel  
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March 23, 2017

**VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Mr. Christopher Kirkpatrick  
Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
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1155 21st Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20581

**RE: CFTC Regulation 40.6(d) Notification. New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. (“NYMEX” or “Exchange”) Weekly Notification of Amendments Related to Product Terms and Conditions.  
NYMEX Submission No. 17-113**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) Regulation 40.6(d), the Exchange submits this weekly notification of the following amendments related to product terms and conditions made effective during the week of March 13, 2017.

On Monday, March 13, 2017, the Exchange delisted six (6) Renewable Identification Number futures contracts (the “Contracts”). The delisting of the Contracts is a result of the Exchange’s prior announcement regarding the last listed contract months for the Contracts. The marketplace was notified via Special Executive Report (“SER”) #7842. A copy of the SER is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

If you require any additional information, please e-mail [CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com](mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com) or contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2200.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen  
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachment: Exhibit A – SER #7842

## EXHIBIT A



### Special Executive Report

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**DATE:** March 13, 2017  
**SER#:** 7842  
**SUBJECT:** Delisting of Six (6) Renewable Identification Number (RIN) Futures Contracts

Earlier today, Monday, March 13, 2017, New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") delisted six (6) Renewable Identification Number (RIN) futures contracts (the "Contracts") as set forth in the table below.

Contract Title	Rulebook Chapter	Commodity Code
D4 Biodiesel RINs (Argus) 2014 Futures	1159	D44
D5 Advanced Biofuel RINs (Argus) 2014 Futures	1162	D54
D6 Ethanol RINs (Argus) 2014 Futures	1165	D64
D4 Biodiesel RINs (Argus) 2015 Futures	1300	D45
D5 Advanced Biofuel RINs (Argus) 2015 Futures	1301	D55
D6 Ethanol RINs (Argus) 2015 Futures	1302	D65

The contracts were listed for trading on CME Globex and for submission for clearing through CME ClearPort. The delisting of the Contracts is a result of the Exchange's prior announcement of the Contracts listing schedule. For the 2014 vintage year contracts (Commodity Codes D44, D54, D64), the Exchange previously advised (see [SER 6639R](#) dated May 9, 2013) that the last listed contract month would be February-2016. For the 2015 vintage year contracts (Commodity Codes D45, D55, D65), the Exchange previously advised (see [SER 7525](#) dated April 2, 2015) that the last listed contract month would be February-2017.

As a result of the delisting, information regarding the Contracts was deleted from the respective product rule chapters, related position limits in the Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table located in the Interpretations and Special Notices Section of Chapter 5 (Trading Qualifications and Practices) of the CME Rulebook, the CME Globex non-reviewable ranges located in Rule 588.H. of the NYMEX Rulebook, and the list of block-eligible products located on the CME Group website.

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