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Via CFTC Portal Submissions

Mr. Christopher Kirkpatrick Secretary of the Commission Office of the Secretariat Commodity Futures Trading Commission 3 Lafayette Centre 1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, N.W. Washington D.C. 20581

## RE: Self-Certification Rule Amendments: Nadex Amends its Holiday Schedule for the 2015 New Year's Day Holiday and Announces its 2015 Exchange Holidays – Submission Pursuant to Commission Regulation §40.6(a)

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended ("Act"), and section §40.6(a) of the regulations promulgated by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "Commission") under the Act (the "Regulations"), North American Derivatives Exchange, Inc. ("Nadex", the "Exchange") hereby submits to the Commission its intent to amend its listing schedule for the 2015 New Year's Day holiday.

Nadex will observe the following modified holiday schedule for the week of December 29, 2014:

## Week of December 29, 2014:

- No weekly Japan 225 contracts will be offered for the week of December 29, 2014;
- No Initial Jobless Claims contracts will be offered for the week of December 29, 2014;
- All other Weekly contracts listed on Monday, December 29, 2014 will have a settlement date of Friday of the current week.

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Wednesday, December 31, 2014: The Exchange will observe regular business hours.

- No Japan 225, Germany 30, or FTSE 100<sup>®</sup> contracts will be offered on this trade date;
- No Daily Currency Binary contracts which would have an expiration date of January 1, 2015 will be listed on this date;
- All other contracts will open and close at their regular times.

Thursday, January 1, 2015: Nadex will be closed for trade date January 1, 2015.

Friday, January 2, 2015: The Exchange will open at 8:00am ET.

- No Japan 225 contracts will be offered on this trade date;
- No Daily Currency contracts which would expire at 11:00am ET on this trade date will be listed;
- 5-Minute Intraday Currency contracts will open at 9:30am ET;
- All other contracts will open at 8:00am ET, or their regularly schedule open time, and close at their regular times.

Additionally, Nadex announces its holidays for the 2015 calendar year. The Exchange will be closed on the following dates:

## Nadex Holiday Schedule for 2015

January 1, 2015 – New Year's Day January 19, 2015 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day February 16, 2015 – President's Day April 3, 2015 – Good Friday May 25, 2015 – Memorial Day July 3, 2015 – Independence Day (observed) September 7, 2015 – Labor Day November 26, 2015 – Thanksgiving Day December 25, 2015 – Christmas Day

No Core Principles have been identified as potentially being impacted by the change in listing times for the 2015 New Year's Day holiday during the week of December 29, 2014 or the 2015 Exchange holidays.

Pursuant to the 10-day filing period under Regulation 40.6(a)(3), this filing will become effective December 29, 2014.

No substantive opposing views were expressed to Nadex with respect to these amendments.

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Nadex hereby certifies that the revisions contained herein comply with the Act, as amended, and the Commission Regulations adopted thereunder.

Nadex certifies that a copy of these amended listing hours was posted on its website at the time of this filing.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone at (312) 884-0953 or by email at <u>Donald.horwitz@nadex.com</u>.

Sincerely,

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