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VIA CFTC PORTAL

Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Attention: Chris Kirkpatrick, Secretary
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, NW
Washington, DC 20581

Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification: Notification of Delisting Ten (10) Nodal Exchange Environmental Options Contracts

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Nodal Exchange, LLC (“Nodal Exchange” or “Exchange”) is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) that it is delisting ten environmental options contracts. Accordingly, the Exchange is self-certifying amendments to Appendix A (Contract Specifications) of the Nodal Exchange Rulebook pursuant to Commission Regulation 40.6(a). The amendments to Appendix A are attached hereto, indicating the specific contracts being delisted by the Exchange.

The Exchange is delisting ten dormant environmental options contracts. There is no open interest on these contracts.

Massachusetts Compliance Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2018 Option
Massachusetts Compliance Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2019 Option
Massachusetts Solar Renewable Energy Certificate Carve Out II Vintage 2018 Option
Massachusetts Solar Renewable Energy Certificate Carve Out II Vintage 2019 Option
Massachusetts Solar Renewable Energy Certificate Vintage 2018 Option
Massachusetts Solar Renewable Energy Certificate Vintage 2019 Option
NEPOOL Dual Qualified Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2018 Option
NEPOOL Dual Qualified Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2019 Option
Connecticut Compliance Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2018 Option
Connecticut Compliance Renewable Energy Certificate Class 1 Vintage 2019 Option

Exchange management has assessed the amendments to Appendix A and, and their compliance with applicable provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act (“Act”), including the Commissions Regulations and the Core Principles. Nodal Exchange has identified that

the delisting of the ten dormant contracts indicated by amendments to Appendix A may affect the following Core Principles as follows:

Core Principle 6 – Emergency Authority: There is no open interest in these contracts, and therefore there will be no market disruption related to their delisting.

Core Principle 7 – Availability of General Information: The Exchange is posting on its website (www.nodalexchange.com) the delisting of the contracts, including the contract specifications for the delisted contracts. Upon delisting, the terms and conditions of these contracts will no longer be available on the Nodal Exchange Rulebook Appendix A – Contract Specifications.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and the Commission’s Regulation 40.6, the Exchange certifies that the delisting of these contracts complies with the Act and the Commission’s Regulations thereunder. There have not been any opposing views expressed regarding these amendments.

Nodal Exchange certifies that this submission has been concurrently posted on the Nodal Exchange website at www.nodalexchange.com.

If you have any question or need additional information regarding this submission, please contact me at 703-962-9853 or markotic@nodalexchange.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Max Markotic

Director of Compliance

Attachments:

Nodal Exchange Rulebook Appendix A Delisted Contracts