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Organization: Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX")

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- Certification § 40.6(a)
- Approval § 40.5(a)
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- Advance Notice of SIDCO Rule Change § 40.10(a)
- SIDCO Emergency Rule Change § 40.10(h)

Rule Numbers:

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- Certification § 40.2(a)
- Certification Security Futures § 41.23(a)
- Certification Swap Class § 40.2(d)
- Approval § 40.3(a)
- Approval Security Futures § 41.23(b)
- Novel Derivative Product Notification § 40.12(a)
- Swap Submission § 39.5

Official Product Name:

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

- Certification § 40.6(a)
- Certification Made Available to Trade Determination § 40.6(a)
- Certification Security Futures § 41.24(a)
- Delisting (No Open Interest) § 40.6(a)
- Approval § 40.5(a)
- Approval Made Available to Trade Determination § 40.5(a)
- Approval Security Futures § 41.24(c)
- Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a)
- "Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change" § 40.4(b)(5)
- Notification § 40.6(d)

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

August 3, 2017

VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20581

**Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Notification Regarding Amendments to the Delivery Procedures for the London Spot Gold Futures and London Spot Silver Futures Contracts
COMEX Submission No. 17-298**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Commodity Exchange, Inc. (“COMEX” or “Exchange”) is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) that it is self-certifying amendments to the delivery procedures rules for the London Spot Gold Futures (Commodity Code: GSP; Rulebook Chapter: 129) and the London Spot Silver Futures (Commodity Code: SSP; Rulebook Chapter: 130) contracts (the “Contracts”) effective Sunday, August 27, 2017 for trade date Monday, August 28, 2017 as noted in the table below:

Contract Title	Commodity Code	Rulebook Chapter	Current Notice of Intention	Notice of Intention Effective on Trade Date August 28, 2017
London Spot Gold Futures	GSP	129	No later than 6 p.m. ET on the contract day	No later than 10 a.m. ET on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day
London Spot Silver Futures	SSP	130	No later than 6 p.m. ET on the contract day	No later than 10 a.m. ET on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day

Specifically, the Exchange will amend rules 129103. (“Delivery Procedures”) and 130103. (“Delivery Procedures”) of the London Spot Gold Futures and London Spot Silver Futures contracts, respectively, such that the time deadline to submit the notice for intention to deliver and notice for intention to accept delivery for the Contracts to the CME Clearing House will be amended from no later than 6:00 p.m. Eastern Time (“ET”) to no later than 10:00 a.m. ET on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day. These amendments shall allow market participants optimum flexibility in the trading and clearing of the Contracts.

The Exchange reviewed the designated contract market core principles (“Core Principles”) as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act (“CEA”) and identified that the rule amendments may have some bearing on the following Core Principles:

- Prevention of Market Disruption: The amendments reflect the Exchange’s efforts to more effectively protect the market from large price fluctuations of the Contracts. The Exchange believes that the amendments are consistent with this Core Principle requiring the Exchanges to maintain and promote an orderly market.
- Availability of General Information: The Exchange will amend the COMEX rulebook accordingly on the effective date which is publicly available on the CME Group website. In addition, the Exchange will publish advisory notifications to the marketplace of these amendments. The industry notifications will also be posted on the CME Group website.
- Execution of Transactions: The amendments will further enable the Exchange to continue their current practice of providing a competitive, open, and efficient market mechanism for executing transactions.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchange hereby certifies that the amendments comply with the Act, including all regulations under the Act. There were no substantive opposing views to this proposal.

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

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2200 or via e-mail at CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachment: Appendix A: Amendments to Chapter 129 (“London Spot Gold Futures”) and Chapter 130 (“London Spot Silver Futures”) (blackline format)

Appendix A
COMEX Rulebook

(additions are underscored; deletions are ~~struck through~~)

Chapter 129
London Spot Gold Futures

129103. DELIVERY PROCEDURES

129103.A. Notice of Intention to Deliver

By the time prescribed by the Clearing House ~~on the contract day~~, Clearing Members having open short positions shall notify the Clearing House of the following information: Clearing Members having open short positions (sellers) shall provide, in respect of each open position, in a manner prescribed by the Clearing House, clearing member firm, trading member firm, origin (customer/house), quantity, contract day, and any other information required by the Clearing House. Notices for intent to deliver must be submitted to the Clearing House no later than ~~6:00 p.m. on the contract day~~ 10:00 a.m. on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day.

129103.B. Notice of Intention to Accept

By the time prescribed by the Clearing House ~~on the contract day~~, Clearing Members having open long positions shall notify the Clearing House of the following information: Clearing Members having open long positions (buyers) shall provide, in respect of each open position, in a manner prescribed by the Clearing House, clearing member firm, trading member firm, origin (customer/house), quantity, contract day, and any other information required by the Clearing House. Notices for intent to accept must be submitted to the Clearing House no later than ~~6:00 p.m. on the contract day~~ 10:00 a.m. on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day.

[Remainder of Rule unchanged.]

Chapter 130
London Spot Silver Futures

130103. DELIVERY PROCEDURES

130103.A. Notice of Intention to Deliver

By the time prescribed by the Clearing House ~~on the contract day~~, Clearing Members having open short positions shall notify the Clearing House of the following information: Clearing Members having open short positions (sellers) shall provide, in respect of each open position, in a manner prescribed by the Clearing House, clearing member firm, trading member firm, origin (customer/house), quantity, contract day, and any other information required by the Clearing House. Notices for intent to deliver must be submitted to the Clearing House no later than ~~6:00 p.m. on the contract day~~ 10:00 a.m. on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day.

130103.B. Notice of Intention to Accept

By the time prescribed by the Clearing House ~~on the contract day~~, Clearing Members having open long positions shall notify the Clearing House of the following information: Clearing Members having open long positions (buyers) shall provide, in respect of each open position, in a manner prescribed by the Clearing House, clearing member firm, trading member firm, origin (customer/house), quantity, contract day, and any other information required by the Clearing House. Notices for intent to accept must be submitted to the Clearing House no later than ~~6:00 p.m. on the contract day~~ 10:00 a.m. on the Exchange business day immediately following the contract day.

[Remainder of Rule unchanged.]