



April 18, 2013

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Melissa Jurgens
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20581


Re: Rule Filing SR-OCC-2013-802 (and SR-OCC-2013-04) Rule Certification

Dear Ms. Jurgens:

On April 17, 2013, The Options Clearing Corporation ("OCC") submitted, pursuant to the self-certification procedures of Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC") Regulation 40.6 rule filing SR-OCC-2013-802. Since this rule filing was also filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and the Federal Reserve Board as an Advance Notice filing, the SEC's rule filing numbering convention currently requires two filing number on such submissions, one for the actual rule filing (i.e., SR-OCC-2013-04) and one for the Advance Notice filing (i.e., SR-OCC-2013-802).

Accordingly, for your information, please be advised that OCC rule filing SR-OCC-2013-04 is the same as the Advance Notice filing (i.e., SR-OCC-2013-802) submitted to the SEC and the Federal Reserve Board. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the above.

Sincerely,


Stephen Szarmack