

Rule Self-Certification

July 25, 2013

Office of the Secretary Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Center 1155 21st Street, NW Washington, DC 20581

Re: Regulation §40.2 Submission Certification

Listing Date for 10 Troy Ounce Gold Futures Contract

Reference File: SR-NFX-2013-12

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended ("Act"), and Section 40.2 of the regulations promulgated by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission under the Act, NASDAQ OMX Futures Exchange, Inc. ("Exchange") will issue a Futures Trader Alert to amend the anticipated listing of a 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract. The Exchange recently filed to list a 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract on August 5, 2013. The Exchange is filing the attached Futures Trader Alert to announce the intended listing date of August 9, 2013 for the 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract. The Exchange will publish the attached alert on the Exchange's website on July 30, 2013, the effective date of this filing.

The Futures Trader Alert will provide notification to the Exchange's Futures Participants of the amended listing date for the 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract. A copy of the alert is attached as Exhibit A. By way of background, the 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract is a cash settled gold futures contract for which the Final Settlement Price is based on the final settlement price for gold futures listed on the Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX"). The Exchange will initially list a December 2013 contract.

¹ SR-NFX-2013-09. The Rules at Chapter VII entitled "Metals" include the terms and conditions for the 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract. The Exchange noted in that self-certification that it would list the contract on August 5, 2013.

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There were no opposing views among NFX's Board of Directors, members or market participants. NFX hereby certifies that the announcement of the intended listing date for the 10 Troy ounce gold futures contract complies with the Commodity Exchange Act and regulations thereunder. The Exchange also certifies that a notice of pending certification with the Commission and a copy of this submission have been concurrently posted on the Exchange's website at http://www.nasdaqtrader.com/Micro.aspx?id=NFX.

Regards,

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National Futures Association

The Options Clearing Corporation

Exhibit A

Futures Trader Alert #2013-XX

NASDAQ OMX Futures Exchange to Launch a Ten Troy Ounce Gold Contract on Friday, August 9, 2013

Markets Impacted:

NASDAQ OMX Futures Exchange

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What you need to know:

- NASDAQ OMX will launch a Ten Troy Ounce Gold Futures Contract on Friday, August 9, 2013.
- This new contract will expire in December 2013.

What is being announced?

NASDAQ OMX will launch a Ten Troy Ounce Gold Futures Contract on **Friday, August 9, 2013**. The Contract will have a December 2013 maturity.

Instead of physical delivery, this futures contract will be cash-settled, providing Customers access to the cash market surrogate to gold.

Where can I find more information?

- Refer to the <u>contract specifications</u> on the NASDAQ Trader[®] page.
- Contact <u>Daniel Carrigan</u>, President, NFX, at +1 215 496 5017.