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Registered Entity Identifier Code (optional): 16-050 (2 of 4)

Organization: The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT")

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Filing Date (mm/dd/yy): 02/24/16 Filing Description: Amendments to Rule 589. ("Special Price Fluctuation Limits") Table

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**Organization Rules and Rule Amendments**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Certification                       | § 40.6(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval                            | § 40.5(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Notification                        | § 40.6(d)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Advance Notice of SIDCO Rule Change | § 40.10(a) |
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Rule Numbers: 589

**New Product**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification                         | § 40.2(a)  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification Swap Class              | § 40.2(d)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval                              | § 40.3(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval Security Futures             | § 41.23(b) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Novel Derivative Product Notification | § 40.12(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Swap Submission                       | § 39.5     |

**Official Product Name:**

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

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

Official Name(s) of Product(s) Affected:

Rule Numbers:

February 24, 2016

**VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick  
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Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
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Washington, DC 20581

**RE: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Notification Regarding Amendments to Rule 589. ("Special Price Fluctuation Limits") Table. CBOT Submission No. 16-050 (2 of 4)**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME"), The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT"), New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX"), and Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX") (collectively, the "Exchanges") hereby notify the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that they are self-certifying amendments to Rule 589. ("Special Price Fluctuation Limits") table (the "Table"), effective on trade date Thursday, March 10, 2016.

More specifically, the Exchanges will include all products which are also subject to Daily Price Limits in the Table. As such, the Table is being renamed and lines 287 through 329 are being added to include these products for each designated contract market.

The amended Table will provide the marketplace with a comprehensive list of products which are subject to any type of price limit. The Table is located at the end of Chapter 5 ("Trading Qualifications and Practices") of each Exchange's rulebook.

The Exchanges reviewed the designated contract market core principles ("Core Principles") as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act ("CEA" or "Act") and identified that the update to the Table may have some bearing on the following Core Principles:

Compliance with Rules: Changes to daily price limits and circuit breakers constitute a change to a term and condition pursuant to Part 40 of the Regulations under the CEA. While the Exchanges are not amending the price limits or circuit breakers of any products, they are adding additional clarifying detail to the Table. As such, the amendments remain in compliance with this Core Principle.

Availability of General Information: As required by this Core Principle, the Exchanges are publicly posting the Table to ensure that market participants have updated information attendant to the products with price limits. The Table will be available at the end of Chapter 5 of each Exchange's rulebook. In addition, the Exchange will issue a Special Executive Report ("SER") to notify the marketplace of the amended Table. The SER will also be posted on the CME Group website.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchanges hereby certify that the amendments to the Table comply with the Act and regulations thereunder. There were no substantive opposing views to this proposal.

The Exchanges certify that this submission has been concurrently posted on the CME Group website at <http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html>.

If you require any additional information, please e-mail [CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com](mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com) or contact the undersigned at 212.299.2200.

Sincerely,

/s/Christopher Bowen  
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachment: Exhibit A – Products with Special Price Fluctuation Limits and Daily Price Limits Table located in Chapter 5 of the Exchanges’ Rulebooks (attached under separate cover)

**Exhibit A**

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