

Via Web Submission

February 16, 2017 MGEX Submission No. 17-4

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick Secretary of the Commission Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street NW Washington, DC 20581

RE: <u>Weekly Notification of Rule Amendments Pursuant to Regulation 40.6(d)</u>

Dear Secretary Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Commodity Exchange Act Section 5c and Commodity Futures Trading Commission Regulation 40.6(d), the Minneapolis Grain Exchange, Inc. ("MGEX") submits this Weekly Notification of the following rule amendments made effective on February 7, 2017:

 February 6, 2017 Memo to MGEX Members and Clearing Members advising of approved margin add-on charges for intra-commodity spreads and outrights for Hard Red Spring Wheat contracts held in each spot month, effective for positions held at the close of business on February 7, 2017 through Last Delivery Day.

A copy of the above-referenced memo is available at www.mgex.com under the "Announcements" tab. If there are any questions regarding this submission, please contact me at (612) 321-7143 or lhopkins@mgex.com.

Sincerely,

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