



## **CFTC FOIA CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT REQUEST**

**TO:** **CFTC FOIA COMPLIANCE OFFICE**  
U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
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Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act and the rules of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“Commission”) implementing FOIA, The Options Clearing Corporation (“OCC”) hereby requests confidential treatment for the record(s) (“Record(s)”) identified below:

### **RECORD(S) FOR WHICH CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT IS REQUESTED:**

- A 90-page document titled, “Exhibit 3A Comprehensive Stress Testing and Clearing Fund Methodology, Quantitative Risk Management, Version 1.9.2.”
- A 21-page document titled, “Exhibit 3B Dynamic VIX Calibration Process.”
- A 13-page document titled “Exhibit 5C Clearing Fund Methodology Policy.”
- A 32-page document titled “Exhibit 5D Stress Testing and Clearing Fund Methodology Description.”
- A 6-page document titled “Exhibit 5E Clearing Fund Intra-Month Re-sizing Procedure.”
- An 11-page document titled, “Exhibit 5F Financial Resources Monitoring and Call Procedure.”
- A 7-page document titled, “Exhibit 5G Monthly Clearing Fund Sizing Procedure.”
- An 11-page document titled, “Exhibit 5H Collateral Risk Management Policy.”
- A nine-page document titled, “Exhibit 5I Default Management Policy.”

**BASIS:**

- Business confidentiality - The Record(s) contain(s) contain the trade secrets or confidential commercial or financial information of a self-regulatory organization and are being provided to the Commission's staff in response to a request made pursuant to the Commission's oversight authority. OCC's request for confidential treatment extends to any derivative works (regardless of media) containing the above described Record(s) or otherwise based thereon.

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