

October 16, 2020

## **VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Assistant Secretary of the Commission for FOI, Privacy and Sunshine Acts Compliance Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20581

Re: FOIA Confidential Treatment Request

## To Whom It May Concern:

By electronic portal dated today, October 16, 2020, NEX SEF Limited ("NEX SEF") submitted a supplemental rule certification filing (Submission No. 20-454S) to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") pursuant to Commission Regulation 40.6 to certify changes to NEX SEF's fee schedule ("Fee Schedule"). This supplemental filing includes an Appendix A (Fee Schedule, blacklined version) and an Appendix B (Fee Schedule, clean version).

NEX SEF requests confidential treatment of Appendix A and Appendix B ("Confidential Information"), on the grounds that Appendix A and Appendix B contain confidential commercial information of the submitter (NEX SEF). NEX SEF requests that confidential treatment be maintained for Appendix A and Appendix B until further notice from NEX SEF. We also request that the Commission notify the undersigned immediately after receiving any FOIA request for said Appendix A or Appendix B or any other court order, subpoena, or summons for same. Finally, we request that we be notified in the event the Commission intends to disclose such Appendix A or Appendix B to Congress or to any other governmental agency or unit pursuant to Section 8 of the CEA. NEX SEF does not waive its notification rights under Section 8(f) of the CEA with respect to any subpoena or summons for such Appendix A or Appendix B.

Please contact the undersigned at (212) 521-4609 should you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Nirup Ramalingam Chief Operating Officer