## SUBMISSION COVER SHEET **IMPORTANT:** Check box if Confidential Treatment is requested Registered Entity Identifier Code (optional): 18-451 Organization: Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME") |X|DCO Filing as a: **DCM** SEF SDR Please note - only ONE choice allowed. Filing Date (mm/dd/yy): November 7, 2018 Filing Description: Weekly Notification of Rule Amendments - Week of October 29, 2018 SPECIFY FILING TYPE Please note only ONE choice allowed per Submission. **Organization Rules and Rule Amendments** Certification § 40.6(a) Approval § 40.5(a) Notification § 40.6(d) Advance Notice of SIDCO Rule Change § 40.10(a) SIDCO Emergency Rule Change § 40.10(h) Rule Numbers: N/A **New Product** Please note only ONE product per Submission. Certification § 40.2(a) **Certification Security Futures** § 41.23(a) Certification Swap Class § 40.2(d) Approval § 40.3(a) **Approval Security Futures** § 41.23(b) Novel Derivative Product Notification § 40.12(a) Swap Submission § 39.5 Official Product Name: Product Terms and Conditions (product related Rules and Rule Amendments) Certification § 40.6(a) Certification Made Available to Trade Determination § 40.6(a) **Certification Security Futures** § 41.24(a) Delisting (No Open Interest) § 40.6(a) Approval § 40.5(a) Approval Made Available to Trade Determination § 40.5(a) **Approval Security Futures** § 41.24(c) Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a) "Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change" § 40.4(b)(5) Notification § 40.6(d) Official Name(s) of Product(s) Affected: **Rule Numbers:**



November 7, 2018

## **VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Christopher J. Kirkpatrick
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RE: Weekly Notification of Rule Amendments CME Clearing Submission No. 18-451

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Commission Regulation 40.6(d), the clearing house division of Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME Clearing") submits this Weekly Notification of the following rule amendments issued during the week of October 29, 2018:

- Clearing House Advisory Notice 18-431 (October 30, 2018), Performance Bond Requirements: Agriculture, Energy, Equity, Interest Rates, and Metals Margins – Effective October 31, 2018.
- Clearing House Advisory Notice 18-434 (November 1, 2018), Performance Bond Requirements: Energy, Equity, and Interest Rate Margins – Effective November 2, 2018.
- Clearing House Advisory Notice 18-435 (November 2, 2018), OTC BRL IRS Event Risk Margin Removal Effective November 6, 2018.

Copies of the above-referenced materials are available at <a href="www.cmegroup.com">www.cmegroup.com</a>. If you require any additional information, please e-mail <a href="mailto:cMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com">CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com</a> or contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2200.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
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