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of the Copper Weekly Wednesday Option Contract							
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	Certification	§ 40.6(a)					
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	Approval Security Futures	§ 41.23(b)					
	Novel Derivative Product Notification	§ 40.12(a)					
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H	Approval Security Futures	§ 41.24(c)					
	Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products						
H	"Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change"	§ 40.4(b)(5)					
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June 13, 2023

## **VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick Office of the Secretariat Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20581

Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Expansion of the Listing Schedule of the

**Copper Weekly Wednesday Option Contract.** 

**COMEX Submission No. 23-219** 

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX" or "Exchange") is certifying to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") the expansion of the listing schedule of the Copper Weekly Wednesday Option contract (the "Contract") for trading on the CME Globex electronic trading platform and for submission for clearing via CME ClearPort effective Sunday, July 16, 2023, for trade date Monday, July 17, 2023, as more specifically described in the table below.

Contract Title	COMEX Rulebook Chapter	CME Globex and CME ClearPort Code	Current Listing Schedule	Expanded Listing Schedule
Copper Weekly Wednesday Option	1010	H1W,H2W,H3W, H4W,H5W	Weekly contracts listed for 4 weeks (no weekly contract listed with the same expiry as the monthly option)	Weekly contracts listed for 4 weeks (no weekly contract listed with the same expiry as the monthly option) and 3 additional week 1 contracts

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

- <u>Availability of General Information:</u> The Exchange will release a Special Executive Report ("SER") regarding these amendments. The SER will also be posted on the CME Group website.
- <u>Daily Publication of Trading Information</u>: The Exchange will publish information contract trading volumes, open interest levels, and price information daily on its website and through quote vendors for the Contract.

- <u>Compliance with Rules</u>: The Exchange shall continue its normal practice to establish, monitor, and enforce compliance with the rules of the Contract, including the expansion of the listing schedules of the Contract.
- <u>Prevention of Market Disruption</u>: Trading in the Contract will continue to be subject to the rule of the Exchange, which include prohibitions on manipulation, price distortion, and disruption to the cash settlement process.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulations 40.2(a), the Exchange hereby certifies that the expansion of the listing schedule for the Contract complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act. There were no substantive opposing views to the proposal.

The Exchange certifies that this submission has been concurrently posted on the CME Group website at <a href="http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html">http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html</a>.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2000 or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com">CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com</a>.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel