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Organization: The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT")

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Filing Date (mm/dd/yy): 08/01/23 Filing Description: Amendments to the Listing Schedule for all Futures and Options of the Ukrainian Wheat (Platts), Black Sea Wheat Financially Settled (Platts), and Black Sea Corn Financially Settled (Platts) Contracts and the Temporary Suspension of Trading and Clearing of the Contracts

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- SIDCO Emergency Rule Change § 40.10(h)

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- 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

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©
- 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: See filing.

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August 1, 2023

VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL

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

Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Amendments to the Listing Schedule for all Futures and Options of the Ukrainian Wheat (Platts), Black Sea Wheat Financially Settled (Platts), and Black Sea Corn Financially Settled (Platts) Contracts and the Temporary Suspension of Trading and Clearing of the Contracts. CBOT Submission No. 23-330

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. (“CBOT” or “Exchange”) is certifying to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) amendments to the listing schedule for all futures and options of the Ukrainian Wheat (Platts), Black Sea Wheat Financially Settled (Platts), and Black Sea Corn Financially Settled (Platts) (the “Contracts”) such that the Exchange shall cease listing additional contract months as noted in the table below effective on August 16, 2023.

Contract Title	Commodity Code	Rulebook Chapter	Listing Schedule
Ukrainian Wheat (Platts) Futures	UWF	14U	15 consecutive months – currently through the October 2024 contract month
Options on Ukrainian Wheat (Platts) Futures	UWO	14V	12 consecutive months – currently through the July 2024 contract month
Options on Black Sea Wheat Financially Settled (Platts) Futures	BWO	14T	12 consecutive months – currently through the July 2024 contract month
Options on Black Sea Corn Financially Settled (Platts) Futures	BSO	10E	12 consecutive months – currently through the July 2024 contract month
Black Sea Corn Financially Settled (Platts) Futures	BCF	10C	15 consecutive months – currently through the October 2024 contract month
Black Sea Wheat Financially Settled (Platts) Futures	BWF	14R	15 consecutive months – currently through the October 2024 contract month

As a result of market conditions and in an effort to maintain an orderly market, effective immediately, CBOT will suspend trading and clearing of the Contracts until further notice (collectively, the “Rule Amendments”). There is no open interest in the Contracts.

The Exchange reviewed the designated contract market core principles (“Core Principles”) as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act (“CEA”) and staff identified that the Rule Amendments may have some bearing on the following Core Principles:

- **Availability of General Information:** The Exchange will make publicly available the details of the Rule Amendments by publishing a Special Executive Report (“SER”) to the marketplace. The SER will be available on CME Group’s website.
- **Prevention of Market Disruption:** Following the period of suspension, trading in the Contracts will continue to be subject to the rules 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 Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchange hereby certifies that Rule Amendments comply with the Act, including all 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 Exchange’s website at <http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html>.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2200 or e-mail CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com.

Sincerely,

/s/Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel