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| Advance Notice of SIDCO Rule Change | § 40.10(a) | | | | | |
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| 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 | | | | | |
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| 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: 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Euro Interest Rate Swap | st Kate Swap Futures and 2-Year | | | | | |
| Rule Numbers: 588.H. | | | | | | |



February 26, 2015

VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL

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

Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Notification Regarding Amendments to CBOT Rule 588.H. (Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges) for the 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Rate Swap Futures Contract and the 2-Year Euro Interest Rate Swap Contract. CBOT Submission No. 15-085

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that it is self-certifying amendments to CBOT Rule 588.H (Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges) for the 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Rate Swap Futures contract (Rulebook Chapter 51; Clearing, CME ClearPort, Globex Code and Open Outcry: T1U) and 2-Year Euro Interest Rate Swap contract (Rulebook Chapter 55; Clearing, CME ClearPort, Globex Code: T1E), effective on Sunday, March 15, 2015 for trade date Monday, March 16, 2015.

Currently, the Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Range for the 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Rate Swap Futures contract is 15/32 of 1 point and for the 2-Year Euro Interest Rate Swap contract it is 0.500 basis points. In order to better align the Globex Non-Reviewable Ranges with prevailing market conditions, the 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Rate Swap Futures contract range will be amended to 08/32 of 1 point and the 2-Year Euro Interest Rate Swap contract will be amended to 0.250 basis points, as illustrated in the table below.

| Contract Title | Product Code | Current | Amended |
|--|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 2-Year U.S. Dollar Interest Rate Swap Futures | T1U | 15/32 of 1 point | 08/32 of 1 point |
| 2-Year Euro Interest Rate Swap | T1E | 0.500 basis points | 0.250 basis points |

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

- <u>Availability of General Information</u>: The Exchange will publish information on the contracts' specifications on the CME Group website, together with daily trading volume, open interest, and price information. Notice will be made of the contracts' amendments via the distribution of a Special Executive Report which will also be posted on the CME Group website.
- <u>Daily Publication of Trading Information</u>: Trading volume, open interest, and price information will be published daily on the Exchange's website and via quote vendors.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchange certifies that the amendments comply with the Act, including regulations under the Act. There were no substantive opposing views to this 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.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please contact me at 212-299-2200 or via e-mail at CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachment: Appendix A – CBOT Rulebook Chapter Amendments (blackline)

APPENDIX A

CBOT Rulebook

(Additions are underlined; Deletions are [bracketed] and struck-through)

Chapter 5 Trading Qualifications and Practices

588.H. Globex Non-Reviewable Trading Ranges

| Interest Rates Futures | | | | |
|--|------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | Globex Symbol | Globex Non- Reviewable Ranges (NRR) | NRR: Globex Format | NRR: Ticks |
| Deliverable Interest Rate Swap Futures | | | | |
| 2-Year [Deliverable] <u>U.S. Dollar</u> Interest Rate Swap Futures | T1U | [15/32] <u>08/32</u> of 1 point (\$1,000) | [0.46875] <u>0.25</u> | [60] <u>32</u> |
| 2-Year EUR Interest Rate Swap Futures | T1E | [0.500] <u>0.250</u> basis points | [500] <u>250</u> | 50 |