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Registered Entity Identifier Code (optional): 22-327

Organization: Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME")

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Filing Date (mm/dd/yy): 08/24/22 Filing Description: Expansion of Listing Schedule of all Monday, Wednesday, and Certain Friday Weekly Options on E-mini Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Price Index Futures Contracts

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**Organization Rules and Rule Amendments**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification                       | § 40.6(a)  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Notification                        | § 40.6(d)  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Certification Swap Class              | § 40.2(d)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval                              | § 40.3(a)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Approval Security Futures             | § 41.23(b) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Novel Derivative Product Notification | § 40.12(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Swap Submission                       | § 39.5     |

**Product Terms and Conditions (product related Rules and Rule Amendments)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Certification Security Futures                          | § 41.24(a)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Delisting (No Open Interest)                            | § 40.6(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval  | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Made Available to Trade Determination          | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Security Futures                               | § 41.24(c)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products | § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | "Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change"                 | § 40.4(b)(5)         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Notification  | § 40.6(d)            |

Official Name(s) of Product(s) Affected: See filing.

Rule Numbers: See filing.

August 24, 2022

**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. Expansion of Listing Schedule of all Monday, Wednesday, and Certain Friday Weekly Options on E-mini Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Price Index Futures Contracts.  
 CME Submission No. 22-327**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") certifies to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") the expansion of the listing schedule for the Monday, Wednesday, and certain Friday Weekly Options on E-mini Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Price Index Futures contracts (the "Contracts") for trading on the CME Globex electronic trading platform ("CME Globex") and for submission of clearing via CME ClearPort effective Sunday, September 11, 2022 for trade date Monday, September 12, 2022, as more specifically described in the table below (the "Rule Amendments").

Contract Title	Commodity Code	Rulebook Chapter	Current Listing Schedule	Expanded Listing Schedule
Monday Weekly Options on E-mini S&P 500 Index Futures – Week 1-5 (European-Style)	E1A-E5A	358A	4 weekly contracts	<u>5</u> weekly options
Wednesday Weekly Options on E-mini S&P 500 Index Futures – Week 1-5 (European-Style)	E1C-E5C	358A	4 weekly contracts	<u>5</u> weekly options
Weekly Options on E-mini S&P 500 Index Futures – Week 1-4 (European-Style)*	EW1-EW4	358A	4 weekly contracts of week 1, week 2, week 4 and 9 weekly contracts of week 3	<u>6</u> weekly contracts of week 1, week 2, week 4 and 9 weekly contracts of week 3

\*Friday weekly option contract

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 Rule Amendments may have some bearing on the following Core Principles:

**Availability of General Information:** The Exchange will release a Special Executive Report ("SER") regarding these amendments. The SER will also be posted on the CME Group website.

**Daily Publication of Trading Information:** CME will continue to publish contract trading volumes, open interest levels, and price information daily on its website and through quote vendors for the Contracts.

**Prevention of Market Disruption:** 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.

**Compliance with Rules:** The Exchange will continue its normal practice to establish, monitor, and enforce compliance with the rules of the Contracts, including the expansion of the listing schedule of the Contracts.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Act and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchange hereby certifies that the Rule Amendments comply 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 <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 via e-mail at [CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com](mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com).

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen  
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel