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

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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:

New Product

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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(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: Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures

Rule Numbers: 260

December 21, 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. Amendments to the Listing Schedule of the Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures Contract.
CME Submission No. 22-522**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") is certifying to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") amendments to reduce the listing schedule of the Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures contract (the "Contract") for trading on the CME Globex electronic trading platform ("CME Globex") and for submission for clearing via CME ClearPort effective Sunday, January 22, 2023 for trade date Monday, January 23, 2023, as more specifically described in the table below.

Contract Title	CME Globex / CME ClearPort Code	CME Rulebook Chapter	Current Listing Schedule	Amended Listing Schedule
Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures	6R / RU	260	Monthly contracts listed for twelve (12) consecutive months and sixteen (16) quarterly contracts (Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec)	Four (4) quarterly contracts (Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec)

As detailed in [CME Submission No. 22-192](#), dated May 9, 2022, trading and clearing in certain contract months of the Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures contract was temporarily suspended. In conjunction with the amendments to the listing schedule, trading and clearing of the Contract for the revised listing schedule shall resume (collectively, the "Rule Amendments"). As a consequence, with effect from trade date Monday, January 23, 2023, the March 2023, June 2023, September 2023 and December 2023 contract months will be available for trading and clearing.

The Rule Amendments are intended to provide a continuation of listing of the Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures. Trading and clearing in all Options on Russian Ruble/U.S. Dollar (RUB/USD) Futures contracts shall remain suspended until further notice.

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:** CME will issue a Special Executive Report (“SER”) to the marketplace regarding the Rule Amendments. The SER will also be posted on the CME Group website.
- **Daily Publication of Trading Information:** CME will continue to comply with this Core Principle by making public daily information on settlement prices, volume, open interest, and opening and closing ranges for the Contract which will be published daily on the Exchange’s website.
- **Compliance with Rules:** The Exchange shall continue its normal practice to establish, monitor, and enforce compliance with the rules of the Contract, including the amendment of the listing schedule of the Contract.
- **Execution of Transactions:** The Exchange will continue its current practice of providing a competitive, open, and efficient market mechanism for executing transactions in the Contract.

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.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel