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**Via Commission Website Portal**

Secretary  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20581

**Re: SDX Trading, LLC - Application for Registration and for Temporary Registration as a Swap Execution Facility**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

SDX Trading, LLC (“SDX Trading”) hereby applies for registration as a swap execution facility (“SEF”) pursuant to Section 5h of the Commodity Exchange Act and Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“Commission”) Regulation 37.3(b).

SDX Trading hereby further requests that the Commission grant SDX Trading temporary registration as a SEF pursuant to Commission Regulation 37.3(c).

As required by Commission Regulations 37.3(b)(1)(i) and 37.3(c)(1)(i), SDX Trading is filing herewith a complete Form SEF that, together with the accompanying Exhibits, contains all information and documentation required by Regulation 37.3 and Form SEF.<sup>1</sup> SDX Trading is separately filing, pursuant to Commission Regulations 37.3(b)(2) and 145.9, a petition for confidential treatment of those portions of its application that are not required by Commission Regulation 40.8(a) to be made publicly available.

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<sup>1</sup> Form SEF and the accompanying Exhibits are contained in electronic files designated respectively as “SDX Trading SEF Application- Confidential Submission” and “SDX Trading SEF Application- Non-Confidential Submission.”

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Pursuant to Commission Regulation 37.3(b)(1)(iii), SDX Trading hereby requests from the Commission a unique, extensible, alphanumeric code for the purpose of identifying the 360T SEF pursuant to Part 45 of the Commission's Regulations.

Questions regarding this application should be directed to the attention of the undersigned at the telephone number and address set forth above.

Sincerely,



David Gertler  
Chief Compliance Officer,  
SDX Trading, LLC

Encl. (Form SEF, with Exhibits)

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