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Graham:

A 45-day extension is approved for SR-OCC-2011-14. A rule submission extension for the other two filings has already been sent to the Commission.

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Steve –

Per our earlier phone conversation, I am requesting on behalf of the CFTC an additional 45-day extension of time through October 14, 2012 on the following three OCC rule filings to clear options and futures on various commodity-based ETFs:

- SR-OCC-2010-03 (ETFs Platinum & Palladium Shares)
- SR-OCC-2010-09 (Sprott Physical Gold Shares)
- SR-OCC-2011-14 (CBOE Silver ETF Volatility Index)

The Commission continues to work with staff at the SEC to move the process forward on the proposed 4(c) relief for the Platinum/Palladium/Gold Shares. The proposed 4(c) relief for the Silver ETF Volatility Index is circulating with the Commission currently. Please let me know if you have further questions regarding this request for additional time.

Regards,
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