



March 9, 2012

VIA E-MAIL

Mr. David A. Stawick
Secretary of the Commission
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20581

**Re: Rule Filing Withdrawal (SR-OCC-2011-19 (A-1) Rule
Certification)**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

On January 4, 2012, The Options Clearing Corporation (“OCC”) submitted, pursuant to the self-certification procedures of Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) Regulation 40.6, the above referenced rule filing. In addition, the OCC also submitted the captioned rule filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”).

On March 9, 2012, OCC withdrew the captioned rule filing from consideration by the SEC. Accordingly, with this submission, the OCC hereby withdraws the captioned submission from consideration by the CFTC. OCC reserves the right to re-submit the captioned rules set at a later date.



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Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (312) 322-4802.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stephen Szarmack".

Stephen Szarmack

Attachments

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RULE NUMBERS

Article I - Section 1; Article V - Sections 1&3; Article VI - Sections 1-10, 15, 16,18, 20, 22, & 27; Article VIII - Sections 1, 5&7; Article XIV - Section 1; Article XV – Section 1; Article XI - Section 1; Article XVI - Section 1; Article XVII - Sections 1-6; Article XX - Section 1, 3 & 5; Article XXII - Section 1; Article XXVI - Section 1; Chapter I - Rule 101; Chapter II - Rules 204 & 207; Chapter IV -Rule 401-405; Chapter V - Rules 501-502; Chapter VI – Rules 601, 611; Chapter VIII – Rules 801, 803, 805, 807; Chapter X – Rule 1001; Chapter XI – Rule 1105 & Rule 1106; Chapter XIII – Rule 1301A; Chapter XVIII – Rules 1801, 1803 & 1804; Chapter XXI – Rule 2112; Article XXIII – Sections 1, 3, & 8; Chapter XXIV – Rule 2410