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Information Circular #IC10-57

Date: March 4, 2010
To: CBOE Members
From: CBOE Systems and Trading Operations
Re: March 12, 2010 Options Symbology Consolidation

This Information Circular replaces the previously issued Information Circular #IC10-57. This Information Circular is being issued to correct the stock symbol for Comcast Corp. No other changes are being made by this Information Circular.

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The initial Options Symbology Initiative (OSI) symbol consolidation will begin after the close of trading on Friday, March 12, 2010 in option classes traded on the following underlyings.

Stock Symbol	Name
ACAS	AMERICAN CAPITAL, LTD
AUX**	ISE FX AUSTRALIAN DOLLAR
CMCSA	COMCAST CORP
F	FORD MOTOR CO
INTC	INTEL CORP
MNX	CBOE MINI-NASDAQ 100 INDEX
OIH	OIL SERVICE HOLDERS TRUST
SPWRB	SUN POWER CORP
VIAB	VIACOM CLASS B
VZ	VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS
XDN**	PHLX YEN
XLE	ENERGY SECTOR SPDR

** Not Traded at CBOE

Beginning Monday, March 15, 2010, the option class symbol for all series listed on the stocks above will match the underlying symbol unless the series has a non-standard deliverable. In the case of a non-standard deliverable the underlying symbol will be amended with a 1 character numeric suffix. (i.e. OIH1, OIH2)

The OCC is coordinating the consolidation and a file containing the current option class symbols and the consolidated options class symbols effective March 15th can be down loaded from the following link.

<http://www.theocc.com/initiatives/symbology/implementation.jsp>

On Friday, March 12, 2010 between 3:15 and 3:45 CST, CBOE will cancel all resting GTC orders in the consolidating option classes. Firms will receive cancel messages with a value of "4" in FIX tag 150 for all cancelled orders. These reports will be sent between 3:15 and 3:45 CST. If the firm's order line is not logged in to receive the cancel reports, the firm will receive the cancel reports once the line is logged in.

Orders will be cancelled in all consolidating options classes: including classes such as "F" that are not changing but the underlying stock is part of the consolidation.

Firms can re-enter orders in the consolidated classes using the new consolidated option class symbol beginning 7:00am CST Monday, March 15.

The remaining option symbols will be consolidated alphabetically by underlying stock symbol using the following schedule.

March 12, 2010	
Initial Group Classes	12
Total Classes	12
Total Options	70
Total Series	3906

April 9, 2010	
A Classes	192
B Classes	101
C Classes	210
Total Classes	503
Total Options	905
Total Series	34722

April 23, 2010	
D Classes	71
E Classes	97
F Classes	82
G Classes	62
H Classes	71
I Classes	103
Total Classes	486
Total Options	985
Total Series	45036

May 7, 2010	
J Classes	31
K Classes	35
L Classes	72
M Classes	124
N Classes	77
O Classes	48
P Classes	105
Q Classes	12
R Classes	71
Total Classes	575
Total Options	1058
Total Series	40960

May 14, 2010	
S Classes	184
T Classes	101
U Classes	51
V Classes	56
W Classes	42
X Classes	46
Y Classes	7
Z Classes	16
Total Classes	503
Total Options	1022
Total Series	47042

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