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hours per response.. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Page 1 of * 16 File No.* SR - 2011 - * 007 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 Amendment No. (req. for Amendments Form 19b-4 Proposed Rule Change by BATS Exchange Pursuant to Rule 19b-4 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Section 19(b)(2) * Initial * Amendment * Withdrawal Section 19(b)(3)(A) * Section 19(b)(3)(B) * **✓** Rule 19b-4(f)(1) 19b-4(f)(4) Extension of Time Period Pilot Date Expires * for Commission Action * 19b-4(f)(2) 19b-4(f)(5) 19b-4(f)(3) **✓** 19b-4(f)(6) Exhibit 3 Sent As Paper Document Description Provide a brief description of the proposed rule change (limit 250 characters, required when Initial is checked *). Proposal to adopt new BATS Rule 11.21 to require Members to identify each order accurately as a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order. **Contact Information** Provide the name, telephone number and e-mail address of the person on the staff of the self-regulatory organization prepared to respond to questions and comments on the proposed rule change. First Name * Anders Last Name * Franzon Title * VP, Associate General Counsel E-mail * afranzon@batstrading.com Telephone * (913) 815-7154 Fax (913) 815-7119 Signature Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, has duly caused this filing to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized officer. Date 02/18/2011 Ву Anders Franzon VP, Associate General Counsel (Name *)

(Title *)

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 For complete Form 19b-4 instructions please refer to the EFFS website. The self-regulatory organization must provide all required information, presented in a Form 19b-4 Information (required) clear and comprehensible manner, to enable the public to provide meaningful comment on the proposal and for the Commission to determine whether the Remove View proposal is consistent with the Act and applicable rules and regulations under the Act. The Notice section of this Form 19b-4 must comply with the guidelines for Exhibit 1 - Notice of Proposed Rule Change publication in the Federal Register as well as any requirements for electronic filing (required) as published by the Commission (if applicable). The Office of the Federal Register (OFR) offers guidance on Federal Register publication requirements in the Federal Add Remove View Register Document Drafting Handbook, October 1998 Revision. For example, all references to the federal securities laws must include the corresponding cite to the United States Code in a footnote. All references to SEC rules must include the corresponding cite to the Code of Federal Regulations in a footnote. All references to Securities Exchange Act Releases must include the release number, release date, Federal Register cite, Federal Register date, and corresponding file number (e.g., SR-[SRO]-xx-xx). A material failure to comply with these guidelines will result in the proposed rule change being deemed not properly filed. See also Rule 0-3 under the Act (17 CFR 240.0-3) Copies of notices, written comments, transcripts, other communications. If such Exhibit 2 - Notices, Written Comments. documents cannot be filed electronically in accordance with Instruction F, they shall **Transcripts, Other Communications** be filed in accordance with Instruction G. Add Remove View Exhibit Sent As Paper Document Exhibit 3 - Form, Report, or Questionnaire Copies of any form, report, or questionnaire that the self-regulatory organization proposes to use to help implement or operate the proposed rule change, or that is Add Remove View referred to by the proposed rule change. Exhibit Sent As Paper Document The full text shall be marked, in any convenient manner, to indicate additions to and **Exhibit 4 - Marked Copies** deletions from the immediately preceding filing. The purpose of Exhibit 4 is to permit the staff to identify immediately the changes made from the text of the rule with which Add Remove View it has been working. The self-regulatory organization may choose to attach as Exhibit 5 proposed **Exhibit 5 - Proposed Rule Text** changes to rule text in place of providing it in Item I and which may otherwise be more easily readable if provided separately from Form 19b-4. Exhibit 5 shall be Add Remove View considered part of the proposed rule change. If the self-regulatory organization is amending only part of the text of a lengthy **Partial Amendment** proposed rule change, it may, with the Commission's permission, file only those portions of the text of the proposed rule change in which changes are being made if View the filing (i.e. partial amendment) is clearly understandable on its face. Such partial amendment shall be clearly identified and marked to show deletions and additions.

1. Text of the Proposed Rule Change

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act"), and Rule 19b-4 thereunder, BATS Exchange, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "BATS") is filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") a proposed rule change to adopt new BATS Rule 11.21 to require Members to identify each order accurately as a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order. The Exchange has designated this proposal as non-controversial and provided the Commission with the notice required by Rule 19b-4(f)(6)(iii) under the Act. While the change to Exchange's Rules is effective upon filing, the change will become operative on April 4, 2011.

- (a) The text of the proposed rule change is attached as Exhibit 5. Material proposed to be added is underlined. Material proposed to be deleted is enclosed in brackets.
 - (b) Not applicable.
 - (c) Not applicable.

2. Procedures of the Self-Regulatory Organization

The proposed rule change was approved by senior management of the Exchange pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors of the Exchange on November 10, 2009. Exchange staff will advise the Board of Directors of the Exchange of any action taken pursuant to delegated authority. No other action is necessary for the filing of the rule change.

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6)(iii).

Questions regarding this rule filing may be directed to Eric Swanson, Senior Vice President and General Counsel of the Exchange at (913) 815-7000.

3. <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change.</u>

(a) Purpose

The Exchange proposes to add new BATS Rule 11.21 for the purpose of increasing transparency and to enhance the surveillance database and audit trail of transaction data used by the Exchange in surveillance of its market. The proposed rule change would require Members to identify the capacity of each order accurately as a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order. For purposes of surveillance, the Exchange currently identifies the capacity of each order as Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal; however, several other capacities are accepted upon order entry, including no response, which are thereafter mapped to one of the above-listed order capacities. By limiting the order capacity upon entry to Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal and requiring Members to accurately submit an order capacity for each order, the Exchange will be able to more precisely identify the type of order received and more effectively surveil for abusive trading.

BATS does not have a rule that makes an explicit statement regarding a Member's obligation to input accurate information into the System. Notwithstanding, BATS believes that disciplinary cases against Members entering inaccurate or incomplete information may be brought appropriately under BATS Rule 3.1, which requires Members to observe high standards of commercial honor and just and equitable principles of trade. Rule 3.1 protects the investing public and the securities industry from dishonest practices that are unfair to investors or hinder the functioning of a free and

open market, even though those practices may not be illegal or violate a specific rule or regulation. Because of the regulatory importance of accurate information input in the System, BATS believes a rule that directly addresses Members' obligation to provide accurate information is warranted. The proposed rule makes clear Members' obligation to input accurate information into the System and that failure to do so would be considered a violation of BATS Rules.

BATS notes that it already has a rule in place for its equity options platform ("BATS Options") that requires members of BATS Options ("Options Members") to ensure that accurate information is input into the System, a requirement that includes, but is not limited to, the capacity of the Options Member as it relates to the order. The Commission has also previously approved rules proposed by the Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq") that apply to Nasdaq options and equities platforms and require participants to ensure that accurate information is entered into Nasdaq's system, including but not limited to the capacity of the participant. Thus, the proposed rule change would: (1) make BATS Rules regarding equity trading consistent with its rules regarding options trading; and (2) bring BATS Rules in line with those of other self-regulatory organizations.

In order to allow Members sufficient time to review and complete any systems changes necessitated by this filing, the Exchange has proposed an operative date of April 4, 2011.

⁴ BATS Rule 18.2(a)(6).

See Securities Exchange Act Release 59547 (March 10, 2009), 74 FR 11386 (March 17, 2009).

(b) Statutory Basis

The rule change proposed in this submission is consistent with the requirements of the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder that are applicable to a national securities exchange, and, in particular, with the requirements of Section 6(b) of the Act.⁶ Specifically, for the reasons described above, the proposed change is consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,⁷ because it is designed to prevent fraudulent and manipulative acts and practices, to promote just and equitable principles of trade, to foster cooperation and coordination with persons engaged in regulating, clearing, settling, processing information with respect to, and facilitating transactions in securities, to remove impediments to and perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and a national market system, and to protect investors and the public interest. Specifically, the changes proposed herein will serve to promote the accuracy of information input into the Exchange. Accurate information is necessary for the efficient and fair operation of the Exchange, and will assist the Exchange in surveilling the markets for fraudulent activity.

- Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition
 The proposed rule change does not impose any burden on competition.
- Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule
 Change Received from Members, Participants or Others

 Written comments were neither solicited nor received.
- Extension of Time Period for Commission Action
 Not applicable.

⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

7. <u>Basis for Summary Effectiveness Pursuant to Section 19(b)(3) or for Accelerated Effectiveness Pursuant to Section 19(b)(2)</u>

The Exchange has designated this rule filing as non-controversial under Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act⁸ and paragraph (f)(6) of Rule 19b-4 thereunder. The Exchange asserts that the proposed rule change: (1) will not significantly affect the protection of investors or the public interest, (2) will not impose any significant burden on competition, and (3) and will not become operative for 30 days from the date on which it was filed, or such shorter time as designated by the Commission. The Exchange provided the Commission with written notice of its intent to file the proposed rule change, along with a brief description and text of the proposed rule change, at least five business days prior to the date of filing, or such shorter time as the Commission may designate. ¹⁰ In addition, the Exchange believes that the proposal to require Members to identify the capacity of each order as either a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order does not present any policy issues that have not previously been considered by the Commission, but rather, is a minor change to the Exchange's existing rules that is consistent with the rules of other national securities exchanges¹¹ as well as the rules of BATS Options.¹² For the foregoing reasons, this rule filing qualifies for immediate effectiveness as a "non-controversial" rule change under paragraph (f)(6) of Rule 19b-4.

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

⁹ 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

¹⁰ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6)(iii).

^{11 &}lt;u>See e.g.</u>, Nasdaq Rule 4611(a)(6).

¹² <u>See BATS Rule 18.2(a)(6).</u>

At any time within 60 days of the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission summarily may temporarily suspend such rule change if it appears to the Commission that such action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, for the protection of investors, or otherwise in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

8. <u>Proposed Rule Change Based on Rule of Another Self-Regulatory Organization</u> or of the Commission

As mentioned above, the proposed rule change is based on Nasdaq Rule 4611(a)(6). The proposed rule change is also similar to the rules of various other national securities exchanges, including National Stock Exchange Rule 11.13 and NYSE Arca Equities Rule 7.33.

9. Exhibits

Exhibit 1: Completed Notice of the Proposed Rule Change for publication in the <u>Federal Register</u>.

Exhibit 2-4: Not applicable.

Exhibit 5: Text of Proposed Rule Change.

EXHIBIT 1

SECURITIES AND EXCHANG	GE COMMISSION
(Release No. 34	_; File No. SR-BATS-2011-007)

Self-Regulatory Organizations; BATS Exchange, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change by BATS Exchange, Inc. to Adopt BATS Rule 11.21, entitled "Input of Accurate Information"

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act"), and Rule 19b-4 thereunder, notice is hereby given that on February 18, 2011, BATS Exchange, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "BATS") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II and III below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. The Exchange has designated this proposal as a "non-controversial" proposed rule change pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act³ and Rule 19b-4(f)(6)(iii) thereunder, which renders it effective upon filing with the Commission. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the</u> Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange proposes to adopt new BATS Rule 11.21 to require Members to identify each order accurately as a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order.

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

⁴ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6)(iii).

II. <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis</u> for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, the Exchange included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Exchange has prepared summaries, set forth in Sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant parts of such statements.

- (A) <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory</u> Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change
- 1. Purpose

The Exchange proposes to add new BATS Rule 11.21 for the purpose of increasing transparency and to enhance the surveillance database and audit trail of transaction data used by the Exchange in surveillance of its market. The proposed rule change would require Members to identify the capacity of each order accurately as a Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal Order. For purposes of surveillance, the Exchange currently identifies the capacity of each order as Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal; however, several other capacities are accepted upon order entry, including no response, which are thereafter mapped to one of the above-listed order capacities. By limiting the order capacity upon entry to Principal, Agency, or Riskless Principal and requiring Members to accurately submit an order capacity for each order, the Exchange will be able to more precisely identify the type of order received and more effectively surveil for abusive trading.

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Member's obligation to input accurate information into the System. Notwithstanding,

BATS believes that disciplinary cases against Members entering inaccurate or incomplete

information may be brought appropriately under BATS Rule 3.1, which requires

Members to observe high standards of commercial honor and just and equitable

principles of trade. Rule 3.1 protects the investing public and the securities industry from

dishonest practices that are unfair to investors or hinder the functioning of a free and

open market, even though those practices may not be illegal or violate a specific rule or

regulation. Because of the regulatory importance of accurate information input in the

System, BATS believes a rule that directly addresses Members' obligation to provide

accurate information is warranted. The proposed rule makes clear Members' obligation

to input accurate information into the System and that failure to do so would be

considered a violation of BATS Rules.

BATS notes that it already has a rule in place for its equity options platform ("BATS Options") that requires members of BATS Options ("Options Members") to ensure that accurate information is input into the System, a requirement that includes, but is not limited to, the capacity of the Options Member as it relates to the order. The Commission has also previously approved rules proposed by the Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq") that apply to Nasdaq options and equities platforms and require participants to ensure that accurate information is entered into Nasdaq's system, including but not limited to the capacity of the participant. Thus, the proposed rule change would: (1) make BATS Rules regarding equity trading consistent with its rules regarding options trading; and (2) bring BATS Rules in line with those of other self-regulatory organizations.

⁵ BATS Rule 18.2(a)(6).

See Securities Exchange Act Release 59547 (March 10, 2009), 74 FR 11386 (March 17, 2009).

In order to allow Members sufficient time to review and complete any systems changes necessitated by this filing, the Exchange has proposed an operative date of April 4, 2011.

2. Statutory Basis

The rule change proposed in this submission is consistent with the requirements of the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder that are applicable to a national securities exchange, and, in particular, with the requirements of Section 6(b) of the Act.⁷ Specifically, for the reasons described above, the proposed change is consistent with Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,⁸ because it is designed to prevent fraudulent and manipulative acts and practices, to promote just and equitable principles of trade, to foster cooperation and coordination with persons engaged in regulating, clearing, settling, processing information with respect to, and facilitating transactions in securities, to remove impediments to and perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and a national market system, and to protect investors and the public interest. Specifically, the changes proposed herein will serve to promote the accuracy of information input into the Exchange. Accurate information is necessary for the efficient and fair operation of the Exchange, and will assist the Exchange in surveilling the markets for fraudulent activity.

(B) <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition</u>

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change imposes any burden on competition.

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

(C) <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed</u> Rule Change Received from Members, Participants or Others

The Exchange has neither solicited nor received written comments on the proposed rule change.

III. <u>Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Changes and Timing for Commission</u> Action

Because the foregoing proposed rule change does not: (i) significantly affect the protection of investors or the public interest; (ii) impose any significant burden on competition; and (iii) become operative for 30 days from the date on which it was filed, or such shorter time as the Commission may designate, it has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act⁹ and Rule 19b-4(f)(6)(iii) thereunder.¹⁰

At any time within 60 days of the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission summarily may temporarily suspend such rule change if it appears to the Commission that such action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, for the protection of investors, or otherwise in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

IV. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposal is consistent with the Act. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

Electronic Comments:

• Use the Commission's Internet comment form (http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml); or

⁹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

¹⁰ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6).

• Send an e-mail to rule-comments@sec.gov. Please include File No. SR-BATS-2011-007 on the subject line.

Paper Comments:

Send paper comments in triplicate to Elizabeth M. Murphy, Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090.

All submissions should refer to File No. SR-BATS-2011-007. This file number should be included on the subject line if e-mail is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet Web site (http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml). Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule changes between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for Web site viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street, NE, Washington, DC 20549, on official business days between the hours of 10:00 am and 3:00 pm. Copies of such filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. All comments received will be posted without change; the Commission does not edit personal identifying information from submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File No. SR-BATS-2011-007 and should be submitted on or before [_____21 days from publication in the Federal Register].

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority. 11

Cathy H. Ahn Deputy Secretary

¹¹ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

Note: Proposed new language is underlined. Proposed deletions are enclosed in [brackets].

Rules of BATS Exchange, Inc.

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Chapter XI. TRADING RULES

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Rule 11.21. Input of Accurate Information

Members of the Exchange shall input accurate information into the System, including, but not limited to, whether the Member acted in a Principal, Agent, or Riskless Principal capacity for each order entered.

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