

April 21, 2015

Christopher J. Kirkpatrick Secretary Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20581

Re: <u>CBOE Futures Exchange, LLC Rule Certification</u>

Submission Number CFE-2015-010

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended ("Act"), and §40.6(a) of the regulations promulgated by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission under the Act, CBOE Futures Exchange, LLC ("CFE" or "Exchange") hereby submits an amendment to CFE's Fee Schedule ("Amendment"). The effective date of the Amendment is May 5, 2015.

CFE is amending its Fee Schedule to include a fee for 10 gigabit per second Network Access Ports to CFE's disaster recovery site. Previously, the Network Access Ports to CFE's disaster recovery site were only offered at 1 gigabit per second. The fee for 10 gigabit per second Network Access Ports to CFE's disaster recovery site will be \$250 per month, which is the same fee that is applicable to 1 gigabit per second Network Access Ports to CFE's disaster recovery site.

CFE believes that the Amendment is consistent with Designated Contract Market ("DCM") Core Principles 2 (Compliance with Rules) and 7 (Availability of General Information) under Section 5 of the Act because (i) the new fee is equitable and does not unfairly discriminate and (ii) the amended CFE Fee Schedule sets forth in a clear and transparent way the manner in which CFE will assess its fees.

CFE believes that the impact of the Amendment will be beneficial to the public and market participants. CFE is not aware of any substantive opposing views to the Amendment. CFE hereby certifies that the Amendment complies with the Act and the regulations thereunder. CFE further certifies that CFE has posted a notice of pending certification with the Commission and a copy of this submission on CFE's Web site (http://cfe.cboe.com/aboutcfe/rules.aspx) concurrent with the filing of this submission with the Commission.

The Amendment is attached and is marked to show additions in <u>double underlined</u> text and deletions in <u>stricken</u> text.

Questions regarding this submission may be directed to Arthur Reinstein at (312) 786-7570 or Jenny Golding at (312) 786-7466. Please reference our submission number CFE-2015-010 in any related correspondence.

CBOE Futures Exchange, LLC

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CFE Fee Schedule¹ Effective May 4, May 5, 2015

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6.	<u>CFE CBOE System Connectivity Fees:</u> A. Network Access Port ²⁹	<u>Amount</u>
	1 gigabit per second	\$500/month
	• 10 gigabits per second	\$1,000/month
	B. Network Access Port (Disaster Recovery)	\$250/month
	• 1 gigabit per second	\$250/month
	• 10 gigabits per second	\$250/month
	C. CMI Login ³⁰	\$500/Login/month
	D. FIX Login ³⁰	\$500/Login/month

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Separate Network Access Port fees are assessed for unicast (orders, quotes, and related messages) and multicast (market data) lines. Any party that directly connects to CFE for unicast traffic is required to have redundant unicast lines to CFE (and an associated Network Access Port for each unicast line), and any party that directly connects to CFE for multicast traffic is required to have redundant multicast lines to CFE (and an associated Network Access Port for each multicast line).

Network Access Ports may not be used to access CFE and other exchanges affiliated with CFE through the same port at CFE's primary location. Network Access Ports may be used to access CFE and other exchanges affiliated with CFE through the same port at CFE's disaster recovery site and at CFE's London communications hub (at such time that access to other exchanges affiliated with CFE is available at the London communications hub). Accordingly, a single Network Access Port Fee and a single Network Access Port fee (Disaster Recovery), as applicable, is assessed if one or more other exchanges affiliated with CFE are accessed through the same port that provides access to CFE at CFE's disaster recovery site or London communications hub and no additional Network Access Port fee or Network Access Port fee (Disaster Recovery) is assessed for that port.

Network Access Port fees are waived during the time period from April 2015 through June 2016 for Network Access Ports to CFE's London communications hub.

²⁹ The Network Access Port fees are assessed for each port that provides direct access to CFE's trading system at its primary location or CFE's London communications hub (subject to the fee waiver below), and the Network Access Port fee (Disaster Recovery) is assessed for each port that provides direct access to CFE's trading system at its disaster recovery site. A Network Access Port to CFE's trading system at its primary location may be either a 1 gigabit per second port or a 10 gigabit per second port and a different fee is applicable to each. Network Access Ports to CFE's trading system at its disaster recovery site are 1 gigabit per second ports. A Network Access Port to CFE's trading system at its disaster recovery site may be either a 1 gigabit per second port or a 10 gigabits per second port and the same fee is applicable to each.

³⁰ CMI Login and FIX Login Fees are assessed for each login that is activated and used at least once to access CFE's trading system (whether or not any trades are effectuated through that login) during a monthly billing cycle. No additional CMI Login or FIX Login Fee is assessed for a replacement login received in connection with establishing an acronym group or moving a login into an acronym group. CMI Login and FIX Login Fees are waived during the time period from April 2015 through June 2016 for any CMI Logins and FIX Logins that are used to access CFE's trading system solely through CFE's London communications hub.

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Remainder of CFE Fee Schedule – No change.

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