

Regulatory Circular RG05-29 (revised)

To: Members and Member Firms

From: Index and SPY Floor Procedure Committees

Date: March 1, 2005

Re: Changes to Order Routing Parameters and Autobook Timer at Hybrid Index DPM

Locations

The Index and SPY Floor Procedure Committees have determined that the following changes to order routing parameters and the Autobook timer will be effective immediately in all DPM PARs in all Hybrid Index DPM locations:

Order Routing Changes: All non-marketable ORS orders with C, F, and B origin, unless otherwise directed by the entering firm, will route directly to the book, bypassing PAR.

Autobook: For any book-eligible orders that route to PAR, the Autobook timer will be reduced from the current length of 5-seconds to 1-second. An order will <u>not</u> auto-book if...

- The order contains an "X" in the first position of the CORRESpondent field. At the direction of the client, member firm staff may enter the "X" in the CORRESpondent field on the BERS template to prevent auto-booking.
- The order is entered from FBW using the <CROWD/NO BOOK> destination.
- The order contains any contingency.
- The order has a non-customer origin.

General questions regarding this matter may be directed to Anthony Montesano at (312) 786-7365 or any member of the Committee.