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Regulatory Circular 99-42

Date: February 12, 1999

To: Members, Member Firms

From: Equity Floor Procedure Committee

Re: New Equity FLEX hours

Pursuant to a recommendation of the Equity Floor Procedure Committee, the Board of Directors determined pursuant to Rule 24A.2 to change the time which Equity Flex commences. Effective immediately, Equity FLEX trading will commence at 8:45 A.M. Any questions may be directed to a member of the Equity Floor Procedure Committee or Andy Lowenthal at 786-7180.