



## **Regulatory Circular 12-123**

**DATE:** September 11, 2012

**FROM:** Market Operations Department

**RE:** Restrictions on Transactions in  
Digital Domain Media Group

Effective September 11, 2012, Digital Domain Media Group (“DDMG”) was delisted from the NYSE. The option symbol will remain the same for one day and change to DDMGQ effective for Wednesday, September 12, 2012. Trading in DDMGQ will commence on the Other OTC market.

Trading on the CBOE in existing series of DDMGQ options will be subject to the following restrictions. Only closing transactions may be affected in any series of DDMGQ options except for (i) opening transactions by Market-Makers executed to accommodate closing transactions of other market participants and (ii) opening transactions by CBOE TPH organizations to facilitate the closing transactions of public customers executed as crosses pursuant to and in accordance with CBOE Rule 6.74(b) or (d).

The execution of opening transactions in DDMGQ options, except as permitted above, and/or the misrepresentation as to whether an order is opening or closing, will constitute a violation of CBOE rules, and may result in disciplinary action. TPH organizations should ensure that they have appropriate procedures in place to prevent their customers from entering opening orders in this restricted option class. In addition, transactions in contravention of this restriction may be subject to nullification pursuant to Exchange Rule 6.25.

There are no restrictions in place with respect to the exercise of DDMGQ options.

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