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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 * clear and comprehensible manner, to enable the public to provide meaningful comment on the proposal and for the Commission to determine whether the proposal Remove 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 publication Exhibit 1 - Notice of Proposed Rule Change * in the Federal Register as well as any requirements for electronic filing as published by the Commission (if applicable). The Office of the Federal Register (OFR) offers guidance on Federal Register publication requirements in the Federal Register Add Remove View 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) The Notice section of this Form 19b-4 must comply with the guidelines for publication **Exhibit 1A- Notice of Proposed Rule** in the Federal Register as well as any requirements for electronic filing as published Change, Security-Based Swap Submission, by the Commission (if applicable). The Office of the Federal Register (OFR) offers or Advance Notice by Clearing Agencies * guidance on Federal Register publication requirements in the Federal 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, security-based swap submission, or advance notice being deemed not properly filed. See also Rule 0-3 under the Act (17 CFR 240.0-3) Exhibit 2 - Notices, Written Comments, Copies of notices, written comments, transcripts, other communications. If such Transcripts, Other Communications documents cannot be filed electronically in accordance with Instruction F, they shall be filed in accordance with Instruction G. View Add Remove 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 **Exhibit 4 - Marked Copies** The full text shall be marked, in any convenient manner, to indicate additions to and deletions from the immediately preceding filing. The purpose of Exhibit 4 is to permit Add View Remove the staff to identify immediately the changes made from the text of the rule with which it has been working. The self-regulatory organization may choose to attach as Exhibit 5 proposed changes **Exhibit 5 - Proposed Rule Text** 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 considered part Add Remove View 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 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.

Item 1. <u>Text of the Proposed Rule Change</u>

- (a) Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated (the "Exchange" or "CBOE") proposes to amend the Fees Schedule. The text of the proposed rule change is provided in Exhibit 5.
 - (b) Not applicable.
 - (c) Not applicable.

Item 2. Procedures of the Self-Regulatory Organization

- (a) The Exchange's Chief Regulatory Officer (or designee) pursuant to delegated authority approved the proposed rule change on August 10, 2016.
- (b) Please refer questions and comments on the proposed rule change to Joanne Moffic-Silver, Executive Vice President, General Counsel, and Corporate Secretary, (312) 786-7462, or William P. Wallenstein, (312) 786-8716, Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated, 400 South LaSalle, Chicago, Illinois 60605.

Item 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 amend the Fees Schedule. Specifically, the Exchange proposes to delete the reference to "Test Center" fees from the Continuing Education Fees sub-section of the Regulatory Fees section of the Fees Schedule to reflect the fact that the Exchange no longer offers test center delivery of the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement; as of July 5, 2016, delivery of the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement is entirely Webbased.

On August 8, 2015, the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") approved SR-FINRA-2015-015 and the proposed changes to FINRA Rule 1250 therein, which, among other things, provided for Web-based delivery of the Regulatory Element of certain of FINRA's continuing education programs.¹ Pursuant to SR-FINRA-2015-015, effective October 1, 2015, Web-based delivery has been available for the Regulatory Element for the S106 Continuing Education Program for Investment Company and Variable Contracts Representatives, the S201 Continuing Education Program for Registered Principals and Supervisors, and the S901 Continuing Education Program for Operations Professionals.² Web-based delivery of the S101 General Program, the continuing education program for all other registration categories, became available on January 4, 2016, as contemplated by SR-FINRA-2015-015. In addition, pursuant to SR-FINRA-2015-015, test center delivery of the Regulatory Element of the S101, S106, S201, and S901 continuing education programs was to end after January 4, 2016, but in no case more than six months after January 4, 2016 or July 5. 2016.³ Since July 5, 2016 has passed, going forward, the Regulatory Element of the above-listed continuing education programs is no longer administered at test centers and is only offered via Web-based delivery.

See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 75581 (July 31, 2015), 80 FR 47018 (August 6, 2015) (Order Approving a Proposed Rule Change to Provide a Webbased Delivery Method for Completing the Regulatory Element of the Continuing Education Requirements) (SR-FINRA-2015-015).

² Id

Test-center delivery of the Regulatory Element will be phased out by no later than six months after January 4, 2016. See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 75581 (July 31, 2015), 80 FR 47018 (August 6, 2015) (Order Approving a Proposed Rule Change To Provide a Web-Based Delivery Method for Completing the Regulatory Element of the Continuing Education) (SR-FINRA-2015-015).

The Exchange utilizes FINRA's continuing education programs for its own continuing education requirements. Consistent with SR-FINRA-2015-015, the Exchange recently filed SR-CBOE-2015-084⁴ relating to continuing education. In the filing, the Exchange proposed substantially similar changes to its rules as those set forth in SR-FINRA-2015-015 with respect to Web-based delivery of the Regulatory Element of the S101 General Program, S106 Continuing Education Program for Investment Company and Variable Contracts Representatives, the S201 Continuing Education Program for Registered Principals and Supervisors, and the S901 Continuing Education Program for Operations Professionals. Consistent with SR-CBOE-2015-084, the Exchange also filed SR-CBOE-2015-093 to amend the Fees Schedule to provide that the fee for Web-based delivery of the Regulatory Elements of the S101, S106, S201, and S901 Continuing Education Programs would be \$55 as opposed to test center delivery, which would continue to be \$100 per session until test center delivery of the Regulatory Element was phased out and the programs were no longer offered at testing centers.⁵ In its filing, the Exchange stated that upon cessation of the availability of test-center delivery of the Regulatory Element, the Exchange would submit another fee filing to remove references to test center fees from the Fees Schedule.⁶ Accordingly, the Exchange now proposes to amend the Fees Schedule to remove the now-obsolete \$100 fee for test center delivery of the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement.

^{4 &}lt;u>Available</u> <u>at</u> <u>http://www.cboe.com/publish/RuleFilingsSEC/SR-CBOE-2015-</u>084.pdf

See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 76352 (November 4, 2015), 80 FR 69760 (November 10, 2015) (Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend the Fees Schedule) (SR-CBOE-2015-093)

⁶ See id.

(b) Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") and the rules and regulations thereunder applicable to the Exchange and, in particular, the requirements of Section 6(b) of the Act.⁷ Specifically, the Exchange believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the Section 6(b)(5)⁸ requirements that the rules of an exchange be 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, in general, to protect investors and the public interest. Additionally, the Exchange believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the Section 6(b)(5)⁹ requirement that the rules of an exchange not be designed to permit unfair discrimination between customers, issuers, brokers, or dealers.

The Exchange believes that the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Primarily, the Exchange believes that the elimination of obsolete rules helps to eliminate confusion and makes the Exchange's rules more clear and transparent, which is in the interests of both market participants and the general public. The Exchange is continuously updating the Rules to provide additional accuracy, detail, clarity, and transparency regarding its operations, trading systems, and fees. The Exchange believes that the adoption of detailed, clear, and transparent rules reduces burdens on competition and promotes just and equitable principles of trade. Furthermore, in general, the

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

Id.

Exchange believes that promoting the Web-based delivery method for continuing education serves the best interests of market participant's and the general public by lower the costs of participation in the markets. The reduced cost of Web-based delivery of the Regulatory Element of the S106, S201, and S901 Continuing Education Programs lowers barriers to entry and removes impediments to a free and open market and national market system by making it easier and less costly for Trading Permit Holders to participate in the market. The Exchange believes that reducing the costs of continuing education promotes regulatory compliance, which is in the best interests of investors, consistent with the Act.

Item 4. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will impose any burden on competition that is not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act. Rather, the proposed rule change merely seeks to delete references to a fee that is no longer applicable to any Trading Permit Holder under the Rules. In fact, the Exchange believes that the proposed rule change will relieve any burden on, or otherwise promote, competition by lower costs of entry to the markets and making it easier for market participants to satisfy the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement.

Item 5. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received from Members, Participants, or Others

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

Item 6. Extension of Time Period for Commission Action

Not applicable.

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

- (a) The proposed rule change is filed for immediate effectiveness pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act¹⁰ and Rule 19b-4(f)(2)¹¹ thereunder.
- (b) The Exchange designates that the proposed rule change establishes or changes a due, fee, or other charge imposed by the Exchange, which renders the proposed rule change effective upon filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"). At any time within 60 days of the filing of this 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. If the Commission takes such action, the Commission will institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be approved or disapproved.
 - (c) Not applicable.
 - (d) Not applicable.

Item 8. Proposed Rule Change Based on Rules of Another Self-Regulatory Organization or of the Commission

The proposed rule change is based, in part, on SR-FINRA-2015-015, which proposed to make Web-based delivery of the Regulatory Element of the S101, S106, S201, and S901 Continuing Education Programs available for \$55 and stated that test center delivery would no longer be available after July 5, 2016 at the latest.¹²

¹¹ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(2).

¹⁰ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 75581 (July 31, 2015), 80 FR 47018
 (August 6, 2015) (Order Approving a Proposed Rule Change to Provide a Web-

Item 9. <u>Security-Based Swap Submissions Filed Pursuant to Section 3C of the Act</u>

Not applicable.

Item 10. Advance Notices Filed Pursuant to Section 806(e) of the Payment, Clearing and Settlement Supervision Act

Not applicable.

Item 11. Exhibits

Exhibit 1. Completed Notice of Proposed Rule Change for publication in the Federal Register.

Exhibit 5. Proposed rule text.

based Delivery Method for Completing the Regulatory Element of the Continuing Education Requirements) (SR-FINRA-2015-015).

EXHIBIT 1

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Release No. 34- ; File No. SR-CBOE-2016-061

[Insert date]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change to Amend the Fees Schedule

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act"),¹ and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,² notice is hereby given that on [insert date], Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated (the "Exchange" or "CBOE") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II, and III below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. 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 Proposed Rule Change</u>

The Exchange proposes to amend the Fees Schedule. The text of the proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's website (http://www.cboe.com/AboutCBOE/CBOELegalRegulatoryHome.aspx), at the Exchange's Office of the Secretary, and at the Commission's Public Reference Room.

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

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

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¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

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 aspects of such statements.

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

1. Purpose

The Exchange proposes to amend the Fees Schedule. Specifically, the Exchange proposes to delete the reference to "Test Center" fees from the Continuing Education Fees sub-section of the Regulatory Fees section of the Fees Schedule to reflect the fact that the Exchange no longer offers test center delivery of the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement; as of July 5, 2016, delivery of the Regulatory Element of the Exchange's continuing education requirement is entirely Webbased.

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2. <u>Statutory Basis</u>

The Exchange believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act and the rules and regulations thereunder applicable to the Exchange and, in particular, the requirements of Section 6(b) of the Act. Specifically, the Exchange believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the Section 6(b)(5)¹⁰ requirements that the rules of an exchange be 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, in general, to protect investors and the public interest. Additionally, the Exchange believes the

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See id.

⁹ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

¹⁵ U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

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

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

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

The foregoing rule change has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act¹² and paragraph (f) of Rule 19b-4¹³ thereunder. 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. If the Commission takes such action, the Commission will institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be approved or disapproved.

IV. Solicitation of Comments

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

¹⁵ U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

¹³ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f).

Electronic comments:

- Use the Commission's Internet comment form
 (http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml); or
- Send an e-mail to <u>rule-comments@sec.gov</u>. <u>Please include File Number</u>
 SR-CBOE-2016-061 on the subject line.

Paper comments:

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

All submissions should refer to File Number SR-CBOE-2016-061. 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. Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet website (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 change 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 website viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street, NE, Washington, D.C. 20549 on official business days between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of the filing also will 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 Number SR-CBOE-2016-061 and should be submitted on or before [insert date 21 days from publication in the Federal Register].

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.¹⁴

Secretary

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Changes are indicated by <u>underlining</u> additions and [bracketing] deletions.

Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated

Fees Schedule - August [1] 12, 2016

The following fees will be collected and retained by FINRA via the Web CRD SM registration system for the registration of associated persons of Exchange Trading Permit Holder and TPH organizations that are not also FINRA members.									
	General Registration Fees	Fee		Notes					
	FINRA Non-Member Processing Fee	\$100		For all Initial, Transfer, Relicense, Dual registration Form U-4 filings. This fee will also be generated upon refiling to Web CRD M of CBOE – only registered individuals.					
	FINRA Disclosure Processing Fee (U-4, U-5, Form BD & amendments)	\$110		For all registration, transfer, or termination filings with new or amended disclosure information or that require certification as well as any amendment to disclosure information.					
	FINRA Annual System Processing Fee Assessed only during Renewals	\$45							
	Fingerprint Processing Fees	Fee Per Card		Notes					
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Web CRD SM Fees	Initial Submission	\$44.50	\$29.50						
	Second Submission	\$30.00	\$15.00						
	Third Submission	\$44.50	\$29.50						
	Other	\$30.00		Submitted by Trading Permit Holders or TPH organizations on behalf of their associated persons who have had their prints processed through a self-regulatory organization ("SRO") other than FINRA.					
	Continuing Education Fees	Fee		Notes					
	All Registration	[Test Center] [\$100]	[Web-based] \$55						
	Qualification Examination Waiver Request Fee	\$200 per exam waiver request		This fee is assessed to a Trading Permit Holder for each waiver request of a non-FINRA examination (e.g., Series 56 examination) submitted by the Trading Permit Holder.					

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