Exchange’s existing rules governing the trading of equity securities.

(2) The Shares will be subject to Rule 5735, which sets forth the initial and continued listing criteria applicable to Managed Fund Shares.

(3) The Exchange has appropriate rules to facilitate transactions in the Shares during all trading sessions.

(4) Prior to the commencement of trading, the Exchange will inform its members in an Information Circular of the special characteristics and risks associated with trading the Shares. Specifically, the Information Circular will discuss the following: (a) The procedures for purchases and redemptions of Shares in Creation Units (and that Shares are not individually redeemable); (b) Nasdaq Rule 2111A, which imposes suitability obligations on Nasdaq members with respect to recommending transactions in the Shares to customers; (c) how information regarding the Intraday Indicative Value is disseminated; (d) the risks involved in trading the Shares during the Pre-Market and Post-Market Sessions when an updated Intraday Indicative Value will not be calculated or publicly disseminated; (e) the requirement that members deliver a prospectus to investors purchasing newly issued Shares prior to or concurrently with the confirmation of a transaction; and (f) trading information.

(5) Trading in the Shares will be subject to the existing trading surveillances, administered by both Nasdaq and FINRA, on behalf of the Exchange, which are designed to detect violations of Exchange rules and applicable federal securities laws, and these procedures are adequate to properly monitor Exchange trading of the Shares in all trading sessions and to deter and detect violations of Exchange rules and applicable federal securities laws.

(6) Not more than 10% of the net assets of the Fund, in the aggregate, will be invested in: (a) Unlisted or unsponsored Depositary Receipts; (b) Depositary Receipts not listed on an exchange that is not a member of ISG or a party to a comprehensive surveillance sharing agreement with the Exchange; or (c) unlisted common stocks or common stocks not listed on an exchange that is a member of the ISG or a party to a comprehensive surveillance sharing agreement with the Exchange. In addition, all futures and options held by the Fund will be listed on an exchange that is a member of the ISG or a party to a comprehensive surveillance sharing agreement with the Exchange.

(7) For initial and continued listing, the Fund must be in compliance with Rule 10A–3 under the Exchange Act.

(8) A minimum of 100,000 Shares will be outstanding at the commencement of trading on the Exchange.

(9) The Fund will invest at least 80% of its assets under normal market conditions in U.S. exchange-listed equity securities. The Fund will invest primarily in companies with market capitalization of greater than $1 billion that the Adviser believes offer the best opportunities for growth. The Fund may invest up to 25% of its assets in foreign securities.

(10) The Fund may hold up to an aggregate amount of 15% of its net assets in illiquid assets (calculated at the time of investment) that will monitor its portfolio liquidity on an ongoing basis to determine whether, in light of current circumstances, an adequate level of liquidity is being maintained; and will consider taking appropriate steps in order to maintain adequate liquidity if, through a change in values, net assets, or other circumstances, more than 15% of the Fund’s net assets are held in illiquid assets.

(11) The Fund does not intend to use its other investments to create a leveraged return on the Fund’s portfolio.

(12) The Fund’s investments will be consistent with the Fund’s investment objective.

This approval order is based on all of the Exchange’s representations and description of the Fund, including those set forth above and in the Notice.

IV. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act, that the proposed rule change (SR–NASDAQ–2014–040), be, and it hereby is, approved.

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

Kevin M. O’Neill,

Deputy Secretary.

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in Chapter III, Section 9 (Exercise Limits) that was inadvertently inserted into a recent rule change.\(^3\) The Exchange recently amended rules pertaining to the trading of options overlying NASDAQ OMX PH LX LLC (“PHLX”) proprietary indexes and PHLX U.S. Dollar-Settled Foreign Currencies on NOM.\(^4\) Specifically, the Exchange amended the exercise rules at Section 9 of Chapter III to provide that, “no Options Participant shall exercise, for any account in which it has an interest or for the account of any Customer, a long position in any options contract where such Options Participant or Customer, acting alone or in concert with others, directly or indirectly, has or will have . . . exceed the applicable position limit fixed from time-to-time by PHLX with respect to U.S. Dollar-Settled Foreign Currency Options.”\(^5\) The word “position” should have instead referred to “exercise” because the rule is applicable to exercise limits. The Exchange is proposing to correct this error in rule text to avoid confusion.

Additionally, the Exchange is proposing to amend the word “exceed” in two places in the rule to “exceeded” for consistency.

2. Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes that its proposal is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act\(^6\) in general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(5) of the Act\(^7\) in particular, in that it is 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 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.

The Exchange believes that correcting the error in the rule text will make the rule clear to Participants. The insertion of the word “position” was in error as the rule relates to exercise limits. The Exchange’s proposal to amend the word to “exercise” will correct this error. Also, amending the words “exceed” to “exceeded” within the rule text will conform the wording in the rule for clarity.

B. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement on Burden on Competition

The proposed rule change does not impose any burden on competition that is not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act. The proposed rule change seeks to correct an error in rule text and make other clarifying changes to conform rule text to avoid confusion.

C. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others

No written comments were either solicited or received.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action

The Exchange has filed the proposed rule change pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act\(^8\) and Rule 19b–4(f)(6) thereunder.\(^9\) Because the proposed rule change does not: (i) Significantly affect the protection of investors or the public interest; (ii) impose any significant burden on competition; and (iii) become operative prior to 30 days from the date on which it was filed, or such shorter time as the Commission may designate, it has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act\(^10\) and Rule 19b–4(f)(6) thereunder.\(^11\)

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 shall institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule should be approved or disapproved. The Exchange has provided the Commission written notice of its intent to file the proposed rule change, along with a brief description and text of the proposed rule change, at least five business days prior to the date of filing of the proposed rule change.

\(^4\) Id.
\(^5\) Id.
\(^7\) 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).
\(^11\) 17 CFR 240.19b–4(f)(6). In addition, Rule 19b–4(f)(6) requires the Exchange to give the Commission written notice of the Exchange’s intent to file the proposed rule change, along with a brief description and text of the proposed rule change, at least five business days prior to the date of filing of the proposed rule change, or such shorter time as designated by the Commission. The Exchange has satisfied this requirement.

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:

Electronic Comments

- Use the Commission’s Internet comment form (http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml); or
- Send an email to rule-comments@sec.gov. Please include File Number SR–NASDAQ–2014–064 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–NASDAQ–2014–064. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission’s Internet Web site (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 Web site viewing and printing in the Commission’s Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE., Washington, DC 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–NASDAQ–2014–064 and should be submitted on or before July 14, 2014.
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION


Self-Regulatory Organizations; ICE Clear Europe Limited; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change Relating to Clearance of New Energy Futures and Options Contracts

June 17, 2014.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”), 1 and Rule 19b–4 thereunder, 2 notice is hereby given that on June 5, 2014, ICE Clear Europe Limited (“ICE Clear Europe”) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) the proposed rule changes described in Items I, II and III below, which Items have been prepared primarily by ICE Clear Europe. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The principal purpose of the change is to modify certain aspects of the ICE Clear Europe Delivery Procedures in connection with the launch by the ICE Endex market of three energy futures and options contracts that will be cleared by ICE Clear Europe: The German Power Base Load Futures Contract, German Power Peak Load Futures Contract, and German Power Base Load Option Contract (collectively, the “German Power Contracts”).

II. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, ICE Clear Europe included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. ICE Clear Europe has prepared summaries, set forth in sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant aspects of these statements.

A. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

The purpose of the rule amendments is to modify certain aspects of the ICE Clear Europe Delivery Procedures in connection with the launch by the ICE Endex market of the German Power Contracts that will be cleared by ICE Clear Europe. ICE Clear Europe does not otherwise propose to amend its clearing rules or procedures in connection with the German Power Contracts.

The amendments adopt a new Part J of the Delivery Procedures applicable to the German Power Contracts in the case of physical delivery under a futures contract. The amendments provide, among other matters, specifications for delivery of power under a German Power Contract through scheduling with the relevant transmission system operator (“TSO”), including relevant definitions and a detailed delivery timetable for the contracts. The amendments also address invoicing and payment for delivery and certain limitations on liability of the Clearing House for performance or non-performance by the relevant TSO. The amendments provide for calculation by the clearing house of buyer’s and seller’s security to cover delivery obligations and related liabilities, costs or charges, as well as procedures to address failed deliveries. The revised procedures also outline various documentation requirements for the relevant parties.

In addition, changes are made to paragraph 5.1 of the Delivery Procedures to include the German Power Contracts as well as certain other natural gas and power futures as contracts for which parties may nominate transferors and transferees to make and take delivery. Part H of the Delivery Procedures has also been removed as the relevant contract moved from trading on the ICE Futures exchange to the ICE Endex exchange and is now covered by Part G of the Delivery Procedures.

ICE Clear Europe believes that the changes described herein are consistent with the requirements of Section 17A of the Act 3 and the regulations thereunder applicable to it, including the standards under Rule 17Ad–22, 4 and are consistent with the prompt and accurate clearance of and settlement of securities transactions and, to the extent applicable, derivative agreements, contracts and transactions, the safeguarding of securities and funds in the custody or control of ICE Clear Europe or for which it is responsible and the protection of investors and the public interest, within the meaning of Section 17A(b)(3)(F) of the Act. 5 The German Power Contracts have similar characteristics to other ICE Endex and ICE Futures Europe energy contracts currently cleared by ICE Clear Europe, and ICE Clear Europe believes that its existing financial resources, risk management, systems and operational arrangements are sufficient to support clearing of such products (and address physical delivery under such contracts).

Specifically, ICE Clear Europe believes that it will be able to manage the risks associated with acceptance of the German Power Contracts for clearing and physical delivery in such contracts. The German Power Contracts present a similar risk profile to other ICE Endex contracts currently cleared by ICE Clear Europe, and ICE Clear Europe believes that its existing risk management and margin framework is sufficient for purposes of risk management of the German Power Contracts and related deliveries.

Similarly, ICE Clear Europe has established appropriate standards for determining the eligibility of contracts submitted to the clearinghouse for clearing, and ICE Clear Europe believes that its existing systems are appropriately scalable to handle the German Power Contracts, which are generally similar from an operational perspective to the other ICE Endex power contracts currently cleared by ICE Clear Europe.

For the reasons noted above, ICE Clear Europe believes that the proposed rule changes are consistent with the requirements of Section 17A of the Act 6 and regulations thereunder applicable to it.

B. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement on Burden on Competition

ICE Clear Europe does not believe the proposed changes to the rules would have any impact, or impose any burden, on competition not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the Act. ICE Clear Europe is adopting the amendments to the Delivery Procedures in connection with the listing of new contracts for trading on the ICE Endex market. ICE Clear Europe believes that such contracts will provide additional opportunities for interested market participants.

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4 17 CFR 240.17Ad–22.