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## VIA E-MAIL

Brent J. Fields Secretary Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20549-1090

Re: <u>SR-NYSEArca-2016-15</u>

Dear Mr. Fields:

NYSE Arca, Inc. filed the attached Partial Amendment No. 1 to the above-referenced filing on March 29, 2016.

Sincerely,

Encl. (Partial Amendment No. 1 to SR-NYSEArca-2016-15)

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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. Remove View Add Exhibit Sent As Paper Document П 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 The full text shall be marked, in any convenient manner, to indicate additions to and **Exhibit 4 - Marked Copies** deletions from the immediately preceding filing. The purpose of Exhibit 4 is to permit Add Remove View the staff to identify immediately the changes made from the text of the rule with which it has been working. **Exhibit 5 - Proposed Rule Text** The self-regulatory organization may choose to attach as Exhibit 5 proposed changes 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 View Remove 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 Add Remove View 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.

## SR-NYSEArca-2016-15; Partial Amendment No. 1

NYSE Arca, Inc. (the "Exchange") hereby submits this partial amendment to SR-NYSEArca-2016-15 (the "Filing"). The Exchange seeks to make the following changes to the text in the Filing and the Notice of Proposed Rule Change (Exhibit 1) to be consistent with the Exhibit 5:

Insert the following underlined text, and delete the bracketed text, in footnote 9 on page 5 of the Filing and footnote 10, page 13 of Exhibit 1:

See Rule 6.67(c)(1). The Exchange notes that one such element prescribed in Rule 6.68(a) to be recorded by each OTP is "CMTA Information and the name of the clearing OTP Holder or Firm," and therefore, per Rule 6.67(c)(1), this information would still be disclosed—as the events occur and/or during trade reporting procedures which may occur after the representation and execution of the order." Id. See also Rule 6.68(a) (Record of Orders) (requiring [requires] that OTP Holders and OTP Firms maintain a record of each order that includes that the following data elements: : (1) CMTA Information and the name of the clearing OTP Holder or Firm; (2) options symbol, expiration month, exercise price and type of options; (3) side of the market and order type; (4) quantity of options; (5) limit or stop price or special conditions; (6) opening or closing transaction; (7) time in force; (8) account origin code; and (9) whether the order was solicited or unsolicited).

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## Insert the following underlined text in footnote 10 on page 6 of the Filing and footnote 11, page 14 of Exhibit 1:

<u>See id.</u>; <u>see also</u> Commentary .01 to Rule 6.69 (providing that for each transaction executed on the Options Floor, the responsible OTP Holder or OTP Firm will immediately report, among other information, both its assigned broker initial code and the name of the contra clearing member).

Insert the following underlined text in footnote 13 on pages 6-7 of the Filing and footnote 14, page 15 of Exhibit 1, following the citation signal (i.e., <u>See supra</u>):

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Additionally, the Exchange requests the Commission to find good cause to grant accelerated approval of NYSEArca-2016-15, as amended, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act. Accelerated approval would allow the Exchange to implement, without delay, the proposed change to remove the requirement that clearing information be disclosed pre-trade while allowing the Exchange to continue to provide an accurate, time-sequenced record of electronic and other orders, quotations and transactions, beginning

with the receipt of the order and documenting the life of the order through the process of execution, partial execution, or cancellation.