SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; NYSE Arca, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change Making Non-Substantive, Technical Amendments to Exchange Rule 6.62(o) Correcting Cross Reference to Exchange Rule 6.76B, and to Exchange Rule 6.76A to Correct Cross References to Exchange Rules 6.76A and 6.76B

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1)<sup>1</sup> of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act")<sup>2</sup> and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,<sup>3</sup> notice is hereby given that, on June 20, 2013, NYSE Arca, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "NYSE Arca") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II below, which Items have been prepared by the self-regulatory organization. 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</u> <u>Rule Change</u>

The Exchange proposes to make non-substantive, technical amendments to Exchange Rule 6.62(o) to correct a cross reference to Exchange Rule 6.76B, and to Exchange Rule 6.76A to correct cross references to Exchange Rules 6.76A and 6.76B.. The text of the proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's website at <a href="www.nyse.com">www.nyse.com</a>, at the principal office of the Exchange, on the Commission's website at <a href="http://www.sec.gov">http://www.sec.gov</a>, and at the Commission's Public Reference Room.

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

In its filing with the Commission, the self-regulatory organization included statements

<sup>3</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C.78s(b)(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78a.

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 those 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 parts of such statements.

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

## 1. <u>Purpose</u>

The Exchange is proposing to make a non-substantive, technical correction to Exchange Rule 6.62(o), in order to update a cross reference to Exchange Rule 6.76B. Current Rule 6.62(o) incorrectly cross references Rule 6.76B with respect to the routing instructions for NOW Orders. The Exchange proposes to correct the citation to cross reference Rule 6.76A.

The Exchange is also proposing to make two non-substantive, technical corrections to Exchange Rule 6.76A(c)(1)(A), and to make the same two non-substantive, technical corrections to Exchange Rule 6.76A(c)(2)(C), in order to update cross references in each to Exchange Rules 6.76A and 6.76B. Current Rule 6.76A(c)(1)(A) and Rule 6.76A(c)(2)(C) each incorrectly cross references Rule 6.76A with respect to the order ranking and display provisions governing routing away. The Exchange proposes to correct the citation in each rule to cross references Rule 6.76B. Rule 6.76A(c)(1)(A) and Rule 6.76A(c)(2)(C) also each incorrectly cross references Rule 6.76B with respect to the order execution provisions governing routing away. The Exchange proposes to correct the citation in each rule to cross reference Rule 6.76A.

# 2. <u>Statutory Basis</u>

The Exchange believes that the proposal is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act, 4 in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(5),<sup>5</sup> in particular, in that it is designed to promote just and equitable principles of trade, to remove impediments to, and perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and, in general, to protect investors and the public interest. The Exchange believes it is appropriate to make technical corrections to its rules so that Exchange members and investors have a clear and accurate understanding of the meaning of the Exchange's rules. The correction of the cross references in Rules 6.62(o) and 6.76A will serve to eliminate a potential source of confusion for Exchange Participants.

# B. <u>Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition</u>

The proposed rule change is non-substantive and therefore does not implicate the competition analysis.

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

No written comments were solicited or received with respect to the proposed rule change.

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)(iii) of the Act<sup>6</sup> and Rule 19b-4(f)(6) thereunder.<sup>7</sup> 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, if consistent with the protection of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

<sup>6 15</sup> U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(iii).

<sup>17</sup> 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.

investors and the public interest, the proposed rule change has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act and Rule 19b-4(f)(6)(iii) thereunder.

A proposed rule change filed under Rule 19b-4(f)(6)<sup>8</sup> normally does not become operative prior to 30 days after the date of the filing. However, pursuant to Rule 19b-4(f)(6)(iii),<sup>9</sup> the Commission may designate a shorter time if such action is consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest. The Exchange has asked the Commission to waive the 30-day operative delay so that the proposal may become operative immediately upon filing. The Exchange stated believes that this proposal is non-controversial and will not significantly affect the protection of investors because the Exchange is not proposing any substantive changes and is merely correcting inaccuracies in the Exchange's rules. According to the Exchange, the correction of the inaccurate cross references in the Exchange's rules will eliminate member confusion and provide clarity on how the rules apply. Based on the Exchange's statements, the Commission believes that waiving the operative delay is consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest. Accordingly, the Commission hereby grants the Exchange's request and waives the 30-day operative delay.<sup>10</sup>

At any time within 60 days of the filing of such 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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6)(iii).

For purposes only of waiving the operative delay, the Commission has considered the proposed rule's impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. <u>See</u> 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

## 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 e-mail to rule-comments@sec.gov. Please include File No. SR-NYSEArca-2013-66 on the subject line.

### Paper comments:

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

All submissions should refer to File No. SR-NYSEArca-2013-66. 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. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet website (<a href="http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml">http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml</a>). 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, DC 20549, on official business days between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of such 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 No. SR-NYSEArca-2013-66 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.  $^{11}$ 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).