

the improvement of program management.

The solicitation of feedback targets areas such as: Timeliness, appropriateness, accuracy of information, courtesy, efficiency of service delivery, and resolution of issues with service delivery. Responses will be assessed to plan and inform efforts to improve or maintain the quality of service offered to the public. If this information were not collected, vital feedback from customers and stakeholders on PBGC's services would be unavailable.

PBGC only submits a collection for approval under this generic clearance if it meets the following conditions:

- The collections are voluntary;
- The collections are low-burden for respondents (based on considerations of total burden hours, total number of respondents, or burden-hours per respondent) and are low-cost for both the respondents and the Federal Government;

- The collections are non-controversial and do not raise issues of concern to other Federal agencies;

- Any collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the near future;

- Personally identifiable information (PII) is collected only to the extent necessary and is not retained;

- Information gathered will be used only internally for general service improvement and program management purposes and is not intended for release outside of the agency;

- Information gathered will not be used for the purpose of substantially informing influential policy decisions; and

- Information gathered will yield qualitative information; the collections will not be designed or expected to yield statistically reliable results or used as though the results are generalizable to the population of interest.

As noted, feedback collected under this generic clearance does not produce results generalizable to the population of interest. This type of generic clearance for qualitative information will not be used for quantitative information collections that are designed to yield reliably actionable results, such as monitoring trends over time or documenting program performance. Collections with such objectives require more rigorous designs that address: The target population to which generalizations will be made, the sampling frame, the sample design (including stratification and clustering), the precision requirements or power

calculations that justify the proposed sample size, the expected response rate, methods for assessing potential non-response bias, the protocols for data collection, and any testing procedures that were or will be undertaken prior to fielding the study.

As a general matter, information collections will not result in any new system of records containing privacy information and will not ask questions of a sensitive nature, such as sexual behavior and attitudes, religious beliefs, and other matters that are commonly considered private.

Annually, over the next three years, PBGC estimates that it will conduct three activities involving about 1,630 respondents, each of whom will provide one response. The number of respondents will vary by activity: 40 for usability testing, 90 for focus groups (nine groups of ten respondents), and 1,500 for customer satisfaction surveys.

PBGC estimates the annual burden of this collection of information as 635 hours: 2 hours per response for usability testing (total 80 hours); 2 hours per response for focus groups (total 180 hours); and 15 minutes per response for customer satisfaction surveys (total 375 hours). No cost burden to the public is anticipated.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

PBGC is soliciting public comments to—

- Evaluate whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

Issued in Washington DC, by

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## POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2020-135 and CP2020-143]

### New Postal Product

**AGENCY:** Postal Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission's consideration concerning a negotiated service agreement. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

**DATES:** *Comments are due:* May 29, 2020.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments electronically via the Commission's Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202-789-6820.

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#### I. Introduction

The Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition or removal of a negotiated service agreement from the market dominant or the competitive product list, or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the market dominant or the competitive product list.

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, the title of each Postal Service request, the request's acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each request, the Commission appoints an officer of the Commission to represent the interests of the general public in the proceeding, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505 (Public Representative). Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each request.

The public portions of the Postal Service's request(s) can be accessed via the Commission's website (<http://www.prc.gov>). Non-public portions of the Postal Service's request(s), if any, can be accessed through compliance

with the requirements of 39 CFR 3011.301.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service's request(s) in the captioned docket(s) are consistent with the policies of title 39. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern market dominant product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3622, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3030, and 39 CFR part 3040, subpart B. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern competitive product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3632, 39 U.S.C. 3633, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3035, and 39 CFR part 3040, subpart B. Comment deadline(s) for each request appear in section II.

## II. Docketed Proceeding(s)

1. *Docket No(s)*: MC2020–135 and CP2020–143; *Filing Title*: USPS Request to Add Priority Mail Contract 616 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal; *Filing Acceptance Date*: May 20, 2020; *Filing Authority*: 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR 3040.130 *et seq.*, and 39 CFR 3035.105; *Public Representative*: Kenneth R. Moeller; *Comments Due*: May 29, 2020.

This Notice will be published in the **Federal Register**.

Erica A. Barker,  
*Secretary*.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34–88912; File No. SR–NYSEArca–2020–42]

### Self-Regulatory Organizations; NYSE Arca, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change To Amend Representations Relating to the Redemption Procedures Applicable to the Sprott Physical Gold Trust and the Sprott Physical Silver Trust

May 20, 2020.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1)<sup>1</sup> of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”)<sup>2</sup> and Rule 19b–4 thereunder,<sup>3</sup> notice is hereby given that, on May 6, 2020, NYSE Arca, Inc. (“NYSE Arca” or “Exchange”) filed with the Securities

and Exchange Commission (“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. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange proposes to amend representations relating to the redemption procedures applicable to the Sprott Physical Gold Trust and the Sprott Physical Silver Trust (each a “Trust”), as contained in the respective rule change filed with and approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) relating to listing and trading of “Units” of each Trust on the Exchange. Units of the Trusts are currently listed and traded on the Exchange under NYSE Arca Rule 8.201–E. The proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's website at [www.nyse.com](http://www.nyse.com), at the principal office of the Exchange, and at the Commission's Public Reference Room.

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

In its filing with the Commission, the self-regulatory organization 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 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. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and the Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

###### 1. Purpose

The Commission has approved proposed rule changes relating to listing and trading on the Exchange of Units of the Sprott Physical Gold Trust and the Sprott Physical Silver Trust under NYSE Arca Rule 8.201–E (“Commodity-Based Trust Shares”).<sup>4</sup> The Exchange

proposes to amend a representation relating to the procedure for the redemption of Units of each Trust for gold or silver bullion, respectively, as contained in the Prior Releases. Units of the Sprott Physical Gold Trust and the Sprott Physical Silver Trust commenced trading on the Exchange on February 25, 2010 and October 27, 2010, respectively.

The manager of each Trust is Sprott Asset Management LP (“Manager”).<sup>5</sup> The Trust custodian for a Trust's physical gold and silver bullion, respectively, is the Royal Canadian Mint (“Custodian”). RBC Investor Services Trust (“RBC”) (formerly RBC Dexia Investor Services Trust) is the trustee and valuation agent of each Trust and the custodian of each Trust's assets other than physical gold and silver bullion.

#### Change to Procedures for Redemption of Units for Gold or Silver

The Sprott Gold Notice stated that “[a] redemption notice to redeem Units for physical gold bullion must be received by the Trust's transfer agent no later than 4:00 p.m., Toronto time, on the 15th day of the calendar month in which the redemption notice will be processed or, if such day is not a day on which banks located in New York, New York, are open for the transaction of banking business (a “Business Day”), then on the immediately following day that is a Business Day. Any redemption notice received after such time will be processed in the next month.” The Sprott Gold Notice stated further that “[p]hysical gold bullion received by a Unitholder as a result of a redemption of Units will be delivered by armored transportation service carrier pursuant to delivery instructions provided by the Unitholder” and that “[t]he armored transportation service carrier will receive gold bullion in connection with a redemption of Units approximately 10 Business Days after the end of the month in which the redemption notice is processed.”

Trust) (“Sprott Gold Order”); 63043 (October 5, 2010), 75 FR 62615 (October 12, 2010) (SR–NYSEArca–2010–84) (Notice of Filing and Order Approving Proposed Rule Change to List and Trade Shares of Sprott Physical Silver Trust) (“Sprott Silver Order” and, together with the Sprott Gold Notice and Sprott Gold Order, the “Prior Releases”).

<sup>5</sup> The Sprott Physical Gold Trust and the Sprott Physical Silver Trust filed with the Commission registration statements on Form F–10 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, relating to the Trusts on June 20, 2018 (as amended and supplemented) (File No. 333–225771) and June 20, 2018 (as amended and supplemented) (File No. 333–225772), respectively (together, the “Registration Statements”). The description of the operation of the Trusts herein is based, in part, on the Registration Statements.

<sup>1</sup> See Docket No. RM2018–3, Order Adopting Final Rules Relating to Non-Public Information, June 27, 2018, Attachment A at 19–22 (Order No. 4679).

<sup>2</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

<sup>3</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78a.

<sup>4</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b–4.

<sup>4</sup> See Securities Exchange Act Release Nos. 61236 (December 23, 2009), 75 FR 170 (January 4, 2010) (SR–NYSEArca–2009–113) (Notice of Filing of Proposed Rule Change for the Listing and Trading of Sprott Physical Gold Trust) (“Sprott Gold Notice”); 61496 (February 10, 2010), 75 FR 6758 (February 10, 2010) (SR–NYSEArca–2009–113) (Order Granting Approval of a Proposed Rule Change to List and Trade Sprott Physical Gold