

compliance date(s) set forth in the rule. Accordingly, the challenge to Rule 10c-1a does not change the compliance date(s) set forth therein or the need for affected parties to comply with Rule 10c-1a.

Another commenter stated that the Commission should work with FINRA to afford FINRA an appropriate amount of additional time to address the feedback FINRA may receive on Partial Amendment No. 1, such as by allowing FINRA to consent to additional time for Commission consideration of the Proposal.³⁷³ As discussed above, in Parts I and III.J.1, January 2, 2025, is the date by which the Commission shall either approve or disapprove the Proposal and is the compliance date under Rule 10c-1a for the Proposal to be effective. The commenter's suggestion to allow additional time for the Proposal to be considered would extend consideration of the Proposal beyond, and therefore would be inconsistent with, the Rule 10c-1a compliance date for the Proposal to be effective.

K. Issues Outside the Scope of the Proposal

The Commission received comments on the Draft SLATE Participant Reporting Specifications.³⁷⁴ The SLATE Participant Reporting Specifications were not filed or required to be filed with the Commission as part of the Proposal. These issues are outside the scope of the Proposal, which, as discussed above in Parts III.A through III.J, is consistent with Section 15A(b)(6) of the Exchange Act. FINRA responded to comments regarding the Technical Specifications for SLATE Reporting in the FINRA Letter.³⁷⁵

³⁷³ See SIFMA and SIFMA AMG Letter, at 2. The commenter suggested that the Commission "allow[] FINRA to consent to additional time for Commission consideration of the SLATE proposal under Section 19(b)(2)(B)(ii) of the Exchange Act." SIFMA and SIFMA AMG Letter, at 2.

³⁷⁴ See, e.g., ISLA Americas Letter 1, at 13-14, 17; ISLA Americas Letter 2, at 4, 8; FIF Letter, at 3-4. See also FIF Letter, at 6, 8. FINRA has included on its website additional information regarding SLATE, including the Participation Specification for Securities Lending and Transparency Engine (SLATE™). See Securities Lending and Transparency Engine, FINRA (last visited December 19, 2024), <https://www.finra.org/filing-reporting/slate>. Some commenters stated that reporting the data elements in proposed Rule 6530(a)(2)(I) and (J) will not always enable Covered Persons to provide a complete depiction of the specific fee arrangement used for certain reported covered securities loans within the limited space of the SLATE field for the rebate rate or lending fee. See SIFMA and SIFMA AMG Letter, at 4-5; ISLA Americas Letter 2, 6-7. The structuring of particular data fields within a SLATE report is discussed in the SLATE Participant Reporting Specifications, which were not filed or required to be filed with the Commission as part of the Proposal.

³⁷⁵ See FINRA Letter, at 11-12.

L. Consultation With the Treasury Department

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(6) of the Act,³⁷⁶ the Commission has considered the sufficiency and appropriateness of existing laws and rules applicable to government securities brokers, government securities dealers, and their associated persons in approving the proposed rule change. Pursuant to Section 19(b)(5) of the Act,³⁷⁷ the Commission consulted with and considered the views of the Treasury Department in determining whether to approve the proposed rule change. The Treasury Department did not object to the proposed rule change.

IV. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,³⁷⁸ that the proposed rule change (SR-FINRA-2024-007), as modified by Partial Amendment No. 1, be, and hereby is, approved.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.³⁷⁹

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Deputy Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-102080; File No. SR-Phlx-2024-75]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Nasdaq PHLX LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend the Definitions of "Class" and "Series" To Harmonize Terms With Affiliated Exchanges

January 2, 2025.

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 December 20, 2024, Nasdaq PHLX LLC ("Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission

³⁷⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(6).

³⁷⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(5) (providing that the Commission "shall consult with and consider the views of the Secretary of the Treasury prior to approving a proposed rule filed by a registered securities association that primarily concerns conduct related to transactions in government securities, except where the Commission determines that an emergency exists requiring expeditious or summary action and publishes its reasons therefor").

³⁷⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

³⁷⁹ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Item I below, which Item has been substantially prepared by the Exchange. The Exchange has designated this proposal for immediate effectiveness pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act³ and Rule 19b-4(f) thereunder.⁴ 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 Options 1, Section 1, Applicability, Definitions and References, to amend the definitions of "class" and "series."

The proposed rule change, including the Exchange's statement of the purpose of, and statutory basis for, the proposed rule change, is available on the Exchange's website at <https://listingcenter.nasdaq.com/rulebook/phlx/rulefilings> and on the Commission's website at https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-Phlx-2024-75.

II. 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.⁵ Comments may be submitted electronically by using the Commission's internet comment form (https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-Phlx-2024-75) or by sending an email to rule-

³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

⁴ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f). 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.

⁵ 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 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange.

comments@sec.gov. Please include file number SR-Phlx-2024-75 on the subject line. Alternatively, paper comments may be sent to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090. All submissions should refer to file number SR-Phlx-2024-75. 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 (https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-Phlx-2024-75). Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection. All submissions should refer to file number SR-Phlx-2024-75 and should be submitted on or before January 29, 2025.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.⁶

J. Matthew DeLesDernier,

Deputy Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; Investors Exchange LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend the Transaction Pricing Schedule for Securities Priced Below \$1.00

January 2, 2025.

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 December 20, 2024, Investors Exchange LLC ("Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Item I below, which Item has been substantially prepared by the Exchange. The Exchange has designated this proposal for immediate effectiveness pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act³ and Rule

19b-4(f) thereunder.⁴ 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 the fees and rebates applicable to Members⁵ (the "Fee Schedule"), pursuant to IEX Rule 15.110(a) and (c) to (i) provide a rebate of 0.15% of the total dollar value of an execution in a security priced below \$1.00 to an order that provides displayed liquidity, and (ii) increase the fee from 0.09% of the total dollar value of the execution to 0.15% of the total dollar value of the execution in a security priced below \$1.00 to an order that removes displayed liquidity. No other fee changes are proposed. Changes to the Fee Schedule pursuant to this proposal are effective upon filing,⁶ and will be operative on January 1, 2025.

The proposed rule change, including the Exchange's statement of the purpose of, and statutory basis for, the proposed rule change, is available on the Exchange's website at <https://www.iexexchange.io/resources/regulation/rule-filings> and on the Commission's website at https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-IEX-2024-30.

II. 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.⁷ Comments may be submitted

⁴ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f). 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.

⁵ See IEX Rule 1.160(s).

⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(ii).

⁷ 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 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange.

electronically by using the Commission's internet comment form (https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-IEX-2024-30) or by sending an email to *rule-comments@sec.gov*. Please include file number SR-IEX-2024-30 on the subject line. Alternatively, paper comments may be sent to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090. All submissions should refer to file number SR-IEX-2024-30. 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 (https://www.sec.gov/rules-regulations/self-regulatory-organization-rulemaking/national-securities-exchanges?file_number=SR-IEX-2024-30). Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection. All submissions should refer to file number SR-IEX-2024-30 and should be submitted on or before January 29, 2025.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.⁸

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Deputy Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration #20946 and #20947; OREGON Disaster Number OR-20006]

Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Oregon

AGENCY: Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Oregon (FEMA-4854-DR), dated January 1, 2025.

Incident: Wildfires.

DATES: Issued on January 1, 2025.

Incident Period: July 10, 2024 through August 23, 2024.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: March 3, 2025.

⁸ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

⁶ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).