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Nominees:	Effective Date
Sean Murphy (MFY) **Quiet Light Securities LLC** Type of Business to be Conducted: Market Maker	10/5/12
Shane C Jones (SCJ) **Cardinal Capital Management LLC** Type of Business to be Conducted: Market Maker	10/9/12

RESEARCH CIRCULARS

The following Research Circulars were distributed between October 5 and October 11, 2012. If you wish to read the entire document, please refer to the CBOE website at www.cboe.com and click on the "Trading Tools" Tab. New listings and series information is also available in the Trading Tools section of the website. For questions regarding information discussed in a Research Circular, please call The Options Clearing Corporation at 1-888-OPTIONS.

Research Circular #RS12-492
September 26, 2012
ProShares Short VIX Short Term Futures ("SVXY")
2-for-1 ETF Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 5, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-495
September 26, 2012
ProShares UltraShort 20+ Year Treasury ("TBT")
1-for-4 Reverse ETF Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 5, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-496
September 26, 2012
ProShares UltraShort Basic Materials ("SMN")
1-for-4 Reverse ETF Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 5, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-497
September 27, 2012
ProShares UltraShort S&P 500 ("SDS")
1-for-4 Reverse ETF Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 5, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-499
September 27, 2012
ProShares UltraShort Gold ("GLL")
1-for-4 Reverse ETF Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 5, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-514
October 3, 2012
Venoco, Inc. ("VQ") Merger COMPLETED
with Denver Parent Corporation – Cash Settlement

Research Circular #RS12-515
October 10, 2012
Lan Airlines S.A. ("LFL")
Name Change to: LATAM Airlines Group S.A.
Effective Date: October 11, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-516
October 4, 2012
Watsco, Inc. ("WSO")
CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT FOR SPECIAL CASH DIVIDEND
Ex-Date: October 11, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-517
October 4, 2012
Tenet Healthcare Corporation ("THC")
1-for-4 Reverse Stock Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 11, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-519
October 5, 2012
Sunoco, Inc. ("SUN") Election Merger COMPLETED
with Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. ("ETP")

Research Circular #RS12-520
October 5, 2012
InterContinental Hotels Group PLC ("IHG")
Share Consolidation/Cash Distribution
Anticipated Effective Date: Prior to the Market Open on October 9, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-521
October 8, 2012
*****UPDATE*****UPDATE*****UPDATE*****
InterContinental Hotels Group PLC ("IHG")
Share Consolidation/Cash Distribution
Effective Date: Prior to the Market Open on October 9, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-522
October 9, 2012
Collective Brands, Inc. ("PSS") Merger COMPLETED
with Wolverine World Wide, Inc. – Cash Settlement

Research Circular #RS12-523
October 9, 2012
Sears Holdings Corporation ("SHLD & adj. SHLD1/SHLD2")
Rights Expiration and Position Consolidation

Research Circular #RS12-524
October 10, 2012
Peet's Coffee & Tea, Inc. ("PEET") Proposed Merger
with JAB Holdings BV

Research Circular #RS12-525
October 10, 2012
Neutral Tandem, Inc. (D/B/A Inteliquent) ("IQNT")
CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT FOR SPECIAL CASH DIVIDEND
Ex-Date: October 31, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-526
October 11, 2012
Dollar Thrifty Automotive Group, Inc. ("DTG")
Tender Offer EXTENDED by HDTMS, Inc.

Research Circular #RS12-527
October 11, 2012
PLX Technology, Inc. ("PLXT")
Exchange Offer FURTHER EXTENDED by Integrated Device Technology, Inc. ("IDTI")

Research Circular #RS12-528
October 11, 2012
Somaxon Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("SOMX")
1-for-8 Reverse Common Share Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 12, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-529
October 11, 2012
Beazer Homes USA, Inc. ("BZH")
1-for-5 Reverse Stock Split
Ex-Distribution Date: October 12, 2012

Research Circular #RS12-530
October 11, 2012
FSI International, Inc. ("FSII"):
Merger Completed -- Cash Settlement

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REGULATORY CIRCULARS

CBOE Regulatory Circular RG12-135
C2 Regulatory Circular RG12-046

DATE: **October 5, 2012**

TO: **Trading Permit Holders**

FROM: **Market Operations**

RE: **Standard Monthly Option Expiration Date Move from Saturday to Friday**

The Options Clearing Corporation (OCC) is pursuing the transition of standard option monthly expiration processing from Saturday morning to Friday evening. As result, the expiration date for standard monthly options will be changing from the Saturday following the third Friday of the month to the third Friday of the month.

OCC has approved a plan to establish a cutover date of February 1, 2015. Currently, it is anticipated that all standard monthly options that expire prior to February 1, 2015 will have a Saturday expiration date and all standard monthly options that expire on or after February 1, 2015 will have a Friday expiration date. The anticipated February 1, 2015 cutover date will not impact existing standard monthly options, including FLEX contracts.

OCC has requested that Chicago Board Options Exchange, Incorporated (CBOE) and C2 Options Exchange, Incorporated (C2) update and prepare their systems in order to accommodate the listing of equity and index options that have a Friday expiration date by August 31, 2013. CBOE and C2 plan to provide a test environment for CBOE and C2 Trading Permit Holders, software vendors and clearing firms to test their interfaces. Additional information will be disseminated once the test environment is available.

Questions regarding this circular should be directed to Omarr Woodhouse at (312) 786-8047 or at woodhous@cboe.com or to Charlie Hullihan at (312) 786-7176 hullihan@cboe.com.

Regulatory Circular RG12-136
DATE: October 5, 2012
TO: Trading Permit Holders
FROM: Business Development Division
RE: New "J" Origin Code For Joint Back Office Orders

Beginning November 1, 2012, CBOE plans to make available a new order origin code. Orders with an origin code of "J" will indicate the order is for a joint back office (JBO) account to be cleared into the Firm range at the OCC. The "J" origin code will be required as of November 1, 2012 for any JBO order that is to clear into the Firm range at the OCC, and the "F" origin code should no longer be sent on such orders. Orders for JBO accounts that are to clear into the Customer range at the OCC may continue to be marked with an origin code of "B." Note the "J" origin must not be used prior to November 1, 2012. (Please refer to Regulatory Circular RG12-057 for additional information on the existing order origin code requirements for JBO orders that will remain in effect through October 31, 2012.)

Transaction fees for orders with the "J" origin code will be listed separately on the CBOE fee schedule.

Since the new marking will be required and not optional on orders for JBO accounts that clear into the Firm range at the OCC, CBOE is notifying order routing firms in advance so they may make necessary changes in time for the November 1 activation of the new "J" origin code.

Questions regarding this circular may be directed to:

- CBOE Help Desk at (866)728-2263 or helpdesk@cboe.com
- Anthony Montesano at (312)786-7365 or montesan@cboe.com

(Regulatory Circular RG12-118 Re-issued)

Regulatory Circular RG12-137
Date: October 8, 2012
To: Trading Permit Holders
From: Business Development Division
Re: Lead Market-Makers in S&P 500 Index Options (Symbols SPX and SPXQ)

Beginning October 10, 2012, the Exchange will expand the Lead Market-Maker (LMM) structure for S&P 500 Index options (symbols SPX and SPXQ only) so that more than two but no more than four LMM firms will be appointed to provide continuous quotes in all series, with the best consolidated market being disseminated.

Questions regarding operational matters on this topic may be directed to Anthony Montesano at 312-786-7365 or Robert Zaremba at 312-786-8134. Questions regarding regulatory matters may be directed to 312-786-8141 or reginterps@cboe.com.

(Updates Regulatory Circular RG08-125)