Commodity Futures Trading Commission

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Before accepting any swap data from a reporting entity or upon a reporting entity’s request, a registered swap data repository shall furnish to the reporting entity a disclosure document that contains the following written information, which shall reasonably enable the reporting entity to identify and evaluate accurately the risks and costs associated with using the services of the swap data repository:

(a) The registered swap data repository’s criteria for providing others with access to services offered and swap data maintained by the swap data repository;

(b) The registered swap data repository’s criteria for those seeking to connect to or link with the swap data repository;

(c) A description of the registered swap data repository’s policies and procedures regarding its safeguarding of swap data and operational reliability to protect the confidentiality and security of such data, as described in § 49.24;

(d) The registered swap data repository’s policies and procedures reasonably designed to protect the privacy of any and all swap data that the swap data repository receives from a reporting entity, as described in § 49.16;

(e) The registered swap data repository’s policies and procedures regarding its non-commercial and/or commercial use of the swap data that it receives from a market participant, any registered entity, or any other person;

(f) The registered swap data repository’s dispute resolution procedures;

(g) A description of all the registered swap data repository’s services, including any ancillary services;

(h) The registered swap data repository’s updated schedule of any fees, rates, dues, unbundled prices, or other charges for all of its services, including any ancillary services; any discounts or rebates offered; and the criteria to benefit from such discounts or rebates;

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