

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants or Others

The Exchange has not solicited, and does not intend to solicit, comments on this proposed rule change. The Exchange has not received any written comments from members or other interested parties.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule

Within 35 days of the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** or within such longer period (i) as the Commission may designate up to 90 days of such date if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which the self-regulatory organization consents, the Commission will:

- (A) By order approve such proposed rule change; or
- (B) institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

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-PCX-2006-16 on the subject line.

Paper Comments

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

All submissions should refer to File Number SR-PCX-2006-16. 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 Commissions Internet Web site (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). 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 inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of such filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the NYSE Arca. 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 Number SR-PCX-2006-16 and should be submitted by June 2, 2006.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.²⁵

Nancy M. Morris,
Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-53761; File No. SR-Phlx-2006-20]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Philadelphia Stock Exchange, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change and Amendment No. 2 Thereto Establishing a Pilot Option Transaction Charge Credit for Specialists That Send Certain Principal Acting as Agent Orders for Execution Via the Intermarket Option Linkage

May 5, 2006.

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 March 31, 2006, the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, Inc. ("Phlx" or "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II and III below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. On April 25, 2006, the Exchange filed Amendment No. 1 to the proposed rule change, and withdrew Amendment No. 1 on May 4, 2006. On May 5, 2006, the Exchange filed Amendment No. 2.³ The

²⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

³ In Amendment No. 2, the Exchange clarified that the proposed rule change is a pilot that will expire on July 31, 2006. In Amendment No. 2, the Exchange also clarified the purpose of the proposed

Exchange has designated this proposal as one establishing or changing a due, fee, or other charge imposed by a self-regulatory organization pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act⁴ and Rule 19b-4(f)(2) thereunder,⁵ which renders the proposal effective upon filing with the Commission.⁶ The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change, as amended, from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange proposes to establish an option transaction charge credit of \$0.21 per contract for Exchange options specialist units⁷ that incur Phlx option transaction charges when a customer order is delivered to the limit order book via the Exchange's Options Floor Broker Management System ("FBMS")⁸ and is then sent to an away market and executed via the Intermarket Option Linkage ("Linkage") under the Plan for the Purpose of Creating and Operating an Intermarket Option Linkage ("Plan")⁹ as a Principal Acting as Agent Order ("P/A Order").¹⁰

This proposal is a pilot that will expire on July 31, 2006, is in connection

rule change and made technical changes to the proposed rule change, including the proposed rule text.

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(ii).

⁵ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(2).

⁶ For purposes of calculating the 60-day period within which the Commission may summarily abrogate the proposed rule change the Commission considers the period to commence on May 5, 2006, the date on which the Exchange filed Amendment No. 2. See 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(C).

⁷ The Exchange uses the terms "specialist" and "specialist unit" interchangeably in its proposed rule change.

⁸ The FBMS is a component of the Exchange's Automated Options Market (AUTOM) System designed to enable Floor Brokers and/or their employees to enter, route and report transactions stemming from options orders received on the Exchange. The Options FBMS also is designed to establish an electronic audit trail for options orders represented and executed by Floor Brokers on the Exchange, such that the audit trail provides an accurate, time-sequenced record of electronic and other orders, quotations and transactions on the Exchange, beginning with the receipt of an order by the Exchange, and further documenting the life of the order through the process of execution, partial execution, or cancellation of that order. See Phlx Rule 1080, Commentary .06.

⁹ See Securities Exchange Act Release Nos. 43086 (July 28, 2000), 65 FR 48023 (August 4, 2000); and 43573 (November 16, 2000), 65 FR 70851 (November 28, 2000) (order approving Phlx as a participant in the Plan).

¹⁰ A P/A Order is an order for the principal account of a specialist (or equivalent entity on another participant exchange that is authorized to represent public customer orders), reflecting the terms of a related unexecuted public customer order for which the specialist is acting as agent. See Phlx Rule 1083(k)(i).

with an existing pilot program that is currently scheduled to expire on July 31, 2006,¹¹ and applies to transactions settling on or after April 3, 2006.

The text of the proposed rule change is available at the Commission's Public Reference Room, at the Office of the Secretary of the Exchange, and on the Exchange's Web site at <http://www.Phlx.com>.

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 Exchange 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 these 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 aspects of such statements.

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

1. Purpose

The purpose of this proposed rule change is to alleviate the potential economic burden of multiple transaction charges imposed on Exchange specialist units by establishing a credit for Exchange option transaction charges incurred by an Exchange specialist unit when a customer limit order placed on the limit order book by a Floor Broker¹² results in an execution of a P/A Order that is sent to another exchange via Linkage.

Currently, when an Exchange specialist sends a P/A Order through Linkage to an away market, the specialist unit ultimately pays fees to execute the order at both the Exchange and the away market center. The Exchange believes that the imposition of both fees may place an economic burden on Exchange specialist units. The purpose of this proposal is to credit the specialist for the fee that is charged by the Exchange. The Exchange believes that an options transaction charge credit of \$0.21 per contract should encourage

¹¹ Fees for Linkage P and P/A orders are currently subject to a pilot program scheduled to expire on July 31, 2006. See, e.g., Securities Exchange Act Release No. 52095 (July 21, 2005), 70 FR 43733 (July 28, 2005) (SR-Phlx-2005-46).

¹² A Floor Broker who wishes to place a limit order on the limit order book must submit such a limit order electronically through the FBMS. See Exchange Rule 1063, Commentary .01. See also, Exchange Rule 1080, Commentary .02(b).

the use of the Linkage and reduce the potential economic burden of multiple fees that may be incurred by specialist units when a customer order is delivered to the limit order book via the FBMS and is then sent and executed via the Linkage. In addition, this proposal should allow the Exchange to remain competitive with other exchanges with respect to the assessment of Linkage-related fees.¹³

This proposal is a pilot that will expire on July 31, 2006, is in connection with an existing pilot program that is currently scheduled to expire on July 31, 2006,¹⁴ and applies to transactions settling on or after April 3, 2006.

2. Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes that its proposal to amend its schedule of fees is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act¹⁵ in general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(4) of the Act¹⁶ in particular, in that it is an equitable allocation of reasonable fees and other charges among Exchange members and issuers and other persons using its facilities.

B. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Burden on Competition

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will impose any burden on competition not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

C. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others

No written comments were either solicited or received.

III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action

The foregoing proposed rule change establishes or changes a due, fee, or other charge applicable only to a member pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act¹⁷ and Rule 19b-4(f)(2) thereunder.¹⁸ Accordingly,

¹³ See Securities Exchange Act Release Nos. 53526 (March 21, 2006), 71 FR 15794 (March 29, 2006) (SR-PCX-2006-19) (rebate of the transaction fees charged to Market Makers when they use the Linkage to send a P/A Order to another options exchange); and 53372 (February 24, 2006), 71 FR 11003 (March 3, 2006) (SR-CBOE-2006-10) (rebate of certain transaction fees to Designated Primary Market Makers related to the execution of outbound P/A Orders).

¹⁴ See *supra* at note 11.

¹⁵ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

¹⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(4).

¹⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(ii).

¹⁸ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(2).

the proposal took effect upon filing with the Commission.

At any time within 60 days of the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission may summarily abrogate 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.¹⁹

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¹⁹ See *supra* at note 6.

you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-Phlx-2006-20 and should be submitted on or before June 2, 2006.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.²⁰

Nancy M. Morris,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Public Notice of Intent To Release Grant Acquired Property at the Opa-Locka Airport, Miami-Dade County, FL

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Request for public comment.

SUMMARY: The Federal Aviation Administration is requesting public comment on the Miami-Dade Aviation Department (MDAD) request to release a portion of airport property, ±4,314 square feet, for other than aeronautical purposes.

The Property Location

South of Tract 13 along the northern boundary of Opa-Locka Airport across the Biscayne Drainage Canal that parallel Runway 9L/27R. It is more specifically located on the west side of NW 4th Court approximately 350 feet south of NW 157th Street and 170 feet north of theoretical NW 155 Terrace.

The Property is part of Parcel 4 and is currently vacant. It was acquired by the MDAD with Federal participation under Federal aid projects (FAAP 9-08-054-D2014-D603) to satisfy airport development and runway protection requirements for current Runway 9L/27R.

The property will be disposed of for the purpose of selling it to the adjacent property owner who desires to increase his residential lot size.

The fair market value of the property has been determined by appraisal to be \$17,000.00. The airport will receive fair market value for the property, and will subsequently reinvest it in an eligible airport improvement project at the Opa-Locka Airport and/or returned to the Trust fund.

Documents reflecting the Sponsor's request are available, by appointment only, for inspection of the Miami-Dade Aviation Department (MDAD), Office of the Manager for Development and at the Orlando FAA Airports District Office.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before June 12, 2006.

ADDRESSES: Documents are available for review, at the MDAD Manager of Development, Miami International Airport, Miami-Dade County Aviation Department, Mr. Sunil Harman, 4200 NW. 36th Street, Building 5A, Suite 400, Miami, Florida 33122, telephone (305) 876-7090 and at the FAA Orlando Airports District Office, Iliia A. Quinones, 5950 Hazeltine National Drive, Suite 400, Orlando, Florida 32822 and telephone number (407) 812-6331. Written comments on the Sponsor's request must be delivered or mailed, in duplicate to *Iliia A. Quinones, Program Manager, 5950 Hazeltine National Drive, Suite 400, Orlando, Florida 32822, telephone number (407) 812-6331.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 125 of The Wendell H. Ford Aviation Investment and Reform Act for the 21st Century (AIR-21) requires the FAA to provide an opportunity for public notice and comment prior to the "waiver" or "modification" of a sponsor's Federal obligation to use certain airport land for non-aeronautical purposes.

Items to address:

- Property location.

Begin at the southeast corner of the North 320 feet of the East ½ of Tract 13, Venetian Gardens, as recorded in Plat Book 31 at Page 37 of the public records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; thence run S00°48'15"W along the East line of said Tract 13 and the Opa-Locka Airport property line for 39.97 feet; thence run N89°10'55"W along the westerly extension of the South line of the North 360 feet of Tract 15 of said Venetian Gardens for 108.68 feet; thence run N00°49'49"E along the West line of the East ½ of said Tract 13 for 39.84 feet; thence run S89°14'33"E along the South line of the North 320 feet of the East ½ of said Tract 13 and the Opa-Locka Airport property line for 107.54 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 4.314 SF or 0.10 acre.

- Property's existing aeronautical use.

The subject property is part of a larger parcel of land (Parcel 4) that was acquired with Federal participation under Federal-aid Projects (FAAP-9-08-054-D2014-D603) for airport development and runway protection requirements. The land is vacant and appears to be a remnant located outside of the airport building restriction line of Runway 9L/27R.

- Sponsor's proposed non-aeronautical use.

The purpose for this release of land is to facilitate the transfer of this property to the adjacent property owner who

desires to increase his residential lot size.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Iliia A. Quinones, Program Manager, Orlando Airports District Office, 5950 Hazeltine National Drive, Suite 400, Orlando, FL 32822-5024.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Availability of the Final Environmental Impact Statement Containing a DOT Section 4(f)/303(c) Evaluation for a Proposed Replacement Airport for the City of St. George, UT

AGENCY: The lead federal agency is the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT. The National Park Service (NPS) is a cooperative Federal agency.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of the Final Environmental Impact Statement.

SUMMARY: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is issuing this Notice of Availability to advise the public that a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) containing a DOT section 4(f)/303(c) evaluation has been prepared for the proposed replacement airport for the City of St. George, Utah. The FEIS will be available for public review beginning May 19, 2006. The FAA will accept comments on new and/or revised/updated information and analyses disclosed in Appendix T through Y and in Chapter 6, section 6.4, Air Quality, until 5 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time, Monday, July 3, 2006, at the address listed in the section entitled: **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.**

The FEIS addresses the environmental impacts associated with the development of a replacement airport for St. George Municipal Airport in the City of St. George, Washington City, and Washington County, Utah. The FEIS is submitted for review pursuant to major environmental directives to comply with NEPA: Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (Pub. L. 91-190); and other applicable Federal and state environmental laws, regulations, Executive Orders, and statutes.

The FAA will not make a decision on the proposed action for a minimum of 45 days following the publishing of the Notice of Availability of the FEIS in the

²⁰ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).