the Trusted Platform Module. Trusted
authentication is provided by tokens.
The padlock on the browser assures we
can trust web interactions since they are
protected by SSL. Close-held keys and
strong key management systems assure
cryptographic trust.
At the workshop we will explore what
assurances these trust anchors do and
do not provide, what they depend upon,
how they do or do not interact with the
rest of the system, how they typically
fail, and what needs to be addressed to
enable effective use of them.
How To Apply
If you would like to participate in this
workshop, please submit (1) a resume or
curriculum vita of no more than two
pages which highlights your expertise in
this area and (2) a one-page paper
stating your opinion of the assertion and
outlining your key thoughts on the
topic. The workshop will accommodate
no more than 60 participants, so these
brief documents need to make a
compelling case for your participation.
Applications should be submitted to
assumptionbusters@nitrd.gov no later
than 5 p.m. EST on March 18, 2011.
Selection and Notification: The
SCORE committee will select an expert
group that reflects a broad range of
participant opinions on the assertion. Accepted
participants will be notified by e-mail
no later than March 30, 2011. We cannot
promise that we will contact
individuals who are not selected,
though we will attempt to do so unless
the volume of responses is
overwhelming.
Submitted by the National Science
Foundation for the National
Coordination Office (NCO) for
Networking and Information
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Self-Regulatory Organizations; the
Depository Trust Company; Notice of
Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of
Proposed Rule Change Regarding
Providing Participants With a New
Optional Settlement Web Interface
February 22, 2011.
Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934
("Act"), notice is hereby given that on
February 7, 2011, The Depository Trust
Company ("DTC") 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
primarily by DTC. DTC filed the
proposed rule change pursuant to
Section 19(b)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act 2 and
Rule 19b–4(f)(4) 3 thereunder so that the
proposal was effective upon filing with the
Commission. 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 proposed rule change will
establish a new browser-based interface,
the “Settlement Web,” that allows
Participants to view their settlement-
related activity.
II. Self-Regulatory Organization’s
Statement of the Purpose of, and
Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change
In its filing with the Commission,
DTC 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. DTC 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
DTC Participants have the ability to
view all of their settlement related
activity using different functions in the
Participant Browser System ("PBS"),
Based on request from its Participants,
DTC has created a more user-friendly
interface called Settlement Web that
allows Participants to view their
settlement related activity. The
Settlement Web will reduce the amount
of time that Participants spend in PBS
by increasing the efficiency in searching
for settlement activity. Participants that
chose to use the Settlement Web will
have access to a Navigation Bar that will
provide Participants with improved
inquiry and update capabilities for their
settlement transactions. Participants
will also have the ability to view
different settlement related activities
using the Dashboard in the Settlement
Web homepage. Additionally,
Participants will have the option to use
an alert function located within the
Settlement Web’s dashboard to provide
them to set alerts regarding settlement
related events. Participants will be able
to customize the function to control
which events for which they want to be
notified. These alerts will reduce the
amount of time spent in PBS because
Participants will no longer have to
manually check multiple settlement
functions to be made aware of various
settlement events. Notifications will be
made available to Participants through
the alerts window in the dashboard or
by e-mail. The e-mail will notify the

1 In 2008, DTCC completed a multi-year initiative
to transition all Participant Terminal System
("PTS") functions to PBS. Now, rather than toggle
between the two tools, Participants can manage all
their needs through the web-based PBS, which is
more flexible than PTS while offering greater
functionality. However, Participants are still able to
use PTS for most of their settlement activities.
2 Events, which include, for example, settlement
extension broadcasts and the receipt of a specific
delivery, are regularly scheduled processing
milestones associated with a given settlement cycle.