designates the proposed rule change operative upon filing.<sup>22</sup>

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 shall institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be approved or 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 email to rule-comments@ sec.gov. Please include File Number SR– CboeEDGA–2018–019 on the subject line.

Send paper comments in triplicate

# Paper Comments

to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-CboeEDGA-2018-019. This file number should be included on the subject line if email 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 Commission's internet website (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 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 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. All comments received will be posted without change. Persons submitting comments are cautioned that we do not redact or edit personal identifying information from comment submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-CboeEDGA-2018-019, and should be submitted on or before December 26, 2018.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.  $^{23}$ 

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-84684; File No. SR-NASDAQ-2018-098]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change To Relocate the Exchange's Pricing Schedule

November 29, 2018.

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 November 19, 2018, The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq" or "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II, below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. 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 (a) relocate its current Rule 7000 Series ("Equities Pricing"), entitled "Charges for Membership, Services, and Equipment," and The Nasdaq Options Market LLC's ("NOM") rules at Chapter XV ("Options Pricing"; together, "Equities and Options Pricing") to the Exchange's rulebook's ("Rulebook") shell

structure;  $^3$  (b) make conforming cross-reference changes throughout the Rulebook; and (c) amend the Equity 4's title in the shell structure.

The text of the proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's website at <a href="http://nasdaq.cchwallstreet.com">http://nasdaq.cchwallstreet.com</a>, at the principal office of the Exchange, and at the Commission's Public Reference Room.

## 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 Exchange proposes to (a) relocate the Equities and Options Pricing rules, currently under the Equities Rule 7000 Series and Options Chapter XV of the NOM rules, into the Rulebook's shell structure, respectively, under Equity 7 and Options 7 (both named "Pricing Schedule"); (b) make conforming cross-reference changes throughout the Rulebook; and (c) amend the Equity 4's title, "Equity Listing Rules," in the shell structure, as detailed below.

# (a) Relocation of the Pricing Rules

The Exchange, as part of its continued effort to promote efficiency and the conformity of its processes with those of the Affiliated Exchanges,<sup>4</sup> and the goal of harmonizing and uniformizing its rules, proposes to relocate the Equities Pricing rules, currently under the Rule 7000 Series, into Equity 7, Pricing Schedule, of the shell structure. Specifically, the Exchange will add the word "Section" and renumber the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> For purposes only of waiving the 30-day operative delay, the Commission also has considered the proposed rule's impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. See 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

<sup>23 17</sup> CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> In 2017, the Exchange added a shell structure to its Rulebook with the purpose of improving efficiency and readability and to align its rules closer to those of its five sister exchanges, The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC; Nasdaq PHLX LLC; Nasdaq ISE, LLC; Nasdaq GEMX, LLC; and Nasdaq MRX, LLC ("Affiliated Exchanges"). See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 82174 (November 29, 2017), 82 FR 57492 (December 5, 2017) (SR–BX–2017–054).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> See footnote 3.

Equities Pricing rules as detailed in the table below:

7000 Series	Equity 7
7000	Section 1.
7001	Section 10.
7002	Section 20.
7003	Section 30.
7007	Section 70.
7010	Section 100.
7011	Section 111.
7012	Section 112.
7013	Section 113.
7014	Section 114.
7015	Section 115.
7016	Section 116.
7017	Section 117.
7018	Section 118.
7019	Section 119.
7020	Section 120.
7021	Section 121.
7022 7023	Section 122. Section 123.
IM-7023-1	Section 123-IM-1.
7024	Section 124.
7025	Section 125.
7026	Section 126.
IM-7026-1	Section 126–IM–1.
7027	Section 127.
7028	Section 128.
7029	Section 129.
7030	Section 130.
7031	Section 131.
7032	Section 132.
7033	Section 133.
7034	Section 134.
7035	Section 135.
7036	Section 136.
7037	Section 137.
IM-7037-1	Section 137–IM–1.
7038	Section 138.
7039	Section 139.
IM-7039-1	Section 139–IM–1.
7040	Section 140.
7041	Section 141.
7042 7043	Section 142. Section 143.
7043	Section 144.
7045	Section 145.
7046	Section 145.
7047	Section 147.
IM-7047-1	Section 147–IM–1.
7048	Section 148.
7049	Section 149.
7050	Section 150.
7051	Section 151.
7052	Section 152.
7053	Section 153.
7054	Section 154.
7055	Section 155.
7056	Section 156.
7057	Section 157.
IM-7057-1	Section 157–IM–1.
7058	Section 158.
7059	Section 159.
7060	Section 160.
7061	Section 161.
7100	Section 200.
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The Exchange will also relocate the Options Pricing rules, currently under Chapter XV of the NOM rules, into Options 7, Pricing Schedule, of the shell structure. No renumbering of the Options Pricing rules will be necessary other than replacing the abbreviated word "Sec." with the full word "Section."

The Exchange believes that the relocation of the Equities and Options Pricing rules will facilitate the use of the Rulebook by Members <sup>5</sup> of the Exchange, including those who are members of other Affiliated Exchanges, and other market participants. Moreover, the proposed changes are of a nonsubstantive nature and they will not amend the relocated rules, other than to update their numbers as previously detailed.

### (b) Cross-Reference Updates

In connection with the changes described above, the Exchange proposes to update all cross-references in the Rulebook that direct the reader to the current placement of the Equities and Options Pricing rules and/or any of their subsections. Specifically, the Exchange will update the cross-references in Nasdag Rules 1002(c)(1), IM-5220, and 8320(a)(1). Moreover, for consistency with the current title of General 8, Section 2 ("Direct Connectivity"), the Exchange proposes to update the description provided under Rule 7007(a) (to be relocated under Equity 7, Section 70(a)) by removing the text "to Nasdaq''.

# (c) Amendment of the Equity 4's Title

Finally, the Exchange will amend Equity 4's title in the shell structure, currently "Equity Listing Rules," and replace it with the word "Reserved," since no rules will be placed in this section of the shell structure.

#### 2. Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes that its proposal is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act,6 in general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,7 in particular, in that it is designed to promote just and equitable principles of trade, to remove impediments to and perfect the mechanism of a free and open market and a national market system, and, in general to protect investors and the public interest, by promoting efficiency and structural conformity of the Exchange's processes with those of the Affiliated Exchanges and to make the Exchange's Rulebook easier to read and more accessible to its Members and market participants. The Exchange believes that the relocation of the Equities and Options Pricing rules, cross-reference updates, and the

amendment to the Equity 4's title are of a non-substantive nature.

## 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. The proposed changes do not impose a burden on competition because, as previously stated, they (i) are of a nonsubstantive nature, (ii) are intended to harmonize the structure of the Exchange's rules with those of its Affiliated Exchanges, and (iii) are intended to organize the Rulebook in a way that it will ease the Members' and market participants' navigation and reading of the rules.

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

Because the proposed rule change does not (i) significantly affect the protection of investors or the public interest; (ii) impose any significant burden on competition; and (iii) become operative for 30 days from the date on which it was filed, or such shorter time as the Commission may designate if consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest, the proposed rule change has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act <sup>8</sup> and Rule 19b–4(f)(6)(iii) thereunder.<sup>9</sup>

The Exchange has asked the Commission to waive the 30-day operative delay so that the proposal may become operative immediately upon filing. The Exchange states that waiver of the 30-day operative delay will allow it to promptly relocate the Pricing Schedule rules and continue to reorganize its Rulebook as already done in previous filings. The Commission believes that waiving the 30-day operative delay is consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest, as it would allow the Exchange, without delay, to reorganize its

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Exchange Rule 0120(i).

<sup>6 15</sup> U.S.C. 78f(b).

<sup>7 15</sup> U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).

<sup>8 15</sup> U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b–4(f)(6)(iii). As required under Rule 19b4(f)(6)(iii), the Exchange provided the Commission with written notice of its intent to file the proposed rule change, along with a brief description and the text of the proposed rule change, at least five business days prior to the date of filing of the proposed rule change, or such shorter time as designated by the Commission.

Rulebook in a manner that improves accessibility, readability and structural consistency with the rules of its Affiliated Exchanges. For this reason, the Commission designates the proposed rule change to be operative upon filing.<sup>10</sup>

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.

## 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 email to *rule-comments@* sec.gov. Please include File Number SR–NASDAQ–2018–098 on the subject line.

## Paper Comments

• Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-NASDAQ-2018-098. This file number should be included on the subject line if email 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 Commission's internet website (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 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 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. All comments received will be posted without change. Persons submitting comments are cautioned that we do not redact or edit personal identifying information from comment submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-NASDAQ-2018-098, and should be submitted on or before December 26, 2018.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.  $^{11}$ 

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34-84682; File No. SR-ISE-2018-95]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Nasdaq ISE, LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend Supplementary Material .07 to ISE Rule 722

November 29, 2018.

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 November 19, 2018, Nasdaq ISE, LLC ("ISE" or the "Exchange") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. 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 Supplementary Material .07 to ISE Rule 722, which relates to Complex Orders, to correct inadvertent errors in the rule text.

The text of the proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's website at <a href="http://ise.cchwallstreet.com/">http://ise.cchwallstreet.com/</a>, at the principal office of the Exchange, and at

the Commission's Public Reference

## 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 Exchange filed a proposal to adopt certain Butterfly and Box Spread protections for complex order strategies and also reorganize and amend the existing Complex Order protections within Supplementary Material .07 to ISE Rule 722, among other things.<sup>3</sup> Subsequent to SR-ISE-2018-55 becoming effective, the Exchange received approval to make various revisions to Rule 722 to memorialize ISE's Complex Order functionality, among other things.4 SR-ISE-2018-56 did not properly mark the rule text for Supplementary Material .07 of ISE Rule 722 against the Rulebook as amended by SR-ISE-2018-55. Specifically, SR-ISE-2018-56 failed to note the changes that had become effective within SR-ISE-2018-55. This rule change seeks to amend the current rule text of Supplementary Material .07 to Rule 722 to reconcile the approved rule texts of both SR-ISE-2018-55 and SR-ISE-2018-56. The proposal makes no substantive changes to ISE's rules.

#### 2. Statutory Basis

The Exchange believes that its proposal is consistent with Section 6(b) of the Act,<sup>5</sup> in general, and furthers the objectives of Section 6(b)(5) of the Act,<sup>6</sup> in particular, in that it is designed to

<sup>10</sup> For purposes only of waiving the 30-day operative delay, the Commission has also considered the proposed rule's impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. See 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

<sup>11 17</sup> CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Securities Exchange Act Release No. 83464 (June 19, 2018), 83 FR 29583 (June 25, 2018) (SR–ISE–2018–55).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Securities Exchange Act Release No. 84373 (October, 2018), 83 FR 31783 (July 9, 2018) (SR–ISE–2018–56) (Notice of Filing of Amendment No. 1 and Order Granting Accelerated Approval of a Proposed Rule Change, as Modified by Amendment No. 1, To Amend Its Rules Relating to Complex Orders).

<sup>5 15</sup> U.S.C. 78f(b).

<sup>6 15</sup> U.S.C. 78f(b)(5).