

provide routing services for Stock-Option Orders by providing them up to two 1 Gb connections for no charge when those connections are used solely to route the stock portion of a Stock-Option Order to an away equities Trading Center for execution on behalf of the Exchange.

Lastly, offering a limited number of connections for no charge as proposed herein is not new or novel. Other exchanges provide a certain number of connections for no charge when those connections are used solely for a specific purpose.<sup>10</sup>

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

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

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will result in any burden on inter-market competition for the following reasons. A number of other exchanges offer similar stock-option order functionality<sup>11</sup> and the proposal would help to provide for robust routing capabilities for the stock portion of such orders. There is significant competition for this order flow among options exchanges to attract, retain, and incentivize this order flow. The Exchange believes that this proposal will enhance the Exchange's ability to compete for such order flow by incentivizing Members and non-Members to route the stock portion of a Stock-Option Order, resulting in additional competition among exchanges to the benefit of the markets.

The Exchange does not believe that the proposed rule change will result in any burden on intra-market competition because any Member or non-Member that wishes to provide such routing functionality will be eligible for such waiver. Meanwhile, Members and non-Members that are already provide such routing functionality will also be eligible and this proposal will serve as a means to encourage those Members and non-Members to continue to do so. The Exchange does not believe that the

<sup>10</sup> See, e.g., The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC, General 8: Connectivity, Section 2(b) (providing two connections for free for Third Party Services Direct Connection per client to UTP SIP feeds only); and Cboe BZX Exchange, Inc. Fee Schedule, Physical Connectivity Fees section (providing that “[a] Member that is a registered Lead Market Maker shall have Physical Connectivity Fees waive connected solely to the BZX Equities Disaster Recovery data center for the first twelve month physical connectivity.”).

<sup>11</sup> See, e.g., Cboe EDGX Exchange, Inc. Rule 21.20(b) (describing Stock-Option Orders); and Nasdaq Phlx LLC Options 3, Section 14(a)(i).

proposed changes represent a significant departure from pricing offered by the Exchange's competitors.

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

Written comments were neither solicited nor received.

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

The foregoing rule change has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act,<sup>12</sup> and Rule 19b-4(f)(2)<sup>13</sup> thereunder. 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 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-SAPPHIRE-2025-43 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-SAPPHIRE-2025-43. 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 (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). Copies of the filing will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange.

Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection.

All submissions should refer to file number SR-SAPPHIRE-2025-43 and should be submitted on or before January 6, 2026.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>14</sup>

**Sherry R. Haywood,**  
*Assistant Secretary.*

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**[Investment Advisers Act Release No. 6931; File No. 803-00287]**

**Parametric Portfolio Associates LLC**

December 11, 2025.

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”).

**ACTION:** Notice.

Notice of application for an exemptive order under Section 206A of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (the “Act”) and rule 206(4)-5 under the Act.

**APPLICANT:** Parametric Portfolio Associates LLC.

**SUMMARY OF APPLICATION:** The Applicant requests that the Commission issue an order under Section 206A of the Act and rule 206(4)-5(e) under the Act exempting it from rule 206(4)-5(a)(1) under the Act to permit the Applicant to receive compensation from a government entity for investment advisory services provided to the government entity within the two-year period following a contribution by a covered associate of the Applicant to an official of the government entity.

**FILING DATES:** The application was filed on September 26, 2025.

**HEARING OR NOTIFICATION OF HEARING:** An order granting the requested relief will be issued unless the Commission orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing on any application by emailing the SEC's Secretary at *Secretarys-Office@sec.gov* and serving the Applicant with a copy of the request by email, if an email address is listed for the Applicant below, or personally or by mail, if a physical address is listed for the Applicant below. Hearing requests

<sup>12</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(ii).

<sup>13</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(2).

<sup>14</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. on January 5, 2026, and should be accompanied by proof of service on the Applicant in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Pursuant to rule 0–5 under the Act, hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, any facts bearing upon the desirability of a hearing on the matter, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by emailing the Commission's Secretary.

**ADDRESSES:** The Commission: *Secretarys-Office@sec.gov*. The Applicant: Parametric Portfolio Associates LLC *Patrick.Secor@morganstanley.com*.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Asaf Barouk, Senior Counsel, or Matthew Cook, Acting Branch Chief, at (202) 551–6825 (Division of Investment Management, Chief Counsel's Office).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For the Applicant's representations, legal analysis, and conditions, please refer to the Applicant's application, dated September 26, 2025, which may be obtained via the Commission's website by searching for the file number at the top of this document, or for the Applicant using the Company name search field, on the SEC's EDGAR system. The SEC's EDGAR system may be searched at <https://www.sec.gov/edgar/searchedgar/legacy/companysearch.html>. You may also call the SEC's Office of Investor Education and Advocacy at (202) 551–8090.

For the Commission, by the Division of Investment Management, under delegated authority.

**Sherry R. Haywood,**  
Assistant Secretary.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Advisers Act Release No. 6932; File No. 803–00283]

### True Venture Management, L.L.C.

December 11, 2025.

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission").

**ACTION:** Notice.

Notice of application for an exemptive order under Section 206A of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (the "Act") and rule 206(4)–5 under the Act.

**APPLICANT:** True Venture Management, L.L.C.

**SUMMARY OF APPLICATION:** The Applicant requests that the Commission issue an order under Section 206A of the Act and rule 206(4)–5(e) under the Act exempting it from rule 206(4)–5(a)(1) under the Act to permit the Applicant to receive compensation from a government entity for investment advisory services provided to the government entity within the two-year period following a contribution by a covered associate of the Applicant to an official of the government entity.

**FILING DATES:** The application was filed on July 7, 2025, and amended on August 8, 2025.

**HEARING OR NOTIFICATION OF HEARING:** An order granting the requested relief will be issued unless the Commission orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing on any application by emailing the SEC's Secretary at *Secretarys-Office@sec.gov* and serving the Applicant with a copy of the request by email, if an email address is listed for the Applicant below, or personally or by mail, if a physical address is listed for the Applicant below. Hearing requests should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. on January 5, 2026, and should be accompanied by proof of service on the Applicant in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Pursuant to rule 0–5 under the Act, hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, any facts bearing upon the desirability of a hearing on the matter, the reason for the request, and the issues contested.

Persons may request notification of a hearing by emailing the Commission's Secretary.

**ADDRESSES:** The Commission: *Secretarys-Office@sec.gov*. The Applicant: True Venture Management, L.L.C. *zparkz@cov.com; legal@trueventures.com*.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Priscilla Dao, Senior Counsel, or Matthew Cook, Acting Branch Chief, at (202) 551–6825 (Division of Investment Management, Chief Counsel's Office).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For the Applicant's representations, legal analysis, and conditions, please refer to the Applicant's amended and restated application dated August 8, 2025, which may be obtained via the Commission's website by searching for the file number at the top of this document, or for the Applicant using the Company name search field, on the SEC's EDGAR system. The SEC's EDGAR system may be searched at <https://www.sec.gov/edgar/searchedgar/legacy/companysearch.html>. You may also call

the SEC's Office of Investor Education and Advocacy at (202) 551–8090.

For the Commission, by the Division of Investment Management, under delegated authority.

**Sherry R. Haywood,**  
Assistant Secretary.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Release No. 34–104369; File No. SR-CboeBZX–2025–159]

### Self-Regulatory Organizations; Cboe BZX Exchange, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Adopt Fees for Its Complex Order Market Data Feeds

December 11, 2025.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act"),<sup>1</sup> and Rule 19b–4 thereunder,<sup>2</sup> notice is hereby given that, on December 4, 2025, Cboe BZX Exchange, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "BZX") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") the proposed rule change as described in Items I, II, and III, 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

Cboe BZX Exchange, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "BZX Options") proposes to adopt fees for its market data feeds. The text of the proposed rule change is also available on the Commission's website (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>), the Exchange's website ([https://www.cboe.com/us/equities/regulation/rule\\_filings/bzx/](https://www.cboe.com/us/equities/regulation/rule_filings/bzx/)), and at the principal office of the Exchange.

### 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

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

<sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b–4.