operational risks by identifying plausible sources of operational risk, both internal and external, and mitigating their impact through the use of appropriate systems, policies, procedures, and controls.

IV. Procedure: Request for Written Comments

The Commission requests that interested persons provide written submissions of their views, data, and arguments with respect to the issues identified above, as well as any other concerns they may have with the proposal, as modified by Amendment No. 1. In particular, the Commission invites the written views of interested persons concerning whether the proposal is consistent with Sections 17A(b)(3)(F) and (b)(3)(I) 56 of the Exchange Act and Rules 17ad-22(e)(2)(i), (e)(2)(v), and (e)(17)(i) 57 under the Exchange Act, or any other provision of the Exchange Act, and the rules and regulations thereunder. Although there do not appear to be any issues relevant to approval or disapproval that would be facilitated by an oral presentation of views, data, and arguments, the Commission will consider, pursuant to Rule 19b-4, any request for an opportunity to make an oral presentation.⁵⁸

Inferested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments regarding whether the proposed rule change should be approved or disapproved by July 18, 2025. Any person who wishes to file a rebuttal to any other person's submission must file that rebuttal by August 1, 2025.

Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

Electronic Comments

- Use the Commission's internet comment form (https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml); or
- Send an email to *rule-comments@* sec.gov. Please include file number SR-NSCC-2025-003 on the subject line.

Paper Comments

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

All submissions should refer to file number SR-NSCC-2025-003. 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 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 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of NSCC and on DTCC's website (https:// dtcc.com/legal/sec-rule-filings.aspx).

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–NSCC–2025–003 and should be submitted on or before July 18, 2025.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority. 59

Sherry R. Haywood,

Assistant Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 35660; File No. 812–15782]

BIP Ventures Evergreen BDC, et al.

June 25, 2025.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission" or "SEC"). **ACTION:** Notice.

Notice of application for an order under sections 17(d) and 57(i) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act") and rule 17d-1 under the Act to permit certain joint transactions otherwise prohibited by sections 17(d) and 57(a)(4) of the Act and rule 17d-1 under the Act.

SUMMARY OF APPLICATION: Applicants request an order to permit certain business development companies ("BDCs") and closed-end management investment companies to co-invest in portfolio companies with each other and with certain affiliated investment entities.

APPLICANTS: BIP Ventures Evergreen BDC, BIP Capital, LLC, BIP Capital Management Services, LLC, and certain of their affiliated entities as described in Appendix A to the application.

FILING DATES: The application was filed on May 6, 2025, and amended on June 12, 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 Applicants with a copy of the request by email, if an email address is listed for the relevant Applicant below, or personally or by mail, if a physical address is listed for the relevant Applicant below. Hearing requests should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. on July 21, 2025, and should be accompanied by proof of service on the Applicants, 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 who wish to be notified of a hearing may request notification by emailing the Commission's Secretary at Secretarys-Office@sec.gov.

ADDRESSES: The Commission: Secretarys-Office@sec.gov. Applicants: Todd Knudsen, Chief Financial Officer, BIP Ventures Evergreen BDC, tknudsen@bipventures.vc; Kara Mullins, Senior Vice President, Finance, BIP Ventures, kmullins@bipventures.vc; and Blake E. Estes, Esq., Alston & Bird LLP, Blake.Estes@alston.com.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jill Ehrlich, Senior Counsel, or Adam Large, Senior Special Counsel, at (202) 551–6825 (Division of Investment Management, Chief Counsel's Office).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For Applicants' representations, legal analysis, and conditions, please refer to

⁵⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78q–1(b)(3)(F) and (b)(3)(I). ⁵⁷ 17 CFR 240.17ad–22(e)(2)(i), (e)(2)(v), and (e)(17)(i).

⁵⁸ Section 19(b)(2) of the Exchange Act, as amended by the Securities Acts Amendments of 1975, Public Law 94–29 (June 4, 1975), grants the Commission flexibility to determine what type of proceeding—either oral or notice and opportunity for written comments—is appropriate for consideration of a particular proposal by a self-regulatory organization. See Securities Acts Amendments of 1975, Senate Comm. on Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs, S. Rep. No. 75, 94th Cong., 1st Sess. 30 (1975).

^{59 17} CFR 200.30-3(a)(12) and (a)(57).

Applicants' first amended application, dated June 12, 2025, which may be obtained via the Commission's website by searching for the file number at the top of this document, or for an 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/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. 34-103313; File No. SR-CboeEDGX-2025-048]

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Cboe EDGX Exchange, Inc.; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend Rule 4.10 of the Exchange's Compliance Rule To Be Consistent With the Exemptive Relief Granted by the Commission From Certain Provisions Related to Timestamp Granularity

June 24, 2025.

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 June 18, 2025, Cboe EDGX Exchange, Inc. ("EDGX" or the "Exchange") 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 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 EDGX Exchange, Inc. (the "Exchange" or "EDGX") proposes to amend Rule 4.10 of the Exchange's compliance rule ("CAT Compliance Rule") regarding the National Market System Plan Governing the Consolidated Audit Trail (the "CAT NMS Plan" or "Plan") 3 to be consistent

with the exemptive relief granted by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") from certain provisions of the CAT NMS Plan related to timestamp granularity ("2025 Timestamp Granularity Exemption").⁴ Specifically, the Exchange proposes to update the expiration date of the exemption in Rule 4.10(a)(2) from April 8, 2025 to April 8, 2030. The text of the proposed rule change is provided in Exhibit 5.

The text of the proposed rule change is also available on the Exchange's website (http://markets.cboe.com/us/options/regulation/rule_filings/edgx/), at the Exchange's Office of the Secretary, 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 purpose of this proposed rule change is to amend Rule 4.10 of the CAT Compliance Rule to be consistent with the 2025 Timestamp Granularity Exemption. Under the 2025 Timestamp Granularity Exemption, the Commission extended the existing exemptive relief pursuant to which Industry Members that capture timestamps in increments more granular than nanoseconds must truncate the timestamps after the nanosecond level for submission to CAT, rather than rounding such timestamps up or down, from April 8, 2025 to April 8, 2030. Accordingly, the Exchange proposes to update the expiration date of the exemption in Rule 4.10(a)(2) from April 8, 2025 to April 8,

On February 3, 2020, the Participants filed with the Commission a request for exemptive relief from the requirement

in Section 6.8(b) of the CAT NMS Plan for each Participant, through its CAT Compliance Rule, to require that, to the extent that its Industry Members utilize timestamps in increments finer than nanoseconds in their order handling or execution systems, such Industry Members utilize such finer increment when reporting CAT Data to the Central Repository.⁵ On April 8, 2020, the Participants received the requested exemptive relief.⁶ As a condition to this exemption, the Participants, through their CAT Compliance Rules, required Industry Members that capture timestamps in increments more granular than nanoseconds to truncate the timestamps after the nanosecond level for submission to CAT, rather than rounding up or down in such circumstances. The exemption was to remain in effect for five years, until April 8, 2025.

In 2020, the Exchange amended paragraph (a)(2) of Rule 4.10 to reflect this exemptive relief. Specifically, the Exchange amended Rule 4.10(a)(2) to state the following.

Subject to paragraph (b), to the extent that any Industry Member's order handling or execution systems utilize time stamps in increments finer than milliseconds, such Industry Member shall record and report Industry Member Data to the Central Repository with time stamps in such finer increment up to nanoseconds; provided, that Industry Members that capture timestamps in increments more granular than nanoseconds must truncate the timestamps after the nanosecond level for submission to CAT, rather than rounding such timestamps up or down, until April 8, 2025.

The language of Rule 4.10(a)(2) has not been changed since that time.

The exemption granted in 2020, however would no longer be in effect after April 8, 2025, unless the period the exemption is in effect is extended by the Commission. Accordingly, on March 24, 2025, the Participants filed with the Commission a request to extend the existing exemptive relief for another five years, until April 8, 2030.8 On May 2,

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¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b–4.

³ Unless otherwise specified, capitalized terms used in this rule filing are defined as set forth in

the CAT Compliance Rule. See Chapter IV, Rules 4.5–4.17 of the Exchange's Rulebook.

⁴ Securities Exchange Act Rel. No. 102980 (May 2, 2025), 90 FR 19334 (May 7, 2025).

⁵ See Letter to Vanessa Countryman, Secretary, Commission, from Michael Simon, CAT NMS Plan Operating Committee Chair, re: Request for Exemption from Certain Provisions of the National Market System Plan Governing the Consolidated Audit Trail related to Granularity of Timestamps and Relationship Identifiers (Feb. 3, 2020).

⁶ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 88608 (April 8, 2020), 85 FR 20743 (April 14, 2020).

 $^{^7\,}See$ Securities Exchange Act Release No. 89132 (June 23, 2020), 85 FR 38970 (June 29, 2020) (SR–CboeEDGX–2020–030).

⁸ See Letter to Vanessa Countryman, Secretary, Commission, from Brandon Becker, CAT NMS Plan Operating Committee Chair, re: Request for Exemption from Certain Provisions of the National Market System Plan Governing the Consolidated