

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 PCX, through its wholly owned subsidiary PCX Equities, Inc. ("PCXE"), proposes to amend its fee schedule for services provided to ETP Holders and Sponsored Participants (collectively "Users") on the Archipelago Exchange ("ArcaEx"), the equities trading facility of PCXE. Specifically, the PCX proposes to (1) increase the per share transaction fee for odd-lot orders in listed securities that are routed away via ArcaEx and executed by another market center; and (2) increase the transaction credit for Market Makers who provide liquidity in exchange-listed American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs"). The text of the proposed rule change is available at the PCX and at the Commission.

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 PCX included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it had received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The PCX has prepared summaries, set forth in sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant aspects of the statements.

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

1. Routing Service Fee

The PCX currently charges all Users a transaction fee of \$0.004 per share for any unfilled or residual portion of an odd-lot order in a listed security, including exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"), that is routed away via ArcaEx and executed by another market center or participant. The PCX proposes to increase this transaction fee to \$0.03 per share to conform to the current fee of \$0.03 per share that is applied to odd-lot orders executed on ArcaEx. The PCX notes that odd-lot orders that are created as a result of a partial fill of a round lot that are subsequently routed away and executed on another market will continue to be subject to the \$0.004 per-share fee applicable to round lot orders. The PCX believes that this fee is reasonable and is structured to allocate

fairly the costs of operating the ArcaEx facility.

2. Market Maker Transaction Credit

The PCX is proposing to increase the level of the transaction credit paid to market makers who provide liquidity in exchange-listed American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs"). Currently, market makers who enter "Q Orders"³ in exchange-listed ADRs that are subsequently executed against incoming marketable orders earn a credit of \$0.0015 per share. The PCX proposes to increase the level of the transaction credit for ADRs from \$0.0015 to \$0.002 per share.⁴ The increased credit of \$0.002 is the same amount that is currently applied to orders that provide liquidity in ETFs.⁵ The PCX states that this credit is intended to create additional incentives to market makers to provide liquidity in ADRs that are traded on the ArcaEx facility.

The PCX believes that the proposal is consistent with section 6(b) of the Act,⁶ particularly section 6(b)(4) of the Act,⁷ in that it provides for the equitable allocation of reasonable dues, fees, and other charges among its members.

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

The PCX does not believe that the proposed rule change will impose any burden on competition that is 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

The PCX neither solicited nor received written comments on the proposed rule change.

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) of the Act⁸ and Rule 19b-4 (f) thereunder⁹ because it changes a PCX

³ Q Orders are limit orders that are submitted to ArcaEx by a market maker in those securities in which the market maker is registered to trade. See PCXE Rule 7.31(k).

⁴ The current \$0.02 per share credit that is provided to any market maker that executes against an odd-lot order in the Odd Lot Tracking Order Process will remain in effect.

⁵ The increased credit of \$0.002 parallels a recent change to the User Transaction Credit for certain transactions in ADRs. See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 46784 (November 7, 2002), 67 FR 69283 (November 15, 2002) (SR-PCX-2002-68).

⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b).

⁷ 15 U.S.C. 78f(b)(4).

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

⁹ 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f).

fee. At any time within 60 days after the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission may summarily abrogate the rule change if it appears to the Commission that that 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 proposal is consistent with the Act. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609. 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 in Washington, DC. Copies of the filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the PCX. All submissions should refer to File No. SR-PCX-2002-70 and should be submitted by January 7, 2003.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.¹⁰

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COUNSEL

Change of Address for Dallas Office

AGENCY: Office of Special Counsel

ACTION: Notice

SUMMARY: Effective Monday, December 9, 2002, the Dallas Field Office (DFO) of the U.S. Office of Special Counsel (OSC) moved to the A. Maceo Smith Federal Building, 525 Griffin Street, Room 824, Box 103, Dallas, TX 75202. The DFO telephone number continues to be (214) 767-8871. Additional OSC contact information can be found on the agency Web site at <http://www.osc.gov>.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 9, 2002.

¹⁰ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kathryn Stackhouse, by mail to the Planning and Advice Division, 1730 M Street, NW. (Suite 201), Washington, DC 20036; by telephone, at (202) 653-8971; or by fax, at (202) 653-5161.

Dated: December 10, 2002.

Elaine D. Kaplan,
Special Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE**[Public Notice 4231]**

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition; Determinations: "Origins of the Russian Avant-Garde"

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999 (64 FR 56014), and Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999 (64 FR 57920), as amended, I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition, "Origins of the Russian Avant-Garde," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. These objects are imported pursuant to a loan agreement with a foreign lender. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at the Walters Art Museum, Baltimore, Maryland, from on or about February 13, 2003, to on or about May 25, 2003, the Fine Arts Museum of San Francisco, San Francisco, California, from on or about June 29, 2003, to on or about September 21, 2003, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of exhibit objects, contact Paul W. Manning, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, 202/619-5997, and the address is United States Department of State, SA-44, Room 700, 301 4th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: December 11, 2002.

Patricia S. Harrison,

Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE**[Public Notice 4230]**

Determination Pursuant to Section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224 Relating to the Moroccan Islamic Combatant Group (GICM)

Acting under the authority of Section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, and in consultation with the Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General, I hereby determine that the Moroccan Islamic Combatant Group (GICM) has committed, or poses a significant risk of committing, acts of terrorism that threaten the security of U.S. nationals or the national security, foreign policy, or economy of the United States.

Consistent with the determination in section 10 of Executive Order 13224 that "prior notice to persons determined to be subject to the Order who might have a constitutional presence in the United States would render ineffectual the blocking and other measures authorized in the Order because of the ability to transfer funds instantaneously," I determine that no prior notice need be provided to any person subject to this determination who might have a constitutional presence in the United States because to do so would render ineffectual the measures authorized in the Order.

This notice shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: December 5, 2002.

Colin L. Powell,

Secretary of State, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Office of the Secretary**

Privacy Act of 1974: System of Records

AGENCY: Transportation Security Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Notice to establish three systems of records.

SUMMARY: DOT proposes to establish three systems of records under the Privacy Act of 1974 and to exempt them from certain provisions of the Act.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 27, 2003. If no comments are received, the proposal will become effective on the above date. If comments are received, the comments will be considered and, where adopted, the documents will be republished with changes.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Yvonne L. Coates, Department of Transportation, Office of the Secretary, 400 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590, (202) 366-6964 (telephone), (202) 366-7024 (fax), Yvonne.Coates@ost.dot.gov (Internet address).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Transportation systems of records notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the above mentioned address.

DOT/TSA 001**SYSTEM NAME:**

Transportation Security Enforcement Record System (TSERS).

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION:

Classified, sensitive.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Records are maintained in the Office of Chief Counsel, the Office of the Associate Under Secretary for Aviation Operations, and the Office of the Associate Under Secretary for Inspection, Transportation Security Administration (TSA), Department of Transportation, 400 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590. Records will also be maintained at the various TSA field offices.

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Owners, operators, and employees in all modes of transportation for which TSA has security-related duties; witnesses; passengers undergoing screening of their person or property; and individuals against whom investigative, administrative, or legal enforcement action has been initiated for violation of certain Transportation Security Administration Regulations (TSR), relevant provisions of 49 U.S.C. chapter 449, or other laws.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Information related to the screening of passengers and property and the investigation or prosecution of any alleged violation, including name of and demographic information about alleged violators and witnesses; place of violation; Enforcement Investigative Reports (EIRs); security incident reports, screening reports, suspicious-activity