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To: OPRA Participants and Multicast Data Feed Subscribers

Subject: OPRA Migration to new Pillar SIP Platform: Documentation Updates

What You Should Know:

As previously [announced](#), OPRA will be migrating to the new Pillar SIP platform on **July 26, 2021**. Built using the architecture of the NYSE Pillar platform, the Pillar SIP is distributed, scalable, resilient, and designed for low latency (e.g., under 20 microseconds at the median).

Documentation Updates:

Updates and supplemental information for the OPRA Pillar migration are available in the following documents on the www.opraplan.com/pillar landing page:

- OPRA Pillar Input Specification
- OPRA Pillar Output Specification
- OPRA SIP Current vs. Pillar Output Differences
- OPRA Pillar Input Frequently Asked Questions
- OPRA Pillar Output Frequently Asked Questions

Testing Dates:

- **Certification (Cert) System Functional Testing:**
 - Begins: Monday, February 22, 2021 - Regular Hours Session
 - Begins: Monday, March 8, 2021 - Extended Hours Session
 - Ends: Friday, July 9, 2021
- **Industry Functional Testing:**
 - Saturday, March 27, 2021
 - Saturday, April 10, 2021
 - Saturday, April 24, 2021
- **Parallel Production Testing:**
 - Begins: Monday, April 26, 2021
 - **DR as Primary**
 - Week #1 Monday, May 24, 2021 - Friday, May 28, 2021
 - Week #2 Monday, June 14, 2021 - Friday, June 18, 2021
 - Ends: Friday, July 23, 2021
- **Industry Non-Functional Testing:**
 - Saturday, May 8, 2021
 - Saturday, May 22, 2021
 - Saturday, June 5, 2021
 - Saturday, June 12, 2021
 - Saturday, June 26, 2021

- **Production Final Software Test:**
 - Saturday, July 10, 2021
- **Production Confidence Test:**
 - Saturday, July 24, 2021
- **Activation Date:**
 - **Monday, July 26, 2021**

For OPRA Technical Inquiries

- If you have any OPRA technical questions, please send an email to CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com.
- Multicast Data Feed Subscribers can also contact the SIAC NMS Product Management Desk at 212-656-8177, Option 2. If support team members are engaged with other customers, please leave a detailed voice message stating the purpose of your call, which will produce a ticket of your message to the support team.