

November 17, 2021

To: OPRA Multicast Data Feed Subscribers

Subject: OPRA Global Trading Hours (GTH): Confidence Test Final Reminder and Test Plan -November 20, 2021, 6:00 AM to 9:15 AM, ET

## What You Should Know:

As previously <u>announced</u>, OPRA Global Trading Hours (GTH) will begin new hours of operation on **Sunday**, **November 21, 2021**.

## Confidence Test before Activation:

The OPRA GTH Confidence test will take place on Saturday, November 20, 2021. OPRA GTH will process and disseminate CBOE input data and Data Subscribers will process multicast data and request retransmissions (if required). The Parallel Production Phase began on Sunday, September 19, 2021, at 8:15 PM, and will complete on Friday, November 19, 2021.

## November 20, 2021 Industry Test:

#### Time: 6:00 AM - 9:15 AM, ET

OPRA IGN Subscriber Conference Call:

- Access Number: 212-209-9920
- Bridge ID: 81756
- Passcode: 63245

# Test Plan:

- The test plan includes all OPRA message types according to the specifications. The test plan can be found on the OPRA Pillar page: <a href="https://www.opraplan.com/pillar">www.opraplan.com/pillar</a>, in the "Test Plans" section (*the file will be downloaded*).
- CBOE input will consist of the message types normally generated during OPRA GTH hours.
- Multicast Subscribers should validate the multicast messages in the test plan and <u>return the</u> <u>checklist</u> with your testing results to <u>CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com</u>.
- Data Subscribers will process multicast data and request retransmissions (if required).

#### Test Registration:

Each OPRA Data Subscriber participating in the test should register at <u>CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com</u>.

Data Subscribers who receive OPRA from connectivity service providers other than ICE Global Network (IGN) must contact their connectivity service providers to coordinate testing.

# Remaining Testing Date:

- Production Confidence Test:
  <u>– Saturday, November 20, 2021</u>
- Activation Date:
  <u>
  Sunday, November 21, 2021</u>

# The OPRA GTH production multicast lines are as follows:

• Multicast Lines 201, 202, 203, and 204

OPRA Pillar multicast addressing can be found in Appendix E here.

# Fallback:

- The fallback period will be from Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup> through December 3rd. In the event a fallback is required, data will cease dissemination on the Global Trading Hours multicast lines and begin over the Extended Trading Hours (ETH) multcast lines.
- GTH/ETH subscribers should support both sets of multicast lines during the duration of the fallback period.
- GTH/ETH Subscribers will be notified of a fallback via email and www.OPRAplan.com.

# For OPRA Technical Inquiries:

- For OPRA technical questions, please send an email to <u>CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com</u>
- 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.