

arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether Amendment No. 1 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-FINRA-2020-024 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-FINRA-2020-024. 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 (<http://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 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange and on its internet website. All comments received will be posted without change. Persons submitting comments are cautioned that we do not redact or edit personal identifying information from comment submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-FINRA-2020-024 and should be submitted on or before December 28, 2020.

VI. Accelerated Approval of Proposed Rule Change As Modified by Amendment No. 1

The Commission finds good cause to approve the proposed rule change, as modified by Amendment No. 1, prior to the 30th day after the date of publication of notice of the filing of

Amendment No. 1 in the **Federal Register**. As discussed above, the proposed rule change, as modified by Amendment No. 1, would eliminate the OATS Rules as duplicative systems of the CAT, after Industry Members and able to demonstrate reliable and accurate reporting to the CAT with a reasonable rate of errors, and after FINRA is able to ascertain that (1) usage of CAT Data over the assessment period has not revealed material issues that have not been corrected; (2) the CAT includes all data necessary to allow FINRA to continue to meet its surveillance obligations; and (3) the Plan Processor is sufficiently meeting all of its obligations under the CAT NMS Plan. The Commission believes that the proposal is consistent with these provisions of the CAT NMS Plan and consistent with the Act because they are reasonably designed to assist the SROs in meeting their regulatory obligations pursuant to Rule 613 and the Plan.

In Amendment No. 1, FINRA modified the method by which the equity exchange match rate would be calculated. Specifically, FINRA proposed that instead of calculating the equity exchange match rate on a per exchange basis, it would calculate the match rate in the aggregate across all exchanges. The Commission believes that such a calculation is consistent with the current reporting published by FINRA CAT and as such will be easier for industry members to understand. The Commission believes Amendment No. 1 does not materially modify the substance of the proposed rule change as it was initially filed, but merely provides for a more straightforward method for calculating the equity exchange match rates.

Accordingly, the Commission finds good cause, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act, to approve the proposed rule change, SR-FINRA-2020-024, as modified by Amendment No. 1, on an accelerated basis.⁸³

VII. Conclusion

It is therefore ordered, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act, that the proposed rule change (SR-FINRA-2020-024), as modified by Amendment No. 1, be and hereby is, approved on an accelerated basis.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.⁸⁴

J. Matthew DeLesDernier,

Assistant Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration # 16603 and # 16604; California Disaster Number CA-00325]

Presidential Declaration Amendment of a Major Disaster for the State of California

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Amendment 9.

SUMMARY: This is an amendment of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of California (FEMA-4558-DR), dated 08/22/2020.

Incident: Wildfires.

Incident Period: 08/14/2020 through 09/26/2020.

DATES: Issued on 11/21/2020.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 12/11/2020.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 05/24/2021.

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

A. Escobar, Office of Disaster Assistance, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street SW, Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416, (202) 205-6734.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of the President's major disaster declaration for the State of California, dated 08/22/2020, is hereby amended to extend the deadline for filing applications for physical damages as a result of this disaster to 12/11/2020.

All other information in the original declaration remains unchanged.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 59008)

Cynthia Pitts,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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⁸³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

⁸⁴ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).