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**DATE:** JULY 18, 2014

**SUBJECT:** CBeyond, Inc. – CASH SETTLEMENT/ACCELERATION OF MATURITIES  
FUTURES SYMBOL: CBEY1D  
DATE: 7/21/14

On July 9, 2014, Shareholders of Cbeyond, Inc. (CBEY) voted concerning the proposed merger with Hawks Merger Sub, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Birch Communications, Inc. The merger was approved and subsequently consummated on July 18, 2014. As a result, each existing CBEY Common Share will be converted into the right to receive \$10.00 net cash per share.

**CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT**

**DATE:** July 21, 2014

**MULTIPLIER:** 100 (e.g. 1.00 equals \$100)

**NEW DELIVERABLE  
PER CONTRACT:** \$1,000.00 Cash (\$10.00 x 100)

Settlement in CBEY1D futures will take place through OCC's cash settlement system.

Pursuant to Rule 1304 of OCC's Rules and Bylaws, the maturity date for all CBEY1D Security Futures will be accelerated on July 21, 2014.

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**CATEGORY:            CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT**

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