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DATE: AUGUST 6, 2014

SUBJECT: DISCOVERY COMMUNICATIONS, INC. - DISTRIBUTION

OPTION SYMBOL: DISCA NEW SYMBOL: DISC1

FUTURES SYMBOLS: DISC1C/DISC1D

NEW SYMBOLS: DISC2C/DISC2D

DATE: 8/7/14
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CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT - OPTIONS

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 7, 2014

OPTION SYMBOL: DISCA changes to DISC1

STRIKE PRICES: No Change

NUMBER OF

CONTRACTS: No Change

MULTIPLIER: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 75 yields \$7,500)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT 1) 100 Discovery Communications, Inc. (DISCA) Series A Common

Shares

2) 100 Discovery Communications, Inc. (DISCK) Series C Common

Shares

SETTLEMENT

ALLOCATION: DISCA: 50%

DISCK: 50%

CUSIPS: DISCA: 25470F104

DISCK: 25470F302

THE SETTLEMENT ALLOCATION OF THE TOTAL STRIKE PRICE AMOUNT IS BEING PROVIDED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE INTERFACE BETWEEN OCC AND THE NATIONAL SECURITY CLEARING CORPORATION (NSCC), AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE USED FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE, TRANSACTION OR CUSTOMER ACCOUNT STATEMENTS.

PRICING

The underlying price for DISC1 will be determined as follows:

DISC1 = DISCA + DISCK

CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT - FUTURES

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 7, 2014

FUTURES SYMBOLS: DISC1C changes to DISC2C

DISC1D changes to DISC2D

SETTLEMENT PRICES: No Change

NUMBER OF

CONTRACTS: No Change

MULTIPLIER: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT 1) 100 Discovery Communications, Inc. (DISCA) Series A Common

Shares

2) 100 Discovery Communications, Inc. (DISCK) Series C Common

Shares

SETTLEMENT

ALLOCATION: DISCA: 50%

DISCK: 50%

CUSIPS: DISCA: 25470F104

DISCK: 25470F302

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PRICING

The underlying price for the DISC2C/DISC2D Futures contract deliverables, expressed in term of current market value, would be calculated as follows:

DISC2C = DISCA + DISCK

Please note that the valuation would apply only to the DISC2C/DISC2D deliverables in terms of current market value of the deliverable securities. The resulting price would <u>not</u> be equivalent to the daily settlement price of a futures contract month, whose determination would include cost of money carrying charges, adjustment for dividends, and other factors.

BACKGROUND

Discovery Communications, Inc. has announced a distribution of Discovery Communications, Inc. (DISCK) Series C Common Shares. The distribution ratio is 1.0 DISCK share for each DISCA share held. The record date is July 28, 2014; the payable date is August 6, 2014. The Nasdaq Stock Market has set August 7, 2014, as the ex-distribution date for this distribution.

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CATEGORY: CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

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