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DATE: AUGUST 10, 2020

SUBJECT: SMITH & WESSON BRANDS, INC. - DISTRIBUTION

OPTION SYMBOL: SWBI NEW SYMBOL: SWBI1

FUTURES SYMBOL: SWBI1D

**NEW SYMBOL: SWBI2D** 

**DATE: 8/25/20** 

# **CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT - OPTIONS**

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 25, 2020

OPTION SYMBOL: SWBI changes to SWBI1

STRIKE PRICES: No Change

NUMBER OF

CONTRACTS: No Change

MULTIPLIER: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 27 yields \$2,700)

**NEW DELIVERABLE** 

PER CONTRACT 1) 100 Smith & Wesson Brands, Inc. (SWBI) Common Shares

2) 25 (New) American Outdoor Brands, Inc. (AOUT) Common

Shares

SETTLEMENT

ALLOCATION: SWBI: TBD

**AOUT: TBD** 

CUSIPS: SWBI: 831754106

AOUT: 02875D109

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 SWBI1 will be determined as follows:

SWBI1 = SWBI + 0.25 (AOUT)

## **CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT - FUTURES**

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 25, 2020

FUTURES SYMBOL: SWBI1D changes to SWBI2D

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 Smith & Wesson Brands, Inc. (SWBI) Common Shares

2) 25 (New) American Outdoor Brands, Inc. (AOUT) Common Shares

**SETTLEMENT** 

ALLOCATION: SWBI: TBD

AOUT: TBD

CUSIPS: SWBI: 831754106

AOUT: 02875D109

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### **PRICING**

The underlying price for the SWBI2D Futures contract deliverable, expressed in terms of current market value, would be calculated as follows:

SWBI2D = SWBI + 0.25 (AOUT)

Please note that the valuation would apply only to the SWBI2D deliverable 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**

Smith & Wesson Brands, Inc. (SWBI) has announced a distribution of (New) American Outdoor Brands, Inc. (AOUT) Common Shares. The distribution ratio is 0.25 of an AOUT share for each SWBI share held. The record date is August 10, 2020; the payable date is August 24, 2020. The NASDAQ has set August 25, 2020, as the ex-distribution date for this distribution.

American Outdoor Brands, Inc. Common Shares began trading on a when issued basis on August 10, 2020 on the NASDAQ under the trading symbol "AOUTV" and are anticipated to begin trading regular way on August 25, 2020, under the trading symbol "AOUT".

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