



**DATE: AUGUST 20, 2020**

**SUBJECT: VALARIS PLC - SYMBOL CHANGE**  
**OPTION SYMBOLS: 8/20/20 - VAL/VAL2 remain VAL/VAL2**  
**8/21/20 - VAL/VAL2 become VALPQ/VALQ2**  
**DATE: 8/21/20**

Valaris plc (VAL) will change its trading symbol to VALPQ, effective August 20, 2020, due to the listing of the company on an OTC market. As a result, option symbols VAL/VAL2 will change to VALPQ/VALQ2 effective at the opening of business on August 21, 2020.

Strike prices and all other option terms will not change. Clearing Member input to OCC must use the new option symbols VALPQ/VALQ2 commencing August 21, 2020.

**DATE: August 21, 2020**

**OPTION SYMBOLS: VAL changes to VALPQ (Effective August 21, 2020)**  
**VAL2 changes to VALQ2 (Effective August 21, 2020) (VAL options were adjusted on April 11, 2019. See OCC Information Memo #45422)**

**UNDERLYING SECURITY: VAL changes to VALPQ (Effective August 20, 2020)**

**CONTRACT MULTIPLIER: 1**

**STRIKE DIVISOR: 1**

**NEW MULTIPLIER: 100**

**DELIVERABLE PER CONTRACT: VALPQ**  
 100 Valaris plc (VALPQ) Class A Ordinary Shares

**VALQ2**  
 25 Valaris plc (VALPQ) Class A Ordinary Shares

**CUSIP: G9402V109**

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