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Date: AUGUST 20, 2021

Subject: Trading Halt/Removal From Ex-By-Ex Processing/Expiration Summary

EXPIRING SERIES OF THE OPTIONS LISTED BELOW WILL NOT BE SUBJECT TO OCC'S AUTOMATIC EXERCISE THRESHOLDS IN STANDARD AUGUST 2021 EXPIRATION PROCESSING.

Holders of long positions in these affected options will need to make independent determinations of the value of the option deliverable in deciding to exercise, or not exercise, any expiring long position. If positive instructions to exercise are not submitted to OCC by the clearing member, expiring positions will not be exercised.

Option Symbol	Security	Reason Out Of Ex-By-Ex
PDLI	PDL BioPharma, Inc. (PDLI)	Security not trading
CHL	China Mobile Limited (CHL)	Security not trading
DOFQ1	Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. Warrants	Security not trading
MMAT1	Torchlight Energy Resources, Inc. Series A Preferred Shares	Security not trading

MEMBERS SHOULD ADVISE THEIR CUSTOMERS TO TAKE THE FOLLOWING CONSIDERATIONS INTO ACCOUNT IN DECIDING TO EXERCISE, OR NOT TO EXERCISE, THESE OPTIONS.

ALL CLEARING MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO IMMEDIATELY ADVISE ALL BRANCH OFFICES AND CORRESPONDENTS ON THE ABOVE.

For questions regarding this memo, call Investor Services at 1-888-678-4667 or email investorservices@theocc.com. Clearing Members may contact Member Services at 1-800-544-6091 or, within Canada, at 1-800-424-7320, or email memberservices@theocc.com.