

#49328

Date: September 30, 2021

Subject: Bank of Commerce Holdings – Contract Adjustment

Option Symbol: BOCH New Symbol: COLB1

Date: 10/01/21

**Contract Adjustment** 

Date: October 1, 2021

Option Symbol: BOCH changes to COLB1

Strike Divisor: 1

Contracts

Multiplier: 1

New Multiplier: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 15 yields \$1,500.00)

New Deliverable

Per Contract: 1) 40 Columbia Banking System, Inc. (COLB) Common Shares, subject

to adjustment as described in the BOCH Proxy Statement/Prospectus

dated August 17, 2021 ("Proxy")

2) Cash in lieu of fractional COLB Common Shares, if any, as described in

the Proxy

Note: Once determined the cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the

option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any

security.

**CUSIP:** COLB: 197236102

**Pricing** 

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for COLB1 will be determined as follows if the terms are unchanged:

COLB1 = 0.40 (COLB)

## **Delayed Settlement**

OCC will delay settlement of the COLB and cash portion of the COLB1 deliverable until the final merger consideration and cash in lieu of fractional COLB shares, if any, are determined. Upon determination of the

final merger consideration and cash in lieu amount, if any, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate number of shares and cash amount.

## Background

On September 21, 2021, Shareholders of Bank of Commerce Holdings (BOCH) voted concerning the proposed merger with Columbia Banking System, Inc. (COLB). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated on September 30, 2021. As a result, each existing BOCH Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.40 COLB Common Shares, subject to adjustment as described in the Proxy. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional COLB shares, if any.

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

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