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Date: October 12, 2021

Subject: Severn Bancorp, Inc. - Anticipated Adjustment
Option Symbol: SVBI
New Symbol: SHBI1
Date: ???

Contract Adjustment

Date: Effective the opening of the business day after the merger is consummated. Contract adjustment is anticipated to occur during the fourth quarter of 2021.

Option Symbol: SVBI changes to SHBI1

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) 62 Shore Bancshares, Inc. (SHBI) Common Shares, subject to adjustment as described in the SVBI/SHBI Joint Proxy Statement/Prospectus dated September 14, 2021. ("Proxy")
- 2) Cash in lieu of 0.07 fractional SHBI Common Shares, if any
- 3) \$159.00 cash (\$1.59 x 100), subject to adjustment 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: SHBI: 825107105

Pricing

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for SHBI1 will be determined as follows if the terms are unchanged:

$$\text{SHBI1} = 0.6207 (\text{SHBI}) + 1.59$$

Delayed Settlement

OCC will delay settlement of the SHBI and cash portion of the SHBI1 deliverable until the final merger consideration and cash in lieu of fractional SHBI 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 October 22, 2021, Shareholders of Severn Bancorp, Inc. (SVBI) will vote concerning the proposed merger with Shore Bancshares, Inc. (SHBI). If the merger is approved and consummated, each existing SVBI Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.6207 SHBI Common Shares plus \$1.59 Cash, subject to adjustment as described in the Proxy. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional SHBI shares, if any.

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