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Option Symbol: 12/14/21 – KSU remains KSU (with adjusted deliverable described below)

12/15/21 – KSU changes to CP1

Strike Divisor: 1

Contracts

Multiplier: 1

New Multiplier: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 270 yields \$27,000.00)

New Deliverable

Per Contract: 1) 288 Canadian Pacific Railway Limited (CP) Common Shares

2) Cash in lieu of 0.4 fractional CP Common Shares

3) \$9,000.00 cash (\$90.00 x 100)

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:** CP: 13645T100

**Pricing** 

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for CP1 will be determined as follows:

CP1 = 2.884 (CP) + 90.00

## **Delayed Settlement**

The CP component of the CP1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the CP1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional CP shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

## **Background**

On December 10, 2021, Shareholders of Kansas City Southern (KSU) voted concerning the proposed merger with Canadian Pacific Railway Limited (CP). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated before the open on December 14, 2021. As a result, each existing KSU Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 2.884 CP Common Shares plus \$\$90.00 Cash. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional CP shares.

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