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Date: October 20, 2022

Subject: QIWI plc – Settlement Update
Option Symbol: QIWI

Effective March 16, 2022, the National Securities Clearing Corporation (“NSCC”) no longer accepted QIWI exercise and assignment activity for settlement. As a result, all exercise and assignment activity for QIWI options beginning March 16, 2022, was subject to broker-to-broker settlement, as stated in OCC Information Memos ##50189, #50212, #50785, and #51193. On July 22, 2022 the Office of Foreign Assets Control (“OFAC”) of the U.S. Department of the Treasury published Russia-related General License 45, which permitted, through 12:01 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time on October 20, 2022, certain transactions that are ordinarily incident and necessary to the wind down of financial contracts or other agreements that were entered into on or before June 6, 2022, and involved or were linked to debt or equity securities issued by an entity in the Russian Federation. **Due to the expiration of Russia-related General License 45 at 12:01 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time on October 20, 2022, any remaining QIWI broker-to-broker activity that has not yet settled will be subject to delayed settlement.**

It is OCC’s understanding that transfer of QIWI shares will not be permissible as of October 20, 2022. **Clearing Members with unsettled QIWI option obligations may no longer settle those obligations through the delivery of QIWI shares at this time.** OCC may at a future date fix a cash settlement price in respect of QIWI shares for exercise and assignment purposes.

Clearing Members that have QIWI exercise and assignment obligations that were subject to broker-to-broker settlement and for which settlement was completed prior to October 20, 2022, are reminded to mark such obligations as settled on OCC’s broker-to-broker screen as soon as possible if they have not yet done so.

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The determination to adjust options and the nature of any adjustment is made by OCC pursuant to OCC By-Laws, Article VI, Sections 11 and 11A. The determination to adjust futures and the nature of any adjustment is made by OCC pursuant to OCC By-Laws, Article XII, Sections 3, 4, or 4A, as applicable. For both options and futures, each adjustment decision is made on a case by case basis. Adjustment decisions are based on information available at the time and are subject to change as additional information becomes available or if there are material changes to the terms of the corporate event(s) occasioning the adjustment.

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

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