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Date: May 22, 2025

Subject: Adjusted Discover Financial Services - Cash in Lieu Settlement
Adjusted Option Symbols: COF1/2COF1

Adjusted Discover Financial Services options were adjusted on May 19, 2025 (See OCC Information Memo #56569). The new deliverable became 1) 101 Capital One Financial Corporation (COF) Common Shares and 2) Cash in lieu of 0.92 fractional COF Common Shares. Only settlement of the cash portion of COF1 options exercise/assignment activity was subject to delayed settlement.

OCC has been informed that a price of \$198.59 per whole COF share will be used to determine the cash in lieu amount. Accordingly, the cash in lieu amount is:

$$0.92 \times \$198.59 = \$182.70 \text{ per COF1 Contract}$$

Now that the exact cash in lieu amount has been determined, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees, during the period of May 19, 2025 through May 22, 2025, to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

The cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any security.

Terms of the COF1/2COF1 options are as follows:

New Deliverable

Per Contract: 1) 101 Capital One Financial Corporation (COF) Common Shares
2) \$182.70 Cash

Strike Prices: Unchanged

CUSIP: COF: 14040H105

Multiplier: 100 (i.e., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)

Settlement

The COF component of COF1/2COF1 exercise/assignment activity from May 19, 2025 through May 21, 2025, has settled through National Security Clearing Corporation (NSCC). The \$182.70 cash amount will be settled by OCC.

Pricing

The underlying price for COF1 will be determined as follows:

$$\text{COF1} = 1.01 (\text{COF}) + 1.8270$$

For example, if COF closes at 186.93, the COF1 price would be calculated as follows:

$$\text{COF1} = 1.01 (186.93) + 1.8270 = 190.63$$

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