



Important Notice
National Securities Clearing Corporation

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Date:	APRIL 24, 2012
To:	ALL MEMBERS
Attention:	MANAGING PARTNER/OFFICER OPERATIONS PARTNER/OFFICER SETTLEMENT MANAGER/CASHIER
From:	GENERAL COUNSEL'S OFFICE
Subject:	DISCONTINUATION OF DATA DISTRIBUTION BOXES SERVICE

As was previously announced via Important Notice A#7278, P&S#6848, dated September 9, 2011, the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission approved National Securities Clearing Corporation ("NSCC") rule filing SR-NSCC-2011-04 which, among other rule changes, provided for the closing of NSCC's Data Distribution Boxes Service.

The Important Notice mentioned above announced that this service would close on September 23, 2011; however access to the related facilities have remained available to Members to allow for a wind-down of their use. In this regard, please note that **NSCC will discontinue providing access to the facilities provided under the Data Distribution Boxes Service effective as of Monday, May 21, 2012 (the "Effective Date"). Participants are advised to empty their Data Distribution Boxes of all contents by the Effective Date.**

Questions regarding this notice should be directed to your Relationship Manager.