

Date: January 27, 2009

Audience: All NYSE Amex Options Order Sending Firms

Subject: Critical Update to NYSE Amex FIX Specification

Highlights: Directed Order Description update

Summary:

On Tuesday January 27, 2009 the Directed Order Specification for FIX order entry was updated for NYSE Amex Options. The updates included corrections to FIX tag information and descriptions of Directed Order processing.

For these changes and further specification details visit: http://www.nyse.com/pdfs/FIX_Specification_and_API.pdf.

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