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DATE: OCTOBER 26, 2018

SUBJECT: PINNACLE FOODS INC. - CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

OPTION SYMBOL: 10/26/18 – PF remains PF

10/29/18 - PF becomes CAG1

FUTURES SYMBOL: 10/26/18 – PF1D remains PF1D

10/29/18 - PF1D becomes PF2D

DATE: 10/26/18

CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

DATE: October 26, 2018

OPTION SYMBOL: 10/26/18 - PF remains PF (with adjusted deliverable described below)

10/29/18 - PF becomes CAG1

STRIKE DIVISOR: 1

CONTRACTS

MULTIPLIER: 1

NEW MULTIPLIER: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 65 yields \$6,500.00)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT: 1) 64 Conagra Brands, Inc. (CAG) Common Shares

2) Cash in lieu of 0.94 fractional CAG shares

3) \$4,311.00 Cash (\$43.11 x 100)

CUSIP: CAG: 205887102

PRICING

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for CAG1 will be determined as follows:

CAG1 = 0.6494 (CAG) + 43.11

DELAYED SETTLEMENT

The CAG component of the CAG1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the CAG1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional CAG 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.

FUTURES CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

DATE: October 26, 2018

FUTURES SYMBOL: 10/26/18 – PF1D remains PF1D (with adjusted deliverable described below)

10/29/18 - PF1D becomes PF2D

NUMBER OF

CONTRACTS: No Change

MULTIPLIER 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT: 1) 64 Conagra Brands, Inc. (CAG) Common Shares

2) Cash in lieu of 0.94 fractional CAG shares

3) \$4,311.00 Cash (\$43.11 x 100)

CUSIP: CAG: 205887102

PRICING

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for the PF2D Futures contract deliverables, expressed in term of current market value, would be calculated as follows:

PF2D = 0.6494 (CAG) + 43.11

Please note that the valuation would apply only to the PF2D deliverable in terms of current market value of the deliverable securities. The resulting price would <u>not</u> be equivalent to the daily settlement price of a futures contract month, whose determination would include cost of money carrying charges, adjustment for dividends, and other factors.

DELAYED SETTLEMENT

The CAG component of the PF2D deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the PF2D deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional CAG shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require delivery of the appropriate cash amount.

BACKGROUND

On October 23, 2018, Shareholders of Pinnacle Foods Inc. (PF) voted concerning the proposed merger with Conagra Brands, Inc. (CAG). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated before the open on October 26, 2018. As a result, each existing PF Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.6494 CAG Common Shares plus \$43.11 Cash. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional CAG shares.

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