

DATE: December 6, 2012

TO: MIAX Members

FROM: MIAX Regulatory Department

RE: Trade Allocation

The MIAX System will allocate option contracts to participants in transactions on all classes traded on MIAX based on a **Pro-Rata Trade Allocation Method** unless other stated.

- In accordance with MIAX Rule 514(d), the following priority overlays will apply unless otherwise stated:
 - Priority Customer Orders
 - Primary Lead Market Maker
 - o Directed Lead Market Maker

Please direct any questions to Regulatory@miaxoptions.com.