meeting that are open to the public. Detailed procedures for the conduct of and participation in ACRS meetings were published in the Federal Register on October 17, 2016, (81 FR 71543).

Information regarding changes to the agenda, whether the meeting has been canceled or rescheduled, and the time allotted to present oral statements can be obtained by contacting the identified DFO. Moreover, in view of the possibility that the schedule for ACRS meetings may be adjusted by the Chairman as necessary to facilitate the conduct of the meeting, persons planning to attend should check with the DFO if such rescheduling would result in a major inconvenience.

If attending this meeting, please enter through the One White Flint North building, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852. After registering with Security, please contact Mr. Theron Brown at 240–888–9835 to be escorted to the meeting room.

Mark L. Banks,
Chief, Technical Support Branch, Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

New Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission's consideration concerning negotiated service agreements. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

DATES: Comments are due: May 30, 2017.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments electronically via the Commission's Filing Online system at http://www.prc.gov. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202–789–6820.

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I. Introduction

The Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition or removal of a negotiated service agreement from the market dominant or the competitive product list, or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the market dominant or the competitive product list.

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, the title of each Postal Service request, the request's acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each request, the Commission appoints an officer of the Commission to represent the interests of the general public in the proceeding, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505 (Public Representative). Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each request. The public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s) can be accessed via the Commission’s Web site (http://www.prc.gov). Non-public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s), if any, can be accessed through compliance with the requirements of 39 CFR 3007.40.

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service's request(s) in the captioned docket(s) are consistent with the policies of title 39. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern market dominant product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3622, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3010, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern competitive product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3632, 39 U.S.C. 3633, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3015, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. Comment deadline(s) for each request appear in section II.

II. Docketed Proceeding(s)

1. Docket No(s): CP2016–27; Filing Title: Notice of United States Postal Service of Change in Prices Pursuant to Amendment to Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 6, with Portions Filed Under Seal; Filing Acceptance Date: May 19, 2017; Filing Authority: 39 U.S.C. 3015.5; Public Representative: Kenneth R. Moeller; Comments Due: May 30, 2017.


This notice will be published in the Federal Register.

Stacy L. Ruble,
Secretary.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review, Request for Comments

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) is forwarding an Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (OIRA), Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Our ICR describes the information we seek to collect from the public. Review and approval by OIRA ensures that we impose appropriate paperwork burdens.

The RRB invites comments on the proposed collections of information to determine (1) the practical utility of the collections; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden of the collections; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information that is the subject of collection; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of collections on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Comments to the RRB or OIRA must contain the OMB control number of the ICR. For proper consideration of your comments, it is best if the RRB and OIRA receive them within 30 days of the publication date.

1. Title and purpose of information collection: Railroad Unemployment
Insurance Act Applications; OMB 3220–0039.

Under Section 2 of the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (RUIA), sickness benefits are payable to qualified railroad employees who are unable to work because of illness or injury. In addition, sickness benefits are payable to qualified female employees if they are unable to work, or if working would be injurious, because of pregnancy, miscarriage, or childbirth. Under Section 1(k) of the RUIA a statement of sickness, with respect to days of sickness of an employee, is to be filed with the RRB within a 10-day period from the first day claimed as a day of sickness. The Railroad Retirement Board’s (RRB) authority for requesting supplemental medical information is Section 12(i) and 12(n) of the RUIA. The procedures for claiming sickness benefits and for the RRB to obtain supplemental medical information needed to determine a

clalmant’s eligibility for such benefits are prescribed in 20 CFR part 335. The forms currently used by the RRB to obtain information needed to determine eligibility for, and the amount of, sickness benefits due a claimant follow: Form SI–1a, Application for Sickness Benefits; Form SI–1b, Statement of Sickness; Form SI–3, Claim for Sickness Benefits; Form SI–7, Supplemental Doctor’s Statement; Form SI–8, Verification of Medical Information; and Form ID–11A, Requesting Reason for Late Filing of Sickness Benefit. Completion is required to obtain or retain benefits. One response is requested of each respondent.

Previous Requests for Comments: The RRB has already published the initial 60-day notice (82 FR 12859 on March 7, 2017) required by 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2). That request elicited no comments.

Information Collection Request (ICR)

Title: Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act Applications.

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2. Title and Purpose of information collection: Job Information Report, OMB 3220–0193.

The Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) occupational disability standards allow the RRB to request job information from railroad employers to determine an applicant’s eligibility for an occupational disability.

To determine an occupational disability, the RRB must obtain the employee’s work history and establish if the employee is precluded from performing his or her regular railroad occupation. This is accomplished by comparing the restrictions caused by the impairment(s) against the employee’s ability to perform his or her job duties.

To collect the information needed to determine the effect of a disability on an employee applicant’s ability to work, the RRB utilizes Form G–251, Vocational Report (OMB 3220–0141) which is completed by the applicant.

Form G–251A, Railroad Job Information, requests railroad employers to provide information regarding whether the employee has been medically disqualified from their railroad occupation; a summary of the employee’s duties; the machinery, tools and equipment used by the employee; the environmental conditions under which the employee performs their duties; all sensory requirements (vision, hearing, speech) needed to perform the employee’s duties; the physical actions and amount of time (frequency) allotted for those actions that may be required by the employee to perform their duties during a typical work day; any permanent working accommodations an employer may have made due to the employee’s disability; as well as any other relevant information they may choose to include. Completion is voluntary.

Previous Requests for Comments: The RRB has already published the initial 60-day notice (82 FR 12859 on March 7, 2017) required by 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2). That request elicited no comments.

Title: Job Information Report.

OMB control number: 3220–0193.

Form(s) submitted: G–251A.

Type of request: Extension without change of a currently approved collection.

Affected public: Businesses or other for profits.

Abstract: The collection obtains information used by the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) to assist in determining whether a railroad employee is disabled from his or her regular occupation. It provides railroad employers with the opportunity to provide information to the RRB regarding the employee applicant’s job duties.

Changes proposed: The RRB proposes minor editorial changes to Form G–251A.

The burden estimate for the ICR is as follows:
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION


Self-Regulatory Organizations; Bats BZX Exchange, Inc.; Notice of Filing of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend BZX Rule 14.11, Other Securities, To Provide for the Inclusion of Cash in an Index Underlying a Series of Index Fund Shares

May 19, 2017.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Act”),1 and Rule 19b–4 thereunder,2 notice is hereby given that on May 12, 2017, Bats BZX Exchange, Inc. (the “Exchange” or “BZX”) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Terms of the Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange filed a proposal to amend BZX Rule 14.11 (Other Securities, to provide for the inclusion of cash in an index underlying a series of Index Fund Shares.

The text of the proposed rule change is available at the Exchange’s Web site at www.bats.com, at the principal office of the Exchange, and at the Commission’s Public Reference Room.

II. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, the Exchange included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The text of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Exchange has prepared summaries, set forth in Sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant parts of such statements.

A. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

1. Purpose

The Exchange proposes to amend BZX Rule 14.11(c), Index Fund Shares, to provide for the inclusion of cash in an index underlying a series of Index Fund Shares (“Shares”).3 More specifically, BZX Rules 14.11(c)(3) and 14.11(c)(4) provide “generic” criteria permitting listing and trading of Shares pursuant to Rule 19b–4(e) under the Act when the underlying index or portfolio satisfies the criteria set forth in BZX Rules 14.11(c)(3) related to equity securities or 14.11(c)(4) related to fixed income securities.

The Exchange understands that certain index providers have included, or intend to include, cash as a component in indexes that also include equity or fixed income securities components. An index provider may, for example, provide a certain index weighting allocation to cash or may periodically change an allocation to cash based on the index provider’s assessment of market risk associated with other asset classes in the applicable index. Accordingly, the Exchange proposes to amend BZX Rules 14.11(c)(3) and 14.11(c)(4) to explicitly permit listing and trading of Shares based on an index or portfolio that includes cash as a component.

BZX Rule 14.11(c)(3)(A)(ii) currently provides that the component stocks of an index or portfolio of U.S. Component Stocks5 underlying a series of Shares must meet certain requirements related to the market cap, trading volume, weighting, diversity, and security requirements. BZX Rule 14.11(c)(3)(A)(iii) currently provides that the components of an index or portfolio underlying a series of Shares that consist of either only Non-U.S. Component Stocks6 or both U.S. Component Stocks and Non-U.S. Component Stocks must meet certain similar requirements related to the market cap, trading volume, weighting, diversity, and security requirements that are either equally or more restrictive than for an index or portfolio of U.S. Component Stocks. Finally, BZX Rule 14.11(c)(4)(B)(i) provides that each component of an index or portfolio that underlies a series of Shares shall meet the following criteria: The index or portfolio must consist of Fixed Income Securities7 as well as certain requirements related to original principal outstanding, convertible securities, weighting, diversity, and certain issuer requirements. As described below, the proposed amendments to BZX Rule 14.11(c)(3) and 14.11(c)(4) would make clear that cash is permitted to be held as an index or portfolio component and how such cash is permitted to be held as an index or portfolio component.

B. Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

1. U.S. Component Stocks

BZX Rule 14.11(c)(3)(A)(i) currently provides that the component stocks of an index or portfolio underlying a series of Shares shall meet certain requirements related to the market cap, trading volume, weighting, diversity, and security requirements that are either equally or more restrictive than for an index or portfolio of U.S. Component Stocks. Finally, BZX Rule 14.11(c)(4)(B)(i) provides that each component of an index or portfolio that underlies a series of Shares shall meet the following criteria: The index or portfolio must consist of Fixed Income Securities as well as certain requirements related to original principal outstanding, convertible securities, weighting, diversity, and certain issuer requirements. As described below, the proposed amendments to BZX Rule 14.11(c)(3) and 14.11(c)(4) would make clear that cash is permitted to be held as an index or portfolio component and how such

5Pursuant to BZX Rule 14.11(c)(1)(D), the term “U.S. Component Stock” shall mean an equity security that is registered under Sections 12(b) or 12(g) of the Act, or an American Depositary Receipt, the underlying equity security of which is registered under Sections 12(b) or 12(g) of the Act.
6Pursuant to BZX Rule 14.11(c)(1)(E), the term “Non-U.S. Component Stock” shall mean an equity security that is not registered under Sections 12(b) or 12(g) of the Act, but is issued by an entity that is not organized, domiciled or incorporated in the United States, and is issued by an entity that is an operating company (including Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)) and income trust, but excluding investment trusts, unit trusts, mutual funds, and derivatives.
7Pursuant to BZX Rule 14.11(c)(4), Fixed Income Securities are debt securities that are notes, bonds, debentures or evidence of indebtedness that include, but are not limited to, U.S. Department of Treasury securities (“Treasury Securities”), government-sponsored entity securities (“GSE Securities”), municipal securities, trust preferred securities, supranational debt and debt of a foreign country or a subdivision thereof.