

### **Informational Circular**

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TO: BOX Options Participants

FROM: BOX Market Operations Center

**SUBJECT:** Upcoming Enhancements to Complex Orders

DATE: June 7, 2022

Effective **June 13, 2022**, BOX Options Market LLC ("BOX") will offer enhanced functionality for Complex Orders trading on BOX. Specifically, Participants will now have the ability to create Complex Orders with up to 16 legs.

All other Complex Order functionality remains unchanged.

## **Technical Information**

#### **SAIL Protocol**

The following table summarizes the changes for the SAIL protocol. For the new version of the SAIL specifications document, please refer to BOX website at <a href="https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/">https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/</a>.

Message Types	Field	Description of Change
ON: New Complex Order Instrument	Number of Legs	From 2 to 16
KN: New Complex Order Instrument Acknowledgement		
OT: Complex Order Auction Entry		

Field Types	Description of Change	
Post-Trade Instruction	Supports Open/Close up to 16 legs	
	enclosed within 'P' characters	
	Example on a 16 leg Complex Order:	
	POOCCOCCOOOCOP	

### **FIX Protocol**

The following table summarizes the changes for the FIX protocol. For the new version of the FIX specifications document, please refer to BOX website at <a href="https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/">https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/</a>.

Message Types	Tag Number	Description of Change
AB: New Multi-Leg Order – Single	555 - NoLegs	From 2 to 16
AC: Cancel/Replace Multi-Leg Order		
PI: Auction Initial Order		
F: Order Single/Complex Cancel Request		
c: Security Definition Request	146 - NoRelatedSym	From 2 to 16
d: Security Definition		
D: New Single/Complex Order	77 - OpenClose	From 2 to 16
G: Cancel/Replace Single /Complex Order Request		

#### **HSVF Protocol**

The following table summarizes the changes for the HSVF protocol. For the new version of the HSVF specifications document, please refer to BOX website at <a href="https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/">https://boxoptions.com/technology/trading-interface-specifications/</a>.

Message Types	Field	Description of Change
JS: Complex Order Instrument Keys	Number of Legs	From 2 to 16

# **Test Environment**

Participants interested in testing these changes may do so in the BOX Test environment starting on June 7, 2022.

### **Contacts**

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