

## **Informational Circular**

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TO: BOX Options Participants

FROM: BOX Market Operations Center

**SUBJECT:** Coronavirus Update – Trading Floor Closure

DATE: March 19, 2020

As a precautionary measure to prevent the potential spread of coronavirus (COVID-19), BOX Exchange LLC (BOX) will be temporarily closing the Trading Floor in Chicago after the close of business on **Friday**, **March 20**, **2020**. BOX will continue to evaluate the reopening of the Trading Floor as more medical guidance regarding COVID-19 becomes available.

As a result of the closure of the Trading Floor, BOX will be operating in electronic only trading mode. In electronic only trading mode, the Trading Floor and all routing to the Trading Floor will be disabled and unavailable.

Please contact the Market Operations Center at (866) 768-8845 or by e-mail at BOXMOC@boxoptions.com should you require additional information.