

ELECTRONIC TRADING APPLICATION TERMS OF USE

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 - 5a. Use of the System involves the electronic transmission of data and information to and from You across wireless and other networks. You acknowledge and agree that BARCHART does not operate or control the wireless and other networks used to access your account and BARCHART is not responsible or liable for the privacy and security of your wireless data and information transmissions. BARCHART’S Privacy Policy, which is available on BARCHART’S website, shall apply to these Terms and your use of the System.

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- 10. Limitations on Investment Guidance and Professional Advice.** Futures trading involves substantial risk of loss and is not suitable for everyone. You should understand the risks involved in trading and carefully consider whether such trading is suitable in light of your financial circumstances and resources. Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future results. The System is not intended to provide legal, tax, investment, trading or insurance advice. You are solely responsible for determining whether any trade or related transaction is appropriate for You based on your personal objectives, financial circumstances and risk tolerance. You should consult a legal or tax professional regarding your specific situation.
- 11. Changes to the Terms.** BARCHART reserves the right to make changes to these Terms from time to time in its sole discretion. BARCHART will provide notice of such changes, including the date the Terms were updated and the date the updates take effect. Your continued use of the System after the effective date of the updated Terms constitutes your agreement to the changes.