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To: OPRA Multicast Subscribers

Subject: Expansion of OPRA Data Dissemination from a 48-Line to a 96-Line Multicast Network:
Confidence Test - Saturday, February 3, 2024 and Go-Live - Monday, February 5, 2024 - Final Reminder

What's New:

[As previously announced](#), for optimal symbol balancing and line capacity utilization, OPRA will be expanding data dissemination from a 48-line to a 96-line multicast data distribution network.

Go-Live Date:

The Go-Live date of data dissemination on the [96-line multicast data distribution](#) network will take place at start of day, **Monday, February 5, 2024.**

Final 96-Line Symbol Distribution:

The final symbol routing distribution are available as [CSV](#) and [Excel](#) files.

Test Schedule:

Final Test -

- **Saturday, February 3, 2024 - Confidence Test (Functional only)**
 - Test Time: 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM, ET
 - After the test the 96-line network will be left in place for Go-Live Monday, February 5, 2024

For detailed schedule information, please consult the OPRA 96-Line Migration FAQ's, [here](#).

Other Testing Opportunities:

- **Cert System Functional Testing:** New symbol routing test schema
 - Began: Monday, April 3, 2023
 - Ends: Friday, February 2, 2024
- Test replay dissemination with the revised 96-line distribution schema will be available every weeknight over Playback Test IP's (not Production IP's) between **8:00pm and 9:00pm ET** (15-minute period; variable time dependent on completion of afterhours), **began October 23, 2023.**

OPRA subnets, rendezvous points, source addresses, and multicast addresses can be found in the appendices of the Common IP Multicast Distribution specification [here](#).

Data Subscribers who receive OPRA from connectivity service providers other than ICE Global Network (IGN) or the NMS Network must contact their connectivity service providers to coordinate testing.

Test Registration:

Each OPRA Data Subscriber participating in the tests should register at CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com .

Technical Inquiries:

NMS Product Management Support Email: CTA-OPRA-Support@siac.com

NMS Production Management Support Line: 212-656-8177, Option 2 (Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM)

OPRA 96-Line Confidence Test (Functional only)					
Test Date & Time: Feb 3, 2024, 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM ET (Approximate)					
Hourly Test Script					
#	Time	Test Category	Action By	Test Description	Expected Results
Both Primary and Disaster Recovery Data Center with 96-Line Traffic Distribution					
1	1:30:00 AM	SOD	OPRA	OPRA Production and DR sites for both Realtime and Retransmission line, using the 96-line Traffic Distribution . (Refer to Common IP Multicast Distribution Network Specification for network addresses) OPRA to trigger Start-of-Day message on the Output Multicast lines	Start-of-Day messages published over the Output Multicast lines followed by the multicast Line Integrity messages every 10 seconds until the participants begin to generate data
2	1:30:00 - 9:30:00 AM	Participant Connectivity/Input	Participants	Participants to establish connectivity for OPRA Input lines Participants to start submitting Quote and Trade data	Participants establish connections Quotes and trades accepted and disseminated across the 96-lines
3	9:30:00 AM	Market Open	OPRA	Market Open	
4	9:30:00 - 11:00:00 AM	Data Verification	Participants	Participants to continue submitting Quote and Trade data	Data Subscribers to verify Data over the Output Multicast addresses across the 96-lines
5	11:00:00 AM			End of Session (Note - An End-of-Day message will be triggered by OPRA)	