



December 16, 2013

Melissa D. Jurgens  
Secretary  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21st Street N.W.  
Washington, DC 20581

*Re: CFTC Concept Release on Risk Controls and System Safeguards for Automated Trading Environments RIN 3038-AD52*

Dear Ms. Jurgens:

IMC Chicago, LLC d/b/a IMC Financial Markets (“IMC”) appreciates the opportunity to submit this letter in response to the CFTC Concept Release on Risk Controls and System Safeguards for Automated Trading Environments. IMC is a proprietary trading firm and registered broker-dealer, engaged in providing liquidity in nearly every listed equities and derivatives market in the U.S. As a member of FIA’s Principal Traders Group (“FIA PTG”), we write in support of FIA’s comment letter regarding the above-referenced concept release.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Scott Knudsen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Scott Knudsen  
CEO  
IMC Financial Markets