Required fields are shown with yellow backgrounds and asterisks.

OMB Number: 3235-0045
Estimated average burden hours per response..........38

Page 1 of * 8		SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION File No WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 Amendment No. (req. fo				SR - 2016 - * 09 Amendments *) 1
Filing by Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board Pursuant to Rule 19b-4 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934						
Initial *	Amendment *	Withdrawal	Section 19(b)(2) *	Section	on 19(b)(3)(A) *	Section 19(b)(3)(B) *
1 1101	ension of Time Period Commission Action *	Date Expires *		19b-4(f)19b-4(f)19b-4(f)	(2)	
Notice of proposed change pursuant Section 806(e)(1) *		to the Payment, Clear Section 806(e)(2) *	Payment, Clearing, and Settlement Act of 2010 tion 806(e)(2) *		Security-Based Swap Submission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Section 3C(b)(2) *	
Exhibit 2 Sent As Paper Document Exhibit 3 Sent As Paper Document Exhibit 3 Sent As Paper Document						
Description Provide a brief description of the action (limit 250 characters, required when Initial is checked *).						
Contact Information Provide the name, telephone number, and e-mail address of the person on the staff of the self-regulatory organization prepared to respond to questions and comments on the action.						
First Name	* Carl		Last Name * Tugbe	rk		
Title *	Assistant General Counsel					
E-mail *	ctugberk@msrb.org					
Telephone *		Fax				
Signature Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,						
Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board has duly caused this filing to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized. (Title *)						
Date 08/3	1/2016		Corporate Secretary			
By Rona	ald W. Smith					
(Name *) NOTE: Clicking the button at right will digitally sign and lock this form. A digital signature is as legally binding as a physical signature, and once signed, this form cannot be changed. Persona Not Validated - 1453405662880,						

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 For complete Form 19b-4 instructions please refer to the EFFS website. The self-regulatory organization must provide all required information, presented in a Form 19b-4 Information * clear and comprehensible manner, to enable the public to provide meaningful comment on the proposal and for the Commission to determine whether the proposal Remove is consistent with the Act and applicable rules and regulations under the Act. The Notice section of this Form 19b-4 must comply with the guidelines for publication Exhibit 1 - Notice of Proposed Rule Change * in the Federal Register as well as any requirements for electronic filing as published by the Commission (if applicable). The Office of the Federal Register (OFR) offers guidance on Federal Register publication requirements in the Federal Register Add Remove View Document Drafting Handbook, October 1998 Revision. For example, all references to the federal securities laws must include the corresponding cite to the United States Code in a footnote. All references to SEC rules must include the corresponding cite to the Code of Federal Regulations in a footnote. All references to Securities Exchange Act Releases must include the release number, release date, Federal Register cite, Federal Register date, and corresponding file number (e.g., SR-[SRO] -xx-xx). A material failure to comply with these guidelines will result in the proposed rule change being deemed not properly filed. See also Rule 0-3 under the Act (17 CFR 240.0-3) The Notice section of this Form 19b-4 must comply with the guidelines for publication **Exhibit 1A- Notice of Proposed Rule** in the Federal Register as well as any requirements for electronic filing as published Change, Security-Based Swap Submission, by the Commission (if applicable). The Office of the Federal Register (OFR) offers or Advance Notice by Clearing Agencies * guidance on Federal Register publication requirements in the Federal Register Document Drafting Handbook, October 1998 Revision. For example, all references to the federal securities laws must include the corresponding cite to the United States Code in a footnote. All references to SEC rules must include the corresponding cite to the Code of Federal Regulations in a footnote. All references to Securities Exchange Act Releases must include the release number, release date, Federal Register cite, Federal Register date, and corresponding file number (e.g., SR-[SRO] -xx-xx). A material failure to comply with these guidelines will result in the proposed rule change, security-based swap submission, or advance notice being deemed not properly filed. See also Rule 0-3 under the Act (17 CFR 240.0-3) Exhibit 2 - Notices, Written Comments, Copies of notices, written comments, transcripts, other communications. If such Transcripts, Other Communications documents cannot be filed electronically in accordance with Instruction F, they shall be filed in accordance with Instruction G. Remove View Add Exhibit Sent As Paper Document П Exhibit 3 - Form, Report, or Questionnaire Copies of any form, report, or questionnaire that the self-regulatory organization proposes to use to help implement or operate the proposed rule change, or that is Add Remove View referred to by the proposed rule change. Exhibit Sent As Paper Document The full text shall be marked, in any convenient manner, to indicate additions to and **Exhibit 4 - Marked Copies** deletions from the immediately preceding filing. The purpose of Exhibit 4 is to permit Add Remove View the staff to identify immediately the changes made from the text of the rule with which it has been working. **Exhibit 5 - Proposed Rule Text** The self-regulatory organization may choose to attach as Exhibit 5 proposed changes to rule text in place of providing it in Item I and which may otherwise be more easily readable if provided separately from Form 19b-4. Exhibit 5 shall be considered part Add View Remove of the proposed rule change. If the self-regulatory organization is amending only part of the text of a lengthy **Partial Amendment** proposed rule change, it may, with the Commission's permission, file only those portions of the text of the proposed rule change in which changes are being made if Add Remove View the filing (i.e. partial amendment) is clearly understandable on its face. Such partial amendment shall be clearly identified and marked to show deletions and additions.

The Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB") is filing this partial amendment ("Amendment No. 1") to File No. SR-MSRB-2016-09, originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") on June 30, 2016, with respect to a proposed rule change to the MSRB's facility for the Real-Time Transaction Reporting System ("RTRS") to establish an historical data product to provide institutions of higher education with post-trade municipal securities transaction data collected through RTRS ("MSRB Academic Historical Transaction Data Product," hereafter referred to as "RTRS Academic Data Product") for purchase (the "original proposed rule change" and, together with Amendment No. 1, the "proposed rule change"). If approved by the Commission, the MSRB will announce the effective date of the proposed rule change in a regulatory notice to be published no later than 90 days following Commission approval. The effective date will be no later than 270 days following publication of the regulatory notice announcing Commission approval.

The original proposed rule change would establish the RTRS Academic Data Product as part of the MSRB's information facility for RTRS.

Amendment No. 1 would partially amend the text of the original proposed rule change to conform the description of the RTRS Academic Data Product in the RTRS facility to the description intended by the MSRB and fully described in the original proposed rule change in the Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change and the Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received from Members, Participants, or Others.

The MSRB currently offers an Historical Transaction Data Product, as part of its RTRS facility, but it does not include any identifying information regarding the broker, dealer or municipal securities dealer (collectively, "dealers") reporting each transaction. Thus, academic researchers are unable to use that dataset to attribute transactions to dealers—even anonymously. The RTRS Academic Data Product would include the same transactions included in the Historical Transaction Data Product, with the inclusion of anonymized dealer identifiers and the exclusion of list offering price and takedown transactions, as those terms are defined in MSRB Rule G-14. The MSRB is proposing to revise the description of the RTRS Academic Data Product in the RTRS facility and clarify the differences by stating that the transaction information provided in the RTRS Academic Data Product would differ from the transaction information provided in the Historical Transaction Data Product by excluding list offering price and takedown transactions, in addition to including anonymized dealer identifiers, which was stated in the original proposed rule change. The MSRB adopted this exclusion in its original proposed rule change as suggested by and in response to a commenter.

The MSRB believes the Commission has good cause, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, for granting accelerated approval of Amendment No. 1. Specifically, the revised description of the RTRS Academic Data Product in the RTRS facility corrects the description of the transaction information included in the RTRS Academic Data Product and accurately identifies the differences between that data set and the data set included in the Historical Transaction Data Product. Further, the revision is consistent with the purpose of

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

the original proposed rule change, as it conforms the description of the RTRS Academic Data Product in the RTRS facility to the description intended by the MSRB and fully described in the original proposed rule change, and does not raise significant new issues.

The changes made by Amendment No.1 to the original proposed rule change are indicated as attached in Exhibit 4. Material proposed to be added is underlined.

The text of the proposed rule change is attached as Exhibit 5. Material proposed to be added is underlined.

RTRS Facility

No change.

Price Dissemination by RTRS

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Real-Time Transaction Data Subscription Service

No change.

MSRB Comprehensive Transaction Data Subscription Service

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Historical Transaction Data Product

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Academic Historical Transaction Data Product

The MSRB offers an Academic Historical Transaction Data Product, which consists of the same transaction information as is provided by the MSRB Historical Transaction Data Product with the exception that it also includes anonymized dealer identifiers and excludes List Offering Price/Takedown Transactions as those terms are defined in MSRB Rule G-14. The Academic Historical Transaction Data Product may be obtained only by institutions of higher education in one-year data sets for data that are aged no less than 36 months. Each requestor will receive a unique data set with different anonymized dealer identifiers. No smaller data sets will be available. The Academic Historical Transaction Data Product will be made available on CD-ROM, pursuant to the terms of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product Agreement, which must be executed prior to delivery of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.

¹ As technology evolves, or if the volume of information included in the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product increases, the MSRB may in the future use a different medium that is equally effective for delivering the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.

² Institutions of higher education shall be required to execute and shall be subject to the terms of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product Agreement to be entered into with the MSRB, which shall address proprietary and intellectual property rights of third parties in information provided by such third parties that is made available through the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.

EXHIBIT 5

RTRS Facility

No change.

Price Dissemination by RTRS

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Real-Time Transaction Data Subscription Service

No change.

MSRB Comprehensive Transaction Data Subscription Service

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Historical Transaction Data Product

No change.

* * * * *

MSRB Academic Historical Transaction Data Product

The MSRB offers an Academic Historical Transaction Data Product, which consists of the same transaction information as is provided by the MSRB Historical Transaction Data Product with the exception that it also includes anonymized dealer identifiers and excludes List Offering Price/Takedown Transactions as those terms are defined in MSRB Rule G-14. The Academic Historical Transaction Data Product may be obtained only by institutions of higher education in one-year data sets for data that are aged no less than 36 months. Each requestor will receive a unique data set with different anonymized dealer identifiers. No smaller data sets will be available. The Academic Historical Transaction Data Product will be made available on CD-ROM, pursuant to the terms of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product Agreement, which must be executed prior to delivery of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.²

- ¹ As technology evolves, or if the volume of information included in the Academic Historical <u>Transaction Data Product increases</u>, the MSRB may in the future use a different medium that is equally effective for delivering the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.
- ² Institutions of higher education shall be required to execute and shall be subject to the terms of the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product Agreement to be entered into with the MSRB, which shall address proprietary and intellectual property rights of third parties in information provided by such third parties that is made available through the Academic Historical Transaction Data Product.