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Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick  
Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21st Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20581

**Re: Amendments to Minimum Block Size for Bitcoin Bounded Futures (BB) Contract in Eris Exchange Rule 601 (Block Trades); (Eris Exchange, LLC Submission #2021-02)**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

Eris Exchange, LLC (“Eris Exchange” or the “Exchange”) hereby submits for self-certification to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the “Commission”), under Commission regulation 40.6(a), the following amendments to Eris Exchange Rulebook (the “Rulebook”). The proposed changes will become effective on the trade date for April 26, 2021.

#### **Explanation and Analysis**

As a result of the proposed change to the Bitcoin Bounded Futures contract size from \$0.10 to \$0.01 (submitted as a separate self-certification), Exchange Rule 601 is being modified to amend the block trade size for the contract to 100 contracts.

#### **Description of Rule Changes**

The Exchange is amending the block size for its Bitcoin Bounded Futures contract to preserve the block size at 1 Bitcoin equivalent.

A copy of the revisions to Rule 601 is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

#### **Core Principle Compliance**

Eris Exchange has concluded that its compliance with the DCM Core Principles is not adversely affected by these changes, and it will continue to comply with all DCM Core Principles.

#### **Public Information**

A copy of this submission has been concurrently posted on the Exchange’s website at <https://www.erisx.com/regulation/exchange-notices/> under “CFTC Submissions.”

#### **Opposing Views**

There were no opposing views expressed that were not incorporated into the rule changes.

**Certification**

Eris Exchange, LLC hereby certifies to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Commission regulation §40.6, that this submission complies with the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended, and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact me at the information below, or contact Nataliya Manina, Chief Regulatory Officer, at [nataliya.manina@erisx.com](mailto:nataliya.manina@erisx.com) or 312.858.4048.

Sincerely,

/s/

Laurian Cristea  
General Counsel

Exhibit A

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**CHAPTER 6: PRIVATELY NEGOTIATED TRANSACTIONS**

**RULE 601. Block Trades**

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(c) Products designated for Block Trades.

The following products are designated for block trades:

Contract	Minimum Block Size	Minimum Price Increment
Bitcoin Futures (BTC)	10 contracts	\$0.01 per Bitcoin (\$0.0010 per contract)
Ether Futures (ETH)	50 Contracts	\$0.01 per Ether (\$0.01 per contract)
Ether/Bitcoin (ETBTC)	50 Contracts	0.00001 Bitcoin per Ether (0.00001 per contract)
Bitcoin Bounded Futures (BB)	100 Contracts	\$0.01 per Bitcoin (\$0.0010 per contract)
Ether Bounded Futures (BE)	50 Contracts	\$0.01 per Ether (\$0.01 per contract)
Ether/BitCoin Bounded Futures (BEB)	50 Contracts	0.00001 Bitcoin per Ether (0.00001 per contract)