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SUBJECT: CHANGES TO INITIAL MARGIN PARAMETERS FOR DERIVATIVE MARKETS

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Dear JSE Stakeholder

Please be informed that calendar spread margin requirements (CSMR), spread series margin requirements (SSMRs) and the volatility scanning range (VSR) margin requirements for the Commodity Derivatives market have been recalibrated and will be implemented on **Tuesday, 22 October 2024**.

The CSMR determines the amount of margin offset between instruments that share the same Class Spread Group (CSG) but have different expiry dates.

The SSMR parameter determines the amount of margin offset between instruments whose CSGs are linked to the same Series Spread Group (SSG).

The VSR parameter assigned to a future is used in the construction of the risk arrays of the options that are listed on the future. The risk array of an instrument forms the basis for its initial margin.

This annual update will result in an estimated 0.57% overall increase in margin across the market.

For any queries regarding the location of the files containing these parameters, please contact the Client Service Centre (CSC) on +27 11 520 7777 or CustomerSupport@jse.co.za

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