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To:	Government Securities Division Members
Category:	Service Update
Subject:	Submission of Rule Filing (SR-FICC-2018-008) – Apply Rule 22B to Sponsored Members

On August 6, 2018, Fixed Income Clearing Corporation ("FICC") filed a proposed rule change (SR-FICC-2018-008) ("Rule Filing") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The purpose of the Rule Filing is to apply Rule 22B of the Government Securities Division Rulebook to Sponsored Members as well as make certain other changes.

The full text of the Rule Filing may be obtained by visiting the DTCC website at www.dtcc.com/legal/sec-rule-filings.aspx. Written comments on the Rule Filing may be addressed to Fixed Income Clearing Corporation – Government Securities Division, c/o General Counsel's Office, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041, Attention: Rosa Chang, Executive Director and Associate General Counsel. All such comments will be forwarded to the SEC.

You may also address your written comments to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE, Washington DC 20549. Electronic comments may be submitted using the SEC's Internet comment form (http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml) or by sending an email to rule-comments@sec.gov. Please include File Number SR-FICC-2018-008 on the subject line. We request that you provide FICC with a copy of your comments.

Questions or inquiries regarding this Important Notice may be addressed to your Relationship Manager. Questions or inquiries regarding the Rule Filing may be addressed to Rosa Chang, Executive Director and Associate General Counsel, at (212) 855-4985.