



MBS #:	MBS182.14
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To:	Fixed Income Clearing Corporation Participants
Category:	Service Update
Subject:	MBS Christmas Day Holiday Schedule

Fixed Income Clearing Corp. (“FICC”) will be closed Thursday, **December 25, 2014**, in observance of **Christmas Day**. The following changes in FICC's operations and schedules will be in effect:

Government Division RTTM Comparison and Netting:

Comparison System

All Regular Way, When-Issued and Forward Settlement Trades executed on Wednesday, **December 24, 2014**, for settlement on Friday, **December 26, 2014**, should be submitted on Wednesday, **December 24, 2014**, by the normal cut-off time of 8:00 p.m.

Netting System

All netted obligations resulting from compared Regular Way Trades among Netting Members submitted on Wednesday, **December 24, 2014**, will settle on Friday, **December 26, 2014**.

All participant output will be available by 3:00 a.m. Thursday, **December 25, 2014**.

No trade input will be accepted on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**. Trades executed on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**, should be submitted on Friday, **December 26, 2014**, along with trades of that day.

MBS Division Clearing, Pool Netting, RTTM, and EPN Systems:

File Transmission Service (FTS) Processing for Clearing, Pool Netting and EPN Systems

FTS Users will receive output files from the Wednesday, **December 24, 2014** evening pass following standard cut-off times: MRO trade/NOS input batch file must be submitted by the normal cut-off time of 8:00 PM and machine readable batch file output will be delivered by 2:00 AM.

No FTS processing will occur on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**.

Normal FTS processing will resume on Friday, **December 26, 2014**.

Clearing System

No trade input will be accepted on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**.

Trades executed on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**, should be submitted on Friday, **December 26, 2014**, along with trades for that day. The Trade Date field should show the actual trade date that the trade was executed.

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Pool Netting System

No pool instructs will be accepted on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**.

EPN System

No EPN messages will be accepted on Thursday, **December 25, 2014**.

GSD participants with questions should call the GSD Operations Hotline at (212) 855-7600.

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