

#51638

Date: December 21, 2022

Subject: Adjusted Diana Shipping Inc. - Further Adjustment

Adjusted Option Symbol: DSX1

Date: 12/22/2022

Adjusted Diana Shipping Inc. options were adjusted on November 25, 2022 (See OCC Information Memo #51414). The new deliverable became 1) 100 Diana Shipping Inc. (DSX) Common Shares, 2) 125 OceanPal, Inc. (OP) Common Shares, and 3) Cash in lieu of 0.2527 fractional OP shares.

OceanPal Inc. (OP) has announced a 1-for-10 reverse stock split. As a result of the reverse stock split, each OP Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.10 (New) OceanPal Inc. Common Shares. The reverse stock split will become effective before the market open on December 22, 2022. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional OP shares.

Adjusted DSX1 options will be further adjusted to reflect the distribution as described below:

## **Options Contract Adjustment**

Effective Date: December 22, 2022

**New Multiplier:** 100 (e.g., for premium extensions a premium of 1.50 equals \$150; a

strike of 5 yields \$500.00).

Contract

Multiplier: 1

Strike Prices: No Change

Option Symbol: DSX1 remains DSX1

Deliverable Per

Contract: 1) 100 Diana Shipping Inc. (DSX) Common Shares

2) 12 OceanPal Inc (OP) Common Shares

3) Cash in lieu of 0.5 fractional post-split OP shares resulting from the reverse split

4) Cash in lieu of 0.2527 fractional pre-split OP shares resulting from the share distribution (the equivalent of 0.02527 post-split OP

shares)

Note: Once determined the cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any security.

Settlement

Allocation: DSX: 95% OP: 5%

CUSIPs: DSX: Y2066G104

(NEW) OP: Y6430L160

## **Delayed Settlement**

The DSX and OP components of DSX1 exercise/assignment activity will settle through National Security Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay the cash portions of the DSX1 deliverable until the cash in lieu amounts are determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amounts, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

## **Pricing**

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, underlying price for DSX1 options will be determined as follows:

DSX1 = DSX + 0.12 (OP) + 0.5 (OP) + 0.02527 (OP) = DSX + 0.1252527 (OP)

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