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T+1 Communications and Education Working Group (CEWG) Proposed Agenda

Tuesday, April 9, 2024 - 11:00 a.m. ET/9:00 a.m. PT

1. Welcome, introductions

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2. Draft minutes of February 13, 2024 CEWG Meeting (Attachment 1) Members

3. New T+1 news/information

Members/CCMA

i. Member/association updates

Members

ii. Canadian update (incl. meeting with IFIC/Fundserv)

Staff

iii. U.S./Mexico/international updates

Staff

iv. Events/articles/other communications/education updates

All

4. For discussion, review, amendment, approval

Members

- i. wTransition communications planning
- ii. Media for May re T+1

5. For discussion and review

Members

- i. Media; communications Plan for 2024 any changes, options
 - ✓ April 2024: Articles for The Observer (ACPM), Canadian Institute of Financial Planners (CIFP)
 - April 2024: Third CCMA Readiness Survey results
 - April 27: LI Post: One month to go Countdown to T+1
 - April 30 Technical Update (with survey results and the usual)
 - May 2024: Standby announcement re May 27, 2024
 - May 28: Post-May 27 release (as U.S. enters first T+1 trading day)
 - May 29 on TBD?

6. Other issues as raised

Members

7. **Next meetings** (Tuesday, May 14, provisional for June?)

Members

Attachment 1



Draft March 12, 2024 CEWG Meeting Notes

1. Welcome, introductions

The meeting was called to order.

2. Draft notes of the February 13, 2024 CEWG meeting

The draft notes of the February 13 CEWG meeting were accepted as written.

3. New T+1 news/information

- i. Member updates: Matthew Latimer said that the FMFD T+1 webinar had been attended by 13 people, and he thanked David Petiteville (RBC), Rosemary Marchesano (Fundserv), and Barb Amsden for participating in the webinar. Pat Dunwoody said that a joint CETFA-CCMA submission seeking regulatory guidance for a proposed solution to ETF creation challenges had been sent to the OSC in late February.
- ii. Updates Canada: The second Fundserv test cycle was completed successfully in February. The second CDS test cycle (of four) was completed successfully, also in February. Keith summarized for members the CCMA/ValueExchange webinar on the results of the latter's third and final Pulse 'operationalizing T+1' survey.
- iii. *Updates U.S. and International:* The U.S. is continuing with its T+1 testing. Argentina had recently announced the intention to move to T+1, also on May 27, however, there has as yet been no formal confirmation (the countries that have announced the move to T+1 to date, beyond the U.S. and Canada, are Argentina, Costa Rica, Mexico, Paraguay, and Salvador).
- iv. Event/article/other communications and education updates: Articles for ACPM and CIFP are being prepared. The next LinkedIn post was being readied for the Ides of March (March 15), which would be another milestone towards T+1: 50 business days to go until the May 27, 2024 transition.

4. For review, amendment, approval

- i. Notice to fund companies requesting public notification of which T+2 funds would move to T+1 and which would not: Members briefly discussed the notice. Keith said that the CCMA would be meeting the CEOs of IFIC and Fundserv the following week to request assistance in the circulation of the notice and collection and publication of the results. Barb agreed to circulate an updated version of the manufacturer's notice for CEWG member comment.
- **ii.** Advisor and client-facing T+1 material: Members discussed the draft attachment and provided comments. Barb agreed to circulate an updated version of the sample advisor/client T+1 material for CEWG member comment.
- *iii. Third/final CCMA T+1 preparations survey.* Without a formal go/no-go-to T+1 decision by the U.S. and Canadian industry in 2017 for the move to T+2, as had been part of the preferred implementation plan, the SEC's set date allowed for no flexibility. The third CCMA survey on readiness for the May move to T+1 therefore had assumed greater importance. Members were asked for comments on the draft survey.
- 5. For discussion: N/A.

6. Other issues: None raised.

7. **Next meeting:** The next meeting was scheduled for April 9, 2024.

The meeting was adjourned.

Agreements					
1. Members accepted the draft minutes as written.					
Action Items					
# Description			Who	Status	
1.	Circulate updated version of manufacturer's			Barb	Done
	notice for CEWG member con			Members	Done
2.	Circulate updated version of sample ad client T+1 material for CEWG member of			Barb	Done
2			Members	Done	
3. 4.	Recirculate draft T+1 readiness surveices Comment on draft survey.		/ey.	Barb Members	Done Done
				Members	Done
From preceding meetings					
1.	Extend media outreach once more concrete information is available			Yianna and Alexandra	
2.	Draft article for CIFP			Barb	Underway
3.	Draft article for <i>The Observer</i> (ACPM)		M)	Barb	Underway
Meeting Attendees					
		Toriz	AMF		
Attila		Branyiczky	BMO		
Michael		Giancursio	BMO		
Kirsty		McAllister	BMO		
Olga		Svistoun	BMO		
Laxman			BMO		
Pat		Dunwoody	CETFA		
Alexandra		DeCata	CIBC Mellon		
Kim		Welton	CIBC Mellon		
Guylaine		Paquet	Desjardins		
Matthew		Latimer	FMFD		
Christine		Harminc	IFIC		
Kim		Barrett	LTIMindtree		
Frank		Lacroce	OSC		
С		Freitas	Purpose Investments		
		Smart	Purpose Investments		
David		Petiteville	RBCIS		
Jason		Dear	Scotia		
Judith		Marcelo	Scotia		
lbi		Sokefun	Scotia		
Sharean			Scotia		
Barb		Amsden	CCMA		
Keith		Evans	CCMA		