

**Technical Notice** **14-007**

**TO:** Montréal Exchange Participants & Vendors  
**FROM:** Market Access Manager  
**SUBJECT:** DECOMMISSIONING STAMP  
**DATE:** May 9, 2014

The purpose of this notice is to inform all participants that the Montréal Exchange Inc. (MX) will decommission the **Securities Trading Access Messaging Protocol (STAMP)**. The decision has been made following the consultation of the trading community and the TSX announcement plans to decommission STAMP. STAMP is used in the Canadian equity and derivative markets for electronic communications between participants and exchanges and will be decommissioned at the closing of market on **Friday, February 27, 2015**.

The MX native **SAIL** and **FIX 4.2** protocols will remain as the only protocols supported for inbound order flow.

**MIGRATION PLAN:** Customers need to plan their migration strategy in preparation to replace their existing STAMP sessions. Customers are encouraged to contact their existing STAMP vendor to discuss their migration plan.

**GATEWAY MIGRATION:** Customers that do not have connectivity to the SAIL or FIX gateway need to make the necessary production network changes. Please e-mail [samsupport@m-x.ca](mailto:samsupport@m-x.ca) for information to access the gateway.

**NEW SAIL OR FIX SESSION:** Customers affected by this decommission will require a new SAIL or FIX session ID. Customers will need to fill out and submit an MX ID request form. Please e-mail [MX-ID@m-x.ca](mailto:MX-ID@m-x.ca) to request the MX ID form.

**MIGRATION SCHEDULE:**

GATEWAY	DETAILS	DATE
STAMP	DECOMMISSION	May 9, 2014-February 27, 2015
SAIL or FIX	AVAILABLE ORDER ROUTING GATEWAYS	CURRENTLY AVAILABLE

**GENERAL TEST ENVIRONMENT (GTE):** Customers that plan to develop to SAIL or FIX 4.2 will need to schedule a certification.

Application testing and support is available Mondays through Fridays, from 8:00 AM (EST) to 16:30 PM (EST). After-hours testing is available without support on Mondays through Fridays, from 16:30 PM (EST) to 22:30 PM (EST).

**SAIL & FIX IP ADDRESSES & PORT INFORMATION :** The table contains the IP addresses and Port information in the production and test environments.

GATEWAY	PRODUCTION IP ADDRESS	PRODUCTION PORT	TEST IP ADDRESS	TEST PORT
SAIL	198.235.29.87	28152/28162/28182/ 28652/28662/28672/28682/	142.201.223.39 142.201.3.69 (VPN)	12652/12662/12672/12682
FIX	198.235.29.230	4060/28510/28570/28580	142.201.223.39 142.201.3.69 (VPN)	6060/12510/12570

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For any general inquiries, please contact your MX Representative directly or via the general email at [mxconnect@m-x.ca](mailto:mxconnect@m-x.ca).

For any technical queries and help with obtaining new sessions, please contact SAM SUPPORT.

SAM SUPPORT-TECHNICAL HELP DESK	
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We thank you for your cooperation.

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