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**RESEARCH IN MOTION INC. (RIM) –
ADMENDMENTS TO THE STOCK OPTION SYMBOL**

Bourse de Montréal Inc. (the “Bourse”) and the Canadian Derivatives Clearing Corporation (“CDCC”) hereby inform all equity option participants of the possibility of an upcoming symbol addition on Research in Motion Inc. (RIM). **This equity option symbol addition will occur once the strike price merits the listing of a one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120.00) strike price.**

The recent price fluctuation on RIM and the possible lack of strike price alpha codes for individual strike prices have created this situation.

In an effort to prepare for the lack of strike price alpha codes, the Bourse and CDCC will create a new symbol which will be **XRM** for strike prices of one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120.00) and above.

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