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## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

## MARKET MAKING OF THREE-MONTH CANADIAN BANKERS' ACCEPTANCE FUTURES (BAX) - OUTRIGHTS

Bourse de Montréal Inc. (the "Bourse") is issuing a Request for Proposal ("RFP") for the market making of the Three-Month Canadian Bankers' Acceptance Futures (BAX) outright contracts. This RFP is intended for approved participants and foreign approved participants, as well as their eligible clients, interested in submitting proposals outlining their abilities and commitment towards market making activities for the Designated Contracts. The market making requirements and the conditions of the program are indicated in the attached RFP.

At the end of the RFP submission period, the Bourse may proceed with the selection of up to 10 market makers.

Implementation Timeline*	Event
April 27th, 2020	Distribution of RFP
May 11th, 2020	Deadline for delivery of Proposals to the Bourse
May 15th, 2020	Notification of selected Market Makers
May 29th, 2020	Deadline for signature of the Market Making Agreement
June 1st, 2020	Launch of the Market Making Program

## **Proposed Timeline:**

\* The proposed timeline is subject to change at the discretion of the Bourse.

You will find more information about the Market Making Program, as well as the Request for Proposal and Market Maker Application in Annex 1.

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