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## DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 2017

## SUBJECT: VECTOR GROUP LTD. - 5% STOCK DIVIDEND OPTION SYMBOL: VGR NEW SYMBOL: VGR1 EX-DATE: 09/19/17

The Options Clearing Corporation (OCC) has been informed that Vector Group Ltd. (VGR) declared a 5% Stock Dividend to VGR Shareholders. The Ex-distribution Date will be September 19, 2017. The Payable Date is September 28, 2017. The Record Date is September 20, 2017.

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 11, of OCC's By-Laws, all Vector Group Ltd. options will be adjusted as follows:

## **CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT**

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Option Symbol:	
New Multiplier:	105 (e.g., for premium or strike dollar extensions 1.00 will equals \$105.00)
Contract Multiplier:	1
Strike Divisor:	1.05
New Deliverable Per Contract:	105 Vector Group Ltd. (VGR) Common Shares
CUSIP:	92240M108
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The determination to adjust options and the nature of any adjustment is made by a panel of the OCC Securities Committee pursuant to OCC By-Laws, Article VI, Sections 11 and 11A. The adjustment panel is comprised of representatives from OCC and each exchange which trades the affected option. The determination to adjust futures and the nature of any adjustment is made by OCC pursuant to OCC By-Laws, Article XII, Sections 3, 4, or 4A, as applicable. For both options and futures, each adjustment decision is made on a case by case basis. Adjustment decisions are based on information available at the time and are subject to change as additional information becomes available or if there are material changes to the terms of the corporate event(s) occasioning the adjustment.

ALL CLEARING MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO IMMEDIATELY ADVISE ALL BRANCH OFFICES AND CORRESPONDENTS ON THE ABOVE.

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