- (II) A RULE OR BYLAW OF A NATIONAL SECURITIES EXCHANGE, NATIONAL SECURITIES CLEARING ORGANIZATION, OR SECURITIES CLEARING AGENCY; OR
- (III) A RULE, BYLAW, OR RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CONTRACT MARKET OR ITS CLEARING ORGANIZATION.
- (4) "FORWARD CONTRACT" MEANS A CONTRACT, OTHER THAN A COMMODITY CONTRACT, FOR THE PURCHASE, SALE, OR TRANSFER OF:
- (I) A COMMODITY, AS DEFINED IN  $\S$  1 OF THE FEDERAL COMMODITY EXCHANGE ACT; OR
- (II) ANY SIMILAR GOOD, ARTICLE, SERVICE, RIGHT, OR INTEREST THAT PRESENTLY IS OR IN THE FUTURE BECOMES THE SUBJECT OF DEALING IN THE FORWARD CONTRACT TRADE, OR A PRODUCT OR BY-PRODUCT THEREOF, WITH A MATURITY DATE MORE THAN 2 DAYS AFTER THE DATE THE CONTRACT IS ENTERED INTO, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, A REPURCHASE TRANSACTION, REVERSE REPURCHASE TRANSACTION, CONSIGNMENT, LEASE, SWAP, HEDGE TRANSACTION, DEPOSIT, LOAN, OPTION, ALLOCATED TRANSACTION, UNALLOCATED TRANSACTION, OR A COMBINATION OF THESE OR AN OPTION ON ANY OF THEM.
- (5) (I) "NETTING AGREEMENT" MEANS A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT, INCLUDING TERMS AND CONDITIONS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE IN THE CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT, THAT:
- 1. DOCUMENTS ONE OR MORE TRANSACTIONS BETWEEN THE PARTIES TO THE CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT FOR OR INVOLVING ONE OR MORE QUALIFIED FINANCIAL CONTRACTS; AND
- 2. PROVIDES FOR THE NETTING OR LIQUIDATION OF QUALIFIED FINANCIAL CONTRACTS OR THE PRESENT OR FUTURE PAYMENT OBLIGATIONS OR PAYMENT ENTITLEMENTS UNDER QUALIFIED FINANCIAL CONTRACTS, INCLUDING LIQUIDATION OR CLOSE-OUT VALUES RELATING TO THE OBLIGATIONS OR ENTITLEMENTS, AMONG THE PARTIES TO THE NETTING AGREEMENT.
- (II) "NETTING AGREEMENT" INCLUDES A MASTER AGREEMENT THAT, TOGETHER WITH ALL SCHEDULES, CONFIRMATIONS, DEFINITIONS, AND ADDENDA TO AND TRANSACTIONS UNDER ANY THEREOF, SHALL BE TREATED AS ONE NETTING AGREEMENT.
- (6) "QUALIFIED FINANCIAL CONTRACT" MEANS A COMMODITY CONTRACT, FORWARD CONTRACT, REPURCHASE AGREEMENT, REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENT, SECURITIES CONTRACT, SWAP AGREEMENT, OR ANY SIMILAR AGREEMENT THAT THE COMMISSIONER DETERMINES BY REGULATION OR ORDER TO BE A QUALIFIED FINANCIAL CONTRACT FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBTITLE.
- (7) (I) "REPURCHASE AGREEMENT" OR "REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENT" MEANS AN AGREEMENT, INCLUDING RELATED TERMS, THAT PROVIDES FOR THE TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT, ELIGIBLE BANKERS'