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U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 19b-4(e)

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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DIVISION OF REGISTRATION

Information Required of a Self-Regulatory Organization Listing and Trading New Derivative Securities Product Pursuant to Rule 19b-4(e) Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO COMPLETING FORM



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Part I Initial Listing Report

- Name of Self-Regulatory Organization Listing New Derivative Securities Product:
American Stock Exchange LLC.
- Type of Issuer New Derivative Securities Product (e.g., clearinghouse, broker-dealer, corporation, etc.):
Open-end management investment company.
- Class of New Derivative Securities Product:
Index Fund Shares listed under Amex Rules 1000A et seq.
- Name of Underlying Instrument: **MSCI® US Prime Market 750 Index (for Vanguard Large-Cap VIPERs); MSCI US Prime Market Growth Index (for Vanguard Growth VIPERs); MSCI US Prime Market Value Index (for Vanguard Value VIPERs); MSCI US Mid Cap 450 Index (for Vanguard Mid-Cap VIPERs); MSCI US Small Cap 1750 Index (for Vanguard Small-Cap VIPERs); MSCI US Small Cap Growth Index (for Vanguard Small-Cap Growth VIPERs); MSCI US Small Cap Value Index (for Vanguard Small-Cap Value VIPERs)**
- If Underlying Instrument is an Index, State Whether it is Broad-Based or Narrow Based:
All indexes referred to in Item 4 above are broad-based.
- Ticker Symbol(s) of New Derivative Product:
VV (anguard Large-Cap VIPERs); VUG (Vanguard Growth VIPERs); VTV (Vanguard Value VIPERs); VO (Vanguard Mid-Cap VIPERs); VB (Vanguard Small-Cap VIPERs); VBK (Vanguard Small-Cap Growth VIPERs); VBR (Vanguard Small-Cap Value VIPERs)
- Market of Markets Upon Which Securities Comprising Underlying Instrument Trades:
New York Stock Exchange, American Stock Exchange, The Nasdaq Stock Market.
- Settlement Methodology of New Derivative Securities Product: **Regular-way trades in Vanguard VIPERs on the American Stock Exchange are settled through the National Securities Clearing Corporation ("NSCC") on T+3. Procedures for creation and redemption of Creation Unit size aggregations of such shares, including creations and redemptions through the Continuous Net Settlement System of NSCC, are described in the series prospectus for the Funds.**
- Position Limits of New Derivative Securities Product (if applicable): **Not applicable**

Part II Execution

The undersigned represents that the governing body of the above-referenced Self-Regulatory Organization has duly approved, or has duly delegated its approval to approval to the undersigned for, the listing and trading of the above-referenced new derivative securities product to its relevant trading rules, procedures, surveillance programs and listing standards.

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Name of Official Responsible for Form: **Clifford J. Weber**

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Title: **Senior Vice President**

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Manual Signature of Official Responsible for Form: *Clifford J. Weber*

Date: **February 5, 2004**

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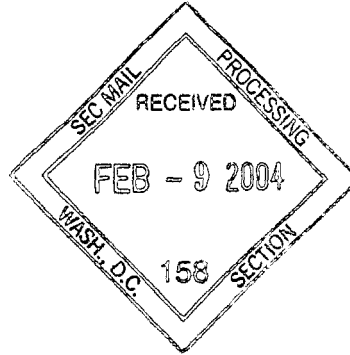
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February 5, 2004

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Re: Form 19b-4(e)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The American Stock Exchange LLC hereby files Form 19b-4(e), with respect to seven Vanguard VIPERS®, each of which is an exchange-traded share class of certain Vanguard index funds, issued by Vanguard Index Funds. These securities are Index Fund Shares listed pursuant to Amex Rules 1000A *et seq.* and the criteria in Rule 1000A, Commentary .02.

Sincerely,

Attachment

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