

February 15, 2016

Brent J. Fields
Secretary
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
100 F Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20549-1090

Re: Investors' Exchange LLC Exchange Application (File No: 10-222)

Dear Mr. Fields:

As a general member of the investing public and as a professional working within the finance industry, I wish to express my support for the approval of exchange status to the Investors' Exchange LLC (IEX). I believe that IEX is currently the best solution for providing investors with the ability to have their orders executed in a fair market that does not provide select participants with speed advantages that run counter to the spirit of the law and the operation of orderly markets.

My feelings echo the sentiments of other investors who have submitted their comments in support of IEX thus far. Denying IEX the opportunity to provide a market-based solution to some of the structural problems facing our financial system would represent an injustice to the vast majority of investors and other market participants that the SEC is supposed to protect. To quote from the SEC's own website:

"The mission of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission is to protect investors, maintain fair, orderly, and efficient markets, and facilitate capital formation."

Inter-exchange latency arbitrage, the main problem that IEX intends to fix, does not promote the kind of market portrayed in the SEC's mission statement. I believe that IEX can provide demonstrable benefits to the functioning of our capital markets. I also believe that IEX's goals are far more congruent with the SEC mission statement than are the objectives of IEX's harshest critics. Investors have a right to trade in a fair and transparent environment. Approving IEX's request would give us a stronger voice and a better chance at an equal opportunity say in this matter.

Sincerely,

Stacius Sakato