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Organization: New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX")

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**Official Product Name:**

**Product Terms and Conditions (product related Rules and Rule Amendments)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Certification Security Futures                          | § 41.24(a)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Delisting (No Open Interest)                            | § 40.6(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval  | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Made Available to Trade Determination          | § 40.5(a)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Security Futures                               | § 41.24(c)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Approval Amendments to enumerated agricultural products | § 40.4(a), § 40.5(a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | “Non-Material Agricultural Rule Change”                 | § 40.4(b)(5)         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Notification  | § 40.6(d)            |

**Official Name(s) of Product(s) Affected:** European Propane CIF ARA (Argus) vs. Naphtha Cargoes CIF NWE (Platts) Futures; European Propane CIF ARA (Argus) Futures; Naphtha Cargoes CIF NWE (Platts) Futures

**Rule Numbers:** 396, 578 and 650

September 15, 2015

**VIA ELECTRONIC PORTAL**

Mr. Christopher J. Kirkpatrick  
Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20581

**Re: CFTC Regulation 40.6(a) Certification. Notification Regarding the Expansion of the Listing Schedule for Three (3) European Refined Futures Contracts. NYMEX Submission No. 15-389**

Dear Mr. Kirkpatrick:

New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. (“NYMEX” or “Exchange”) is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“CFTC” or “Commission”) that it is self-certifying an expansion of the contract month listing schedules of three (3) European Refined Futures contracts, as detailed in the table below, effective on Sunday, October 4, 2015 for trade date Monday, October 5, 2015.

Product Title	NYMEX Rulebook Chapter	Product Codes – CME Globex and CME ClearPort	Current Listing Schedule: CME Globex and CME ClearPort	Proposed Listing Schedule: CME Globex and CME ClearPort; Effective Trade Date October 5, 2015
European Propane CIF ARA (Argus) vs. Naphtha Cargoes CIF NWE (Platts) Futures	396	EPN	36 consecutive months	Current year + 3 additional calendar years
European Propane CIF ARA (Argus) Futures	578	APS/PS	36 consecutive months	Current year + 3 additional calendar years
Naphtha Cargoes CIF NWE (Platts) Futures	650	UN	36 consecutive months	Current year + 3 additional calendar years

The Exchange reviewed the designated contract market core principles (“Core Principles”) as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act (“CEA” or “Act”) and identified that the amendments may have some bearing on the following Core Principles:

- **Availability of General Information:** The Exchange will publish information on the change via Special Executive Report to notify the marketplace of these amendments and through an amended listing schedule which will be available on the CME Group website.
- **Daily Publication of Trading Information:** The Exchange shall make public daily information on settlement prices, volume, open interest, and opening and closing ranges for actively traded contract on the contract market.
- **Execution of Transactions:** The existing futures contract is dually listed for trading on CME Globex and the NYMEX trading floor and for clearing through the CME ClearPort platform.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the CEA and CFTC Regulation 40.6(a), the Exchange hereby certifies that the amendment to the listing schedule of the aforementioned contracts complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act. There were no substantive opposing views to this proposal.

The Exchange certifies that this submission has been concurrently posted on the Exchange's website at <http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html>.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2200 or via e-mail at [CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com](mailto:CMEGSubmissionInquiry@cmegroup.com).

Sincerely,

/s/Christopher Bowen  
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel