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VIA E-MAIL

Mr. David Stawick
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20581

Re:

Rule Certification. New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. Submission #10-043: Notification of Expansion of Listed Contract Months for Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Calendar Swap Futures

Dear Mr. Stawick:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that it is self-certifying the expansion of listed contract months for its Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Calendar Swap Futures contract such that the contract is listed through the current calendar year plus the next consecutive four (4) full calendar years. Following the termination of the December contract month, a new full calendar year will be added on an annual rolling basis. This contract is listed for trading on the NYMEX trading floor and for clearing through CME ClearPort®. The expansion of listed months for the contract will become effective Sunday, February 7, 2010 for trade date Monday, February 8, 2010.

Contract	Code	Rule Chapter	Existin g Listed Months	Expand to	1 st Trade Date for Added Contract Months
Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Calendar Swap Futures	UA	662	36	Current + 4 years	2/8/2010

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the addition of listed contract months complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act. The addition of contract months shall be effective February 8, 2010.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Daniel Brusstar at (212) 299-2604 or me at (312) 648-5422.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmack Regulatory Counsel

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