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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. Commodity Exchange, Inc. and New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. Submission #09-72: Notification of Amendment to Supplement No. 3, "Approved Assayers for Gold" for the Gold Futures Contract; Supplement No. 4, "Approved Assayers for Silver" for the Silver Futures Contract; Supplement No. 2, "Official List of Approved Assayers and Assayer/Refiners for Platinum" for the Platinum Futures Contract; and Supplement No. 2, "Official List of Approved Assayers and Assayer/Refiners for Palladium" for the Palladium Futures Contract Relating to Address Change for Alex Stewart Assayers Ltd.**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX") and the Commodity Exchange, Inc. ("COMEX") (collectively, "the Exchanges") are notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that they are self-certifying amendments to Supplement No. 3, "Approved Assayers for Gold" for the Gold Futures contract, Supplement No. 4, "Approved Assayers for Silver" for the Silver Futures contract, Supplement No. 2, "Official List of Approved Assayers and Assayer/Refiners for Platinum" for the Platinum Futures contract, and Supplement No. 2, "Official List of Approved Assayers and Assayer/Refiners for Palladium" for the Palladium Futures contract relating to an address change for Alex Stewart Assayers Ltd. The amendment to the Supplements changes the mailing address of Alex Stewart Assayers Ltd. to Caddick Road in Knowsley Business Park, Prescot, L34 9HP, England. The Exchanges were notified that the senior management of Alex Stewart Assayers Ltd. has standardized the new address company-wide in accordance with the Local Government Authority. No relocation has taken place. This address change was effective as of January 1, 2009.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchanges hereby certify that the attached rule amendments comply with the Act, including regulations under the Act. The approved amendments will go into effect on Wednesday, April 22, 2009.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Robert A. Levin at (212) 299-2390, or me at (312) 648-5422.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmack  
Director and Associate General Counsel

Attachments

**(Underlining indicates additions; [bracketing] indicates deletions)**

Gold Supplement  
No. 3

COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC.

APPROVED ASSAYERS FOR GOLD

Ledoux & Company  
359 Alfred Avenue  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
(Orders: NJ (201) 837-7160)

**Alex Stewart (Assayers) Ltd.**  
**Caddick Road**  
**Knowsley [Industrial Estate] Business Park**  
**Knowsley**  
**[Merseyside L34 9ER] Prescot**  
**L34 9HP**  
**England**  
**(Orders: 0151 548 7777)**

US LOCATION  
Alex Stewart (Assayers) Inc.  
472 Westfield Avenue  
Clark, NJ 07066  
(Orders: (732) 827-0656)

A H Knight  
Eccleston Grange  
Prescot Road  
St Helens  
Merseyside  
WA10 3BQ  
England  
(Orders: (01744) 733757)

US LOCATION:  
A H Knight North America, Ltd.  
PO Box 3504  
130 Tradd Street  
Spartanburg, SC 29304-3504  
(Orders: (864) 595-1627)

SGS Lakefield Research Limited  
185 Concession  
Lakefield, Ontario K0L 2H0  
Canada  
705-652-2000

COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC.

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PLATINUM FUTURES CONTRACT

Supplement No. 2

OFFICIAL LIST OF APPROVED ASSAYERS AND ASSAYER/REFINERS\*

Assayer U.S.A.	Facility at
CALIFORNIA	
*PGP Industries, Inc.	13429 Alondra Blvd. Santa Fe Springs, Calif. 90670 310-921-7464
* Heraeus Metal Processing Inc.	13429 Alondra Blvd. Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670 562-483-1802
NEW JERSEY	
*Engelhard Corporation	101 Wood Ave. Iselin, N.J. 08830 732-205-5000
Ledoux & Company	359 Alfred Ave. Teaneck, N.J. 07666 201-837-7160
NEW YORK	
*Sabin Metal Corporation	300 Pantigo Place East Hampton, NY 11937 (631) 329-1717
PENNSYLVANIA	
*Johnson Matthey Inc.	1401 King Rd. West Chester, Pa. 19380 610-971-3000
GERMANY	
Umicore AG & Co. KG	Rodenbacher Chaussee 4 D-63457 Hanua-Wolfgang Germany (011) 49 6181 59 4610
JAPAN	
*Tanaka Kikinzoku Kogyo K.K.	6-6 Nihonbashi Kayabacho 2 Chome Chuo-Ku, Tokyo -103 Japan (011) 81 03 3668-0111

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UNITED KINGDOM

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FRANCE

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Paris, Cedex 03  
France 75139  
1-42-771111

\*Engelhard-CLAL Paris

41 Rue de Paris  
93139 Noisey-Le-Sec  
France  
33-1-4850-5596

SWITZERLAND

\*Metaux Precieux S.A. Metalor

Avenue du Vignoble  
CH-2009 Neuchatel  
Switzerland  
(011) 41 327 206-111

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PALLADIUM FUTURES CONTRACT

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