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VIA E-MAIL

Mr. David Stawick
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
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Washington, D.C. 20581

**Re: Rule Certification. Notification of Amendments to Chapter 5, Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table and Header Notes of the NYMEX Rulebook Relating to the Launch of Two (2) New Petroleum Swap Futures Contracts
NYMEX Submission #11-107**

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 amendments to the Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table and Header Notes located in the Interpretations and Special Notices section of Chapter 5 of the NYMEX Rulebook in relation to the listing of the Mini Argus Propane (Saudi Aramco) Swap Futures and Mini Argus Propane Far East Index Swap Futures contracts. These amendments establish the all month/any one month accountability levels, expiration month position limits, reportable levels, and diminishing balances and aggregation allocations for the new contracts.

In addition, the Exchange is also notifying the Commission that it is self-certifying amendments to the Header Notes section of Chapter 5 to include the two (2) new Mini contracts which are deemed equivalent to .10 of the quantity of the base contract into which each contract aggregates.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the attached rule amendments comply with the Act, including regulations under the Act. There were no substantive opposing views to this proposal. These changes will be made effective on trade date May 2, 2011.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2207, Chris Reinhardt, Associate Director, Market Surveillance, at (212) 299-2882, or Ryne Toscano, Supervisor, Market Surveillance, at (212) 299-2879. Please reference NYMEX Submission No. 11-107 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/ Felix Khalatnikov
Dir & Assoc General Counsel

Attachment

NOTIFICATION OF AMENDMENTS TO NYMEX RULEBOOK CHAPTER 5 TABLE
(Bold/underline indicates additions)

| <u>Contract Name</u> | <u>Rule Chapter</u> | <u>Commodity Code</u> | <u>Diminishing Balances Contracts</u> | <u>All Month Accountability Level</u> | <u>Any One Month Accountability Level</u> | <u>Expiration Month Limit</u> | <u>Reporting Level</u> | <u>Aggregate Into (1)</u> |
|---|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | | | <u>Rule 560</u> | <u>Rule 560</u> | <u>Rule 559</u> | <u>Rule 561</u> | |
| <i>Petroleum</i> | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Middle East</i> | | | | | | | | |
| <i>AG-FOB</i> | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Mini Argus Propane (Saudi Aramco) Swap Futures</u> | <u>851</u> | <u>MAS</u> | <u>*</u> | <u>1,500</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>9N</u> |
| <i>Asia/Pacific</i> | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Far East</i> | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Mini Argus Propane Far East Index Swap Futures</u> | <u>850</u> | <u>MAE</u> | <u>*</u> | <u>1,750</u> | <u>1,250</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>7E</u> |

Interpretations and Special Notices Relating to Chapter 5
Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table
Header Notes

1.

The following Mini Petroleum contracts shall be deemed equivalent to .10 of the quantity of the corresponding base contract into which each Mini Petroleum contract aggregates:

- Mini European 3.5% Fuel Oil (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam Swap Futures
- Mini Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Swap Futures
- Mini European 1% Fuel Oil (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam Swap Futures
- Mini European 1% Fuel Oil (Platts) Cargoes FOB NWE Swap Futures
- Mini European Naphtha (Platts) CIF NWE Swap Futures
- Mini European 1% Fuel Oil (Platts) Cargoes FOB NWE BALMO Swap Futures
- Mini European 3.5% Fuel Oil (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam BALMO Swap Futures
- Gasoil (ICE) Mini Calendar Swap Futures
- Mini Gasoil 0.1 (Platts) Cargoes CIF NWE vs. Gasoil Swap Futures
- Mini ULSD 10ppm (Platts) Cargoes CIF NWE vs. Gasoil Swap Futures
- Mini European 1% Fuel Oil (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam BALMO Swap Futures
- Mini European Jet Kero (Platts) Cargoes CIF NWE vs. Gasoil Swap Futures
- Mini European Jet Kero (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam vs. Gasoil Swap Futures
- Mini ULSD 10ppm (Platts) Cargoes CIF MED vs. Gasoil Swap Futures
- Mini Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) BALMO Swap Futures
- Mini Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) Swap Futures
- Mini Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) BALMO Swap Futures
- Mini Gasoil 0.1 (Platts) Cargoes CIF NWE vs. Gasoil (Euro Denominated) Swap Futures
- Mini ULSD 10ppm (Platts) Cargoes CIF NWE vs. Gasoil (Euro Denominated) Swap Futures
- Mini 1% Fuel Oil (Platts) Cargoes FOB NWE (Euro Denominated) Swap Futures
- Mini 3.5% Fuel Oil (Platts) Barges FOB Rdam (Euro Denominated) Swap Futures
- Mini Argus Propane (Saudi Aramco) Swap Futures
- Mini Argus Propane Far East Index Swap Futures