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Mr. David Stawick  
Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, NW  
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**RE: CME Rules 42701. and 42801.  
Section 5c(c)(1) and Regulation Section 40.6. Certification of  
Amendments to CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Futures and  
CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Maximum Futures  
CME Submission No. 09-095**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission regarding the addition of the Florida Gold Coast location (Card Sound Bridge, Florida to Jupiter Inlet, Florida) to the CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Futures and CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Maximum Futures. This new segment of the coastline, which is being added in response to customer requests, will also be used by the corresponding options, binary contracts, and second event contracts that reference these underlying futures contracts.

These amendments are presented on the following page, with additions underlined. The amendments will be effective at the start of trading on Monday, June 1, 2009.

CME certifies that these actions comply with the Commodity Exchange Act and regulations thereunder.

If you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact Paul Peterson at (312) 930-4587 or via e-mail at [paul.peterson@cmegroup.com](mailto:paul.peterson@cmegroup.com); or Charles Piszczor at (312) 930-4536 or via e-mail at [charles.piszczor@cmegroup.com](mailto:charles.piszczor@cmegroup.com); or me at (312) 648-5422. Please refer to CME Submission No. 09-095 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

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

## Chapter 427 CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Futures

### 42701. COMMODITY SPECIFICATIONS

CHI Seasonal values will be calculated by EQECAT, Inc. (EQECAT), using the methods described in the "CME Hurricane Index: Scope and Definitions" document, for hurricanes making landfall in the following locations:

- Gulf Coast (Brownsville, TX to AL/FL Border)
- Florida (AL/FL Border to Fernandina Beach, FL)
- Southern Atlantic Coast (Fernandina Beach, FL to NC/VA Border)
- Northern Atlantic Coast (NC/VA Border to Eastport, ME)
- Eastern US (Brownsville, TX to Eastport, ME)
- Florida Gold Coast (Card Sound Bridge, FL to Jupiter Inlet, FL)

Separate futures contracts will be listed for trading on the accumulated CHI final settlement values for all hurricanes that make landfall in a specific location (e.g., Gulf Coast) between January 1 and December 31 inclusive of a calendar year.

## Chapter 428 CME Hurricane Index Seasonal Maximum Futures

### 42801. COMMODITY SPECIFICATIONS

CHI Seasonal Maximum values will be calculated by EQECAT, Inc. (EQECAT), using the methods described in the "CME Hurricane Index: Scope and Definitions" document, for hurricanes making landfall in the following locations:

- Gulf Coast (Brownsville, TX to AL/FL Border)
- Florida (AL/FL Border to Fernandina Beach, FL)
- Southern Atlantic Coast (Fernandina Beach, FL to NC/VA Border)
- Northern Atlantic Coast (NC/VA Border to Eastport, ME)
- Eastern US (Brownsville, TX to Eastport, ME)
- Gulf + Florida (Brownsville, TX to Fernandina Beach, FL)
- Florida Gold Coast (Card Sound Bridge, FL to Jupiter Inlet, FL)

Separate futures contracts will be listed for trading on the maximum CHI final settlement value for hurricanes that make landfall in a specific location (e.g., Gulf Coast) between January 1 and December 31 inclusive of a calendar year.