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VIA E-MAIL
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Rule Certification. Notification of Amendments to Chapter 5, Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table of the NYMEX Rulebook Relating to the Launch of the New Dated Brent (Platts) Average Price Option Contract

NYMEX Submission #11-101

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 located in the Interpretations and Special Notices Section of Chapter 5 of the NYMEX Rulebook in relation to the listing of the new Dated Brent (Platts) Average Price Option contract. These amendments establish the all month/any one month accountability levels, expiration month position limit, reportable level, diminishing balances and aggregation allocation for the new contract.

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 July 11, 2011.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (312) 930-8167. Alternatively, you may contact Chris Reinhardt, Associate Director, Market Surveillance, at (212) 299-2882, (347) 225-1342 or Chris.Reinhardt@cmegroup.com, or Ryne Toscano, Supervisor, Market Surveillance, at (212) 299-2879, (646) 407-2937 or Ryne.Toscano@cmegroup.com. Please reference our NYMEX Submission No. 11-101 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/Sean Downey Assoc Dir & Asst General Counsel

Attachment

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

Contract Name	Rule Chap- ter	Com- modity Code	Diminish- ing Balances Contracts	All Month Account- ability Level	Any One Month Account- ability Level	Expira- tion Month Limit	Report- ing Level	Aggre- gate Into (1)
				Rule 560	Rule 560	<u>Rule</u> 559	Rule 561	
Petroleum								
Europe				Α.				
Northwest Europe								
Dated Brent (Platts) Average Price Option	<u>1078</u>	<u>DBP</u>	*	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>25</u>	UB