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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. Notification Regarding the Listing of New Micro Brent
Crude Oil Penultimate Financial Futures Contract
NYMEX Submission #11-295**

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 insertion of the terms and conditions for Micro Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial futures contract into 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 new Micro Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial futures contract. These terms and conditions establish the all month/any one month accountability levels, expiration month position limit, reportable level, and aggregation allocation for the new contract and reference that a Micro Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial futures contract shall be deemed equivalent to 0.001 of a Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial futures contract into which the new contract aggregates.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rules 40.2 and 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the attached terms and conditions 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 August 8, 2011.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at (212) 299-2207, (347) 463-5347 or Felix.Khalatnikov@cmegroup.com, 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. 11-295 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/Felix Khalatnikov
Dir & Assoc General Counsel

Attachment

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

<u>Contract Name</u>	<u>Rule Chapter</u>	<u>Commodity Code</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>Europe</i>							
<i>Northwest Europe</i>							
<u>Micro Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial Futures</u>	<u>1117</u>	<u>MBZ</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>BB</u>

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

12. A Micro Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial Futures Contract shall be deemed equivalent to .001 of a Brent Crude Oil Penultimate Financial Futures Contract.