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## VIA EMAIL

Mr. David Stawick Office of the Secretariat Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20581

## RE: Rule Certification. New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. Submission #10-274: Notification of Amendment to Colombian Peso Futures Contract

## Dear Mr. Stawick:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that it is self-certifying an amendment to Rule 972.06 ("Termination of Trading") of the Colombian Peso Futures contract (code V2). At the request of market participants, the Exchange is amending the termination of trading for the contract such that the last trading day is the second, rather than the third, Wednesday of the delivery month. This amendment will render the termination of trading consistent with a similar futures contract that was recently listed on the Colombian Securities Exchange. There currently is no open interest in the Colombian Peso Futures contract beyond the October 2010 contract month. Therefore, the amendment to Rule 972.06 shall take effect beginning with the November 2010 contract month.

The Colombian Peso Futures contract is listed for trading on the NYMEX trading floor and for clearing through CME ClearPort<sup>®</sup>.

The amendment to Rule 972.06 is provided below in blackline.

(underline indicates addition; strikethrough indicates deletion)

## Rule 972.06 Termination of Trading

The last trading day for NYMEX Colombian Peso Futures Contracts shall be the <u>Second</u> Third Wednesday of the corresponding trading month of the underlying Colombian Peso futures. In the event that the <u>Second</u> Third Wednesday of the month is a Colombian national holiday, the termination of trading will occur on the first business day immediately preceding the <u>Second</u> third Wednesday of the month.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the rule amendment complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Robert Biolsi at (212) 299-2610 or me at (312) 648-5422. Please reference NYMEX Submission No. 10-274 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmack Regulatory Counsel