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September 29, 2009

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

**Re: Exchange Certification for Expansion of Listing Cycle for
US Weekly Weather Futures & Options Contracts.
CME Submission No. 09-226**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission regarding the expansion of the listing cycle for US Weekly Weather Futures and Options contracts.

The current listing cycle for US Weekly weather contracts are for two weeks and the expansion will increase the listing cycle to four weeks. The increase in the listing cycle is to better to match the needs of the energy market with the weekly demand driven by temperature.

The expanded listing range will go into effect on October 19, 2009.

CME certifies that this action complies with the Commodity Exchange Act and regulations thereunder.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Charles Piszczor at 312-930-4536 or via e-mail at charles.piszczor@cmegroup.com, or contact me at 312-648-5422. We would be appreciative if you could reference our CME Submission No. 09-226 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

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