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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. New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. Submission #10-292: Notification of Administrative Amendment to Chapter 5, Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table of the NYMEX Rulebook to Remove Diminishing Balances Allocation for the RBOB Gasoline Crack Spread Option Contract

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 an administrative amendment 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 to remove the diminishing balances (*) allocation for the RBOB Gasoline Crack Spread Option contract. Diminishing balance contracts are those whose front month volume in any given contract month diminishes as the contract month progresses towards month's end. This denotation was inadvertently applied to this 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 amendment complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act. This change will be made effective on trade date October 12, 2010.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Glenn Hofferber, Associate Director, Market Surveillance, at (212) 299-2884, Joe Hawrysz, Director, Global Market Surveillance, at (312) 341-7750, or the undersigned at (312) 648-5422.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmack Regulatory Counsel

Attachment

NOTIFICATION OF AMENDMENTS TO NYMEX RULEBOOK CHAPTER 5 TABLE

(strikethrough indicates deletions)

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 Rule	Report- ing Level Rule	Aggre- gate Into (1)	Aggre- gate Into (2)
			,	Rule 560	Rule 560	559	561		
Petroleum									
New York Harbor									
RBOB Gasoline Crack Spread Option	387	RX	<u>*</u>	7,000/ 20,000	5,000/ 10,000	1,000/ 3,000	25	RB	CL