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

RE: Notification of Extension of CME Agricultural Product Market Maker Programs CME Submission No. 09-291.

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("Commission") regarding the extension without modifications of several CME market maker programs for agricultural commodities. In a letter dated July 8, 2009 (#09-130), the Commission had previously been informed by the Exchange of the terms for the following programs that have now been extended until December 31, 2010:

- Livestock Option Market Making Program on Globex
- Dairy Futures Regular Trading Hours (RTH) Market Making Program on Globex
- Dairy Option Market Making Program on Globex
- Forestry Futures Regular Trading Hours (RTH) Market Making Program on Globex
- Forestry Option Market Making Program on Globex

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

If you require additional information regarding these programs, please contact John Harangody at (312) 466-4437 or via e-mail at <u>john.harangody@cmegroup.com</u>, Anthony Zaccaria at (312) 930-4560 or via e-mail at <u>anthony.zaccaria@cmegroup.com</u>, or me at (312) 648-5422. Please refer to CME Submission No. 09-291 in any correspondence relating to this matter.

Sincerely,

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

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