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Submission No. 08-56  
September 29, 2008

Mr. David Stawick  
Secretary of the Commission  
Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
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**Re: Delisting of the Full-Size Russell 1000<sup>®</sup> Index and Russell 2000<sup>®</sup> Index Futures and Options Contracts - Submission Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Act and Regulation 40.6**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended, and Commission Regulation 40.6, ICE Futures U.S., Inc. ("Exchange") submits, by written certification, a notice to the Commission that the Exchange will be delisting all expiration months with no open interest in the full-size Russell 1000 Index and Russell 2000 Index futures and options contracts (the "Contracts") as of the close of business on Tuesday, September 30, 2008. As of the date of this Submission, there is no open interest in the Contracts beyond the December 2008 expiration.

The Exchange certifies that the delisting of the Contracts complies with the requirements of the Commodity Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

The delisting was approved by the Exchange's Board of Directors by written unanimous consent in accordance with Bylaw Section 4.7 on September 26, 2008 and will become effective for the delivery months with no open interest with the close of business on September 30, 2008. No substantive opposing views were expressed by members or others with respect to the delisting of the Contracts.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at [jill.fassler@theice.com](mailto:jill.fassler@theice.com) or at (212)748-4084.

Sincerely,

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Vice President  
Associate General Counsel

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