

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Before the
COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

In the Matter of

JOEL J. FETCHENHIER

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CFTC Docket Nos. 91-12, SD 93-14
ORDER

Former Commission registrant Joel J. Fetchenhier (“Fetchenhier”) has filed a *pro se* petition¹ seeking elimination of the remainder of the 10-year trading prohibition that the Commission imposed in October 1997.² In its response, the Division of Enforcement (“Division”) opposes the requested relief but agrees that it would be appropriate to conduct a hearing on facts material to the disposition of the petition.

The Commission reviews such petitions under the standards established in *In re LaCrosse*, [1999-2000 Transfer Binder] Comm. Fut. L. Rep. (CCH) ¶ 28,229 (CFTC Aug. 28, 2000). In view of the parties’ agreement that a hearing would be appropriate, we refer Fetchenhier’s petition to the Director of the Office of Proceedings for assignment to an Administrative Law Judge and resolution in accordance with the standards and procedures

¹ Fetchenhier’s petition is in the form of a letter.

² *In re Fetchenhier*, [1996-1998 Transfer Binder] Comm. Fut. L. Rep. (CCH) ¶ 27,175 (CFTC Oct. 31, 1997).

set forth in *LaCrosse, supra*.

IT IS SO ORDERED.³

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Dated: April 10, 2003

³ Pursuant to the authority delegated in *LaCrosse*, ¶ 28,229 at 50,430 n.10.