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Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
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Re: Rule Certification. NYMEX Submission 03-155: Notification of Approved Amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Refiners and Brands" of the Silver Futures Contract and Supplement No. 1 "Official List of Approved Refiners and Brands" of the Gold Futures Contract.

Dear CFTC Commissioners:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or the "Exchange") is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") of an approved amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Refiners and Brands" of the Silver Futures Contract and Supplement No. 1 "Official List of Approved Refiners and Brands" of the Gold Futures Contract to be implemented effective Monday, November 24, 2003. The approved amendments change the name of the producer of both of the silver and gold brands from Metalor USA Refining Corp., an Approved Refiner for the Exchange's Gold and Silver Futures Contract, to Metalor Technologies USA Corp. and the brand insignia or hallmark, incised on the gold and silver bars from METAUX PRECIEUX SA METALOR MP (with "MUS" assay mark) to METALOR® (with the "MUS" assay mark).

The METAUX PRECIEUX SA METALOR MP (with "MUS" assay mark) brand will be marked with an asterisk (*) to indicate that it is no longer produced. However, this brand will continue to remain eligible for delivery.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the attached rule amendments comply with the Act, including regulations under the Act. This approved amendment will go into effect on Monday, November 24, 2003.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Albert J. Getz at (212) 299-2608.

Very truly yours,

Robert A. Levin
Senior Vice President - Research

Attachment: Approved Amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Brands and Markings" of both the Silver and Gold Futures Contracts.

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SILVER FUTURES CONTRACT
SUPPLEMENT NO. 1
COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC.
OFFICIAL LIST OF APPROVED REFINERS AND BRANDS
(Deliverable Against Commodity Exchange, Inc. Silver Contracts)

<u>PRODUCER</u>	<u>REFINED AT</u>	<u>COMPUTER CODE</u>	<u>BRAND MARKS</u>
The Anaconda Company	Perth Amboy, N.J.	UMCO	* UMS CO.
ASARCO Incorporated	Amarillo, Texas	ASAT	ASARCO SILVER- AMARILLO, TEXAS
	Baltimore, MD	ASBA	* ASARCO BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
	Perth Amboy, N.J.	ASCP	* AS & R CO.-PERTH AMBOY, N.J.
	Perth Amboy, N.J.	ASPA	* ASARCO-PERTH AMBOY, NEW JERSEY
	Selby, CA	SGSR	* SELBY GOLD & SILVER REFINERY, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
Britannia Refined Metals Co.	Northfleet, England	BLCO	BLCO.
Broken Hill Associated Smelters Pty. Ltd.	Port Pirie, Australia	BHAS	BHAS
The Bunker Hill Company	Kellogg, Idaho	HILL	* BUNKER HILL
Cerro de Pasco Corporation	La Oroya, Peru	CDPP	* C de P PERU
Cominco Ltd.	Trail, British Columbia	TADA	TADANAC
Compania de Real Monte y Pachuca	Pachuca, Mexico	RDMM	R del M
Comptoir Lyon-Alemand Louyot	Noisy le Sec, France	CLAP	* COMPTOIR-LYON-ALEMAND, LOUYOT & CIE-PARIS
		CLAL	COMPTOIR-LYON-ALEMAND, LOUYOT-PARIS
OMG AG & Co. KG	Hanau, Germany	DEGU	* DEGUSSA (with 1/2 sun and 1/4 moon within diamond)
OMG AG & Co. KG.	South Plainfield, N.J.	METZ	* DEGUSSA (with 1/2 sun and 1/4 moon within diamond, also Metz est. 1921)
Dowa Mining Co. Ltd.	Kosaka City, Japan	DOWA	DOWA (with crossed hammers within circle)
Empresa Minera del Peru S.A.	La Oroya, Peru	CPPE	CP-PERU

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Engelhard Corporation	Chessington, England Carteret, N.J.	ENCI ENNE	ENGELHARD LONDON ENGELHARD
Engelhard Corporation	Ivry, France	ECMP	ENGELHARD (with Compagnie Des Metaux Precieux-Paris within an oval)
Furukawa Metals Co. Ltd.	Nikko City, Japan	TRIA	OPEN TRIANGLE (like letter A, brand name "Yamaichi")
Golden West Refining Corporation Limited, Handy & Harman Refining Group Inc.	Attleboro, Mass	GWHH	* HH HANDY & HARMAN REFINING GROUP
Handy & Harman	Attleboro, Mass Fairfield, Conn.	HAND HARM	*HH HANDY & HARMAN SILVER *HH HANDY & HARMAN SILVER (with capital letter F bars produced at Fairfield, Conn.)
INCO Limited	Sudbury, Ontario	ORCO	ORC
Industrial Minera Mexico, S.A.	Monterrey, Mexico Monterrey, Mexico	ASMO IMMM	* ASARCO-MONTERREY IMM-MONTERREY
Johnson Matthey Limited	Brampton, Ontario	JMJM	* JOHNSON MATTHEY-JM (with crossed hammers and assay stamp: JM LTD.-CANADA-ASSAY OFFICE)
	Brampton, Ontario Brampton, Ontario	JMCA JMMC	* JM (with crossed hammers) * J.M. & M. Ltd.
Johnson Matthey Chemicals Ltd.	Royston, England Royston, England	JMLO JMCF	JOHNSON MATTHEY LONDON * JMCF
Johnson Matthey Refining, Inc.	Salt Lake City, Utah	JMRI	JOHNSON MATTHEY-JM (with crossed hammers and assay stamp: J.M.R.I.-U.S.A.-ASSAY OFFICE)
Kam-Kotia Mines Ltd.	Cobalt, Ontario	CRKO	* CRK
Kennecott Corporation	Magma, Utah	KUEU	KUE
Metalli Preziosi S.p.A.	Milan, Italy	MPSP	METALLI PREZIOSI S.p.A. MILANO (with MP)
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n.v. Union Miniere s.a. - Business Unit Hoboken	Hoboken, Belgium Hoboken, Belgium	MHOV HOBN	* HOBOKEN 999.7+ HOBOKEN 999+
Metalor USA Refining Corp. <u>Metalor Technologies USA Corp</u>	Attleborough, Mass.	META	* METAUX PRECIEUX SA METALOR (in a circle with letters MUS in center)
<u>Metalor Technologies USA Corp.</u>	<u>Attleborough, Mass.</u>	<u>MUST</u>	<u>METALOR[®] (with the "MUS" assay mark)</u>
Metalor Precieux SA Metalor	Neuchatel, Switzerland	MPOR	METAUX PRECIEUX SA METALOR (in a circle with letters MP in center)
Met-Mex Penoles, SA de CV	Monterrey, Mexico Torreon, Mexico	MPSA POPM	* METALURGICA MEXICANA PENOLES S.A. PRODUCT OF PENOLES MEXICO
Mitsubishi Materials Corporation	Kagawa, Japan	DIAM	Three diamonds forming a triangle
No. 1 Mining Corporation	Namtu, Burma	BRMA	BURMA MINES
Noranda Metallurgy Inc. - Copper	Montreal East, Quebec	CCRL	CCR CANADA
Norddeutsche Affinerie A.G.	Hamburg, W. Germany	NAHA	NORDDEUTSCHE AFFINERIE HAMBURG
PGP Industries, Inc.	Duncan, South Carolina	PGPI	PGP
Rand Refinery Limited	Germiston, Transvaal	RRSA	RAND REFINERY LTD. (with RR Ltd. on underside)
Rudarsko Metalursko Hemijski Kombinat, Trepca	Zvecan, Yugoslavia	TREP	TREPCA
Sabin Metal Corporation	Scottsville, N.Y.	SABN	SMC
Sheffield Smelting Co. Ltd.	Sheffield, England	SSCL	* THE SHEFFIELD SMELTING CO. LTD.

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United States Assay Office	Denver, Colorado New York, New York Philadelphia, Pa. San Francisco, Cal.	USDE USNY USPH USSF	* SEAL OF UNITED STATES (with year and location of production)
United States Metals Refining Co., division of Amax Copper, Inc.	Carteret, N.J.	DRW	* DRW
U.S. Smelting, Refining & Mining	East Chicago, Ill.	USSC	* USSCO
Zakłady Metalurgiczne Trzebinia	Trzebinia, Poland	ZTMP	ZTM

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AGR Joint Venture	Perth, Australia	PMAU	THE PERTH MINT AUSTRALIA (with swan motif mint mark within circle)
Argor, S.A.	Chiasso, Switzerland	ARGO	* ARGOR S.A. CHIASSO-ASA
Argor - Heraeus SA	Mendrisio, Switzerland	ARHE	ARGOR-HERAEUS SA, A-H, SWITZERLAND
ASARCO Incorporated	Amarillo, Texas	ASAT	ASARCO GOLD- AMARILLO, TEXAS
Casa da Moeda do Brasil	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	CASA	CASA DA MOEDA DO BRASIL-CMB
Compagnie des Metaux Precieux	Ivry, France	CMPP	* COMPAGNIE DES METAUX PRECIEUX PARIS (may also contain letters CMP)
	Ivry, France	SDBS	* SOCIETE DE BANQUE SUISSE
Companhia Real de Metais	Sao Paulo, Brazil	CRDM	CRM
Comptoir Lyon-Alemand Louyot	Noisy le Sec, France	CLAL	COMPTOIR-LYON-ALEMAND, LOUYOT-PARIS (with Affineur Fondeur within octagon)
OMG AG & Co. KG	Hanau, Germany	DEGU	* DEGUSSA FEINGOLD (with 1/2 sun and 1/4 moon within diamond)
OMG AG & Co. KG	Burmington, Ontario	DECA	* DEGUSSA CANADA LTD. (with 1/2 sun and 1/4 moon within diamond)
OMG Brasil Ltda.	Guarulhos, Brazil	DEBR	DEGUSSA S.A. (with 1/2 sun and 1/4 moon within diamond)
H.Drijfhout & Zoon's Edelmetaalbedrijven BV	Amsterdam, Netherlands	HDZA	H. DRIJFHOUT & ZOON- AMSTERDAM-MELTERS (within octagon)

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Engelhard Corporation	Carteret, N.J.	ENNE	ENGELHARD (may also be ENGELHARD NEW JERSEY-U.S.A. or ENGELHARD U.S.A.)
	Carteret, N.J. Chessington, England Thomastown, Australia Aurora, Ontario	BAKE ENCI ENTH ENAU	* BAKER (within circle atop triangle) ENGELHARD LONDON * ENGELHARD AUSTRALIA * ENGELHARD (with circle connected to 1/2 moon to left of name; may also be ENGELHARD INDUSTRIES OF CANADA LTD.
Engelhard Corporation	Anaheim, California	ECAL	ENGELHARD (with "w" prefixed serial number)
	Ivry, France	ECMP	ENGELHARD (with Compagnie Des Metaux Precieux-Paris within an oval)
Golden West Refining Corporation Limited, Handy & Harman Refining Group Inc.	Attleboro, Mass	GWHH	* HH HANDY & HARMAN REFINING GROUP
Handy & Harman	Attleboro, Mass	HAND	*HH HANDY & HARMAN
W.C. Heraeus, G.m.b.H.	Hanau, Germany	HERA	HERAEUS FEINGOLD (with Heraeus Edelmetalle GmbH-Hanau encircling three roses)
Heraeus Incorporated	Newark, N.J.	HERI	HERAEUS FEINGOLD (with capital letter "E" preceding serial number)
Heraeus Ltd.	Kowloon, Hong Kong	HERH	HERAEUS FEINGOLD (with capital letter "H" preceding serial number)
Homestake Mining Company	Lead, South Dakota	HMCO	HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY (with HMC all within circle)
Johnson Matthey, Inc.	Winslow, New Jersey	MBUS	* MATTHEY BISHOP U.S.A. (within an oval)

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Johnson Matthey Limited	Brampton, Ontario	JMMC	* JOHNSON MATTHEY & MALLORY-CANADA (within an oval)
	Brampton, Ontario	JMCA	* JM (with crossed hammers)
	Brampton, Ontario	JMJM	JOHNSON MATTHEY-JM (with crossed hammers and assay stamp: J.M. LTD.-CANADA-ASSAY OFFICE)
Johnson Matthey Limited (Australia)	Kogarah, Australia	MGPS	* MATTHEY GARRETT PTY. SYDNEY REFINERS (within an oval)
	Kogarah, Australia	JMLA	* JOHNSON MATTHEY LIMITED AUSTRALIA
Johnson Matthey Chemicals Ltd.	Royston, England	JMLO	JOHNSON MATTHEY LONDON (within an oval)
Johnson Matthey & Pauwels S.A.	Brussels, Belgium	JMPA	* JOHNSON MATTHEY & PAUWELS (within an oval)
Johnson Matthey Refining, Inc.	Salt Lake City, Utah	JMRI	JOHNSON MATTHEY-JM (with crossed hammers and assay stamp: J.M.R.I. U.S.A.-ASSAY OFFICE)
Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation	Magna, Utah	KUAU	KUC
Metallurgie Hoboken Overpelt S.A.	Hoboken, Belgium	MHOV	* METALLURGIE HOBOKEN OVERPELT
n.v. Union Miniere s.a. - Business Unit Hoboken	Hoboken, Belgium	HOBO	Hoboken 9999
Metalli Preziosi S.p.A.	Milan, Italy	MPSP	METALLI PREZIOSI S.p.A. MILANO- AFFINAZIONE (with MP within a circle)
Metalor USA Refining Corp. Metalor Technologies USA Corp	Attleborough, Mass.	META	* <u>METAUX PRECIEUX SA METALOR - MP (with "MUS" Assay mark)</u>
<u>Metalor Technologies USA Corp.</u>	<u>Attleborough, Mass.</u>	<u>MUST</u>	<u>METALOR® (with the "MUS" assay mark)</u>
Metaux Precieux S.A. Metalor	Neuchatel, Switzerland	MPSA	METAUX PRECIEUX SA - NEUCHATEL (with MP within a circle)
	Neuchatel, Switzerland	SBCO	SWISS BANK COPORATION
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Mitsubishi Metal Corporation	Osaka, Japan	MMCO	* MITSUBISHI METAL CORPORATION (with three diamond mark within oval)
Mitsubishi Materials Corporation	Kagawa, Japan	MITO	Three diamonds forming a triangle
Noranda Mines Limited, CCR Division	Montreal East, Quebec	CCRL	* CANADIAN COPPER REFINERS LIMITED MONTREAL EAST, CANADA (within an oval)
Noranda Mines Limited, CCR Division	Montreal East, Quebec	NORA	* NORANDA MINES LIMITED - CCR, MONTREAL EAST, CANADA (within an oval)
Noranda Metallurgy Inc. - Copper	Montreal East, Quebec	NINC	NORANDA MINES Inc. - CCR, MONTREAL EAST, CANADA (within an oval)
Norddeutsche Affinerie AG	Hamburg, W. Germany	NAHA	NORDDEUTSCHE AFFINERIE HAMBURG
PAMP, S.A. Produits Artistiques Metaux Precieux	Castel S. Pietro, Switzerland	PAMP	PAMP-SUISSE
Rand Refinery Limited	Germiston Transvaal	RRSA	RAND REFINERY Ltd. SOUTH AFRICA (encircling picture of springbok)
Royal Canadian Mint	Ottawa, Canada	RCMI	ROYAL CANADIAN MINT (encircling a crown)
Sabin Metal Corporation	Scottsville, N.Y.	SABN	SMC
Schone Edelmetaal NV	Amsterdam, Netherlands	GSNV	GUARANTEED BY SCHONE N.V. AMSTERDAM
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Sheffield Smelting Co. Ltd.	Sheffield, England	SSCL	* THE SHEFFIELD SMELTING CO. LTD. - LONDON & SHEFFIELD
Tanaka Kikinzoku Kogyo K.K.	Ichikawa, Japan	TTME	TANAKA TOKYO-MELTERS
United States Metals Refining Co., division of Amax Copper, Inc.	Carteret, N.J.	DRW	* DRW
U.S.S.R	Moscow, U.S.S.R	CCCP	CCCP (with hammer and sickle)
Valcambi, S.A.	Balerna, Switzerland	CRSU	CREDIT SUISSE

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