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April 29, 2005

Ms. Jean A. Webb
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, NW
Washington, DC 20581

RE: Section 5c(c)(1), Part 40.6 – Technical Clarification to Chapter 371,
E-Mini Russell 1000 Index. CME Submission# 05-52.

Dear Ms. Webb:

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. (“CME” or “Exchange”) hereby notifies the Commission of a technical clarification to the E-Mini Russell 1000 Index futures contract.

The Exchange certifies that this action neither violates nor is inconsistent with any provision of the Commodity Exchange Act or of the rules thereunder.

The effect of this submission is to notify the Commission of the Exchange’s original intent with respect to the Termination of Trading on the E-Mini Russell 1000 futures contract. The amendment follows below with additions underlined, and deletions bracketed and struck out.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Ariel Hantin, Senior Research Analyst at 312-559-4951 or via e-mail at ahantin@cme.com. Please reference our CME Submission #05-52 on all future correspondence regarding this notification.

Sincerely,



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John W. Labuszewski, Director
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cc: Mr. Thomas M. Leahy and Mr. Steven B. Benton
CFTC Division of Market Oversight, Product Review & Analysis Section

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Text of Rule Amendments

(Additions are underlined, deletions are bracketed and overstruck.)

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E-MINI RUSSELL 1000 STOCK PRICE INDEX™ FUTURES

37102.G. Termination of Trading

Futures trading shall terminate on the [~~business day immediately preceding the~~] day of determination of the Final Settlement Price.

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