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Office of the Secretariat  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Three Lafayette Centre  
1155 21st Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20581

**NYMEX Submission 05.111**

**Re: Notification of Listing Additional Year for NYMEX Central Appalachian Futures Contracts**

Dear Ms. Jean Webb:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or the "Exchange") is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that it will add one year to the listing of Central Appalachian Coal Futures Contracts. Currently three years, the current and the next two, are listed for trading. The Exchange will list one additional year so that four consecutive years are listed for trading at all times. The additional contracts for calendar year 2008 will be listed starting Sunday evening, July 10, 2005 for NYMEX Trade Date July 11, 2005. Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that this listing of additional contract months comply with the Act, including regulations under the Act.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Jay Gottlieb, Director, Research, at (212) 299-2607; or the undersigned at (212) 299-2390.

Very truly yours,

Robert A. Levin  
Senior Vice President, Research