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July 8, 2005

BY EMAIL AND FASCIMILE

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

Re: Rule Certification. NYMEX Submission 05-118: Notification of Approved Amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Brands and Markings" of the Aluminum 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 Brands and Markings" of the Aluminum Futures Contract to be implemented effective Tuesday, July 12, 2005. The approved amendment adds the aluminum brand "CENTURY" produced by Century Aluminum of West Virginia, Inc. at its smelter in Ravenswood, West Virginia as acceptable for delivery against the Aluminum Futures Contract.

Century Aluminum Company ("Century") is a major producer of primary aluminum and has an annual primary aluminum production capacity of approximately 1.4 billion pounds. The Ravenswood facility is owned and operated by Century's wholly owned subsidiary, Century Aluminum of West Virginia, Inc. This facility which commenced production in 1957 operates four potlines with an annual production capacity of 375 million pounds of primary aluminum

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the attached rule amendment complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act. The approved amendment will go into effect on Tuesday, July 12, 2005.

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

cc: Christopher Bowen, Esq.

Attachment: Approved Amendments to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Brands and Markings" of the Aluminum Futures Contract.

Strike through indicates deletions; underlining indicates additions

ALUMINUM SUPPLEMENT No. 1 OFFICIAL LIST OF APPROVED BRANDS AND MARKINGS

COUNTRY/ COMPANY	PRODUCED AT	COMPUTER CODE	BRAND
United States			
Alcan Aluminum Corp.	Sebree, KY	ALCA	ALCAN
Alcoa Inc.	Badin, NC	ALNC	ALCOA
Alcoa Inc.	Wenatchee, WA	ALWA	ALCOA
Alcoa Inc.	Massena, NY	ALNY	ALCOA
Alcoa Inc.	Rockdale, TX	ALTX	R-ALCOA
Alcoa Inc.	Goose Creek, SC	ALSC	MT. HOLLY
Alcoa Inc.	Newburgh, IN	ALIN	WAR
Alcoa Inc.	Massena (East)	MASE	ALCOA
Century Aluminum of Kentucky LLC.	Hawesville, KY	NSA	NSA
Century Aluminum of West Virginia, Inc.	Ravenswood, WV	CEWV	CENTURY
Columbia Falls Aluminum Co.	Columbia Falls, MT	CFAC	CFAC
Eastalco Aluminum Co.	Frederick, MD	EAST	EASTALCO
Goldendale Aluminum Co.	Goldendale, WA	GOLD	C
Intalco Aluminum Co.	Ferndale, WA	INT	INTALCO
Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp.	Mead, WA	KM	KM
Noranda Aluminum, Inc.	New Madrid, MO	NORA	NORANDA
Northwest Aluminum Company	The Dalles, OR	NWA	NWA
Reynolds Metals Company	Longview, WA	RMWA	*RMC
Reynolds Metals Company	Troutdale, OR	RMOR	*RMC
Vanalco, Inc.	Vancouver, WA	VANA	V

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COUNTRY/ COMPANY	PRODUCED AT	COMPUTER CODE	BRAND
Canada			
Alcan Inc.	Laterriere, Quebec	LATE	ALCAN
Alcan Inc.	Grande Baie, Quebec	GRAN	ALCAN
Alcan Inc.	Arvida, Quebec	ARVI	ALCAN
Alcan Inc.	Isle Maligne, Quebec	ISLE	ALCAN
Alcan Inc.	Alma, Quebec	ALMA	ALCAN
Alcoa Limited	Baie Comeau, Quebec	ABCQ	ABCQ
Aluminerie Alouette Inc.	Sept-Isle, Quebec	SEPT	ALOUETTE
Aluminerie Lauralco Inc.	Deschambault, Quebec	LAUR	LAURALCO
Societe Canadienne de Meteaux Reynolds, Ltee (Canadian Reynolds Metals Company, Ltd.)	Baie Comeau, Quebec	SCMR	*SCMR
Aluminiere De Becancour, Inc.	Becancour, Quebec	ABI	ABI
Russia Bogoslovsky Aluminum Plant of Siberian Urals Aluminum Company	Krasnoturisk, Russia	BAS	*BAS
Bogoslovsky Aluminum Plant of Siberian Urals Aluminum Company	Krasnoturisk, Russia	SUAL	BAZ SUAL
OJSC Bratsk Aluminum Smelter	Bratsk, Irkutsk, Russia	ID	*ID
OJSC Bratsk Aluminum Smelter	Bratsk, Irkutsk, Russia	BRSB	RUSAL B
OJSC Krasnoyarsk Aluminum Smelter	Krasnoyarsk, Russia	KPA	*KPA3
OJSC Krasnoyarsk Aluminum Smelter	Krasnoyarsk, Russia	KASK	RUSAL K
OJSC Novokuznetsk Aluminum Smelter	Siberia, Russia	КНА	*HKA3
OJSC Novokuznetsk Aluminum Smelter	Siberia, Russia	NOAN	RUSAL N
OJSC Sayanogorsk Aluminum Smelter	Siberia, Russia	CAA	*CAA3-P
OJSC Sayanogorsk Aluminum Smelter	Siberia, Russia	SASS	RUSAL S

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Australia			
Boyne Smelters, Ltd.	Boyne Island, Queensland	d BOYN	Boyne Smelters, Ltd.
Capral Aluminum, Ltd.	Kurri Kurri, NSW	CAPR	CAPRAL
Comalco Aluminum (Bell Bay), Ltd.	Bell Bay, Tasmania	BELL	Comalco Aluminum (Bell Bay), Ltd.
Brazil			
Consorcio de Aluminio do Maranhao	Sao Luis - MA	SAO	SAO LUIS
New Zealand			
New Zealand Aluminum Smelters, Ltd.	Tiwai Point, Southland	NZAS	NZAS
Suriname, South America			
Suriname Aluminum Co. L.L.C.	Paramaribo, Suriname	SURA	SURALCOA
South Africa			
Billiton SA (PTY) Bayside Aluminum	KwaZulu Natal, SA	BBAY	Billiton Bayside

 $A sterisk\ (\hbox{\ensuremath{}^{*}}) indicates\ that\ the\ brand\ produced\ at\ the\ specific\ smelter\ is\ no\ longer\ produced.$