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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 05-127: Notification of Approved Amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Brands and Markings" of the Grade 1 Copper 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 Grade 1 Copper Futures Contract to be implemented effective Friday, July 29, 2005. The approved amendment adds the copper brand "RT" produced by Corporacion Nacional del Cobre de Chile ("CODELCO") as acceptable for delivery against the Grade 1 Copper Futures Contract.

CODELCO is wholly owned by the Chilean State and is the world's largest copper producer. Other CODELCO brands approved for delivery against the COMEX Grade 1 Copper Futures Contract are "Chuqui-P", "cCc" and "cCc SBL," produced at the Chuquicamata complex; "AE" and "AE SX-EW" produced at the company's Salvador division; "ABRA" produced by joint venture with Phelps Dodge at El Abra; and "ENM" produced at the Las Ventanas smelter and refinery.

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. This approved amendment will go into effect on Friday, July 29, 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

Attachment: Approved Amendment to Supplement No. 1, "Official List of Approved Brands and Markings" of the Grade 1 Copper Futures Contract.

Approved Amendment. Underlining indicates additions.

Copper Supplement
No. 1

COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC.
GRADE 1 COPPER CATHODES

OFFICIAL LIST OF APPROVED BRANDS AND MARKINGS

	<u>COMPUTER CODE</u>	<u>BRAND NAME(1)</u>
ASARCO Incorporated-----	ATR	ATR
ASARCO Incorporated Ray Unit -----	RAY	ASARCO RAY GRADE 1
Atlantic Copper S.A. -----	FMS	FMS
BHP Billiton Tintaya S.A. -----	TINT	TINTAYA
BHP Copper Inc.-----	PINT	*PINTO
BHP Copper Inc.-----	BHPC	BHP Copper
BHP Copper Inc.-----	BHPX	BHP Copper/SXEW
BHP Copper Inc.-----	BHPP	BHP Copper/Pinto
Cobre de Mexico, S.A.-----	CDM	CDM
Codelco-Chile---Corporacion Nacional del-----	AE	AE
Cobre de Chile	CCC	CCC
	ASXW	AE SX-EW
	CSBL	cCc SBL
	CHUI	CHUQUI-P
	NAMI	ENM
	<u>RT</u>	<u>RT</u>
Compania Minera Cerro Colorado Ltda-----	CMCC	CMCC
Compania Minera Dona Ines de Collahuasi SCM----	COLL	COLL
Compania Minera Falconbridge Lomas Bayas -----	MFLB	LBF
Compania Minera Zaldivar-----	ZALD	ZALDIVAR

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 GRADE 1 CATHODE COPPER (Cont.)

<u>PRODUCER</u>	<u>COMPUTER CODE</u>	<u>BRAND NAME (1)</u>
Dowa Mining Co. Ltd.-----	DOWA	DOWA
Falconbridge Limited, Kidd Creek Division-----	FKA	FKA
Huttenwerke Kayser AG-----	HKAG	HK
INCO Limited-----	ORCO	ORC
Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation-----	KUCU	KUC
LG-Nikko Copper Inc. -----	ONSN	ONSAN
Metallo-Chimique International N.V.-----	SME	SME
Minera El Tesoro -----	MELT	MET
Minera Escondida Limitada -----	ESOX	ESOX
Mitsubishi Materials Corporation-----	MTSB	MITSUBISHI
Mitsui Mining & Smelting Co. Ltd.-----	MITS TAMA	MITSUMI TAMANO
Nippon Mining & Metals Co., Ltd-----	HM SR	HM SR
Noranda Inc. -----	NORA	NORANDA
Norddeutsche Affinerie AG-----	NAEN	NA-ESN
Onahama Smelting & Refining CO. Ltd.-----	OSR	OSR

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 GRADE 1 CATHODE COPPER (Cont.)

<u>PRODUCER</u>	<u>COMPUTER CODE</u>	<u>BRAND NAME (1)</u>
Phelps Dodge Corporation-----	PD	P*D
	PDSR	SANTA RITA
	PDSS	PDSS
	BCCC	BCCC ("BURRO CHIEF")
	PDMI	PDMI
	CBCC	CBCC
	CMMC	CMMC ER
	TWIN	CTB
	PDGO	PD*GO
Philippine Associated Smelting & Refining Corp.--	PSAR	PASAR
Sociedad Contractual Minera El Abra-----	ABRA	ABRA
Sociedad Minera Cerro Verde S.A.-----	SMCV	SMCV
Southern Peru Copper Corp.-----	SPCC	SPCC-ILO
Southern Peru Copper Corporation/ Southern Peru Copper Ltd.-----	SPLX	SPCC-SXEW
Sumitomo Metal Mining Co. Ltd.-----	SUMI	SUMIKO
White Pine Copper Refinery, Inc.	WPCR	White Pine Copper
Zambia Consolidated Copper Mines		
Mufulira Copper Refining-----	MCM	MCM
Nkana Copper Refinery-----	REC	REC

(1) Copper Cathodes do not bear a brand marking. Accordingly, a written declaration of brand pursuant to Rule 11.16(f) of the Comex By-Laws must accompany all deliveries.

*No Longer Produced