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Mr. David Stawick
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Commodity Futures Trading Commission
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RE: Proposed Rules for Trading Off the Centralized Market – 73 Fed. Reg.
54097 (September 15, 2008)

Dear Mr. Stawick:

CME Group Inc. hereby requests an extension of time until Monday, January 5, 2009 to submit comments on the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's proposal with respect to amendments to Regulation 1.38, and guidance and acceptable practices for Core Principle 9 for designated contract markets.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, do not hesitate to contact me at (312)-338-2483 or lisa.dunsky@cmegroup.com.

Sincerely,

Lisa A. Dunsky

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