

August 16, 2013

VIA E-MAIL

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

**RE: Regulation 40.6(a): Amendments to Position Limits for Options on
Lean Hog Futures Calendar Spreads
CME Submission No. 13-339**

Dear Ms. Jurgens:

Pursuant to Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "Commission") Regulation 40.6(a), Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME") is self-certifying an increase in the single non-spot month futures equivalent speculative position limits in the Options on Lean Hog Futures Calendar Spreads ("CSO Options"). The proposed effective date for the amendments is Tuesday, September 3, 2013.

In a letter dated May 8, 2013, Commission staff approved an increase in position limits from 4,150 contracts to 4,575 contracts for Lean Hogs futures and standard options. The proposed amendments to the position limits for CSO Options establish the single non-spot month position limits at 4,575 contracts (net futures contract equivalents). The increase will harmonize the position limits for the CSO Options with existing limits for Lean Hogs futures and standard options. There is currently no open interest in the CSO Options.

CME business staff and the CME legal department collectively reviewed the designated contract market core principles ("Core Principles") as set forth in the Commodity Exchange Act ("CEA"). During the review, CME staff identified that the proposed changes may impact the following Core Principles:

- Position limits or accountability. CME is adopting speculative position limits for CSO Options that are consistent with Commission-referenced contract position limits for the underlying futures contract.

Exhibit 1 sets forth the proposed revisions to the Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table at the end of CME Rule Chapter 5. The modifications appear below with additions underscored and deletions overstruck.

CME certifies that the amendments comply with the CEA and the regulations thereunder. No substantive opposing views regarding the proposed amendments to the position limits were

expressed to CME. CME certifies that this submission has been concurrently posted on the CME Group website at <http://www.cmegroup.com/market-regulation/rule-filings.html>.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please contact me at 212-299-2200 or Christopher.Bowen@cmegroup.com, or John McKinlay at John.McKinlay@cmegroup.com and reference CME Submission No. 13-339 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher Bowen
Managing Director and Chief Regulatory Counsel

Attachments: Appendix 1: Amendments to Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table at the end of CME Rule Chapter 5

APPENDIX 1

Chapter 5 Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table
(attached under separate cover)

Contract Name	Rule Chapter	Commodity Cc	Contract Si	Contract Units
Lean Hog	152 & 152A	LN		40000 pounds
1st contract back Lean Hog CSO	152B	R0A		2 one Lean Hog future
2nd contract back Lean Hog CSO	152B	R0B		2 one Lean Hog future
3rd contract back Lean Hog CSO	152B	R0C		2 one Lean Hog future
4th contract back Lean Hog CSO	152B	R0D		2 one Lean Hog future
5th contract back Lean Hog CSO	152B	R0E		2 one Lean Hog future

Type Settlement

Futures/An Financially settled futures & options exercisable into financially settled future

European c Exercisable into financially settled future

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