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July 19, 2000

Mr. Paul J. Draths
Vice President and Secretary
Chicago Board of Trade
LaSalle at Jackson
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Re: Application of the Chicago Board of Trade for designation as a contract market in the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract and options on that futures contract. CBOT Reference File #2007.01

Dear Mr. Draths:

By submissions dated April 17, 2000 through June 9, 2000, the Chicago Board of Trade (CBOT or Exchange) applied pursuant to Sections 4c and 6 of the Commodity Exchange Act (Act), 7 U.S.C. §§ 6c and 8, and Commission Regulation § 33.5, 17 C.F.R. § 33.5, for designation as a contract market in the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract and options on that futures contract.

The Commission has reviewed the materials submitted by the CBOT and has designated the CBOT as a contract market in the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract and options on that futures contract pursuant to Sections 4c and 5 of the Act, 7 U.S.C. §§ 6c and 7.

Concurrent with designation, the Commission approved, pursuant to Section 5a(a)(12) of the Act, 7 U.S.C. § 7a(a)(12), proposed rules XX01, XX02, XX03, XX04, XX05, XX06, XX07, XX08, XX09, XX10, XX12, XX36, XX42, and XX47, and amendments to existing rules 425.01 and 1008.01 with respect to the futures contract and proposed rules XX01, XX02, XX03, XX04, XX05, XX06, XX07, XX08, XX09, XX10, XX11, XX12, XX13, and XX14, and amendments to existing rules 431.05, 431.06, and 495.01 with respect to the option on that futures contract.

Sincerely,

Jean A. Webb
Secretary of the Commission

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Designation as a Contract Market in)
the CBOT Dow Jones Composite)
Average Index Futures Contract)

ORDER OF DESIGNATION

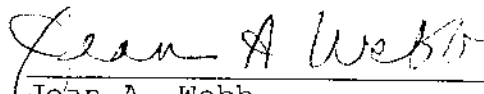
The Chicago Board of Trade (CBOT) having submitted, pursuant to Section 6 of the Commodity Exchange Act (Act), 7 U.S.C. § 8, an application for designation as a contract market in the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission having reviewed the application and the complete record in this matter, and for the reasons set forth in the memorandum submitted to the Commission by its staff recommending designation of this contract market, the Commission finds that for purposes of this application the CBOT has demonstrated compliance with the requirements of Section 5 of the Act, 7 U.S.C. § 7, and the regulations thereunder. Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, under Section 5 of the Act, 7 U.S.C. § 7, that the application of the CBOT for designation as a contract market in the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract is granted, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this grant of designation shall be subject to compliance with all sections of the Act and regulations thereunder applicable to the CBOT as a contract market.

Issued in Washington, D.C., this 19th day of July, 2000.

By the Commission



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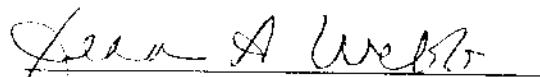
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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, under Sections 4c and 5 of the Act, 7 U.S.C. §§ 6c and 7, that the application of the CBOT for designation as a contract market in options on the CBOT Dow Jones Composite Average Index futures contract is granted, and

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