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**Re: Rule Certification. NYMEX Submission 06.97: Notification of
New Rule 11G 30, Trading at Settlement.**

Dear Ms. Eileen A. Donovan:

The New York Mercantile Exchange ("NYMEX" or the "Exchange") is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") of new Rule 11G 30, Trading at Settlement.

Effective Monday, August 7, 2006, NYMEX will implement new Rule 11G 30, Trading at Settlement, for the following contracts: WTI Crude Oil Financial TAS, RBOB Gasoline Financial TAS, Heating Oil Financial TAS, Natural Gas Financial TAS, Natural Gas Financial (Last Day) TAS, and Brent Crude Oil Financial TAS. Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the attached rule complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Nancy Minett, Vice President, Compliance, at (212) 299-2940, or the undersigned at (212) 299-2897.

Very truly yours,

Thomas F. LaSala
Senior Vice President
Compliance and Risk Management

cc: Brian Regan
Nancy Minett

Rule 11G 30, Trading at Settlement

Contracts Eligible for Trading at Settlement or “TAS” Transactions on GLOBEX®.

Until further notice, the Board has authorized the availability of Trading at Settlement transactions in such delivery months as specified by the Board for the following futures contracts available on GLOBEX.

Contracts available include:

Commodity Code on Globex®	Name	Cleared Product
WST	WTI Crude Oil Financial TAS	WS
RTT	RBOB Gasoline Financial TAS	RT
BHT	Heating Oil Financial TAS	BH
HPT	Natural Gas Financial TAS	HP
HHT	Natural Gas Financial (Last Day) TAS	HH
BBT	Brent Crude Oil Financial TAS	BB

The front two (2) trading months of the products listed above shall be available for trading. Until further notice, the hours for trading shall be the hours that the applicable contracts are available for trading on GLOBEX®.