

December 12, 2012

VIA U.S. MAIL

Assistant Secretary of the Commission for FOI Privacy and Sunshine Acts Compliance Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20581

RE: FOIA Confidentiality Treatment Request

To Whom it May Concern,

In accordance with Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") Regulation Section 145.9, Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. ("CME" or "Exchange") hereby petitions the Commission that the email sent by George Gilbert on behalf of CME on December 12, 2012 to Jonathan Lave at CFTC and the attached documents including: (1) Compensation Committee Charter; (2) Executive Committee Charter; (3) Finance Committee Charter; (4) Governance Committee Charter; (5) Nominating Committee Charter; (6) Strategic Steering Committee Charter; (7) Audit Committee Charter; (8) Market Regulation Oversight Committee Charter; (9) CME Inc. By-laws; (10) Board of Directors Corporate Governance Principles; (11) Board of Directors Code of Ethics; (12) Director Conflict of Interest Policy; (13) CME Group Speak Up Policy; (14) CME Group Management Employee Escalation and Reporting Policy; (15) CME SDR Code of Conduct; (16) CME Group Technology Safeguards; (17) CME Group Data Classification Policy; (18) CME Group Retention Schedule; (19) CME SDR CCO Conflict of Interest Policy; and (20) CME SDR Provisional Registration Checklist Parts 43 and 45 (the "Confidential Information") be accepted and retained in confidence by the Commission.

The Exchange requests that the Confidential Information be retained in confidence until further notice as against any requester who files with the Commission a request to inspect such information pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA").

The basis for this petition for confidential treatment is Regulation Section 145.9(d)(1)(ii), in that such information contains trade secrets and confidential commercial information. I understand that this petition will not be evaluated by the Commission unless and until an FOIA request has been filed for inspection of this subject matter. In that event, please contact me at (312) 466-7478.

Sincerely,

/s/_____ Timothy R. Elliott Executive Director and Associate General Counsel

cc: J. Lave