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January 13, 2010

Mr. David Stawick
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20581

RE: Early Listing of July 2011 Wheat Option

CBOT Submission No. 10-018

Dear Mr. Stawick:

The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission of its intention to list early the July 2011 Wheat options contract. This contract ordinarily would be authorized for trading as of April 25, 2010. Due to customer demand, the Exchange intends to list this contract earlier than usual (i.e., as of January 14, 2010).

This is a one-time change, rather than a permanent revision, in the Exchange's listing cycle.

CBOT certifies that this action complies with the Commodity Exchange Act and regulations thereunder.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please contact Fred Seamon, at 312-634-1587 or via e-mail at <u>Fred.Seamon@CMEGroup.com</u> or me at 312-648-5422. Please reference our CBOT Submission No. 10-018 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely.

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmáck Regulatory Counsel

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