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Submission No. 09-12
February 24, 2009

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

**Re: Temporary Changes to the Electronic Opening Times for Sugar No. 11[®], Coffee
“C”[®], Cotton No. 2[®] and Cocoa Futures Contracts -
Submission Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Act and Regulation 40.6**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Pursuant to Section 5c(c)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended, and Commission Regulation 40.6, ICE Futures U.S., Inc. (“Exchange”) submits, by written certification, temporary changes to the opening times of the Sugar No. 11, Coffee “C”, Cotton No. 2 and Cocoa futures markets.

Effective with the start of trading on Monday, March 9, 2009 through and including Friday, March 27, 2009, Sugar No. 11, Coffee “C” and Cotton No. 2 will open for trading at 3:30 a.m. NY time, instead of 2:30 a.m.; and Cocoa will open for trading at 5:00 a.m. NY time, instead of 4:00 a.m. The temporary change to the opening times for these products is due to the different start of Daylight Savings Time (“DST”) in the US and in Great Britain. In the US, DST begins on March 8th; while in Great Britain, DST begins on March 29th.

The Exchange certifies that the temporary opening times comply with the requirements of the Commodity Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

The temporary changes in opening times were made by the President in accordance with Standing Resolution R-7 and will become effective on March 9, 2009. No substantive opposing views were expressed by members or others with respect to the amendments or temporary hours.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at 212-748-4084 or jill.fassler@theice.com.

Sincerely,

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cc: Division of Market Oversight
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