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Commodity Futures Trading Commission
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RE: Rule Certification
CBOT Submission #08-51

Dear Mr. Stawick:

Pursuant to Commission Regulation 40.6(a), the Chicago Board of Trade ("CBOT"® or "Exchange") hereby submits the following:

- Early listing of August 2009 and September 2009 Soybean Futures

These futures contracts ordinarily would be authorized for trading in March 2008 and May 2008 respectively. Due to customer demand, the Exchange intends to list these contracts earlier than usual (i.e. March 3, 2008).

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

There were no opposing views with respect to this action.

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

Sincerely,

Stephen M. Szarmack
Director and Associate General Counsel