

March 27, 2009

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 for the March 2011 Contract Month for Corn Futures,

Corn Options and Mini-Corn Futures

CBOT Submission No. 09-055

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 March 2011 contract month for Corn futures, Corn options and Mini-Corn futures. Ordinarily the March 2011 futures and options contract months would be authorized for trading as of July 15, 2009. Due to customer demand, the Exchange intends to list these contracts earlier than usual (i.e., as of April 3, 2009).

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

CBOT certifies that these changes comply with the Commodity Exchange Act and the regulations thereunder.

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please do not hesitate to contact John D. Hill, at (312) 930-1852 or via e-mail at <u>John.Hill@CMEGroup.com</u> or me at (312) 648-5422. Please reference our CBOT Submission No. 09-055 in any correspondence.

Sincerely,

Stephen M. Szarmack Director and Associate General Counsel