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April 10, 2008

Mr. David Stawick
Secretary
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Center
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20581

Reference File #08-71
Rule Certification

Dear Mr. Stawick:

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

- Establish Globex® electronic trading hours for CBOT agricultural options to run concurrently with the daytime open outcry trading hours for these contracts (i.e., 9:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Chicago time).

This "side-by-side" trading schedule will be effective for CBOT Corn, Wheat, Soybean Oil, Soybean Meal, Rough Rice and Oats futures options in addition to the existing Globex overnight trading period for these agricultural products (6:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. Chicago time).

The CBOT intends to implement these trading hour changes as of April 14, 2008.

There were no opposing views with respect to these trading hour changes.

The CBOT certifies that these trading hour changes comply with the Commodity Exchange Act and the rules thereunder.

Sincerely,

Paul J. Draths

Vice President and Secretary

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