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

**Re: Rule Certification. New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc.
Submission 08.53: Notification regarding the Availability of Calendar
Spreads for NYMEX UxC Uranium U308 Swap Futures Contract.**

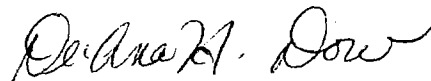
Dear Mr. Stawick:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") is notifying the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC" or "Commission") that it is self-certifying the attached Notice to Members, which states the availability of calendar spreads for the UxC Uranium U308 Swap Futures Contract. The calendar spreads for the NYMEX UxC Uranium U308 Swap Futures Contract will be available for trading on the CME Globex[®] electronic trading platform beginning on Sunday evening, April 27, 2008 for trade date Monday, April 28, 2008.

Pursuant to Section 5c(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act ("Act") and CFTC Rule 40.6, the Exchange hereby certifies that the submission complies with the Act, including regulations under the Act.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Brad Leach 212-299-2609 or the undersigned at (202) 715-8517.

Sincerely,



De'Ana H. Dow
Senior Vice President and
Chief Legislative Counsel

Attachment

Notice No. 08-201
April 10, 2008

**TO: ALL NYMEX MEMBERS AND MEMBER FIRMS
ALL NYMEX CLEARING FIRMS
ALL NYMEX OPERATIONS MANAGERS**

FROM: James E. Newsome, President and Chief Executive Officer

SUBJECT: Availability of Calendar Spreads for NYMEX UxC Uranium U3O8 Swap Futures Contract

Beginning on Sunday evening, April 27 for trade date Monday, April 28, 2008, Calendar Spreads for the NYMEX UxC Uranium U3O8 Swap Futures Contract will be available for trading on CME Globex[®] electronic trading platform.

Should you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact Brad Leach at (212) 299-2609 or Adila Mchich at (212) 299-2270.