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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: Amendments to Header Notes in the Position Limit, Position
Accountability and Reportable Level Table in the
Interpretations & Special Notices Section of Chapter 5 of the
NYMEX Rulebook
NYMEX Submission No. 09-205**

Dear Mr. Stawick:

The New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commodity Futures Trading Commission of amendments to the Header Notes in the Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table in the Interpretations & Special Notices Section of Chapter 5 of the NYMEX Rulebook. The changes resulted from the recent rebranding of miNY contract to E-mini contracts.

The amendments to the Header Notes are set forth below, with additions underscored and deletions overstruck.

Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table

Header Notes

1. Position Limits and Any One Month/All Month/Expiration Month Position Accountability Levels shall be calculated on a net futures-equivalent basis. Furthermore, the Exchange may require compliance with position accountability levels on a futures-only basis to the base contracts into which other contracts aggregate.

For purposes of calculating futures-equivalent positions, the following shall apply:

- an E-mini-NYMEX ~~Light Sweet~~ Crude Oil ~~miNY~~ Futures Contract shall be deemed equivalent to .50 of a Crude Oil Financial Contract;
- an E-mini-NYMEX Natural Gas ~~miNY~~ Futures Contract shall be deemed equivalent to .25 of a Henry Hub Penultimate Financial ~~Last Day~~ Futures Contract;
- an E-mini-NYMEX ~~miNY~~ Gasoline Futures Contract shall be deemed equivalent to .50 of a RBOB Gasoline Financial Futures Contract;
- an E-mini-NYMEX ~~miNY~~ Heating Oil Futures Contract shall be deemed equivalent to .50 of a Heating Oil Financial Futures Contract;

[The remainder of the Header Notes are unchanged.]

NYMEX certifies that the amendments comply with the Commodity Exchange Act and regulations thereunder.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Anthony V. Densieski, Director, Market Surveillance, at 212.299.2881 or me at 312.648.5422. Please reference NYMEX Submission No. 09-205 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephen M. Szarmack
Director and Associate General Counsel

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