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November 3, 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 of November 2012 Soybean Option
CBOT Submission No. 09-268**

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 November 2012 Soybean options contract. This contract ordinarily would be authorized for trading as of July 25, 2011. Due to customer demand, the Exchange intends to list this contract earlier than usual (i.e., as of November 4, 2009).

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

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

If you require any additional information regarding this action, please contact Fred Seamon at 312-634-1587 or via e-mail at Fred.Seamon@CMEGroup.com or me at 312-648-5422. Please reference our CBOT Submission No. 09-268 in any related correspondence.

Sincerely,

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

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