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November 12, 2008

Mr. David Stawick
Office of the Secretariat
Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20581

RE: Early listing for the September 2010 futures contract month for Corn

and Mini-Corn futures. Submission No. 08-180

Dear Mr. Stawick:

The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT" or "Exchange") hereby notifies the Commission of its intention to list early the September 2010 futures contract month for Corn and Mini-Corn futures. Ordinarily, the September 2010 future month would be authorized for trading as of March 16, 2009. Due to customer demand, the Exchange intends to list these contracts earlier than usual (i.e., as of November 17, 2008).

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

The Exchange certifies that these changes comply with the 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 #08-180 in any correspondence.

Sincerely,

Stephen M. Szarmack Director and Associate General Counsel