

Special Executive Report

DATE: March 28, 2012

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SUBJECT: CHANGE IN EFFECTIVE DATE – Reduction of Minimum Price

Fluctuation of Six Singapore Fuel Oil Swap Futures and Option

Contracts on NYMEX Trading Floor and CME ClearPort

Please note that **effective Sunday**, **April 15**, **2012**, **for trade date Monday**, **April 16**, **2012**, rather than trade date April 2 as previously announced earlier today in Special Executive Report 6182, the New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. (NYMEX or Exchange) will reduce the minimum price fluctuation limit for the six Singapore fuel oil swap futures and option contracts below, listed for trading on the NYMEX trading floor and for submission for clearing through CME ClearPort.

| Contract | Code | Chapter |
|---|------|---------|
| Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) Swap Futures | SE | 668 |
| Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Calendar Swap Futures | UA | 662 |
| East-West Fuel Oil Spread (Platts) Swap Futures | EW | 666 |
| Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Average Price Option | C5 | 439A |
| Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) Average Price Option | 8H | 668A |
| Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst vs. 380 cst Spread (Platts) Swap Futures | SD | 667 |

The Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC) will be notified of the reduction of the minimum price fluctuation limits during the week of April 23, 2012, via the weekly notification procedures set forth in Part 40 of the CFTC Regulations.

The amendments to the rules relating to reduction in minimum price fluctuation limit for the above-listed contracts are provided in blackline format below.

(underline reflects addition; strikethrough reflects deletion)

Chapter 668 - Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) Swap Futures

668.05. PRICES AND FLUCTUATIONS

Prices shall be quoted in U.S. dollars and cents per metric ton. The minimum price fluctuation shall be \$0.010 \\$0.001 per metric ton. There shall be no maximum price fluctuation.

Chapter 662 - Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Calendar Swap Futures

662.05 PRICES AND FLUCTUATIONS

Prices shall be quoted in U.S. dollars and cents per metric ton. The minimum price fluctuation shall be \$0.01 \overline{90.001} per metric ton. There shall be no maximum price fluctuation.

Chapter 666 - East-West Fuel Oil Spread (Platts) Swap Futures

666.05 PRICES AND FLUCTUATIONS

Prices shall be quoted in U.S. dollars and cents per metric ton. The minimum price fluctuation shall be \$0.01 \$0.001 per metric ton. There shall be no maximum price fluctuation.

Chapter 439A - Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst (Platts) Average Price Option

439A.06 PRICES IN SINGAPORE FUEL OIL 180 CST CALENDAR SWAP

Prices shall be quoted in dollars and cents per metric ton. The minimum price increment will be \$0.001 per metric ton. and prices shall be in multiples of one (1) cent per metric ton. A cabinet trade may occur at a price of \$.001 per metric ton, or \$1.00.

Chapter 668A - Singapore Fuel Oil 380 cst (Platts) Average Price Option

668A.06 PRICES

Prices shall be quoted in dollars and cents per metric ton and prices shall be in multiples of one (1) cent per metric ton. The minimum price increment will be \$.01 \$0.001 per metric ton. A cabinet trade may occur at a price of \$.001 per metric ton, or \$1.00, however, if it results in the liquidation of positions for both parties to trade.

Chapter 667 - Singapore Fuel Oil 180 cst vs. 380 Spread (Platts) Swap Futures

667.05 PRICES AND FLUCTUATIONS

Prices shall be quoted in U.S. dollars and cents per metric ton. The minimum price fluctuation shall be \$0.01 \$0.001 per metric ton. There shall be no maximum price fluctuation.

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