

Market Notice

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A1321

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Amendment to the Derivatives directives

Members are referred to Notice A1311 dated 22 October 2010 which invited comment on the proposed amendment to the Derivatives directives. No objection was received in terms of rule 1.80.5 and the amendment, attached as Annexure A, is approved with immediate effect.

Should you have any queries in respect of the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

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AMENDMENT TO THE DERIVATIVES DIRECTIVES

General	exp	lanatory	notes
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- Words underlined with a solid line (____) indicate the insertions in the existing directives. 1.
- 2. Words in bold and in square brackets ([]) indicate omissions from the existing directives.

TRADING PERIODS AND TIMES

The commodity derivatives market will operate on every business day according to the following standard periods and times:

	Time		
Period	Agricultural derivatives*	Foreign commodity derivatives# and selected international derivatives	
Market pre-opening	08h50 to 08h59	08h50 to 08h59	
Market opening	09h00	09h00	
Market closing	12h00	17h00	
Administration	12h00 to 12h45 (physical delivery month contracts) 12h00 to 14h30 (all other expiry month contracts)	17h00 to 17h15	
Mark-to market release	12h45	17h20	
Physical delivery auctioning process	11h30 to 13h00 (random close in the last 60 seconds)		
Physical delivery invoicing	[12h45] 13h00 to 14h30		

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^{*} Including Chicago Corn and Soy contacts # Excluding Chicago Corn and Soy contracts