

# **Advisory Notice**

Clearing House

09-260

TO: Clearing Member Firms

**Back Office Managers** 

FROM: CME Clearing

SUBJECT: Performance Bond Requirement Changes – Effective Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

DATE: Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009

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As per the normal review of market volatility to ensure adequate collateral coverage, the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc., Clearing House Risk Management staff approved the performance bond requirements for the following products listed below. The rates are effective with the launch of these products on June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009.

### **CME Security Futures Outright Rates**

AaFeed Industries Inc. (FDE)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	\$100	\$100
Customer Rate	NA	\$135	\$100

Green Mountain Coffee Roasters Inc. (GMC)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	23.00%	23.00%
Customer Rate	NA	23.00%	23.00%

NRG Energy Inc. (NRG)

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	23.00%	23.00%
Customer Rate	NA	23.00%	23.00%

Quest Software Inc. (QSF)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	21.00%	21.00%
Customer Rate	NA	21.00%	21.00%

### Rio Tinto plc – ADR (RTP)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	24.00%	24.00%
Customer Rate	NA	24.00%	24.00%

### Origin Agritech Limited (SDE)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	\$75	\$75
Customer Rate	NA	\$102	\$75

### Tenaris S.A. – ADR (TS9)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	26.00%	26.00%
Customer Rate	NA	26.00%	26.00%

### Time Warner Cable Inc. (TWC)

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	13.00%	13.00%
Customer Rate	NA	20.00%	20.00%

### iShares® MSCI EAFE Index Fund (EFA)

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	13.00%	13.00%
Customer Rate	NA	20.00%	20.00%

# iShares® Barclays 1-3 Year Treasury Bond Fund (SHY)

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	02.50%	02.50%
Customer Rate	NA	20.00%	20.00%

# **CME Security Futures Intra-Commodity Spread Rates**

# AgFeed Industries Inc. (FDE) - All Months

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

### Green Mountain Coffee Roasters Inc. (GMC) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

# NRG Energy Inc. (NRG) - All Months

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Rate Type Clearing/Member Rate	Change NA	Initial 3.00%	Maintenance 3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

### Quest Software Inc. (QSF) - All Months

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

### Rio Tinto plc - ADR (RTP) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

### Origin Agritech Limited (SDE) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

# Tenaris S.A. - ADR (TS9) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

### Time Warner Cable Inc. (TWC) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

# iShares® MSCI EAFE Index Fund (EFA) - All Months

Rate Type	Change	New Initial	New Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%

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iShares® Barclays 1-3 Year Treasury Bond Fund (SHY) - All Months

		New	New
Rate Type	Change	Initial	Maintenance
Clearing/Member Rate	NA	3.00%	3.00%
Customer Rate	NA	5.00%	5.00%