

## Special Executive Report

**DATE:** August 11, 2015

SER#: 7434

SUBJECT: Listing of Three (3) New Light Louisiana Sweet (LLS) Average Price Option

**Contracts** 

Effective Sunday, September 13, 2015, and for trade date Monday, September 14, 2015, and pending all relevant CFTC regulatory review periods, New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. (NYMEX or Exchange) will list three (3) new European-style Light Louisiana Sweet ("LLS") average price option contracts for trading on NYMEX trading floor and CME Globex, and for submission for clearing through CME ClearPort. Also concurrent with the launch of these contracts the Exchange will permit block trading pursuant to Rule 526 (Block Trades) in these contracts. Contract specifications are as follows:

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

Contract Title	LLS (Argus) vs. WTI Crude	LLS (Argus) vs. Brent Crude	LLS (Argus) Crude Oil	
Commodity Code	Oil Average Price Option WJO	Oil Average Price Option  LRO	Average Price Option  XAO	
Rule Chapter	1128	1129	1130	
Venue	CME Globex, CME ClearPort & NYMEX Trading Floor	CME Globex, CME ClearPort & NYMEX Trading Floor	CME Globex, CME ClearPort & NYMEX Trading Floor	
Settlement Method	nt Financial Financial		Financial	
<b>Option Type</b>	European	European	European	
Contract Size	1000 Barrels	1000 Barrels	1000 Barrels	
Listing Schedule	Current year+5 consecutive years	Current year+5 consecutive years	Current year+5 consecutive years	
Minimum Price Fluctuation	\$0.01/barrel	\$0.01/barrel	\$0.01/barrel	
Value per Tick	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	
First Listed Contract	October 2015	October 2015	October 2015	
Block Trade Minimum Threshold	10	10	10	
Termination of Trading	Last business day of the underlying contract month	Last business day of the underlying contract month	Last business day of the underlying contract month	

## **TRADING AND CLEARING HOURS**

CME Globex and CME ClearPort	Sunday - Friday 6:00 p.m 5:15 p.m. (5:00 p.m 4:15 p.m. Chicago Time/CT) with a 45-minute break each day beginning at 5:15 p.m. (4:15 p.m. CT)
Trading Floor	Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m 2:30 p.m. (8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. CT)

## **FEES**

Exchange Fees	Trading Floor	CME Globex	CME ClearPort
Member Day Rate	0.45	0.45	
Member Overnight Rate	0.70	0.70	1.75
Cross Division Rate	0.95	0.95	
Non-Member Rate	1.45	1.45	2.50
International Incentive Program (IIP)		0.77	
Other Processing Surcharges	Member	Non-Member	
Cash Settlement	0.90	1.15	
Facilitation Fee	0.30		
Give-up Surcharge	0.05		
Position Transfer/Position Adjustment	0.10		

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