

## Chapter 843

### Mini European 3.5% Fuel Oil Barges FOB Rdam (Platts) BALMO Futures

#### 843.01. SCOPE

The provisions of these Rules shall apply to all contracts bought or sold on the Exchange for cash settlement based on the Floating Price.

#### 843.02. FLOATING PRICE

The Floating Price for each contract month is equal to the balance-of-month arithmetic average of the high and low quotations from Platts European Marketscan for 3.5% Fuel Oil under the heading "Barges FOB Rotterdam" assessment starting from the selected start date through the end of the contract month, inclusively.

#### 843.03. CONTRACT QUANTITY AND VALUE

The contract quantity shall be 100 metric tons. Each contract shall be valued as the contract quantity (100) multiplied by the settlement price.

#### 843.04. CONTRACT MONTHS

Trading shall be conducted in contracts in such months as shall be determined by the Exchange.

#### 843.05. PRICES AND FLUCTUATIONS

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

#### 843.06. TERMINATION OF TRADING

Trading shall cease on the last business day of the contract month.

#### 843.07. FINAL SETTLEMENT

Delivery under the contract shall be by cash settlement. Final settlement, following termination of trading for a contract month, will be based on the Floating Price. The final settlement price will be the Floating Price calculated for each balance-of-month contract.

#### 843.08. EXCHANGE OF FUTURES FOR RELATED POSITION TRANSACTIONS

Any Exchange of Futures for Related Position (EFRP) transactions shall be governed by the provisions of Rule 538.

#### 843.09. DISCLAIMER

See [NYMEX/COMEX Chapter iv. \("DISCLAIMERS"\)](#) incorporated herein by reference.