



## Special Executive Report

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**SUBJECT:** Australian Coking Coal (Platts) Low Vol Futures

In connection with New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc.'s ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") Australian Coking Coal (Platts) Low Vol Futures contract (the "Contract") (Rulebook Chapter 1111; Commodity Code: ALW), please be advised that effective Friday, April 1, 2016, Platts announced that it will implement a change in the computation to the assessment process for Premium Low Vol Hard Coking Coal Australia.

Please see the Platts methodology update:

<http://www.platts.com/subscriber-notes-details/21026486>

This revision is a result of Platts' observation of recent changes in market trading patterns. The amended computation will not affect the pricing basis of the index as it will remain FOB Australia.

The Exchange continues to engage Platts in monitoring this matter.

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