



Market Surveillance

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NOTICE #: MSN05-03-17

SUBJECT: Position Limits, Accountability Levels and Large Trader Reporting Requirements in Connection with the Initial Listing of two (2) European high sulphur fuel oil futures contracts

In connection with the listing of New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc.'s ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") 3.5% Fuel Oil CIF Med (Platts) vs. 3.5% Fuel Oil FOB Med (Platts) Futures and 3.5% Fuel Oil CIF Med (Platts) vs. 3.5% Fuel Oil FOB Med (Platts) BALMO Futures contracts on trade date Monday, May 8, 2017 (see [SER-7893](#) published April 11, 2017), please note below and in [Appendix B](#) of NYMEX Submission No. [17-108](#), the corresponding spot month position limits (Rule 559), aggregation allocations (Rule 559.D.), single month and all month accountability levels (Rule 560) and reportable levels (Rule 561) for the new contracts. The new, financially settled, contracts shall have diminishing balances.

Contract Name	Rule Chapter	Commodity Code	Contract Size and Units	Reporting Level	Aggregate Into Futures Equivalent Leg (1) / Leg (2)	Aggregate Into Ratio Leg (1) / Leg (2)	Spot-Month Limit (In Net Futures Equivalents) Leg (1) / Leg (2)	Single Month Accountability Levels Leg (1) / Leg (2)	All Month Accountability Levels Leg (1) / Leg (2)
3.5% Fuel Oil CIF Med (Platts) vs. 3.5% Fuel Oil FOB Med (Platts) Futures	512	CMF	1,000 Metric tons	25	7D / UI	1 CMF : 1 7D / 1 CMF : -1 UI	75 / 150	1,000 / 1,500	1,500 / 1,500
3.5% Fuel Oil CIF Med (Platts) vs. 3.5% Fuel Oil FOB Med (Platts) BALMO Futures	513	CMB	1,000 Metric tons	25	7D / UI	1 CMF : 1 7D / 1 CMF : -1 UI	75 / 150	1,000 / 1,500	1,500 / 1,500

Effective trade date May 8, 2017, and pending all relevant CFTC regulatory review periods, the terms and conditions of the contracts will be inserted into the [NYMEX Position Limit, Position Accountability and Reportable Level Table](#) located in the Interpretations & Special Notices Section of Chapter 5 of the NYMEX Rulebook.

The commodity codes are provided for Clearing Members that file reports pursuant to NYMEX Rule 561.A in a machine-readable format.

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