

Advisory Notice

Clearing House

TO: Clearing Member Firms
FROM: Clearing House Department
ADVISORY #: 06-234
DATE: September 20, 2006
SUBJECT: New NYMEX Physically Delivered WTI – Brent Crude Oil Spread on CME Globex® --
Effective Sunday, September 24, 2006

Effective Sunday, September 24, 2006 (trade date Monday, September 25, 2006), NYMEX will offer a spread between its physically delivered light sweet crude oil and Brent crude oil futures contracts on CME Globex. This new spread (commodity code CL:BB), will replace the spread between the financially settled crude oil futures and Brent crude oil futures (WS:BB), which will be ***de-listed*** from CME Globex at the close of business on ***Friday, September 22, 2006***.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact CME Clearing Services at 312.207.2525.