

# CORPORATE EVENTS

MEMO # 07-31

DATE: 02/05/07

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**ACTION:** Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. (DO) has announced a special cash distribution of \$4.00 per DO common share. **The ex-distribution date is Monday, February 12, 2007.** This corporate action will be coordinated with the Options Clearing Corporation.

**CATEGORY:** Special Cash Distribution

**EQUITY SYMBOL:** Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. (DO)

**ONECHICAGO SYMBOL:** DO1C remains the same

**CME FUTURES SYMBOL:** DO9 remains the same

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Effective on the opening of business Monday, February 12, 2007.

**MULTIPLIER:** 100 multiplier remains the same

**DELIVERABLE PER CONTRACT:** 100 Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. (DO) common shares.

**APPLICABLE CONTRACT MONTHS:** February, March, June and September 2007

**SETTLEMENT PRICES AND POSITIONS:** Start of day prices on February 12, 2007 will be reduced by \$4.00 from the February 9, 2007 settlement price.

**NOTES:** The forecasted effect of the upcoming corporate event on each clearing firm's positions can be viewed in infopac in the Corporate Event Initial Forecast Report (ONE712), the Corporate Event Final Forecast Report (ONE713), and the Corporate Event Forecast Audit Report (CPDBU710).

The details after the corporate event has been applied can be viewed in the Corporate Event Activity Report (ONE711).

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