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TO: Clearing Member Firms
Chief Financial Officers
Back Office Managers
Margin Managers

FROM: CME Clearing

SUBJECT: Performance Bond Requirements

DATE: Wednesday, October 07, 2015

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As per the normal review of market volatility to ensure adequate collateral coverage, the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc., Clearing House Risk Management staff approved the performance bond requirements for the following products listed below.

The rates will be effective after the close of business on

Thursday, October 08, 2015.

Current rates as of:

Wednesday, October 07, 2015.

SPAN MINIMUM PERFORMANCE BOND REQUIREMENTS

CC	Rate Type	Description	Change	ISO	Current Initial	Current Maintenance	New Initial	New Maintenance
Outright Rates								
AGRICULTURE - Outright Rates								
LIVE CATTLE FUTURES (LC)								
LC	Spec	Mnths 2+	Increase	USD	1,540	1,400	1,980	1,800
LC	Hedge/Member	Mnths 2+	Increase	USD	1,400	1,400	1,800	1,800
LC	Spec	Mnth 1	Increase	USD	1,540	1,400	1,980	1,800
LC	Hedge/Member	Mnth 1	Increase	USD	1,400	1,400	1,800	1,800
LIVE CATTLE TRADE AT SETTLEMENT (LET)								
LET	Spec	Mnths 2+	Increase	USD	1,540	1,400	1,980	1,800
LET	Hedge/Member	Mnths 2+	Increase	USD	1,400	1,400	1,800	1,800
LET	Spec	Mnth 1	Increase	USD	1,540	1,400	1,980	1,800
LET	Hedge/Member	Mnth 1	Increase	USD	1,400	1,400	1,800	1,800