



The following provisions of the MGEX Bylaws and Rules are to be implemented in the near future.

EXHIBIT A

The following MGEX Rule is to be amended. Additions are underlined while deletions are ~~marked through~~.

2.1.15. AFFILIATE PARTICIPANT.

The Exchange has an affiliate FCM, which directly or indirectly shares a common parent company with MGEX, that is permitted to operate as a Market Participant, to provide clearing services and participate on the Exchange's Electronic Trading System, subject to the following provisions:

- A. Affiliate will not have access to the Exchange's material non-public information, as defined in CFTC Regulations 1.59(a)(5) and (6); provided, however, a common director of the Exchange and the Affiliate, if any, may share information consistent with CFTC Regulation 1.59(d).
- B. Affiliate will not receive preferential treatment in any respect, including with respect to Exchange disciplinary processes or pricing.
- C. Affiliate will be subject to the same access criteria and must abide by the same Rules as all other Clearing Members or Market Participants.
- D. Affiliate will maintain offices and information technology systems separate from the Exchange.