INTERCONTINENTALEXCHANGE NAMES BRAD VANNAN PRESIDENT & COO OF ICE FUTURES CANADA

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ATLANTA, April 10, 2008 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), a leading operator of global derivatives exchanges and over-the-counter (OTC) markets, today announced that Brad Vannan has been appointed President and Chief Operating Officer of ICE Futures Canada(TM), ICE's wholly-owned Canadian futures exchange.

Vannan is a 23-year veteran with experience in the global agricultural markets. He most recently held the position of Vice President at Agricore United, where he had responsibility for four major divisions including grain merchandising, transportation and logistics, specialty crops and pulse operations, and grain accounting. He also previously served on the board of governors of ICE Futures Canada's predecessor company, the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange. Vannan will join ICE on April 14 and will assume his new role as President and COO effective April 30.

"We are pleased to welcome Brad and the wealth of expertise he brings to ICE as we continue to grow our Canadian futures business," said Jeffrey C. Sprecher, ICE Chairman and CEO. "Brad possesses vast knowledge of Canada's agricultural markets from both technical and operational perspectives, and is well regarded by the industry. He has been a leader in advancing key programs within the Canadian marketplace and we have no doubt that he will be an equally effective leader at ICE."

In August 2007, ICE acquired the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange, which was renamed ICE Futures Canada. The exchange's Canola futures contract is the world's leading canola contract.

About IntercontinentalExchange

IntercontinentalExchange(R) (NYSE: ICE) is a leading operator of global exchanges and over-the-counter (OTC) markets. ICE offers futures and OTC markets on a single trading platform, including markets for crude oil and refined products, natural gas, power and emissions, as well as agricultural commodities and financial products such as canola, cocoa, coffee, cotton, ethanol, orange juice, wood pulp, sugar, foreign currency and equity index futures and options. ICE(R) conducts its energy futures markets, including the leading oil benchmark contracts, through its London-based exchange, ICE Futures Europe(TM). ICE conducts its global agricultural commodity, foreign exchange and equity index futures markets through its U.S. and Canadian exchanges, ICE Futures U.S.(TM) and ICE Futures Canada(TM), and offers clearing services through ICE Clear U.S.(TM) and ICE Clear Canada(TM). ICE's state-of-the-art electronic trading platform serves market participants in more than 55 countries. ICE is included in the Russell 1000(R) Index and the S&P 500 Index. Headquartered in Atlanta, ICE has offices in Calgary, Chicago, Houston, London, New York, Singapore and Winnipeg. For more information, please visit **www.theice.com** .

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