ICE FUTURES U.S. POSTS RECORD ELECTRONIC VOLUME

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ATLANTA, Jan. 9/PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), a leading operator of global exchanges and over-the-counter (OTC) markets, announced that its ICE Futures U.S.(TM) subsidiary yesterday posted a new high in exchange-wide electronic trading volume for a single day. The exchange reported record electronic volume of 234,120 contracts on Tuesday, January 8.

The new record surpasses the previous electronic volume record set on June 13, 2007.

Electronic trading at ICE Futures U.S. yesterday represented 89% of total futures trading volume. ICE announced last month that all futures trading at ICE Futures U.S. would transition to the electronic platform in March 2008.

About IntercontinentalExchange

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