INTERCONTINENTALEXCHANGE APPOINTS JPMORGAN TREASURY & SECURITIES SERVICES AS CONSOLIDATION BANK FOR ICE CLEAR EUROPE

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LONDON and ATLANTA, Oct. 15 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), a leading global commodity exchange operator and over-the-counter marketplace, today announced the appointment of JPMorgan Treasury & Securities Services ("JPMorgan TSS") as consolidation bank for its wholly-owned European clearing house, ICE Clear Europe(sm).

JPMorgan TSS will provide multi-currency payments, global custody and additional securities services and will put into place a cash investment program for ICE Clear Europe. Under the agreement, ICE Clear Europe and JPMorgan TSS will develop jointly the Assured Payment Service (APS). The APS system will allow Clearing Members to choose where they hold their bank accounts and will initiate payments for Clearing Members at a predetermined time.

"We are pleased to announce the appointment of JPMorgan TSS as our consolidation bank," said Paul Swann, President and Chief Operating Officer of ICE Clear Europe. "JPMorgan TSS has established a reputation as the payment bank of choice to many of the world's leading investment exchanges for delivering reliable and innovative treasury services. This partnership is a key milestone in the development of a solid, innovative and customer focused clearing operation, and we look forward to working with JPMorgan TSS to advance these aims."

S. Natarajan, head of sales for financial institutions at JPMorgan Treasury Services, a division of JPMorgan TSS, said: "We look forward to working with ICE Clear Europe on developing tailored solutions, which will provide additional functionality for clearing house members."

On July 31, 2007, ICE Clear Europe submitted its application for recognition as a clearing house to the U.K. Financial Services Authority.

About IntercontinentalExchange

IntercontinentalExchange(R) (NYSE: ICE) operates global commodity and financial products marketplaces, including the world's leading electronic energy markets and soft commodity exchange. ICE's diverse futures and over- the-counter (OTC) markets offer contracts based on crude oil and refined products, natural gas, power and emissions, as well as agricultural commodities including canola, cocoa, coffee, cotton, ethanol, orange juice, wood pulp and sugar, in addition to foreign currency and equity index futures and options. ICE(R) conducts its energy futures markets through ICE Futures Europe(sm), its London-based futures exchange, which offers the world's leading oil benchmarks and trades nearly half of the world's global crude futures in its markets. ICE conducts its soft commodity, foreign exchange and equity index markets through its U.S. futures exchange, ICE Futures U.S.(sm), which provides global futures and options markets, as well as clearing services through ICE Clear U.S.(sm) In August 2007, ICE acquired the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange Inc., the leading agricultural futures exchange in Canada. ICE's state-of-the-art electronic trading platform brings market access and transparency to participants in more than 50 countries. ICE was added to the Russell 1000(R) Index in June 2006 and the S&P 500 Index in September 2007. Headquartered in Atlanta, ICE also has offices in Calgary, Chicago, Dublin, Houston, London, New York, Singapore and Winnipeg. For more information, please visit **www.theice.com**.

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