ICE INTRODUCES NEW CLEARED AND BILATERAL CRUDE OIL SWAPS FOR CASH AND PHYSICAL OIL MARKETS

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ATLANTA, July 25 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), the leading electronic energy marketplace and soft commodity exchange, announced that an expanded range of over-the-counter (OTC) crude oil products covering the European, Asian and Middle Eastern markets will be offered for trading on the ICE platform.

Two OTC oil products will be available on ICE for clearing beginning on August 3:

* Gasoil Crack Differential, settled on 1st line ICE Brent Crude and ICE Gas Oil Futures
* 1st Line Dubai Swap, Platts settlement

In addition, several new bilateral contracts were listed earlier this month, including the Dubai, Oman, Tapis, Upper Zakum and Minas delivery points. These contracts are offered in a range of strips, partials and cargoes and include financial or physical delivery:

* Cash Dubai Partials
* Cash Oman Partials
* Cash Upper Zakum Partials
* Cash Tapis Partials
* Cash Minas Partials
* Dubai Cargo
* Oman Cargo
* Upper Zakum Cargo
* Tapis Cargo
* Minas Cargo
* Oman Cargo (MOG Differential)
* Dubai Swaps
* Oman Swaps
* Tapis Swaps
* Minas Swaps

These products will settle on the respective Platts indexes which serve as the benchmark for pricing each delivery point. Platts, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, is a leading provider of energy price indexes to the global energy markets. These new products complement the hundreds of crude and refined oil products, natural gas and power contacts listed in ICE's global OTC markets.

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 access to contracts based on crude oil and refined products, natural gas, power and emissions, as well as agricultural commodities including 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, its U.K. regulated London-based subsidiary, 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 index markets through its U.S. regulated subsidiary, the New York Board of Trade(R). NYBOT(R) provides global futures and options markets, as well as clearing services through ICE Clear USsm, its wholly owned clearing house. 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. Headquartered in Atlanta, ICE also has offices in Calgary, Chicago, Houston, London, New York and Singapore. For more information, please visit **www.theice.com**.

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