ICE FUTURES U.S. TO ADD REMAINING FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTRACTS TO THE ICE ELECTRONIC PLATFORM ON JANUARY 25

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NEW YORK, Dec 20, 2007 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- ICE Futures U.S.(TM), a wholly-owned subsidiary of IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), announced today that it will offer electronic trading of futures contracts for an additional 31 foreign exchange pairs on January 25, 2008. Electronic trading began on November 9, 2007, for an initial 10 foreign exchange futures contracts. The January listing completes the transition of ICE's foreign exchange futures products to the electronic platform.

These foreign exchange contracts will begin electronic trading at 8:00 p.m. ET on Thursday, January 24, for trade date January 25. Electronic trading hours are from 8:00 p.m. ET through 6:00 p.m. ET each trading day. With the exception of four new contracts noted below, the products will be available for trading both electronically and via open-outcry from the initial trade date of January 24 through February 29. As previously announced, open-outcry trading of futures products will end on February 29.

The products are currently available in a test environment to allow independent software vendors (ISVs), market data vendors, brokers, algorithmic traders and other registered market participants to complete system connectivity and functionality testing.

"The listing of these contracts on the electronic trading platform completes our migration of foreign exchange futures products to the ICE screen. It is the next logical step in our efforts to offer the widest possible selection of currency contracts to the trading and hedging communities," said Tom Farley, ICE Futures U.S. President and Chief Operating Officer. "ICE now offers electronic trading in both agricultural and foreign exchange futures markets, in response to our customers who have overwhelmingly expressed support for such access."

The foreign exchange contracts that will begin trading electronically on January 25 are:

ICE FUTURES U.S. CONTRACT	CONTRACT SIZE	SYMBOL
Australian dollar/Canadian dollar	200,000 A. dollars	AS
Australian dollar/Japanese yen	200,000 A. dollars	YA
Australian dollar/New Zealand dollar	200,000 A. dollars	AR
Australian Dollar/US Dollar	200,000 A. dollars	AU
Brazilian Real/US dollar	100,000 Brazilian reals	BX
British pound/Australian dollar	125,000 pounds	QA
British pound/NZ dollar	125,000 pounds	GN
British pound/Canadian dollar	125,000 pounds	PC
British pound/Norwegian krone	125,000 pounds	PK
British pound/South African rand	125,000 pounds	PZ
British pound/Swedish krona	125,000 pounds	PS
Canadian dollar/Japanese yen	200,000 C. dollars	HY
Euro/Australian dollar	100,000 euros	RA
Euro/Canadian dollar	100,000 euros	EP
Euro/Czech koruna	100,000 euros	EZ
Euro/Hungarian forint	100,000 euros	HR
Euro/Norwegian krone	100,000 euros	OL
Euro/Swedish krona	100,000 euros	RK
Euro/South African rand	100,000 euros	YZ
New Zealand dollar/Japanese yen	200,000 NZ dollars	ZJ
Norwegian krone/Japanese yen	2,000,000 krone	KY
Norwegian krone/Swedish krona	500,000 N. krone	NJ
Swedish krona/Japanese yen	2,000,000 krona	KJ
Dollar/Canadian dollar	100,000 US dollars	SV
US dollar/Czech koruna*	100,000 US dollars	VC
US Dollar/Hungarian forint*	100,000 US dollars	VU
US Dollar/Norwegian Krone*	100,000 US dollars	NT
US Dollar/South African Rand	100,000 US dollars	ZR
US Dollar/Swedish Krona*	100,000 US dollars	KX
US Dollar/New Zealand dollar	200,000 NZ dollars	ZX

Euro Index	1000 euro X index value	E

*Denotes listing of a new contract. These contracts are smaller in size than previously listed contracts for the same currency pair. The larger contract sizes will be phased out entirely with the expiry of the March 2008 contracts.

Detailed contract specifications for each product can be found on the ICE website at **https://www.theice.com/commodities.jhtml**.

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(TM), 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.(TM), which provides global futures and options markets, as well as clearing services through ICE Clear U.S.(TM) 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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