ICE FUTURES U.S. TO LIST FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTRACTS ON THE ICE ELECTRONIC PLATFORM BEGINNING NOVEMBER 9

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NEW YORK, Oct 10, 2007 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- ICE Futures U.S., the leading soft commodity exchange and a subsidiary of IntercontinentalExchange (NYSE: ICE), today announced that it will begin offering foreign exchange futures electronically on the ICE trading platform on November 9, 2007.

Listing of the foreign exchange futures contracts will occur in phases. In the initial phase, the following futures contracts will be offered electronically 22 hours a day on the ICE platform:

ICE Futures U.S. Contract Contract Size Symbol British pound/Japanese yen 125,000 British pounds SY British pound/Swiss franc 125,000 British pounds SS British pound/US dollar 62,500 British pounds MP Euro/British pound 100,000 euros GB Euro/Japanese yen 100,000 euros EJ Euro/Swiss franc 100,000 euros RZ Euro/US dollar 100,000 euros EO Swiss franc/Japanese yen 200,000 Swiss francs ZY US dollar/Japanese yen 100,000 US dollars SN US dollar/Swiss franc 100,000 US dollars MF

These foreign exchange contracts will begin electronic trading on the ICE platform at 8:00 p.m. ET on Thursday, November 8 for trade date November 9. Electronic trading hours for currency futures are from 8:00 p.m. ET through 6:00 p.m. ET each trading day. These futures contracts also trade in the exchange's floor-based markets in New York and Dublin, which operate from 2:00 a.m. ET through 3:00 p.m. ET. The US Dollar Index® futures contract (DX), a leading benchmark for the performance of the U.S. dollar against a basket of currencies, began trading electronically in June. The electronic launch of additional currency contracts will be announced at a later date.

The products will be available in a test environment beginning Thursday, October 11, to allow independent software vendors (ISVs), market data vendors, brokers, algorithmic traders and other registered market participants time to complete system connectivity and functionality testing.

"We're pleased to expand our unique foreign exchange offering through the distribution and accessibility of the ICE platform," said Tom Farley, ICE Futures U.S. President and Chief Operating Officer. "This is a first step toward unlocking the potential in our products and in serving our participants in the large and growing foreign exchange market."

ICE Futures U.S. successfully introduced side-by-side trading of its soft commodity contracts on February 2, 2007. Contracts offered include futures based on cocoa, coffee, cotton, orange juice and sugar. Today, approximately 80% of the exchange's soft commodity futures contracts are traded electronically on the ICE platform.

About IntercontinentalExchange

IntercontinentalExchange® (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® 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® 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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