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MGEX Reports 5th-Best Fiscal Year Volume

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – MGEX, a Designated Contract Market (DCM) and Derivatives Clearing Organization (DCO), reports the conclusion of the 2018-2019 fiscal year with a total volume of 2,242,694 contracts, making it the 5th-best fiscal year of all time.

This is the sixth consecutive year the Exchange's total fiscal year volume surpassed 2 million contracts. The concluding open interest for the 2018-2019 fiscal year was recorded at 68,935 contracts, which is 8% higher than the previous fiscal year.

In terms of electronic volume, the 2018-2019 fiscal year concluded with 1,963,018 contracts, making it the 4th-best fiscal year.

MGEX reports these other achievements from the 2018-2019 fiscal year:

- One day entered the Daily Exchange Top-25 Volume records
- Five months welcomed into the Monthly Exchange Top-25 Volume records
- One day entered the Daily Electronic Top-25 Volume records
- Five months welcomed into the Monthly Electronic Top-25 Volume records

To view more information on MGEX volume and open interest records, please visit our website at www.mgex.com.

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