



MEMO

TO: MGEX Members

FROM: Jesse Marie Bartz, Chief of Staff & Assistant Corporate Secretary

SUBJECT: Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day Holidays

DATE: September 23, 2009

Thursday, November 26, 2009, Friday, December 25, 2009, and January 1, 2010 are official holidays for MGEX. Pursuant to MGEX Rules and Regulations, the Exchange will not be open for business (cash, futures and options) on any day declared to be a holiday by the Board of Directors.

Wednesday, November 25, 2009

Normal trade hours for all futures and options markets
Electronic evening session closed

Thursday, November 26, 2009

Daytime futures and options trading sessions closed
Electronic evening session open normal hours (markets open at 6:00 p.m. CT)

Friday, November 27, 2009

Futures market closes at 12:15 p.m.*
Options market closes at 12:15 p.m.*

*The official closing period will occur from 11:59:00 a.m. to 11:59:59 a.m.

Sunday, November 29, 2009

Electronic evening session open normal hours (markets open at 6:00 p.m. CT)

Thursday, December 24, 2009

Futures market closes at 12:15p.m.*

Options market closes at 12:15 p.m.*

Electronic evening session closed

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Friday, December 25, 2009

Daytime futures and options trading sessions closed

Electronic evening session closed

Sunday, December 27, 2009

Electronic evening session open normal hours (markets open at 6:00 p.m. CT)

Thursday, December 31, 2009

Normal trade hours for all futures and options markets

Electronic evening session closed

Friday, January 1, 2010

Daytime futures and options trading sessions closed

Electronic evening session closed

Sunday, January 3, 2010

Electronic evening session open normal hours (markets open at 6:00 p.m. CT)