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MGEX Membership Re-elects Board of Directors

MINNEAPOLIS - MGEX ("the Exchange") announced results of its annual Board of Directors (Board) election, held October 1, 2009. Re-elected to the Board were incumbents Gary S. Weber, Richard A. Dusek of CHS, Inc. and Michael L. Ricks of Cargill, Inc. Each will serve two year terms, effective immediately.

According to Jesse Marie Bartz, MGEX Chief of Staff and Assistant Corporate Secretary, five candidates ran for three available positions.

The Board will meet October 19, 2009 to elect the Executive Committee, Board officers and appoint the four public directors.

"I am pleased to be able to continue working with the three re-elected members of the MGEX Board. Their leadership will continue to provide a foundation as we work together to expand our position in the marketplace," Mark G. Bagan, President & CEO, MGEX said. "On behalf of the Exchange, I would like to thank Greg Konsor for his service on the MGEX Board and his dedication to the membership," Bagan said.

About MGEX

MGEX, established in 1881, is the only market for Hard Red Spring Wheat, National Corn Index (NCI), National Soybean Index (NSI), Hard Red Winter Wheat Index (HRWI), Hard Red Spring Wheat Index (HRSI) and Soft Red Winter Wheat Index (SRWI) futures and options. To learn more about MGEX visit our website at www.mgex.com.