COMMITTEE ON CAPITAL MARKETS REGULATION

September 28, 2011

The Honorable Gary Gensler Chairman Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street NW Washington, DC 20581

Re: <u>Customer Clearing Documentation and Timing of Acceptance for Clearing</u>, 76 Fed. Reg. 47529 (RIN 3038–AD51)

Dear Chairman Gensler:

The Committee on Capital Markets Regulation is currently preparing recommendations related to Customer Clearing Documentation and Timing of Acceptance for Clearing.

Unfortunately the time period for public comment was not long enough to work through this very complicated issue. We are hard at work and anticipate sending you our recommendations within three weeks. We hope the CFTC will allow us additional time to comment and will take our forthcoming recommendations into account before reaching a decision.

Sincerely,

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President & Director

Committee on Capital Markets Regulation

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