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Chicago Climate Futures Exchange Announces New Record for Daily Volume

(Chicago – April 14, 2009) Chicago Climate Futures Exchange[®] (CCFE[®]), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Chicago Climate Exchange[®] (CCX[®]), announced today that it established a new record for daily volume with 18,381 futures and options contracts traded. Today's record represents a 66% increase from the previous record of 11,049, which was set on April 7th, 2009.

Both Nitrogen Financial Instrument[™] Annual (NFI[™]-A) futures and Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) futures and options had record days with 11,575 NFI-A futures contracts and 5,236 RGGI futures and options contracts traded.

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About Chicago Climate Exchange and Chicago Climate Futures Exchange

CCX is an Exchange whose objectives are to apply financial innovation and incentives to advance social, environmental and economic goals. CCX, which began trading in 2003, is the world's first and North America's only legally binding, rules-based greenhouse gas emissions allowance trading system, as well as the world's only global system for emissions trading based on all six greenhouse gases. Chicago Climate Futures Exchange (CCFE), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Chicago Climate Exchange, is a CFTC designated contract market which offers standardized and cleared futures and options contracts on emission allowances and other environmental products. Clearing services are provided by The Clearing Corporation, the only active independent futures clearinghouse in the world. Market surveillance services are provided by the National Futures Association, the industry wide, self-regulatory organization for the U.S. futures industry. In 2005, CCX launched the European Climate Exchange (ECX), now the leading exchange operating in the European Union Emissions Trading Scheme. Since 2006, both CCX and ECX have been owned by Climate Exchange plc, a publicly traded company listed on the AIM division of the London Stock Exchange (CLE.L).