

BUSINESS REFERENCE FOR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Please print or type)

NOTE: This confidential report should be mailed directly to the Membership Committee of the ICE Futures U.S., Inc. Exchange, 55 East 52nd Street, 40th Floor, New York, NY 10055, by the person supplying the reference.

To: The Membership Committee
ICE Futures U.S., Inc.

I hereby make truthful answers to the following questions regarding _____
Name of applicant
who is applying for membership in the ICE Futures U.S., Inc. ("The Exchange").

In what capacities have you known the applicant?

Relationship [Check as appropriate]

A Relative	_____	How long	_____
Social Acquaintance	_____	How long	_____
Personal Friend	_____	How long	_____
Business Associate	_____	How long	_____
Business Acquaintance	_____	How long	_____

1. Please state the applicant's reason for joining the Exchange? _____

2. Please state the nature of the applicant's business? _____

3. Are you fully informed of the applicant's character, integrity, financial standing and history?

Yes ____ No ____

If yes, please describe how you are so informed: _____

4. Does the applicant meet his/her financial responsibilities promptly and satisfactorily? _____

5. What do you know of the applicant's business transactions with others? _____

6. Has the applicant ever failed in business? _____

If "yes", please provide a description of such failure _____

7. Has the applicant, or a firm in which he/she was a Principal or an Officer, ever been involved in any disciplinary action with the Securities and Exchange Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, or any other regulatory body? _____

If "yes", please provide a description of such action:

8. Has the applicant, or a firm in which the applicant was a Principal or an Officer, ever been involved in any disciplinary action with any commodities or securities exchange? _____

If "yes" please provide a description of such action:

9. Is the applicant a person who you would recommend to other members of this Exchange to do business with? _____

10. Has the applicant made any financial or business commitment to you or your firm or corporation which is contingent upon the approval of applicant's application for membership? _____

11. Are you aware of any qualities, personal or business, which might have an unfavorable bearing upon his/her fitness for membership? _____

If "yes" please provide a description:

Please furnish any additional information you may have regarding the applicant. _____

Date: _____

Print Name and Title _____

Firm Name _____

Title _____

Business Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Signature _____