

ISE Expands Weekly Options to ISE FX Options® *Euro / U.S. Dollar Option First Currency Pair to List with Weekly Expiration*

NEW YORK, May 17, 2012 – The International Securities Exchange (ISE) today expanded its offering of weekly options to its ISE FX Options® product portfolio. The euro/U.S. dollar option (ticker: EUU) was the first cash-settled FX product to list with a weekly expiration.

Kris Monaco, Head of New Product Development at ISE, said, “We are pleased to expand our weekly options offering to include our FX options product suite. The launch of a weekly option on the euro/U.S. dollar currency pair will provide greater flexibility for investors seeking to hedge short-term currency movements.”

ISE lists FX options on ten currency pairs. The EUU option is listed in the “in US\$” currency convention (EUR/USD), which is traditionally used in the FX spot market. ISE FX Options are cash-settled in U.S. dollars and European-style exercise. No delivery of a foreign currency is necessary. ISE’s industry-leading capabilities for trading multi-legged strategy orders of up to eight legs are also available for FX options.

Weekly options are listed pursuant to an SEC-approved pilot program for Short Term Options Series. For a complete list of products trading in the weekly options program, click [here](#).

About ISE

The International Securities Exchange (ISE) operates a leading U.S. options exchange and offers options trading on over 2,000 underlying equity, ETF, index, and FX products. As the first all-electronic options exchange in the U.S., ISE transformed the options industry by creating efficient markets through innovative market structure and technology. Regulated by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and a member-owner of The Options Clearing Corporation (OCC), ISE provides investors with a transparent marketplace for price and liquidity discovery on centrally cleared options products. ISE continues to expand its marketplace through the ongoing development of enhanced trading functionality, new products, and market data services. As a complement to its options business, ISE has expanded its reach into multiple asset classes through strategic investments in financial marketplaces and services that foster technology innovation and market efficiency. Through minority investments, ISE participates in the securities lending and equities markets. ISE also licenses its proprietary Longitude technology for trading in event-driven derivatives markets.

As a member of Eurex Group, ISE is combined with Eurex Exchange to form one of the largest transatlantic derivatives marketplaces, with daily trading volumes exceeding 10 million contracts in 2011 across a growing range of asset classes.

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