

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE HOLDINGS INC  
Form DEFA14A  
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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 14A**

(Rule 14a-101)

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**SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION**

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**Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings, Inc.**

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On February 24, 2004, Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. ( CME Holdings ) filed information available on its Web site regarding the Special Meeting of Class B shareholders. The following information on CME Holdings Web site was updated on February 27, 2004:

Percentage of RTH Trading Volume on GLOBEX® [links to the following information on CME Holdings Web site:] For the five trading days ending on, and including February 20, 2004, electronic trading in the March 2004, June 2004 and September 2004 Eurodollar futures contracts represented approximately 21.48 percent, 18.70 percent and 17.30 percent, respectively, of total RTH trading volume in the applicable contract month.

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Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. has filed a definitive proxy statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC ) regarding the Special Meeting of shareholders to be held on March 16, 2004. In addition, Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. may be filing other relevant documents concerning the Special Meeting with the SEC. Shareholders are urged to read the definitive proxy statement and any other relevant documents filed with the SEC because they contain, or will contain, important information about Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. and the Special Meeting. The definitive proxy statement and other relevant materials (when they become available), and any other documents filed by Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. with the SEC, may be obtained free of charge at the SEC s Web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). In addition, shareholders may obtain copies of these documents by contacting Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc., Shareholder Relations and Membership Services, 20 South Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606. Shareholders are urged to read the definitive proxy statement and the other relevant materials (when they become available) before making any voting decision with respect to matters to be acted on at the Special Meeting.

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc., its directors, executive officers and certain other members of management and employees may be soliciting proxies from shareholders in favor of the proposal. Information concerning the participants in the solicitation is set forth in the definitive proxy statement filed by Chicago Mercantile Exchange Holdings Inc. with the SEC on February 24, 2004.