## **MEMORANDUM**

June 29, 2004

TO: Files

FROM: Luis de la Torre

Counsel to Commissioner Goldschmid

RE: Regulation NMS, Release Nos. 34-49325 (Feb. 26, 2004) and 34-49749

(May 20, 2004), File No. S7-10-04

On March 24, 2004, Catherine Kinney and Andrew Blocker of the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. met with Commissioner Harvey J. Goldschmid and myself, counsel to the Commissioner. Ms. Kinney and Mr. Blocker expressed views that they stated the Exchange intended to include in its comment letter on proposed Regulation NMS. They discussed the subjects of an automated market under Regulation NMS; the possibility of replacing or upgrading the Intermarket Trading System; and the trade-through rule of Regulation NMS, including the opt-out provision. They expressed concerns about the opt-out provision and about the application of the access fee cap of Regulation NMS to an exchange, and stated general agreement with the proposal on sub-penny pricing.