



SFE NOTICE NO.

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January 2008 Australia Day Trading and Clearing Hours

Please find below details of the trading and clearing activities for the Australia Day Holiday for SFE, NZ and CFD markets.

Date	Market	Trading Hours	Clearing Hours
Friday 25 th January 2008	SFE/NZF	Normal Trading Hours. No Overnight Options available for settlement on 28 th January.	Normal Clearing Hours
Friday 25 th January 2008	CFD	Open for Day session Closed for Night session (trade date 28 th January)	Normal Clearing Hours
Monday 28 th January 2008	SFE	Closed for Day session. Trading open at 5.10pm	Clearing will cease at 11am for Friday night session
Monday 28 th January 2008	NZF	Normal Trading Hours	Normal Clearing Hours
Monday 28 th January 2008	CFD	Closed for Day session. Trading open at 5.10pm	No CFD Clearing for 28 th January

Cash Flows 28th January 2008

There will be no cashflows associated with the SFE or CFD market on Monday 28th January 2008. Austraclear will be closed for business that day.

Participants are advised that while payment obligations will be published via the Financial Status Advice on 28th January, there is no expectation that Participants will meet these obligations on the 28th, with the exception of NZD obligations.

New Zealand Austraclear will be open as usual on Australia Day Holiday 28th January 2008

Clearing Participants must settle NZD Daily Margin obligations on Monday 28th January 2008, as per normal timeframes.

As per notice 077/07, SFECC have discontinued the calling of Unallocated Margins in the instance of a Public holiday.

Should you have any queries please contact the Business Operations Service Desk +61 2 9256 0677 or service.desk@asx.com.au

Daily Beneficial Ownership Reports (DBORs)

Participants are reminded that as 28th January 2008 is a trading day for all contracts, DBORs are required to be lodged for all contracts representing all positions carried at the close of trading, 28th January 2008.



The Compliance and Surveillance Department will not be staffed on 28th January 2008, so DBORs detailing positions carried at close of trading, Friday 25th January will not be required to be lodged until 8:00 am, Tuesday 29th January 2008.

Should you have any queries in regard to DBORs, please contact Nick Gaut, Senior Market Analyst, Futures Compliance & Surveillance, on +61-2-9227 0226 or by e-mail at nick.gaut@asx.com.au .

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