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Business Continuity Test – September 24, 2005

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As part of Deutsche Börse Group's regular Business Continuity Test program, Eurex and CCP would like to provide members with the possibility to participate in a Business Continuity Test of the Eurex and CCP systems.

The Business Continuity Test will be performed **on September 24, 2005** between 12:00 and 16:00 CET and simulate the unavailability of one of Deutsche Börse Group's primary production data centers. During the course of the test, the Eurex and CCP systems will be run in contingency mode and will provide the opportunity for members to conduct technical and functional tests.

Members will be able to connect to the production back-end and to log in to Eurex and CCP. Automatic Public News Messages will be generated and provided with a frequency of one per minute.

Please note that the systems will not allow entering trades or using other trading or clearing functionality during this test. No further outage scenarios will be provided.

For functional testing, the simulation environment will also be available in contingency mode allowing members to submit orders and provide the complete functionality as available in simulation.

During the Business Continuity Test, the Technical Helpdesks for Eurex and CCP will also be available for support.

Member participation in this test is free of charge and is highly appreciated.