



Just a Reminder – Be Sure to RSVP Today!

MAY 12, 2008 TOUR NOTICE

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Inc. (CME) is the largest futures exchange in the United States and the second largest exchange in the world for the trading of futures and options on futures. Futures and options provide a way to protect against - and profit from - price changes in financial instruments and physical commodities. CME has four major product areas: interest rates, stock indexes, foreign exchange and commodities. CME is vital to the infrastructure of global finance. The products - futures and options on futures - help commercial enterprises worldwide manage price risks related to the uncertainties of supply and demand.

In March 2004, CME opened its new, state-of-the-art Visitors Center and Gift Shop on the lobby level to highlight the exchange's position in the world's marketplace. Here, the exchange's history, artifacts and trading foundation blend in with interactive kiosks and videos to help viewers understand the origins of the futures industry and how it influences the world's economy. The Visitors Center is open Monday through Friday and is free to the public

The tour is from 10:00-11:00am. The group will meet in the lobby of 141 W. Jackson, fifteen (15) minutes prior to the start of the Tour. Once the entire group is there, they can check in with the Lobby Security desk. They should tell security they have an appt with the Visitor Center and they are with ARMA. A security guard will escort the group to the 5th floor.

AGENDA

Location: 141 W. Jackson in Chicago

Time: **9:45 – Meet in Lobby with Chapter President Dernea Michaux-Davis**
10:00 – Tour
11:00 – Lite Refreshments
11:30 – Lunch Join the group at the Ceres restaurant
in lobby of building.
Each person pays for their own lunch. Average lunch cost \$10 to \$15

Tour Cost: Free

Reservations must be received by Noon, Friday, May 9, 2008!
Call the ARMA Hotline at (847) 821-8239 or e-mail arma@armachicago.org

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
Due to Security Restrictions, Reservations are required by Noon, Friday, May 9th .