CRONIN KATHLEEN M

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1(b).

Class A

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CRONIN KATHLEEN M		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE HOLDINGS INC [CME]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/16/2007				X Officer (give title Other (specify below) MD General Counsel & Corp Secr			
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60606			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock Class A	04/16/2007			Code V M	Amount 440	(D)	Price \$ 127	2,269	D	
Common Stock	04/16/2007			S	440 (1)	D	\$ 551.69	1,829	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 127	04/16/2007		M	440	06/14/2006(2)	06/14/2014	Common Stock Class A	44

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CRONIN KATHLEEN M 20 S. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606

MD General Counsel & Corp Secr

Signatures

By: Margaret C. Austin For: Kathleen M.

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04/17/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) This sale was completed pursuant to the terms of a pre-arranged trading plan established in accordance with Rule 10b5-1.
- On June 14, 2006, this option vested with respect to 40% of the shares covered by the option. An additional 20% of the shares subject to (2) the option will become exercisable on that same date in each of the subsequent years, subject to acceleration or termination in certain circumstances.

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