

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

PROXY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(A) OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. )

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NYMEX HOLDINGS, INC.

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(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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PROXY CARD

NYMEX HOLDINGS, INC./  
NEW YORK MERCANTILE EXCHANGE, INC.

One North End Avenue, World Financial Center  
New York, NY 10282-1101 (212) 299-2372

March 18, 2003

Place a cross (x) next to the name of each nominee for whom you wish to vote.

FLOOR BROKER

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- Stephen Ardizzone (ZONE)  
 William Schaefer (IRON)  
 William Wallace (WALZ)

LOCAL

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- David Greenberg (DGRE) (Incumbent)  
 Michael McCallion (MMC)

FUTURES COMMISSION MERCHANT

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- John McNamara (JLMC)(Incumbent)

TRADE

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- Michael Cardelfe (MFC)  
 Jesse Harte (JESE) (Incumbent)

AT LARGE

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- Scott Hess (HESS)(Incumbent)

EQUITY HOLDER

(ONE three-year term to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- Steven Crystal  
 Joel Faber (Incumbent)

PUBLIC

(TWO three-year terms to expire 2006)

VOTE FOR TWO (2)

- John Conheeny (Incumbent)  
 E. Bulkeley Griswold (Incumbent)

PROPOSALS PRESENTED TO THE 2003 ANNUAL MEETING FOR  
CLASS A MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK MERCANTILE EXCHANGE, INC.

Approval of the proposed amendment to bylaw Section 355 ("Treasurer") as more fully described in the Proxy Statement.

FOR  AGAINST  ABSTAIN

Approval of the proposed amendments to bylaw Section 600 ("Purpose"), bylaw Section 602 ("Principle of Substitution"), bylaw Section 909 ("Clearing Association or Clearing House") and bylaw Section 918 ("Futures Contract") as more fully described in the Proxy Statement.

FOR  AGAINST  ABSTAIN

Approval of the proposed amendment to bylaw Section 861 ("Disposition of Proceeds") as more fully described in the Proxy Statement.

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