FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NYMEX HOLDINGS INC [ NMX ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)											
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(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE NORTH END AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2007										Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)		
WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER																						
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 1020				282	_										Foi		by One Re		_			
(City) (State) (Zip)				)																		
			Table	l - Non-Deriv	/ativ	e Sec	uritie	s Ac	qu	ired,	Dis	posed	of, o	Benefic	ially Owr	ed						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear)   E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Co	Transaction Code (Inst			ecurities A			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Co	ode	v	Amo	ount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and							
Common Stock				11/13/200	7			S	(1)		1	,000	D	\$123.88	64,740		D					
Common Stock				11/13/2007				S	(1)		1,	,000	D	\$123.88	58,000		I		HPR Commodities <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock				11/14/2007				S	(1)		1,000		D	\$126.75	63,740		D					
Common Stock				11/14/2007				S	(1)		1,000		D	\$126.75	57,000		I		HPR Commodities <sup>(2)</sup>			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Year) E	A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)		action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	deriv Secu Bene Own Follo Repo	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		rship : t (D) lirect str. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a pre-arranged trading plan established in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Act of 1934, as amended.
- 2. Mr. Halper is the sole beneficial owner of HPR Commodities.

11/15/2007 /s/Robert Halper

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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