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- Physical Environment Disruptions
 - Fire
 - Flood
 - Power
 - Terrorism
- Infrastructure Fail-safes
 - Multiple power feeds in Chicago
 - Generators at remote site
 - Working on third facility
 - Ability to run critical systems at both current sites

CME's Response

- Disruption Recovery / Alternative Processes
 - Open Outcry Transition major futures and options to GLOBEX if loss of trading pits
 - GLOBEX fully recoverable at either site
 - Clearing fully recoverable at either site
 - Internal Processes matching engines, front-end gateways, market data infrastructure fully replicated for immediate fail-over
 - Clearing Member Firms
 - Back-up processing centers
 - Third party disaster recovery outsourcing
 - Give-up arrangements

CME's Response

- Loss of primary and redundant processing centers
 - Reciprocal agreement with CBOT, if CME problem only
 - Pursue cooperative efforts with other exchanges, if a Chicago issue
- Staffing impact due to a problem
 - Regularly scheduled evacuation / fire drills
 - Distributed staff exit holding locations
 - Unique phone number by division with updates
 - 'Shelter-in-place' procedures currently in process
 - Critical staff distributed between Chicago and remote site
 - Non-critical staff
 - Short-term work at home resumption procedures in place
 - Longer term staff deployment to outsourced facility



- Executive / Management Disruption
 - Crisis management center alternatives
 - Cooperative arrangement with CBOT
 - Hotel south of the Loop, near third site
 - Move to existing remote site

Risk Mitigation

- FIA / Industry-coordinated tests
 - 10/9/04 first of ongoing processes
 - Full industry tests
 - Network connectivity tests
 - Table-top 'what-if' exercises
- Chicago Financial Industry Coordination
 - ChicagoFIRST first in the country
 - Ongoing fail-safe and reactive coordination with -
 - City of Chicago
 - Police
 - Fire
 - Transportation
 - Water
 - Major Telecommunication Carriers
 - Major Utilities
 - State Police
 - Federal Agencies Homeland Security



- Financial Services Sector Coordinating Council
 - CME first future's industry member
 - Focus on -
 - Knowledge-sharing
 - Best practices
 - Telecom, electric power and information technology
- CME Full Business Continuity Plans
 - Response
 - Resumption
 - Recovery
 - Restoration

Communication Channels

- Emergency joint operations center (JOC)
 - CME direct channel to problem(s)
 - Evacuation status 'shelter-in-place' directives
 - City exit instructions
 - Financial services industry decision communication
- Major cooperative effort with City of Chicago,
 State of Illinois and Federal agencies for -
 - Surveillance of financial district including CME
 - Real-time monitoring
 - Alternative communication channels beyond JOC
 - If telecommunications channels disrupted

Communication Channels

- CME to Customers
 - Broadcast communication
 - Emails
 - Voicemails
 - GLOBEX messages
 - Faxes
 - Pagers
 - Blackberries and other PDAs