

The Depository Trust Company
IMPORTANT

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DATE: November 13, 2001
TO: All Participants
CATEGORY: Operations
FROM: Robert T. LaBarbera, Manager Central Delivery
ATTENTION: Managing Partner/Cashier/Officer
SUBJECT: Change in Window Hours

Due to the decrease in physical processing volumes (of Deposits, WTs, CODs, etc.) the Central Delivery distribution windows for both registered and bearer securities will close at 5 p.m. effective December 10, 2001. The window currently closes at 6 p.m..

The 7 a.m. opening of these windows will remain in effect.

Any questions should be directed to Robert LaBarbera, manager Central Delivery at (212) 855-8706 or your Relationship Manager.