

The Depository Trust Company
IMPORTANT

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TO: All Participants
CATEGORY: Operations
FROM: Joe Clemente
ATTENTION: Operations Managers/Vice Presidents/Cashiers
SUBJECT: Change in Cutoff Time for Submission of Rush WT and Custody
WT Requests

Effective Friday, January 13, 2006, the cutoff time for the submission of Rush Withdrawal-by-Transfer (RWT) and Custody Rush Withdrawal-by-Transfer (Custody RWT) instructions will be changed 3:00 p.m. eastern standard time.

Questions regarding this change can be directed to Joe Clemente, Product Manager for Securities Processing, at either (212) 855-2425 or jpclemente@dtcc.com.