

# The Depository Trust Company

# **IMPORTANT**

**B#:** 3497

**DATE:** May 24, 2002

**TO:** All Participants  
Managing Partner/Officer

**CATEGORY:** Settlement/Underwriting

**FROM:** Underwriting Department

**ATTENTION:** Cashier & Operations Manager

**SUBJECT:** Limited Partnership Certificates - Deposits Requiring  
Manual Certification

Attached hereto is Exhibit A which was referenced in Important Notice B#1122-87, dated March 13, 1987, concerning Limited Partnership Certificates. Exhibit A forms a part of the Limited Partnership Certificates which Participants have on file with DTC. The certification applies only to securities of issuers listed on Exhibit A and any future revisions thereof.

Exhibit A is hereby revised to include the following issue which became DTC eligible on the date indicated. Participants are required to follow the special procedures, summarized below and more fully described in Important Notice B#4250-92, dated June 5, 1992, when depositing securities in this issue.

<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>CUSIP NUMBER</b>	<b>ELIGIBILITY DATE</b>
Markwest Energy Partners, L.P.	570759100	May 24, 2002

## **SPECIAL DEPOSIT PROCEDURES**

DTC will manually complete the certification forms of deposited securities before they are presented for transfer. To facilitate this process and to recover the added costs incurred by the manual certification, Participants will be required to utilize the following Special Deposit Procedures:

1. All Participants are required to use the Deposit Automation Management (DAM) system by accessing the DAMP function. This function enables Participants to transmit to DTC advance details of securities they plan to deposit. Procedures for the DAMP function can be obtained by contacting your Participant Services Representative.

**Note:** Participants are requested to deposit no more than 100 certificates per Legal Deposit (DAM) ticket.

2. The Legal Deposit (DAM) ticket, and the attached securities must be presented to DTC's Central Delivery Department, Window #7, **between the hours of 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (ET) only**. All such deposits will be processed as next-day deposits, in accordance with regular next-day deposit procedures.
3. The certification form appearing on the back of a deposited certificate must be left blank for completion by DTC. The transfer assignment form and other areas of the back of the certificate must be completed by the Participant in the normal manner. A separate certification form attached to multiple certificates with the same registration, and identical to the form appearing on the back of the related certificates, will be accepted and is encouraged.
4. All other procedures and fees regarding DTC's Full Service Legal Deposit program will apply to these deposits.

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Participants will be advised of additional limited partnership issues made eligible, including those requiring the above Special Deposit Procedures, via future Important Notices. In the event certification requirements are waived and the Special Deposit Procedures are no longer required for a given issue, DTC will similarly advise Participants via an Important Notice. In addition, Exhibit A is also published monthly under the "Limited Partnership Issue List" on the page entitled "Issues Subject to Certification" in DTC's Reference Directory.

Questions regarding the Special Deposit Procedures may be directed to Christopher McCarthy, Legal Deposits Supervisor, at (212) 855-8694 or Donna Terry, Manager, at (212) 855-8913.

In addition, any questions or comments regarding the eligibility of Limited Partnerships may be directed to Maurice Walker, Underwriting Department Supervisor, at (212) 855-3704, or Robin Bainlardi, Manager at (212) 855-3793.

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Attachments