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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

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may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Citrone Neil

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NYMEX HOLDINGS INC [NMX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable) _ Director 10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

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ONE NORTH END AVENUE, WORLD FINANCIAL **CENTER**

(Street)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/10/2007

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Officer (give title

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10282

Security

(Instr. 3)

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) (Instr. 4)

Following Reported

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(A)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Transactionof

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price Underlying Securities Deriva

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivati Securitic Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	es d d	(Month/Day/Year)		4)	Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisal	Expiration ble Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock	<u>(1)</u>	05/10/2007		A	335	(2)	(2)	Common	335	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationsnips						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Citrone Neil							
ONE NORTH END AVENUE	X						
WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER	Λ						
NEW YORK, NY 10282							

Signatures

Units

/s/Neil Citrone 05/23/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Represents deferred stock units that can be exercised 6 months after a director leaves the board. Each Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of NYMEX Holdings, Inc. common stock.
- (2) The Units vest in four equal quarterly installments beginning on June 1, 2007, as long as Mr. Citrone remains on the Board of Directors, subject to additional terms contained in the grant and, if applicable, other contracts.

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