

## CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE HOLDINGS INC

Form 4

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**FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KRAUSE JAMES R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
CHICAGO MERCANTILE  
EXCHANGE HOLDINGS INC  
[CME]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director      \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below)      \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

MD &amp; CIO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

20 S. WACKER DRIVE

08/15/2006

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock Class A	08/15/2006		M	5,000 A	\$ 63.01 7,680	D	
Common Stock Class A	08/15/2006		S	5,000 (1) D	\$ 466.52 2,680	D	

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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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 63.01	08/15/2006		M	5,000	06/06/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 06/06/2013	Common Stock Class A

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
KRAUSE JAMES R 20 S. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	MD & CIO

## Signatures

By: Margaret C Austin For: Krause,  
James R 08/17/2006

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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) This sale was completed pursuant to the terms of a pre-arranged trading plan established in accordance with rule 10b5-1.

On June 6, 2006, this option vested with respect to 60% of the granted number of shares covered by the option. On the anniversary of that

(2) date in each of the two subsequent years, the option will vest with respect to an additional 20% of the shares covered by the option, subject to acceleration or termination in certain circumstances.

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