

SCREEN DEALING No: 5/99 BULLETIN



**To: All Members
SYCOM Managers**

SYCOM Trading Halt on Thursday 25 March 1999

At 6.56 am on Thursday, 25 March 1999, the SYCOM® market was halted following a degenerative software problem which caused a communications host and the back-up trading host and position monitor to fail. Unfortunately, it was not possible to rectify these problems prior to the 7.00 am scheduled close of the market.

The Exchange regrets any inconvenience caused by the inability to trade during the last 4 minutes of the market. Every effort will be made to identify and rectify the cause of this problem.

Should you require any further information, please contact the undersigned.

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Screen Dealing Manager**

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