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Holiday Trading 1999 & Australia Day 2000

The Board has now determined holiday trading for 1999 and Australia Day 2000. For ease of reference, this Circular sets out the arrangements in full.

Date	Daytime Sessions	Evening Sessions
Friday, 1 January 1999 New Years Day	Closed	
Monday, 18 January 1999 Martin Luther King Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
Friday, 1 January 1999 New Years Day	Closed	
Tuesday, 26 January 1999 Australia Day	Closed	
Monday, 15 February 1999 Presidents Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
Thursday, 1 April 1999 Easter Thursday	SPI® & ISFs close at 1.15 pm, Financial Contracts at 4.30 pm	Closes at midnight
Friday, 2 April 1999 Good Friday	Closed	
Monday, 5 April 1999 Easter Monday	Closed	
Monday, 26 April 1999 * ANZAC Day Victorian business day	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 3 May 1999 May Day (UK)	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 31 May 1999 Memorial Day (US) Spring Bank Holiday (UK)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
Monday, 14 June 1999 Queen's Birthday	Closed	
Monday, 5 July 1999 Independence Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight

Monday, 2 August 1999 August Bank Holiday	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 30 August 1999 Summer Bank Holiday (UK)	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 6 September 1999 Labor Day (US)	Normal trading hours	Closes at midnight
Monday, 4 October 1999 Labour Day	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 11 October 1999 Columbus Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
Thursday, 11 November 1999 Veterans Day (US)	Normal trading hours	
Monday, 25 November 1999 Thanksgiving (US)	Normal trading hours	
Friday, 24 December 1999 Christmas Eve (observed US & UK)	Trading sessions ceases at 12.30 pm for Financial Contracts and 1.15 pm for SPI® & ISFs	Closed
Monday, 27 December 1999 Boxing Day	Closed	
Tuesday, 28 December 1999 **	Closed	Closed
Friday, 31 December 1999	Trading ceases at 12.30 pm for Financial Contracts and 1.15 pm for SPI® & ISFs	Closed
Wednesday, 26 January 2000 Australia Day	Closed	

* On Monday, 26 April 1999, Victoria and Tasmania are not observing the ANZAC Day Holiday as is the rest of Australia. The ASX has therefore declared Monday, 26 April 1999 as a trading day and SEATS will be open for trading.

** Tuesday, 28 December 1999 is not a public holiday in NSW but is a Christmas Day Holiday "in lieu" in other states. The ASX will be closed.

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