

SFE CIRCULAR NO. 193/00

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**BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY LTD –INTRODUCTION OF NEW BHP
INDIVIDUAL SHARE FUTURES CONTRACTS**

1. Introduction

1.1 Further to the information provided in Circular 187/00, issued 20 October 2000, the purpose of this Circular is to inform SFE Participants regarding:

- a) The introduction of new BHP Individual Share Futures contracts (Commodity Code ‘BR’) and;**
- b) The removal of certain existing BHP Individual Share Futures contracts (Commodity Code ‘BH’)**

2. De-listing of existing ‘BH’ series and introduction of new ‘BR’ series

2.1 As of close of business trade date 30 October 2000, there were three BH series with no open interest. In accordance with Circular 187/00, Section 2.1, the following BH series will be suspended from trading effective trade date 31 October 2000 and de-listed effective trade date 1 November 2000:

BH series to be de-listed

March 2001, June 2001, September 2001

2.2 Accordingly, the following BR series will made available for trading effective trade date 1 November 2000, with a standard Contract Size of 1,000 BHP shares per lot:

BR series to be introduced

March 2001, June 2001, September 2001

3.0 New Series

3.1 SFE Participants are reminded that no further BH series will be introduced and that the December 2000 series will expire on 28 December 2000.

3.2 Exclusive of the BR series to be introduced as per Section 2.2, the first BR series to be listed in the usual manner will be the December 2001 contract on 29 December 2000.

4. Further Information

- 4.1 Members seeking further information in relation to this Circular should contact Martyn Wild at SFE (02 9256 0178) or Kyrra Grunnsund (02 9256 0430) at SFECH.

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