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### NEW SPOT VOLUME RECORD – 2.6 MN TONNES

BlueNext is pleased to announce that today's daily EUA Spot volume exceeded 2.5MN tonnes to achieve a total of 2,616,000 tonnes (27<sup>th</sup> October 2008).

“It is encouraging to see 10 days after the opening of the new ITL-CITL connection Bluenext's spot contracts break another volume record. And, as more countries are issuing, we are expecting a continued increase in our volumes.” said Phillipe Chauvancy, Sales Director at BlueNext.

[BlueNext, the Paris-based environmental exchange is a partnership between NYSE Euronext and Caisse des Dépôts. BlueNext offers a range of products all listed on the same trading platform including BlueNext Spot EUA 2008-2012, BlueNext Spot CER, BlueNext Futures EUA and BlueNext Futures CER.]

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#### About BlueNext

BlueNext is the international environmental exchange with NYSE Euronext holding a 60% interest while the remaining 40% is held by Caisse des Dépôts. BlueNext today operates the leading EUA spot exchange in Europe from trading to payment and delivery in real time. BlueNext aims to be a world leader for trading in environment-related instruments and will be pursuing this goal with the international deployment of a comprehensive range of products and services.