

ISE To List Options on Geron

NEW YORK, November 21, 2003 –The International Securities Exchange (ISE) said that it will list options on Geron Corp. (GERN) on Monday.

Options on Geron, which were allocated to Citadel Derivatives Group, will trade in bin 8 on a March expiration cycle with position and exercise limits of 75,000.

ISE Background

The International Securities Exchange was founded on the principle that technology fosters and infuses new efficiencies and operational innovations into securities trading. After developing an innovative market structure that integrated auction market principles into an advanced screen-based trading system, ISE launched the first fully electronic US options exchange in May 2000. ISE, which is the largest US equity options exchange, continually enhances its trading systems to provide investors and the trading community with the most efficient, least expensive order executions possible.

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