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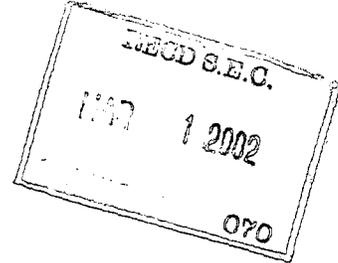
Ms. Krista M. Hughes
Branch Chief
Securities and Exchange Commission
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Room 1004 -- STOP/1-4
450 Fifth Street, NW
Judiciary Plaza
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Ms. Hughes:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, The BISYS Group, Inc., Common Stock and Common Stock Purchase Rights and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on March 1, 2002. Tentative listing date - March 6, 2002.

Sincerely,

Paras Madho



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