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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, EORD MOTOR COMPANY, 7.50% Notes due June 10, 2043 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 8, 2003. Tentative listing date - Not yet determined.

Sincerely,