



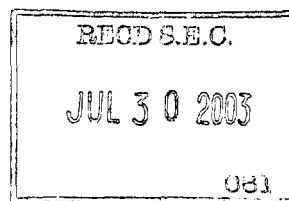
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, W-H ENERGY SERVICES, INC., Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share and Rights to Purchase Series A Junior Participating Preferred Stock, par value \$.01 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 30, 2003. Tentative listing date – August 6, 2003.

Sincerely,

David Madho