

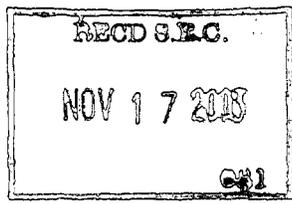
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Mr. Brian Johnson
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Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, PENNSYLVANIA REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST, 11% Cumulative Non-Convertible Senior Preferred Shares (par value \$.01 per share) and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on November 17, 2003. Tentative listing date – November 20, 2003.

Sincerely,

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