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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, Protective Life Insurance Company, 3.70% Secured Medium-Term Notes due 2008 of Protective Life Secured Trust 2003-1 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on November 24, 2003. Tentative listing date - November 26, 2003.

Sincerely,

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