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Mr. Brian Johnson  
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 Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, SCHERING-PLOUGH CORPORATION, 6.00% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock, par value \$1.00 per share, liquidation preference \$50.00 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on August 6, 2004. Tentative listing date – August 10, 2004.

Sincerely,

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