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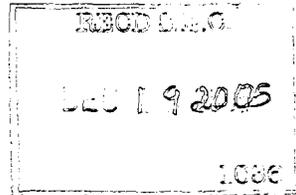
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Mr. Brian Johnson  
Branch Chief  
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Room 2531  
100 F Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20549



Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, IAMGOLD CORPORATION, Common Shares, no par value and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on December 19, 2005. Tentative listing date – December 20, 2005.

Sincerely,

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