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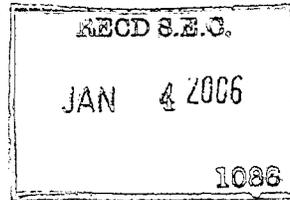


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Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
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Room 2531
100 F Street, NE
Washington, DC 20549



Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, CHARTERMAC Common Shares of Beneficial Interest and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on January 4, 2006. Tentative listing date – January 10, 2006.

Sincerely,

Paras Madho

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