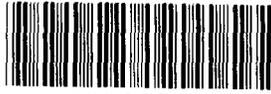


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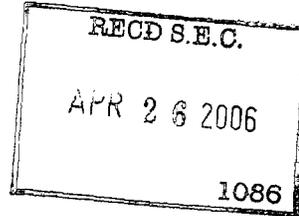
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, PRUDENTIAL FINANCIAL, INC., Prudential Financial Inflation-Linked Retail Medium-Term Notes and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on April 26, 2006. Tentative listing date – April 27, 2006.

Sincerely,

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