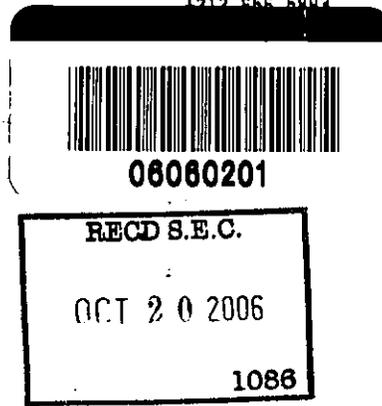


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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Diageo Capital plc, 5.875% Guaranteed Notes due 2036, 5.500% Guaranteed Notes due 2016 and 5.125% Guaranteed Notes due 2012 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on October 20, 2006. Tentative listing date – October 23, 2006.

Sincerely,

*Paul Madho*

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