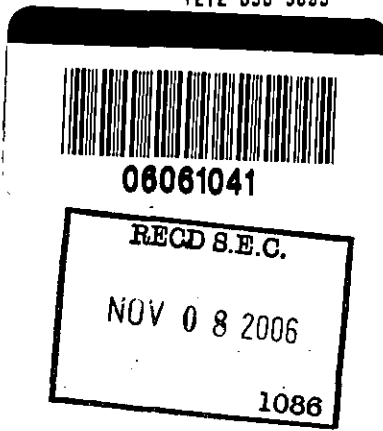


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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, HRPT Properties Trust, 6 1/2% Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Shares and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on November 8, 2006. Tentative listing date – November 10, 2006.

Sincerely,

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