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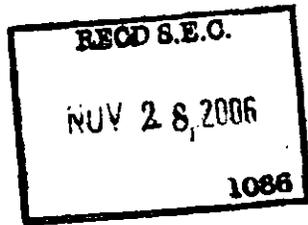


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Mr. Brian Johnson  
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

This is to certify that on July 14, 2006, the American Stock Exchange (the "Exchange") received from Augusta Resource Corporation (the "Registrant") a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 40-F for the registration of the following securities:

Common Shares, no par value

We further certify that the above described securities have been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking immediate acceleration of the effective date of registration, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

Bryan Fischer  
Managing Director  
Listing Qualifications Department

cc: Herbert Scholl

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