

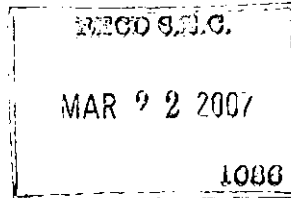


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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, WASHINGTON GROUP INTERNATIONAL, INC., Common Stock, par value \$ 01 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on March 22, 2007. Tentative listing date – March 27, 2007.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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