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November 24, 2008

Ms. Velma Smith, Branch Chief
Branch of Filer Support 2, Mailstop 1-4
Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street, N.W., Room #1004
Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: PowerShares Exchange-Traded Fund Trust II

Dear Ms. Smith:

Please be advised that NYSE Regulation, Inc. has received (on October 17, 2008) an application from the above-referenced issuer and has approved the following securities for listing on NYSE Arca, Inc. ("Exchange"):

PowerShares Global Water Portfolio
PowerShares International Listed Private Equity Portfolio
PowerShares Preferred Portfolio
PowerShares VRDO Tax-Free Weekly Portfolio

The Exchange requests acceleration of registration of these securities under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. If there are any questions, please call me at (312) 442-7832. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Craig A. Gray
Manager, Listing Compliance

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NYSE Arca Certification Letter Attached

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