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Ms. Velma T. Smith
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Room 2531
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Dear Ms. Smith:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, UNITIL CORPORATION, Common Stock, no par value and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A/A received on August 13, 2008. Tentative listing date – August 21, 2008.

Sincerely,

Paras Madho

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