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September 23, 2009

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: iShares Trust
Issuer CIK: 000110663
Issuer Filer No.: 001-15897
Form 8-A File Date: September 22, 2009

Dear Ms. Smith:

Please be advised that NYSE Regulation, Inc. has received (on September 22, 2009) an application from the above-referenced issuer and has approved the following securities for listing on NYSE Arca, Inc. ("Exchange"):

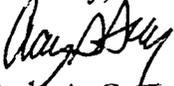
iShares Russell Top 200 Growth Index Fund

iShares Russell Top 200 Index Fund

iShares Russell Top 200 Value Index Fund

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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