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## **NYSE** Regulation



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Ms. Velma Smith, Branch Chief Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance – Filer Support Office

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Re:

iShares Trust

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Dear Ms. Smith:

Please be advised that NYSE Regulation, Inc. has received (on June 13, 2011) an application from the above-referenced issuer and has approved the following securities for listing on NYSE Arca, Inc. ("Exchange"):

## iShares Floating Rate Note 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) 656-4623. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

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