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Ms. Cecile Peters Chief, Information Technology Division of Corporation Finance 100 F Street, NE MS 3040 Washington, DC 20549

Dear Ms. Peters:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, TIM Participações S.A. American Depositary Shares evidenced by American Depositary Receipts, each American Depositary Share representing 5 common shares of TIM Participações S.A. , and Common shares, without par value (application for the Common shares is made for listing, not for trading, but only in connection with the registration of American depositary shares pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission).and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 21, 2011. Tentative listing date – August 5, 2011.

Sincerely,