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To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that on November 7, 2012 the NYSE MKT LLC (the "Exchange") received from AdCare Health Systems Inc. (the "Registrant"), a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 8-A for the registration of the following securities:

10.875% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, no par value per share

We further certify that the above described securities have been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking immediate acceleration of the effective date of registration, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

Jamie Paturelli
Director, Corporate Compliance
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