

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Order Granting Application to Strike from Listing and Registration; The New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (Nashua Corporation, Common Stock, \$.01 par value) File No. 1-05492

October 6, 2005

On September 21, 2005, the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (“NYSE” or “Exchange”) filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”)¹ and Rule 12d2-2(c) thereunder,² to strike the common stock, \$.01 par value (“Security”), of Nashua Corporation (“Company”) from listing and registration on the NYSE.

NYSE Rule 499 states that securities admitted to the list may be suspended from dealings or removed from the list at any time. In addition, Section 802.01B of the Exchange’s Listed Company Manual states, in part, that the Exchange would normally consider delisting the security of either a domestic or non-US issuer when the average global market capitalization over a consecutive 30 trading-day period is less than \$75,000,000 and, at the same time, total stockholders' equity is less than \$75,000,000.

In the opinion of the NYSE, the Security is no longer suitable for continued listing and trading on the NYSE. The Exchange stated that the Security had fallen below the Exchange's continued listing standards as outline above.

On September 7, 2005, the NYSE determined that trading in the Security should be suspended before the opening of the trading session on September 13, 2005, and directed the preparation and filing of this application with the Commission for removal of the Security from

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

listing and registration on the Exchange. The Exchange notified the Company by letter on September 7, 2005. On September 7, 2005, the Exchange received a letter from the Company advising that it did not wish to have a hearing regarding the delisting of the Security. The Company informed the Exchange that it did not expect to submit a business plan to bring the Company into conformity with the Exchange's continued listing standards within 18 months of notice from the Exchange. The Company informed the Exchange that the Company intends to move the listing of the Security to The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. and will not challenge the Exchange's determination.

The Commission, having considered the facts stated in the application and having due regard for the public interest and protection of investors, orders that the NYSE's application be, and it hereby is, granted, effective at the opening of business on October 7, 2005.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.³

Jonathan G. Katz
Secretary

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(c).

³ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).