Jonathan G. Katz  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
450 Fifth Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

BY HAND DELIVERY

Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation  
Sworn Statements of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer

Dear Mr. Katz:

On behalf of Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation (the “Company”), in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Act order dated June 27, 2002 (File No. 4-460) requiring the filing of sworn statements pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, enclosed are:

1. Statement Under Oath of the Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings executed by Ralph Lauren, Principal Executive Officer of the Company.

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosures by file stamping (i) the enclosed copy of this letter and (ii) the copy of each of the enclosures to this letter and returning them to the courier who has been instructed to wait.

If you should have any questions or concerns, please contact Douglas A. Cifu at (212) 373-3436 (fax: 212-492-0436) or the undersigned at (212) 373-3228 (fax: 212-492-0569).

Very truly yours,

Gustavo A. Pauta

Enclosures

cc: Edward W. Scheuermann  
    Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation  

Mark S. Bergman  
Douglas A. Cifu  
    Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison
POLO RALPH LAUREN CORPORATION

Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation
650 Madison Avenue
New York, New York 10022

August 13, 2002

Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary
Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street N.W.
Washington D.C. 20549

Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and
Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances
Relating to Exchange Act Filings

I, Gerald M. Chaney, state and attest that:

(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports (as
defined below) of Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation (the "Company"), and, except as
corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material
fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in
the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials,
as of the date on which it was filed); and

no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to
make the statements in the covered report, in light of the
circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of
the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a
report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date
on which it was filed).

(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit
committee.

(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the
date of this statement, is a "covered report":

The Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended
March 30, 2002 of the Company;
all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all
definitive proxy materials of the Company filed with the
Securities and Exchange Commission subsequent to the
filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and

any amendments to any of the foregoing.

Gerald M. Chaney
Chief Financial Officer
Polo Ralph Lauren Corporation
August 13, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13th day of August, 2002.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: April 26, 2003

ELWIRA TERESA TERESKA
Notary Public, State of New York
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Commission Expires April 26, 2003