

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Self-Regulatory Organizations; Order Granting Application to Strike from Listing and Registration; The New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (Midwest Air Group, Inc., Common Stock, \$.01 par value) File No. 1-13934

October 13, 2005

On October 3, 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”)<sup>1</sup> and Rule 12d2-2(c) thereunder,<sup>2</sup> to strike the common stock, \$.01 par value (“Security”), of Midwest Air Group, Inc. (“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 21, 2005, the NYSE determined that trading in the Security should be suspended before the opening of the trading session on September 23, 2005, and directed the preparation and filing of this application with the Commission for removal of the Security from

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<sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

listing and registration on the Exchange. The Exchange notified the Company verbally on September 19, 2005 and by letter on September 21, 2005. On September 19, 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 had submitted a business plan to the Exchange to address the non-compliance, but subsequently informed the Exchange that the Company did not wish to proceed with the Exchange's continued listing process. The Company informed the Exchange that the Company intends to move the listing of the Security to the American Stock Exchange LLC.

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 14, 2005.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>3</sup>

Jonathan G. Katz  
Secretary

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<sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(c).

<sup>3</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).