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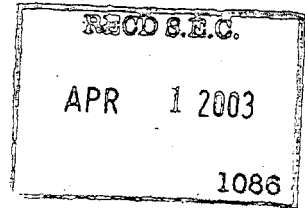
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April 1, 2003

Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
Securities and Exchange Commission
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450 Fifth Street, NW
Judiciary Plaza
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, DEVELOPERS DIVERSIFIED REALTY CORPORATION, Depositary Shares (each representing 1/10th of a share of % Class G Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Shares), without par value and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on April 1, 2003. Tentative listing date - April 4, 2003.

Sincerely,

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