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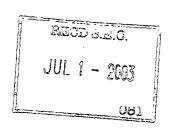
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Mr. Brian Johnson **Branch Chief** Securities and Exchange Commission Branch of Filer Support 2 Room 1004 - STOP/1-4 450 Fifth Street, NW Judiciary Plaza Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:



The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Vodafone Group Plc, 4.625% Notes due July 15, 2018 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 1, 2003. Tentative listing date -July 3, 2003.

Sincerely,

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