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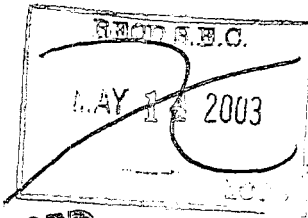
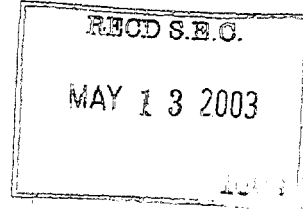
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Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
Securities and Exchange Commission
Branch of Filer Support 2
Room 1004 -- STOP/1-4
450 Fifth Street, NW
Judiciary Plaza
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, MAGNETEK, INC., Rights to Purchase Series A Junior Participating Cumulative Preferred Stock, par value \$1.00 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on May 13, 2003.

Sincerely,



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