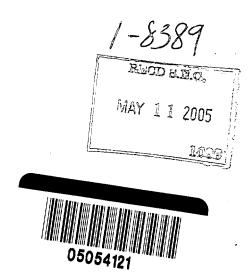
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May 11, 2005

Mr. Brian Johnson
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Securities and Exchange Commission
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Public Storage, Inc., Depositary Shares (Each representing 1/1,000 of a Share of 6.75% Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series E, par value \$.01 per share) and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on May 11, 2005. Tentative listing date — Not yet determined.

Sincerely,

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