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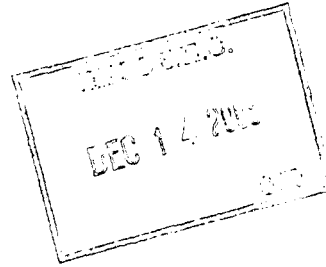
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Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
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100 F Street, NE
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Barclays Bank PLC, Callable Floating Rate Notes due 2035 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on December 14, 2005. Tentative listing date - December 15, 2005.

Sincerely,

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