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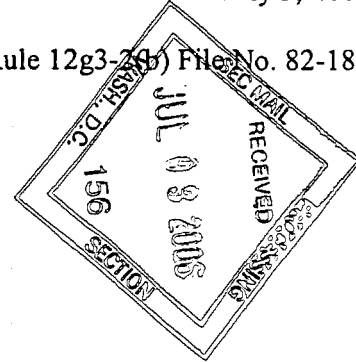
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On behalf of Kirin Brewery Co., Ltd. (the "Company"), please find enclosed the following document which is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") afforded by Rule 12g3-2(b) thereunder:

Press Release dated July 3, 2006 announcing completion of delisting from the London Stock Exchange and exclusion of ADRs from Nasdaq.

This information is being furnished under paragraph (1) of Rule 12g3-2(b) with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed to be "filed" with the SEC or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Act and that neither this letter nor the furnishing of such information and documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Act.

Very truly yours,

Robert D. Ferguson

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cc: Kirin Brewery Co., Ltd.

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**Kirin Brewery Co., Ltd.:**

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For Immediate Release  
July 3, 2006

**Kirin Brewery Announces Completion of Delisting from the London Stock Exchange  
and Exclusion of its ADRs from NASDAQ**

TOKYO --- As announced on May 11, 2006, Kirin Brewery has been proceeding with the delisting of the Company's Common Stock from the London Stock Exchange and the exclusion of the Company's American Depositary Shares ("ADR") from the U.S. NASDAQ. Such delisting and exclusion took effect upon the commencement of trading on June 30, 2006.

As announced on May 11, 2006, the Company's Common Stock will continue to trade in the Japanese market, and the Company maintains its ADR program in the U.S. ADRs continue to trade in the over-the-counter market.

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