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Ms. Velma T. Smith  
Branch Chief  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
Branch of Filer Support 2  
Room 2531  
100 F Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Ms. Smith:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Exchange Act of 1933, VimpelCom Ltd., American Depositary Shares, each representing one Common Share and Common Shares, par value \$0.001 per share (application for the Common Shares is made for listing, not for trading, but only in connection with the registration of American Depositary Shares pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission). The NYSE requests simultaneous acceleration of registration of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, together with the 1933 Act. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on April 14, 2010. Tentative listing date – April 16, 2010.

Sincerely,