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The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Exchange Act of 1933, PROTO LABS, INC. Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share. 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 February 21, 2012. Tentative listing date – February 24, 2012.

Sincerely,