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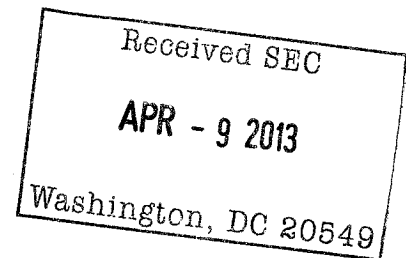
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Chief, Information Technology  
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To whom it may concern:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, NORTHSTAR REALTY FINANCE CORP. 8.500% Series D Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, liquidation preference \$25.00 per share, par value \$0.01 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on April 5, 2013. Tentative listing date – April 11, 2013.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edw Mecabe".