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The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Exchange Act of 1933, Ellington Residential Mortgage REIT, Common Shares of Beneficial Interest, \$0.01 par value 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 April 29, 2013. Tentative listing date – May 1, 2013.

Sincerely,