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Ms. Velma T. Smith
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Room 2531
100 F Street, NE
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Dear Ms. Smith:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Hillenbrand, Inc. (name to be changed from BATESVILLE HOLDINGS, INC.), Common Stock, without par value and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Amendment No. 3 to Form 10 received on March 11, 2008. Tentative listing date - March 19, 2008.

Sincerely,

Paras Madho

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