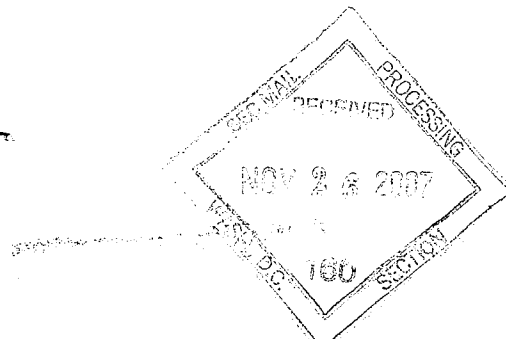


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I AM WRITING TO EXPRESS MY OPPOSITION
TO THE SEC'S NEW PROPOSED RULES,
FILE #S7-16-07 AND S7-17-07, WHICH WOULD
ELIMINATE THE RIGHTS OF SMALL INVESTORS TO
RAISE ISSUES ABOUT DIRECTOR ELECTIONS THROUGH
THE SHAREHOLDER PROPOSAL PROCESS. THESE
PROPOSED RULES DIRECTLY CONTRADICT THE
DECISION OF THE FEDERAL COURTS AND SEEM
INTENDED TO THWART THE LAW. PLEASE
WITHDRAW THESE TWO PROPOSED RULES.

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