

SYNGENTA AG
Form 424B3
July 22, 2005

THE BANK OF
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July 22, 2005

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION
450 Fifth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20549

Attn.: Document Control

RE: Depository Shares evidenced by
the American Depositary
Receipts for Ordinary Shares
of Syngenta AG
(File No. 333-97301)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) under the
Securities Act of 1933, as amended, on
behalf of The Bank of New York, as
Depositary for securities against which
American Depositary Receipts are to be
issued, we attach a copy of the new
prospectus (Prospectus) reflecting the
new par value of Syngenta AG.

Pursuant to Section III B of the General
Instructions to the Form F-6
Registration Statement, the Prospectus
consists of the ADR certificate for
Syngenta AG.

The Prospectus has been revised to
reflect the new par value, and has been
overstamped with:

EFFECTIVE JULY 22, 2005 THE PAR VALUE
WILL BE CHF 5.70.

Please contact me with any questions or
comments at 212 815-2276.

Sincerely,

/s/ Violet Pagan
Violet Pagan
Assistant Vice President

Encl.