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Chief, Information Technology
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Division of Corporate Finance
100 F Street, NE MS 3040
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To whom it may concern:

The NYSE Arca certifies its approval for listing and registration of the Common Shares of Beneficial Interest, \$0.01 par value per share, of First Trust Horizon Managed Volatility Small/Mid ETF, a series of FIRST TRUST EXCHANGE-TRADED FUND III under the Exchange Act of 1934.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ben Sauer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.