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October 26, 2004

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION  
PROXY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(A) OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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SYSCO CORPORATION

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(Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

N/A  
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Sysco Corporation Stockholder:

We have previously sent you proxy materials for the ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF SYSCO CORPORATION, To be held on November 12, 2004. Your Sysco Corporation shares are registered in the name of your broker as the holder of record.

YOUR BROKER CANNOT VOTE ON CERTAIN PROPOSALS  
UNLESS YOU GIVE YOUR SPECIFIC VOTING INSTRUCTIONS!

The Board of Directors is recommending a vote FOR the election of the four nominees for director (proposal 1), FOR the ratification of the appointment of Ernst & Young as independent accountants for fiscal 2005 (proposal 2), FOR the 2004 Stock Option Plan (proposal 3), FOR the payment of compensation to certain executive officers under the 2004 Long-Term Incentive Cash Plan (proposal 4), and AGAINST the shareholder proposal (proposal 5).

Please forward your voting instructions as soon as possible by mail or by using one of the following convenient methods:

AVAILABLE 24 HOURS A DAY - 7 DAYS A WEEK

VOTE BY TELEPHONE

USING A TOUCH-TONE TELEPHONE, CALL THE TOLL-FREE NUMBER LOCATED ON YOUR VOTING INSTRUCTION FORM.

JUST FOLLOW THESE FOUR EASY STEPS:

1. READ THE SYSCO CORPORATION 2004 PROXY STATEMENT (PREVIOUSLY SENT TO YOU) AND THE ENCLOSED VOTING INSTRUCTION FORM.
2. CALL THE TOLL-FREE NUMBER LOCATED ON YOUR VOTING INSTRUCTION FORM.
3. ENTER YOUR 12-DIGIT CONTROL NUMBER LOCATED ON YOUR VOTING INSTRUCTION FORM.
4. FOLLOW THE SIMPLE RECORDED INSTRUCTIONS.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR VOTE!