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Ladies/Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 497(j) under the Securities Act of 1933, this is to certify that the forms of Prospectus and Statement of Additional Information that would have been filed under Rule 497(c) do not differ from those contained in the Registration Statement on Form N-2 which was filed electronically with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 27, 2002.

Sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN FLOATING RATE TRUST

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