Presto Automation Inc. 985 Industrial Road San Carlos, CA 94070

## VIA EDGAR

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance Office of Technology 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Attn: Lauren Pierce

Re: Presto Automation Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-1 Filed December 16, 2022, as amended File No. 333-267979

Dear Ms. Pierce:

Pursuant to Rule 461 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Presto Automation Inc. respectfully requests that the effective date of the above-referenced Registration Statement be accelerated so as to permit it to become effective at 4:00 pm Washington D.C. time on January 9, 2023, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Please call Colin Diamond of White & Case LLP at (212) 819-8754 or Laura Katherine Mann of White & Case LLP at (713) 496-9695 to provide notice of the effectiveness of the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

**Presto Automation Inc.** 

By: /s/ Rajat Suri Name: Rajat Suri

Title: Chief Executive Officer

cc: Susan Shinoff, General Counsel, Presto Automation Inc.

January 5, 2023