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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 4628

June 12, 2017

Michael J. Fournier Chief Executive Officer Willbros Group, Inc. 4400 Post Oak Parkway, Suite 1000 Houston, TX 77027

Re: Willbros Group, Inc.

**Registration Statement on Form S-3** 

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Dear Mr. Fournier:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Lisa Krestynick, Staff Attorney, at (202) 551-3056 with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Kevin M. Dougherty for

H. Roger Schwall Assistant Director Office of Natural Resources

cc: Robert J. Melgaard, Esq. Conner & Winters, LLP