

Mail Stop 4561

October 9, 2009

Brian G. Robins
Chief Financial Officer
VeriSign, Inc.
487 East Middlefield Road
Mountain View, CA 94043

**Re: VeriSign, Inc.
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2008
File No. 000-23593**

Dear Mr. Robins:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and have no further comments at this time on the specific issues raised.

Sincerely,

Patrick Gilmore
Accounting Branch Chief