



UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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via U.S. mail and facsimile

Mr. Paritosh K. Choksi  
Chief Financial Officer  
ATEL Capital Equipment Fund IX, LLC  
600 California Street, 6<sup>th</sup> floor  
San Francisco, California 94108

RE: Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007  
Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2008  
File No. 0-50210

Dear Mr. Choksi:

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

If you have any further questions regarding our review of your filings, please direct them to Nudrat Salik, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3692 or, in her absence, to the undersigned at (202) 551-3769.

Sincerely,

Rufus Decker  
Accounting Branch Chief