

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

Mail Stop 4628

October 25, 2016

<u>Via E-mail</u>
Thomas Stoddard
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Re: Aviva plc

Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Dear Mr. Stoddard:

We refer you to our comment letter dated September 13, 2016, regarding business contacts with Sudan and Syria. We have completed our review of this subject matter. 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.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cecilia Blye

Cecilia Blye, Chief Office of Global Security Risk

cc: Suzanne Hayes
Assistant Director
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