

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-7010

## MAIL STOP 3561

February 17, 2009

Mr. Sheamus G. Toal
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
New York & Company, Inc.
450 West 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor
New York, NY 10001

Re: New York & Company, Inc.

Form 10-K

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Dear Mr. Toal:

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

Sincerely,

John Reynolds Assistant Director