

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

August 10, 2020

George Lai Chief Financial Officer The9 LTD 17 Floor, No. 130 Wu Song Road Hong Kou District, Shanghai 200080 People's Republic of China

Re: The9 LTD

Registration Statement on Form F-1

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Dear Mr. Lai:

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 Jennifer López at 202-551-3792 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Trade & Services