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August 11, 2009

Mr. Stephen Green
General Counsel and Secretary
IHS Inc.
15 Inverness Way East
Englewood, CO 80112

Re: IHS Inc.
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended November 30, 2008
Filed January 23, 2009
Form 10-Q for the Quarterly Period Ended February 28, 2009
Filed March 25, 2009
Form 10-Q for the Quarterly Period Ended May 31, 2009
Filed June 24, 2009
File No. 001-32511

Dear Mr. Green:

We have completed our review of your filings and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Patrick Gilmore
Accounting Branch Chief