

Mail Stop 4561

March 17, 2010

Jerre L. Stead  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer  
IHS Inc.  
15 Iverness Way East  
Englewood, CO 80112

**Re: IHS Inc.**  
**Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended November 30, 2009**  
**File No. 001-32511**

Dear Mr. Stead:

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

Sincerely,

Patrick Gilmore  
Accounting Branch Chief