

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

December 23, 2013

Via Facsimile
Todd S. Hyatt
Chief Financial Officer
IHS, Inc.
15 Inverness Way East
Englewood, CO 80112

Re: IHS, Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended November 30, 2012

Filed January 18, 2013

File No. 1-32511

Dear Mr. Hyatt:

We refer you to our comment letter dated November 25, 2013 regarding business contacts with Syria, Sudan and Cuba. We have completed our review of this subject matter. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filing and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filing to be certain that the filing includes the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cecilia Blye

Cecilia Blye, Chief Office of Global Security Risk

cc: Barbara Jacobs
Assistant Director
Division of Corporation Finance