

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

May 6, 2025

Chi Kin Cheng
Chief Financial Officer
Origin Agritech LTD
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Re: Origin Agritech LTD

Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2024 Amendment No. 1 to Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2024 Response Letter dated April 11, 2025 File No. 000-51576

Dear Chi Kin Cheng:

We have reviewed your April 11, 2025 response to our comment letter and have the following comment.

Please respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe the comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to this letter, we may have additional comments. Unless we note otherwise, any references to prior comments are to comments in our March 11, 2025 letter.

Amendment No. 1 to Annual Report on Form 20-F

**Risk Factors** 

Risks relating to doing business in China, page 22

1. We note your added disclosure regarding the enforceability of civil liabilities in response to previous comment 7. In your future filings, please also disclose the risks discussed in the section captioned "Enforceability of Civil Liabilities" in a separate risk factor, which should contain disclosures consistent with the separate enforceability section.

Please contact Jeanne Baker at 202-551-3691 or Terence O'Brien at 202-551-3355 if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related

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matters. Please contact Robert Augustin at 202-551-8483 or Conlon Danberg at 202-551-4466 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Industrial Applications and Services