

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

February 23, 2011

Mr. Alan Ginsberg Principal Financial Officer 477 Madison Avenue New York, New York 10022

Re: Eagle Bulk Shipping, Inc.

Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009

Filed March 5, 2010 File No.001-33831

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

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

Sincerely,

Linda Cvrkel Branch Chief

Via Facsimile (212) 785-3311