

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

May 14, 2019

David J. Bryant Chief Financial Officer Exantas Capital Corp. 717 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10022

Re: Exantas Capital Corp.
Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2018
Filed March 11, 2019
File No. 001-32733

Dear Mr. Bryant:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Real Estate and Commodities