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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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September 19, 2011

Via E-mail

Jack Lai
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Re: LDK Solar Co., Ltd
Form 20-F for the Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2010
Filed May 2, 2011
Form 6-K
Furnished July 18, 2011
File No. 001-33464

Dear Mr. Lai:

We have reviewed your response letter dated August 31, 2011 and your additional filings and have the following comments. In some of our comments, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand your disclosure.

Please respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested information, or by advising us when you will provide the requested response. If you do not believe our comments apply to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing the information you provide in response to these comments, we may have additional comments.

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Our controlling shareholder, Mr. Peng, has directly or indirectly pledged . . . page 29

1. We note your disclosure that Mr. Peng, through his wholly owned entity LDK New Energy, has pledged a significant portion of his shares in your company to secure certain loan facilities. We also note that those loan agreements require Mr. Peng to pledge additional shares or other collateral if the market value of the shares falls below a “certain threshold,” that such margin calls occurred during May and June of 2010, and that the failure or delay by Mr. Peng to promptly meet margin calls under the loan agreements could result in a change in control of your company. Please provide us with your analysis as to why you do not need to disclose the share prices that would trigger margin calls under your loan agreements so that your investors can more clearly understand the likelihood that a change in control could occur.

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2. Please refer to prior comment 7. We note your response to our comment that the initial conversion ratio is subject to “certain standard anti-dilution provisions.” Please specifically identify for us the anti-dilution provisions of these agreements, including each triggering event and the related adjustment. Please also describe for us in greater detail how you concluded in the third paragraph of page 6 of your response that the conversion option was considered clearly and closely related to the host contract.
3. In this regard, please provide us with a revised response which details the specific paragraph references you utilized to support your valuation of the redeemable non-controlling interests initially at the carrying amount of the net assets, at fair value, and the subsequent accretion to its redemption value. We note that you did not provide the specific paragraphs associated with the accounting references provided in your response.
4. We note from your response that you have not yet finalized the fair value assessment of the derivative liability associated with the “Cash Compensation” payments. Please tell us how you were able to record this derivative liability in your financial statements for the interim period ended June 30, 2011 as reflected in your Form 6-K furnished on August 29, 2011 if you have not yet finalized the fair value assessment of this derivative. Please tell us the amounts recorded in your balance sheet and statement of operations for the interim period ended June 30, 2011 associated with this derivative liability.

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You may contact Kevin Kuhar, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3662 or me at (202) 551-3212 if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters. Please contact Aslynn Hogue at (202) 551-3841 or Tim Buchmiller at (202) 551-3635 if you have questions on other comments. In this regard, do not hesitate to contact Martin James, Senior Assistant Chief Accountant, at (202) 551-3671 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jeffrey Jaramillo

Jeffrey Jaramillo
Accounting Branch Chief

cc: (via E-mail)

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