

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

May 7, 2024

Nathan D. DeBacker Chief Financial Officer CIM Real Estate Finance Trust, Inc. 2398 East Camelback Road, 4th Floor Phoenix, AZ 85016

> Re: CIM Real Estate Finance Trust, Inc. Form 10-K for the Year Ended December 31, 2023 File No. 000-54939

Dear Nathan D. DeBacker:

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 & Construction