

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

February 12, 2024

John J. Christmann IV Chief Executive Officer APA Corporation 2000 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77056

> Re: APA Corporation Registration Statement on Form S-4 Filed February 1, 2024 File No. 333-276797

Dear John J. Christmann IV:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. 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.

Please contact Michael Purcell at 202-551-5351 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Energy & Transportation

cc: Zachary Podolsky