February 20, 2007

## By Facsimile and U.S. Mail

Bruce C. Dale President and Chief Executive Officer Duckwall-ALCO Stores, Inc. 401 Cottage Street Abilene, KS 67410-2832

Re: Duckwall-ALCO Stores, Inc.

Form 10-K/A for Fiscal Year Ended January 29, 2006

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Dear Mr. Dale:

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

Sincerely,

Michael Moran Accounting Branch Chief