

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-7010

VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

May 19, 2006

Daniel P. Gorey Chief Financial Officer Quixote Corporation 35 East Wacker Drive Chicago, Illinois 60601

RE: Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2005

File No. 1-8123

Dear Mr. Gorey:

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

You may contact Ernest Greene, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3733, or the undersigned at (202) 551-3689, if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters.

Sincerely,

John Hartz Senior Assistant Chief Accountant