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By U.S. Mail and facsimile to (954) 769-6402

Jonathan P. Ferrando
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary
AutoNation, Inc.
200 SW 1st Avenue, Suite 1600
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Re: AutoNation, Inc.
Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009
Filed February 17, 2010
Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A
Filed March 25, 2010
File No. 001-13107

Dear Mr. Ferrando:

We have completed our review of your filings and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

H. Christopher Owings
Assistant Director