

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

June 15, 2010

Bruce G. Kelley President and Chief Executive Officer EMC Insurance Group Inc. 717 Mulberry Street Des Moines, Iowa 50309

Re: EMC Insurance Group Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009

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Dear Mr. Kelley:

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

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Riedler Assistant Director