

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

September 20, 2022

Virginia Herring Chief Executive Officer 1st Franklin Financial Corporation 135 East Tugalo Street Toccoa, Georgia 30577

> Re: 1st Franklin Financial Corporation Form 10-K for the fiscal period ending December 31, 2021 Filed March 31, 2022 File No. 002-27985

Dear Ms. Herring:

We have completed our review of your filing. 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.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Finance