

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-0510

Mail Stop 7010

December 29, 2008

By U.S. Mail and Facsimile

C. Thomas Harvie Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company 1144 East Market Street Akron, Ohio 44316-0001

Re: The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007 Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A Filed on March 7, 2008 File No. 1-01927

Dear Mr. Harvie:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 and Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A filed March 7, 2008 and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Pamela Long Assistant Director

cc: D.T. Young, Esq. (via facsimile 330/796-8836) Law Department The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company