



UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-4631

Mail Stop 4631

July 23, 2009

Mr. Robert F. Hull, Jr.
Lowe's Companies, Inc.
1000 Lowe's Blvd.
Mooresville, NC 28117

RE: Lowe's Companies, Inc.
Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended January 30, 2009
Filed March 31, 2009
File # 1-7898

Dear Mr. Hull:

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

If you have any questions regarding these comments, please direct them to Tricia Armelin, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3747, or in her absence, to me at (202) 551-3689.

Sincerely,

John Hartz
Senior Assistant Chief Accountant