

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

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Gregory A. Dufour President and Chief Executive Officer Camden National Corporation 2 Elm Street Camden, Maine 04843

> Re: Camden National Corporation Form 10-K for year ended December 31, 2008 Definitive Proxy Statement filed March 13, 2009 File Number 01-0413282

Dear Mr. Dufour:

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

Sincerely,

Eric Envall Staff Attorney