

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

November 28, 2016

Jorge J. Garcia Senior Vice President and Comptroller Popular, Inc. 209 Munoz Rivera Avenue Hato Rey, Puerto Rico 00918

Re: Popular, Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Dear Mr. Garcia:

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,

/s/ John A. Spitz

John A. Spitz Reviewing Accountant Office of Financial Services