

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

August 31, 2022

Thomas M. Herzog Chief Executive Officer Healthpeak Properties, Inc. 5050 South Syracuse Street, Suite 800 Denver, Colorado 80237

> Re: Healthpeak Properties, Inc. Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A Filed March 17, 2022 File No. 001-08895

Dear Mr. Herzog:

We have limited our review of your most recent definitive proxy statement to those issues we have addressed in our comments.

Please respond to these comments by confirming that you will enhance your future proxy disclosures in accordance with the topics discussed below as well as any material developments to your risk oversight structure. For guidance, refer to Item 407(h) of Regulation S-K

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<u>General</u>

- 1. Please expand your discussion of the reasons you believe that your leadership structure is appropriate, addressing your specific characteristics or circumstances. In your discussion, please also address the circumstances under which you would consider having the Chair and CEO roles filled by a single individual, when shareholders would be notified of any such change, and whether you will seek prior input from shareholders.
- 2. Please expand upon the role that your Independent Chairman plays in the leadership of the board. For example, please enhance your disclosure to address whether or not your Independent Chairman may:
 - represent the board in communications with shareholders and other stakeholders; or
 - require board consideration of, and/or override your CEO on, any risk matters.
- 3. Please expand upon how your board administers its risk oversight function. For example, please disclose:

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- the timeframe over which you evaluate risks (e.g., short-term, intermediate-term, or long-term) and how you apply different oversight standards based upon the immediacy of the risk assessed;
- whether you consult with outside advisors and experts to anticipate future threats and trends, and how often you re-assess your risk environment;
- how the board interacts with management to address existing risks and identify significant emerging risks;
- whether you have a Chief Compliance Officer and to whom this position reports; and
- how your risk oversight process aligns with your disclosure controls and procedures.

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.

Please contact Jennifer Gowetski at 202-551-3401 or Amanda Ravitz at 202-551-3412 with any questions.

Sincerely,

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