



DIVISION OF
CORPORATION FINANCE

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-4628

July 17, 2009

Mr. Wang Hong Jun
Chairman and President
China North East Petroleum Holdings Limited
445 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10022

**Re: China North East Petroleum Holdings Limited
Registration Statement on Form S-3
Filed June 29, 2009
File No. 333-160299**

**Form 10-Q for the Fiscal Quarter Ended March 31, 2009
Filed May 15, 2009
File No. 0-49846**

Dear Mr. Wang:

We have limited our review of your filings to the issues we have addressed in our comments. Where indicated, we think you should revise your registration statement in response to these comments. If you disagree, we will consider your explanation as to why our comments are inapplicable or a revision is unnecessary. Please be as detailed as necessary in your explanation. After reviewing this information, we may raise additional comments.

Please understand that the purpose of our review process is to assist you in your compliance with the applicable disclosure requirements and to enhance the overall disclosure in your filings. We look forward to working with you in these respects. We welcome any questions you might have about our comments or any other aspect of our review. Feel free to call us at the telephone numbers listed at the end of this letter.

Registration Statement on Form S-3

Legal Matters, page 16

1. Please revise your filing to clarify that your counsel will opine upon the legality of all securities covered by your registration statement.

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2. Please file the form of indenture for the senior debt securities and the form of indenture for the subordinated debt securities.
3. Please file an opinion regarding the legality of the securities to be covered by the registration statement. See Item 601(b)(5) of Regulation S-K.

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Controls and Procedures, page 18

4. We note your disclosure that there were no significant changes in your internal controls over financial reporting during the second quarter of fiscal year 2008. Please revise to state, if true, that there were no changes in your internal control over financial reporting during the quarterly period ended March 31, 2009 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, your internal control over financial reporting. See Item 308(c) of Regulation S-K.

Closing Comments

As appropriate, please amend your registration statement in response to these comments. You may wish to provide us with marked copies of the amendment to expedite our review. With your amendment, please furnish a cover letter that keys your responses to our comments and provides any requested information. Detailed cover letters greatly facilitate our review. Please understand that we may have additional comments after reviewing your amendment and responses to our comments.

We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filing to be certain that the filing includes all information required under the Securities Act of 1933 and that they have provided all information investors require for an informed investment decision. Since the company and its management are in possession of all facts relating to a company's disclosure, they are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosures they have made.

Notwithstanding our comments, in the event the company requests acceleration of the effective date of the pending registration statement, it should furnish a letter, at the time of such request, acknowledging that:

- should the Commission or the staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, declare the filing effective, it does not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the filing;

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- the action of the Commission or the staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, in declaring the filing effective, does not relieve the company from its full responsibility for the adequacy and accuracy of the disclosure in the filing; and
- the company may not assert staff comments and the declaration of effectiveness as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States.

In addition, please be advised that the Division of Enforcement has access to all information you provide to the staff of the Division of Corporation Finance in connection with our review of your filing or in response to our comments on your filing.

We will consider a written request for acceleration of the effective date of the registration statement as confirmation of the fact that those requesting acceleration are aware of their respective responsibilities under the Securities Act of 1933 and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as they relate to the proposed public offering of the securities specified in the above registration statement. We will act on the request and, pursuant to delegated authority, grant acceleration of the effective date.

We direct your attention to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requesting acceleration of a registration statement. Please allow adequate time after the filing of any amendment for further review before submitting a request for acceleration. Please provide this request at least two business days in advance of the requested effective date.

Please contact John Lucas at (202) 551-5798 or, in his absence, Laura Nicholson at (202) 551-3584 with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Assistant Director

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