

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

October 1, 2019

John A. Haudrich Chief Financial Officer OWENS ILLINOIS INC /DE/ One Michael Owens Way Perrysburg, Ohio 43551

> Re: OWENS ILLINOIS INC /DE/ Form 10-K For the Year Ended December 31, 2018 Filed February 14, 2019 File No. 001-09576

Dear Mr. Haudrich:

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,

Division of Corporation Finance CF Office of Manufacturing