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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3561

May 4, 2017

Jason T. Liberty  
Chief Financial Officer  
Royal Caribbean Cruises LTD.  
1050 Caribbean Way  
Miami, Florida 33132

**Re: Royal Caribbean Cruises LTD.  
Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016  
Filed February 23, 2017  
File No. 001-11884**

Dear Mr. Liberty:

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/ Lyn Shenk

Lyn Shenk  
Branch Chief  
Office of Transportation and Leisure