



DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE

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

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Via E-mail

Corrine L. Scarpello  
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1800 West Pasewalk Avenue, Suite 200  
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**Re: Supertel Hospitality, Inc.**  
**Preliminary Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A**  
**Filed April 14, 2014**  
**File No. 001-34087**

Dear Ms. Scarpello:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filings and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. 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 the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Tom Kluck

Tom Kluck  
Legal Branch Chief

cc: Guy Lawson, Esq. (Via E-mail)