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Mail Stop 6010

June 20, 2008

Mr. L. Stephen Smith  
Chief Executive Officer and Director  
The PMI Group, Inc.  
3003 Oak Road  
Walnut Creek, CA 94597

**Re: The PMI Group, Inc.  
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007  
File No. 1-13664**

Dear Mr. Smith:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Tartar  
Branch Chief