



DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE

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

October 18, 2024

Martin Weeks  
Executive Vice President and Group Treasurer  
The Bank of Nova Scotia  
40 Temperance Street  
Toronto, Ontario  
Canada M5H 0B4

**Re: The Bank of Nova Scotia**  
**Registration Statement on Form S-3**  
**Filed October 9, 2024**  
**File No. 333-282565**

Dear Martin Weeks:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. 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.

Please contact John Stickel at 202-551-3324 with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Office of Finance