

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 4628

December 20, 2016

Via E-mail
Michael J. Rugen
Chief Executive Officer
Tengasco, Inc.
6021 S. Syracuse Way, Suite 117
Greenwood Village, CO 80111

Re: Tengasco, Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2015

Filed March 30, 2016 File No. 001-15555

Dear Mr. Rugen:

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/H. Roger Schwall

H. Roger Schwall Assistant Director Office of Natural Resources