

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

January 4, 2011

Mr. Timothy J. Gallagher Chief Financial Officer GENESEE & WYOMING INC. 66 Field Point Road Greenwich, Connecticut 06830

**Re:** Genesee & Wyoming Inc.

Form 10-K for fiscal year ended December 31, 2009

File No. 1-31456

and

Definitive 14A Filed April 16, 2010 File No. 1-31456

Dear Mr. Gallagher:

We have completed our review of your filings and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

David R. Humphrey Branch Chief