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October 7, 2008

Mr. Marc D. Hamburg Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Berkshire Hathaway Inc. 1440 Kiewit Plaza Omaha, Nebraska 68131

Re: Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007 Form 10-Q for Fiscal Quarters Ended March 31, 2008 and June 30, 2008 File No. 1-14905

Dear Mr. Hamburg:

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

Sincerely,

Joel Parker Accounting Branch Chief