

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

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October 21, 2016

<u>Via E-mail</u>
Mr. Marc D. Hamburg
Senior Vice President and Principal Financial Officer
Berkshire Hathaway, Inc.
3555 Farnam Street
Omaha, NE 68131

Re: Berkshire Hathaway, Inc. Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year December 31, 2015

Filed February 29, 2016

File No. 001-14905

Dear Mr. Hamburg:

We have completed our review of your filings. 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/ Sharon M. Blume

Sharon M. Blume Accounting Branch Chief Office of Healthcare and Insurance