

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-7010

Mail Stop 4631

September 4, 2009

Mr. William T. Hull Chief Financial Officer Westpointe Corporate Center One, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor 1550 Coraopolis Heights Road Pittsburgh, PA 15108-2973

**Re:** RTI International Metals, Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2008

Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A filed March 13, 2009

Form 10-Q for the Fiscal Quarter Ended March 31, 2009 Form 10-Q for the Fiscal Quarter Ended June 30, 2009

File No. 001-14437

Dear Mr. Hull:

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

If you have any further questions regarding our review of your filings, please direct them to Dale Welcome, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3865 or, in his absence, to the undersigned at (202) 551-3768.

Sincerely,

John Cash Accounting Branch Chief