

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

Mail Stop 7010

October 7, 2008

Via U.S. Mail and Fax (952)476-9801 Mr. Ryan R. Gilbertson Chief Financial Officer Northern Oil and Gas, Inc. 315 Manitoba Avenue – Suite 200 Wayzata, MN 55391

Re: Northern Oil and Gas, Inc.

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007

Filed March 31, 2008

Form 10-Q for the Quarterly Period Ended June 30, 2008

Filed August 8, 2008 File No. 1-33999

Dear Mr. Gilbertson:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and do not, at this time, have any further comments.

Sincerely,

/s/ Brad Skinner for CW

Chris White Branch Chief