

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3561

August 3, 2017

Nikolas P. Tsakos President and Chief Executive Officer Tsakos Energy Navigation Limited 367 Syngrou Avenue 174 64 P. Faliro Athens, Greece

> Re: Tsakos Energy Navigation Limited Registration Statement on Form F-3 Filed July 28, 2017 File No. 333-219569

Dear Mr. Tsakos:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. 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.

Please contact Julie Griffith at 202-551-3267 with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Justin Dobbie

Justin Dobbie Legal Branch Chief Office of Transportation and Leisure