

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

Mail Stop 4720

July 26, 2017

Via E-mail

R. Eugene Taylor Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Capital Bank Financial Corp 4725 Piedmont Row Drive, Suite 110 Charlotte, North Carolina 28210

Re: Capital Bank Financial Corp

Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016

Filed February 27, 2017 File No. 001-35655

Dear Mr. Taylor:

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/ Stephanie L. Sullivan

Stephanie L. Sullivan Senior Technical and Policy Advisor Office of Financial Services