

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

December 10, 2020

Todd A. Stevens President and Chief Executive Officer California Resources Corporation 27200 Tourney Road, Suite 200 Santa Clarita, California 91355

> Re: California Resources Corporation Registration Statement on Form S-1 Filed December 4, 2020 File No. 333-251108

Dear Mr. Stevens:

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 Irene Barberena-Meissner, Staff Attorney, at 202-551-6548 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Energy & Transportation

cc: Scott D. Rubinsky, Esq.