

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

November 1, 2021

Daniel Kimes Chief Executive Officer ROC Energy Acquisition Corp. 16400 Dallas Parkway Dallas, TX 75248

Re: ROC Energy Acquisition Corp.

Draft Registration Statement on Form S-1
Submitted October 27, 2021
CIK No. 0001884516

Dear Mr. Kimes:

This is to advise you that we do not intend to review your registration statement.

We request that you publicly file your registration statement and nonpublic draft submissions at least 15 days prior to any road show as that term is defined in Rule 433(h)(4) or, in the absence of a road show, at least 15 days prior to the requested effective date of the 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 Stacie Gorman at 202-551-3585 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Real Estate & Construction

cc: Lijia Sanchez, Esq.