

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-4631

September 29, 2009

Mr. Richard A. Santa Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Dynamic Materials Corporation 5405 Spine Road Boulder, CO 80301

Re: Dynamic Materials Corporations

Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008 Definitive Proxy Statement, filed April 24, 2009 Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2009 Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2009

File No. 1-14775

Dear Mr. Santa:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and have no further comments at this time.

If you have any questions regarding our review of these filings, please direct them to Mindy Hooker, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3732, Jessica Kane, Attorney, at (202) 551-3235, Andy Schoeffler, Attorney, at (202) 551-3748 or to the undersigned at (202) 551-3768.

Sincerely,

John Cash Branch Chief