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

Mail Stop 3561

January 30, 2009

Mr. Zev Weiss  
Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer  
American Greetings Corporation  
One American Road  
Cleveland, Ohio 44144

**Re: American Greetings Corporation  
Form 10-K for fiscal year ended February 29, 2008  
Filed April 29, 2008  
File No. 001-013859**

Dear Mr. Weiss:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K for fiscal year ended February 29, 2008 and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Susan Block  
Attorney-Advisor

Cc: Chris Haffke (*via facsimile*)  
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