

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

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Via U.S. Mail and Facsimile

Mark A. Schroeder Chairman and Chief Executive Officer German American Bancorp, Inc. 711 Main Street, Box 810 Jasper, IN 47546

> Re: German American Bancorp, Inc. Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009 Filed March 10, 2010 File No. 001-15877

Dear Mr. Schroeder:

We have completed our review of your filings and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Kathryn McHale Staff Attorney