

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

February 3, 2016

Via Email
James M. Follo
Chief Financial Officer
The New York Times Company
620 Eighth Avenue
New York, New York 10018

Re: The New York Times Company

Form 10-K for the year ended December 28, 2014

Filed February 24, 2015 File No. 001-05837

Dear Mr. Follo:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filing and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filing to be certain that the filing includes the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Melissa Raminpour

Melissa Raminpour Accounting Branch Chief