

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3561

November 9, 2016

Timothy J. Shaheen Chief Financial Officer Cadiz, Inc. 550 South Hope Street Suite 2850 Los Angeles, California 90071

> Re: Cadiz Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed October 28, 2016 File No. 333-214318

Dear Mr. Shaheen:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your 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 Charlie Guidry, Staff Attorney, at 202-551-3621, Lisa Kohl, at 202-551-3252, or me at 202-551-3720 with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lisa M. Kohl for

Mara L. Ransom Assistant Director Office of Consumer Products

cc: Mary Ann Sapone, Esq.