

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

July 1, 2024

Andrew Brophy Principal Financial Officer HEALTHCARE SERVICES GROUP INC 3220 Tillman Drive, Suite 300 Bensalem, PA 19020

> Re: HEALTHCARE SERVICES GROUP INC Response filed June 20, 2024 DEF 14A filed April 26, 2024 File No. 000-12015

Dear Andrew Brophy:

We have reviewed your filing and have the following comment. In addition, we have reviewed your response letter dated June 20, 2024 and have no further comment.

Please respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe a comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to this letter, we may have additional comments.

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Clawback Policy

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1. We note that in 2023 your executive officers received bonuses based on the achievement of performance metrics as determined by your board of directors. We also note the statement that there was no erroneously awarded compensation attributable to the "accounting restatement; therefore, no amount was pursued from any current or former executive officers." Please briefly explain for us why application of the recovery policy resulted in the conclusion that no amount was required to be pursued. See Item 402(w)(2) of Regulation S-K.

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.

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Please contact Jeanne Baker at 202-551-3691 or Terence O'Brien at 202-551-3355 if you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters.

Please contact James Lopez at 202-551-3536 if you have any other questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Industrial Applications and Services