



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

DIVISION OF
CORPORATION FINANCE

September 23, 2011

Via Facsimile

Catherine M. Burzik, Chief Executive Officer
Kinetic Concepts, Inc.
8023 Vantage Drive
San Antonio, TX 78230

**Re: Kinetic Concepts, Inc.
Preliminary Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A
Filed August 8, 2011
Form 10-Q for the Quarter Ended June 30, 2011
Filed August 4, 2011
File No. 001-09913**

Dear Ms. Burzik:

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,

Pamela Long
Assistant Director