

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

July 1, 2010

Brian J. Rice Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. 1050 Caribbean Way Miami, FL 33132

**Re:** Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd.

Form 10-K: For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009

Filed February 23, 2010 File No. 001-11884

Dear Mr. Rice:

We have reviewed your response letter dated June 14, 2010 and have the following comment. Please respond to this letter within ten business days by confirming that you will revise your document in future filings. If you do not believe our comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing the information you provide in response to this comment, we may have additional comments.

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1. Refer to prior comment 5. Please expand your disclosure to either affirmatively state that there has been no material event or transaction affecting Pullmantur that occurred during the two month time lag or provide disclosure of any material event or transaction, as appropriate.

You may contact Patrick Kuhn at (202) 551-3308 or Joe Foti at (202) 551-3816 if you have any questions. You may also contact me at 202-551-3380.

Sincerely,

Lyn Shenk Branch Chief