

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

Mail Stop 4628

September 19, 2019

<u>Via E-mail</u> Gregg A. Lowe Chief Executive Officer and President Cree, Inc. 4600 Silicon Drive Durham, North Carolina 27703

> Re: Cree, Inc. 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019 Filed August 21, 2019 File No. 0-21154

Dear Mr. Lowe:

We have limited our review of your filing to your contacts with countries that have been identified as state sponsors of terrorism, and we have the following comment. Our review with respect to this issue does not preclude further review by the Assistant Director group with respect to other issues. In our comment, we ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand your disclosure.

Please respond to this comment 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 our comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

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

## General

 We note that your website identifies a distributor for Sudan. Your subsidiary Wolfspeed's website identifies distributors for Sudan, Syria and North Korea. Sudan, Syria and North Korea are designated by the State Department as state sponsors of terrorism, and are subject to U.S. economic sanctions and/or export controls. Your 10-K does not include information about direct or indirect dealings with those countries. Please describe to us the nature of any past, current or anticipate contacts with Sudan, Syria or North Korea, including contacts with their governments, whether through subsidiaries, distributors, affiliates, or other direct or indirect arrangements.

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. Gregg A. Lowe Cree, Inc. September 19, 2019 Page 2

You may contact Daniel Leslie, Staff Attorney, at (202) 551-3876 or me at (202) 551-3470 if you have any questions about the comment or our review.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cecilia Blye

Cecilia Blye, Chief Office of Global Security Risk

cc: Brad Kohn Vice President Legal and General Counsel

> Gerald Roach Smith Anderson