

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

December 14, 2010

Mr. Yashpal Singh President and CEO Mendocino Brewing Company, Inc 1601 Airport Road Ukiah, CA 95482

> Re: Mendocino Brewing Company, Inc Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009 Filed March 31, 2010 File No. 001-13636

Dear Mr. Singh:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Brian K Bhandari Branch Chief Office of Beverages, Apparel and Health Care Services