

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

November 1, 2018

Bill Backus Interim Chief Financial Officer Balchem Corporation 52 Sunrise Park Rd. New Hampton, NY 10958

> Re: Balchem Corporation Form 10-Q for Fiscal Quarter Ended June 30, 2018 Filed August 3, 2018 Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2017 Filed March 1, 2018 File No. 001-13648

Dear Mr. Backus:

We have completed our review of your filings. 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.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Manufacturing and Construction