

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

January 9, 2014

Via E-mail

Mr. Mario Alberto Beauregard Álvarez Chief Financial Officer Petróleos Mexicanos Avenida Marina Nacional No. 329 Colonia Petróleos Mexicanos 11311 México D.F., México

Re: Petróleos Mexicanos

Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2012

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Dear Mr. Beauregard Álvarez:

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,

/s/H. Roger Schwall

H. Roger Schwall Assistant Director