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DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 4628

January 27, 2017

Steven Gray Chief Executive Officer RSP Permian, Inc. 3141 Hood Street, Suite 500 Dallas, TX 75219

> Re: RSP Permian Preliminary Proxy Filed on Schedule 14A Filed December 19, 2016 File No. 1-36264

Dear Mr. Gray:

We have completed our review of your filing. 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 by the staff.

Sincerely,

/s/H. Roger Schwall

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