

Mail Stop 3561

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Mr. Ian J. Webber  
Chief Executive Officer  
Global Ship Lease, Inc.  
c/o Global Ship Lease Services Ltd.  
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London SW1E 5RS  
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**Re: Global Ship Lease, Inc.  
Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2009  
Filed May 18, 2010  
File No. 1-34153**

Dear Mr. Webber:

We have completed our review of your Form 20-F noted above and do not, at this time, have any further comments.

Sincerely,

Linda Cvrkel  
Branch Chief