



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

DIVISION OF
CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3233

October 27, 2016

VIA E-MAIL

Mr. Sean M. Mahoney
Chief Financial Officer
DiamondRock Hospitality Company
3 Bethesda Metro Center, Suite 1500
Bethesda, MD 20814

**Re: DiamondRock Hospitality Company
Form 8-K dated August 5, 2016
Filed August 5, 2016
File No. 001-32514**

Dear Mr. Mahoney:

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 of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

/s/ Daniel L. Gordon

Daniel L. Gordon
Senior Assistant Chief Accountant
Office of Real Estate and
Commodities