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May 10, 2010

Mark D. McLaughlin, CEO
VeriSign, Inc.
487 East Middlefield Road
Mountain View, CA 94043

**Re: VeriSign, Inc.
Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009
Filed February 26, 2010
File No. 000-23593**

Dear Mr. McLaughlin:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and have no further comments at this time on the specific issues raised.

Sincerely,

Mark P. Shuman
Branch Chief – Legal