



DIVISION OF
CORPORATION FINANCE

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

Mail Stop 3720

April 21, 2009

Robert S. Silberman, Chief Executive Officer
Strayer Education, Inc.
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Re: Strayer Education, Inc.
Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A
Filed March 23, 2009
File No. 000-21039

Dear Mr. Silberman:

We have completed our review of your proxy statement and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

/s/ Celeste M. Murphy
Legal Branch Chief