

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

March 10, 2016

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Re: JPMorgan Chase & Co.

Incoming letter dated January 14, 2016

Dear Mr. Dunn:

This is in response to your letters dated January 14, 2016 and February 18, 2016 concerning the shareholder proposal submitted to JPMorgan Chase by Jing Zhao. We also have received a letter from the proponent dated January 19, 2016. Copies of all of the correspondence on which this response is based will be made available on our website at <a href="http://www.sec.gov/divisions/corpfin/cf-noaction/14a-8.shtml">http://www.sec.gov/divisions/corpfin/cf-noaction/14a-8.shtml</a>. For your reference, a brief discussion of the Division's informal procedures regarding shareholder proposals is also available at the same website address.

Sincerely,

Matt S. McNair Senior Special Counsel

Enclosure

cc: Jing Zhao

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## Response of the Office of Chief Counsel <u>Division of Corporation Finance</u>

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The proposal recommends that the company adopt an executive compensation philosophy with consideration of relevant social factors to improve the company's ethical conduct and public reputation.

We are unable to concur in your view that JPMorgan Chase may exclude the proposal under rule 14a-8(i)(3). We are unable to conclude that the proposal is so inherently vague or indefinite that neither the shareholders voting on the proposal, nor the company in implementing the proposal, would be able to determine with any reasonable certainty exactly what actions or measures the proposal requires. Accordingly, we do not believe that JPMorgan Chase may omit the proposal from its proxy materials in reliance on rule 14a-8(i)(3).

We are unable to concur in your view that JPMorgan Chase may exclude the proposal under rule 14a-8(i)(7). In arriving at this position, we note that the proposal focuses on senior executive compensation. Accordingly, we do not believe that JPMorgan Chase may omit the proposal from its proxy materials in reliance on rule 14a-8(i)(7).

Sincerely,

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