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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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Via facsimile and U.S. mail

Arthur Chien
Chief Financial Officer
Canadian Solar Inc.
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Canada

**Re: Canadian Solar Inc.
Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2008
Filed June 8, 2009
File No. 001-33107**

Dear Mr. Chien:

We have completed our review of your Form 20-F for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 and do not, at this time, have any further comments.

Please contact Joe McCann at (202) 551-6262 or me at (202) 551-3637 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Jay Mumford
Senior Attorney