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Mail Stop 6010

August 18, 2009

Mr. Robert Benmosche  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
American International Group, Inc.  
70 Pine Street  
New York, New York 10270

**Re: American International Group, Inc.  
Form 8-K filed August 4, 2009  
File No. 1-8787**

Dear Mr. Benmosche:

We have completed our review of your Form 8-K filed August 4, 2009 and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Riedler  
Assistant Director

cc: Kathleen E. Shannon  
Senior Vice President, Secretary & Deputy General Counsel