

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

February 4, 2011

Ms. Christina W. Hagan Executive Vice President Dawson Geophysical Company 508 West Wall, Suite 800 Midland, Texas 79701

Re: Dawson Geophysical Company

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2010

Filed November 23, 2010

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Dear Ms. Hagan:

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

Sincerely,

Mark Shannon Branch Chief