

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

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 4628

July 7, 2017

<u>Via E-Mail</u> Roger Millay Chief Financial Officer Willis Towers Watson plc c/o Willis Group Limited 51 Lime Street London EC3M 7DQ England

> Re: Willis Towers Watson plc Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016 Filed March 1, 2017 File No. 1-16503

Dear Mr. Millay:

We refer you to our comment letter dated May 31, 2017 regarding business contacts with Sudan and Syria. We have completed our review of this subject matter. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cecilia Blye

Cecilia Blye, Chief Office of Global Security Risk

cc: Suzanne Hayes Assistant Director