

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

August 7, 2009

Alfred P. West, Jr. Chief Executive Officer SEI Investments Company 1 Freedom Valley Drive Oaks, Pennsylvania 19456-1100

**Re:** Proxy Statement ion Schedule 14A

Filed April 16, 2009 File No. 000-10200

Dear Mr. West:

We have reviewed your response letter dated July 27, 2009, and have the following additional comment.

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1. We note your response to comment 5 of our letter dated July 9, 2009. In response to this comment, you describe the process through which the ultimate bonus amount awarded to each officer is determined. However, you did not tell us how the initial target amounts for each officer is determined. Please discuss how you determined that the "annual incentive compensation targets for 2008 were \$600,000 for Mr. West, \$550,000 for Mr. Ujobai, and \$500,000 for each of the other named executive officers."

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As appropriate, please respond to these comments within 10 business days or tell us when you will provide us with a response. Detailed cover letters greatly facilitate our review. Please file your cover letter on EDGAR. Please understand that we may have additional comments after reviewing your responses to our comments.

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You may contact Stacie Gorman, Staff Attorney, at (202) 551-3585 or Tom Kluck, Legal Branch Chief, at (202) 551-3233 if you have questions regarding comments on matters relating to executive compensation. Please contact Yolanda Crittendon, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3472 or the undersigned at (202) 551-3498 if you have any other questions.

Sincerely,

Linda VanDoorn Senior Assistant Chief Accountant