

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

December 15, 2010

Patrick J. McEnany Chairman of the Board of Directors, President and Chief Executive Officer Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc. 355 Alhambra Circle, Suite 1370 Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Re: Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc.

Form 10-K

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Dear Mr. McEnany:

We have completed our review of your filing and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Riedler Assistant Director