

Mail Stop 6010

June 19, 2006

Mr. Dominic A. Romeo  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer  
IDEX Corporation  
630 Dundee Road  
Northbrook, Illinois 60062

Re: IDEX Corporation  
Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2005  
Filed March 6, 2006  
File No. 001-10235

Dear Mr. Romeo:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and related filings and do not, at this time, have any further comments.

Sincerely,

Martin F. James  
Senior Assistant Chief

Accountant