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Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549-4628

- Attn: Division of Corporation Finance Office of Beverages, Apparel and Mining
- Re: U.S. Silica Holdings, Inc. Form 10-K for the Year Ended December 31, 2018 Filed February 20, 2019 File No. 1-35416

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of our client U.S. Silica Holdings, Inc. (the "Company"), I write to request an extension of time to respond to your comment letter (the "Comment Letter") dated September 3, 2019, relating to the above-referenced filing. The Company respectfully requests an extension of the date by which to respond to the Comment Letter to September 27, 2019 at the latest.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or if I can be of assistance at this time.

Sincerely,

/s/ Scott Lesmes

Scott Lesmes

cc: Mr. John Coleman, Securities and Exchange Commission Ms. Joanna Lam, Securities and Exchange Commission Mr. Craig Arakawa, Securities and Exchange Commission Bryan A. Shinn, U.S. Silica Holdings, Inc. Andrew Macan, U.S. Silica Holdings, Inc.