Icahn Enterprises L.P.

September 17, 2009

VIA ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION AND OVERNIGHT COURIER

Mr. Kevin Woody Accounting Branch Chief United States Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Icahn Enterprises L.P. Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 Filed March 4, 2009 Form 10-K/A for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 Filed August 4, 2009 File No. 1-9515

Dear Mr. Woody:

Reference is made to the comments of the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Staff") in your letter dated September 2, 2009 with respect to the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Icahn Enterprises L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (the "Company"), for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008. (the "Comment Letter").

We are writing to respond to the comment contained in the Comment Letter. For your convenience, the Staff's comment has been retyped below in boldface type, and the Company's response is provided immediately after the comment.

Amended Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008

Item 8. Financial Statements and Supplementary Data

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1. We note in your amended Form 10-K that the amount of Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income as of December 31, 2008 changed from the amount previously reported. Please provide us with an explanation for the change in the disclosed amount.

The disclosure of accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income in our amended Form 10-K changed as a result of the retrospective application of FAS 160 and an adjustment of the December 31, 2008 balance. The partnership equity on the balance sheet as of December 31, 2008 and the other comprehensive (loss) income disclosed in the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and Comprehensive Income for each year presented were accurate and reflected the application of FAS 160 in the amended Form 10-K. However, the footnote disclosing the accumulated other comprehensive loss in the original Form 10-K was understated. In revising the disclosure of accumulated OCI for FAS 160, we also adjusted the disclosure for this understatement. We concluded that the change to accumulated OCI was not material.

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Very truly yours,

/s/ Dominick Ragone

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Enclosures

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