ICAHN ENTERPRISES L.P. ICAHN ENTERPRISES FINANCE CORP. ICAHN ENTERPRISES HOLDINGS L.P.

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October 9, 2012

VIA ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION

Justin Dobbie Legal Branch Chief United States Securities and Exchange Commission Corporation Finance 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549-1004

Re: Icahn Enterprises L.P.

Registration Statement on Form S-4

Filed September 5, 2012 File No. 333-183728 & -01 to -02

Dear Mr. Dobbie:

Pursuant to Rule 461 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Icahn Enterprises L.P., Icahn Enterprises Finance Corp. and Icahn Enterprises Holdings L.P. (collectively, the "Company") hereby request acceleration of the effective date of the above-referenced Registration Statement on Form S-4, File No. 333-183728 (the "Registration Statement") so that it may become effective at 12:00 Noon Eastern Time on Friday, October 12, 2012, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

The Company hereby acknowledges that:

- (a) should the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") or its staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, declare the Registration Statement effective, it does not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the Registration Statement;
- (b) the action of the Commission or its staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, in declaring the Registration Statement effective, does not relieve the Company from its full responsibility for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the Registration Statement; and
- (c) it may not assert staff comments and the declaration of effectiveness as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States.

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By: <u>/s/ Peter Reck</u>

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