

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

May 24, 2016

Via E-mail
Kenneth N. Jones
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Stratus Properties Inc.
212 Lavaca Street, Suite 300
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Re: Stratus Properties Inc.
Definitive Additional Soliciting Materials
Filed May 16, 18 and 24, 2016
File No. 001-37716

Dear Mr. Jones:

We have reviewed the above-captioned filings and have the following comments.

General

1. Please advise us, with a view toward providing revised disclosure in future soliciting material, as to what consideration was given to whether non-GAAP financial measures were disclosed, and if so, the extent to which any plans exist to provide the additional disclosure required under Rule 100(a) of Regulation G and Item 10(e) of Regulation S-K.

Definitive Additional Soliciting Materials filed May 16, 2016

Exhibit 99.1

- 2. Please characterize the following as your belief in future filings, and provide support for these statements in your response:
 - "Mr. Berg's Record of Destroying Value"
 - "Stockholders lost significant value while Mr. Berg was a director on boards of: Valence Technology, Focus Enhancement and Monolithic Systems."
 - "Stockholders in each of these companies lost substantial value."

Definitive Additional Soliciting Materials filed May 18, 2016

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3. Please qualify the following statement as your belief in future filings, and provide supplemental support with your response: "[u]nder Mr. Dean's leadership, Crescent Real

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Estate experienced substantial financial declines in the years leading up to its 2007 acquisition."

4. Please provide supplemental support for the statements regarding stockholder value in connection with Valence Technology and Focus Enhancements Inc. on slide 26. Similarly, please also provide supplemental support for the statement that upon retiring from the board of MoSys, Mr. Berg "le[ft] behind a significantly weakened stock."

You may contact Justin A. Kisner, Staff Attorney, at (202) 551-3788, or me at (202) 551-3266 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Nicholas P. Panos

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