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February 27, 2007

VIA EDGAR CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Frank Wyman Securities & Exchange Commission Division of Corporate Finance 100 F Street, NE Washington, DC 20549

Re: Arrowhead Research Corporation

Form 10-K for fiscal year ended September 30, 2006

File No. 000-21898

Dear Mr. Wyman,

For the reasons we discussed yesterday, Arrowhead will provide a response to your letter dated February 22, 2007 and a draft revised 10-K FYE 9/30/06 on or before March 16, 2007.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 626-304-3400.

Sincerely,

/s/ Joseph T. Kingsley

Joseph T. Kingsley Interim President & Chief Financial Officer