

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

Mail Stop 3720

April 6, 2017

Wallace R. Cooney Chief Financial Officer Graham Holdings Company 1300 North 17th Street Arlington, VA 22209

Re: Graham Holdings Company

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016

Form 8-K

Filed February 24, 2017

File No. 001-06714

Dear Mr. Cooney:

We have reviewed your filing and have the following comment. Please comply with the following comment in future filings. Confirm in writing that you will do so and explain to us how you intend to comply.

Please respond to the comment within ten business days by providing the requested information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe our comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to the comment, we may have additional comments.

Form 8-K Filed on February 24, 2017 Exhibit 99.1

Please revise your reconciliation of the Non GAAP financial measure on page 13 to present the income tax effects related to Non-GAAP adjustments to arrive at adjusted income from continuing operations. See Question 102.11 of the updated Non-GAAP Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations issued on May 17, 2016.

We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff. Wallace R. Cooney Graham Holdings Company April 6, 2017 Page 2

You may contact Christie Wong, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3684 or Ivette Leon, Assistant Chief Accountant, at (202) 551-3351 if you have questions regarding the comment on the financial statements and related matters. Please contact Greg Dundas, Attorney-Advisor, at (202) 551-3436 or Celeste Murphy, Legal Branch Chief, at (202) 551-3257 with any other questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Terry French for

Larry Spirgel Assistant Director AD Office 11 – Telecommunications