



August 4, 2022

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U. S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
Division of Corporate Finance  
Office of Energy & Transportation  
Washington, D.C. 20549

Attention: Ken Schuler  
Craig Arakawa

**Re: Martin Marietta Materials, Inc.**  
**Form 10-K for the Year Ended December 31, 2021**  
**Filed February 22, 2022**  
**File No. 001-12744**

Dear Messrs. Schuler and Arakawa:

We have received your letter dated August 3, 2022 on the above-referenced matter. In light of the staff's offer to schedule a conference on August 17, 2022 to discuss matters relevant to the comments raised in that letter, we would intend to provide Martin Marietta's response to those comments within ten business days after August 17, 2022.

Very truly yours,

/s/ James A. J. Nickolas

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