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**Constellation**

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March 13, 2007

United States Securities and Exchange Commission  
Division of Corporation Finance  
100 F Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20549  
Attention: William Choi, Accounting Branch Chief  
Mail Stop 3561

Re: Constellation Brands, Inc.  
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2006  
Filed May 2, 2006  
File No. 1-08495

Dear Mr. Choi:

We have received your comment letter dated February 28, 2007 with respect to the above-referenced filing. We hereby request that the date by which we must respond to the comment letter be extended until April 2, 2007 in order to give us sufficient time to prepare our response to the comment letter.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (585) 218-3649. In my absence you may contact Barbara LaVerdi at (585) 218-3721.

Sincerely,

Constellation Brands, Inc.

/s/ David S. Sorce  
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Sr. Vice President and  
Corporate Counsel