

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

October 24, 2019

David C. Burney Chief Financial Officer Astronics Corporation 130 Commerce Way West Aurora, NY 14052

> Re: Astronics Corporation Form 10-K for the Year Ended December 31, 2018 Form 8-K furnished on August 5, 2019 File No. 000-07087

Dear Mr. Burney:

We have limited our review of your filing to the financial statements and related disclosures and have the following comment. In some of our comments, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand your disclosure.

Please respond to this 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 this comment, we may have additional comments.

## Form 8-K funished on August 5, 2019

## Non-GAAP Performance Measures

1. We note your non-GAAP measures for adjusted consolidated sales, adjusted income from operations and adjusted net income which include adjustments to eliminate all sales and associated direct costs of your semiconductor business in the reported periods, although the divestiture of your semiconductor test business was not accounted for as discontinued operations pursuant to ASC 205-20. As such, your non-GAAP measures appear to substitute individually tailored recognition and measurement methods for those of GAAP, which is inconsistent with the guidance provided in Question 100.04 of the Non-GAAP Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations. In future filings, please revise your non-GAAP presentations to comply with this guidance.

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In closing, 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.

You may contact Melissa Gilmore at (202) 551-3777 or Martin James at (202) 551-3671 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Manufacturing