December 29, 2022

Lawrence Fey Chief Financial Officer Vivid Seats Inc. 111 N. Canal Street Suite 800 Chicago, IL 60606

Re: Vivid Seats Inc. Form 10-K for

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2021

Filed March 15,

2022

File No. 001-40926

Dear Lawrence Fey:

 $$\operatorname{\textsc{We}}$$ have reviewed your December 22, 2022 response to our comment letter and have the

following comments. In some of our comments, we may ask you to provide us with information $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$

so we may better understand your disclosure.

 $\hbox{ Please respond to these comments within ten business days by providing the requested } \\$

information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe our

comments apply to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to these comments, we may have additional

comments. Unless we note otherwise, our references to prior comments are to comments in our $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right)$

December 13, 2022 letter.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2021

Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Our Business Model, page 37

We note your response to comment 1. Based on the nature of your referral fees, it would appear the direct costs associated with this revenue are not significant. Therefore, referral revenues appear to have been a highly material and disproportionate contributor to your operating income. If our understanding is incorrect and costs associated with this revenue are significant, please quantify for us the amounts and the nature of such costs. Otherwise, we believe you should make revisions in future filings to emphasize and make clear the importance of referral revenues to your results of operations. Please revise your MD&A to quantify referral revenues and associated costs for each period presented, and Lawrence Fey Vivid Seats Inc. December 29, 2022

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to discuss and analyze changes from period to period. Refer to the guidance in Item $303\,$

of Regulation S-K.

Consolidated Statements of Operations, page 56

2. Should referral fee revenues exceed 10 percent of total revenues in the future, Rule 5- $\,$

 $\,$ 03(b) of Regulation S-X requires separate disclosure of these other revenues and their

associated costs on your income statement. While not currently required, in the interest of

aiding investors in identifying and understanding the relative

contribution to your

operating profits of each revenue producing activity, we encourage you to consider

revising your income statement to separately disclose these amounts. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, page 60

3. We note your response to comment 2 and your intent to reclassify the deferred interest

payment of \$44.1 million in future filings. Please confirm to us that you will quantify the

amount of deferred interest payment reclassified and explain the adjustment in a $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right)$

reclassification footnote.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Note 21. Loss Per Share, page 93

4. We note your response to comment 3 and your intent to explain the computation in future

filings. Please provide us with the actual computation for the year ended December 31,

 $2021 \ \mathrm{and} \ \mathrm{consider} \ \mathrm{disclosing} \ \mathrm{a} \ \mathrm{summary} \ \mathrm{quantification} \ \mathrm{of} \ \mathrm{the} \ \mathrm{computation} \ \mathrm{in} \ \mathrm{future}$

filings.

You may contact Mr. Robert Shapiro at 202-551-3273 or Lyn Shenk at 202-551-3380 if

you have questions regarding comments on the financial statements and related matters.

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Sincerely,

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