Northern Genesis Acquisition Corp. II 4801 Main Street, Suite 1000 Kansas City, MO 64112

January 8, 2021

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Mr. Kevin Dougherty Office of Energy & Transportation Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

RE: Northern Genesis Acquisition Corp. II Registration Statement on Form S-1 File No. 333-251639

Dear Mr. Dougherty:

Northern Genesis Acquisition Corp. II (the "Company") hereby requests, pursuant to Rule 461 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, acceleration of effectiveness of the above-referenced Registration Statement so that such Registration Statement will become effective as of 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 12, 2021, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Very truly yours,

NORTHERN GENESIS ACQUISITION CORP. II

By: /s/ Ian Robertson Name: Ian Robertson Title: Chief Executive Officer