VALHI, INC. 5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700 Dallas, Texas 75240

FOIA CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT REQUEST BY VALHI, INC.

November 2, 2015

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Attention:	Mr. Terence O'Brien, Accounting Branch Chief Division of Corporation Finance
CC:	Ms. Tracie Mariner Division of Corporation Finance
	Ms. Jeanne Baker Division of Corporation Finance

RE: Valhi, Inc.

Form 10-Q for Fiscal Quarter Ended June 30, 2015 Filed August 7, 2015 Response Letter Dated September 15, 2015 File No. 333-48391

Dear Mr. O'Brien

Exhibit A to this letter, containing just one page (the "Information"), is hereby submitted to you in response to the Staff's letter dated October 19, 2015 (the "Comment Letter") concerning the above referenced Form 10-Q of Valhi, Inc. ("Valhi"). The Information is being supplementally provided to you in response to comment number 1 in the Comment Letter.

Pursuant to 17 C.F.R. § 200.83(c), the undersigned hereby requests on behalf of Valhi that the Commission afford the Information confidential treatment for reasons of business confidentiality, and that no portion thereof be disclosed if a request for disclosure is made under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 522. Pursuant to the Commission Rule of Information Request, 17 C.F.R. § 200.83, each page of the Information is clearly marked "Confidential Treatment Requested."

If you have any questions, you may contact the undersigned at 972-450-4228.

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Sincerely,

<u>/s/ Gregory M. Swalwell</u> Gregory M. Swalwell, Executive Vice President and Controller

 CC: Office of Freedom of Information and Privacy Act Operations (w/o enclosure) Securities and Exchange Commission
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Exhibit A – Page 1 of 1 Document Supplementally Provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission November 2, 2015 Confidential Treatment Requested by Valhi, Inc. Trailing Three-Year (or Twelve Consecutive Quarters) Cumulative Book Tax Income (Loss) Generated by German and Belgian Jurisdictions

	Germany		
	Corporate Tax	Trade Tax	Belgium
Twelve consecutive quarters ended: December 31, 2014	[*]	(In euro millions)	[*]
March 31, 2015	[*]	[*]	[*]
June 30, 2015	[*]	[*]	[*]

[*] Information omitted pursuant to a request for confidential treatment filed with the SEC by Valhi, Inc.