July 24, 2018

## VIA EDGAR

Mr. Robert S. Littlepage Accountant Branch Chief Division of Corporation Finance U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: National CineMedia, Inc. Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 28, 2017 Filed March 19, 2018 Form 10-Q for Fiscal Quarter Ended March 29, 2018 Filed May 8, 2018 File No. 001-33296

Dear Mr. Littlepage:

National CineMedia, Inc. (NCM Inc. or the Company) acknowledges receipt of the letter dated July 10, 2018 from the Staff of the Division of Corporate Finance regarding the above-referenced filings. The Company hereby respectfully requests an extension to on or before August 14, 2018 to provide responses to the Staff's comments contained in such comment letter.

If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact the undersigned at 303-792-4906.

Sincerely,

/s/ Katherine L. Scherping

Katherine L. Scherping Chief Financial Officer