

CAPITOL INVESTMENT CORP. V
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Securities and Exchange Commission
Division of Corporation Finance
100 F Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20549-4628
Attn: Brigitte Lippmann

Re: Capitol Investment Corp. V
Registration Statement on Form S-1
File No. 333-249856

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Capitol Investment Corp. V (the "**Registrant**") hereby requests, pursuant to Rule 461 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the acceleration of the effective date of the above-captioned Registration Statement, as amended, to 4:00 P.M., Eastern Time, on December 1, 2020 or as soon as practicable thereafter, unless the Registrant notifies you otherwise prior to such time. Please call Jason M. Licht of Latham & Watkins LLP at (202) 637-2258 to provide notice of effectiveness.

Very truly yours,

CAPITOL INVESTMENT CORP. V

By: /s/ L. Dyson Dryden
L. Dyson Dryden
President and Chief Financial Officer

Cc: Rachel W. Sheridan, Latham & Watkins LLP
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