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September 4, 2014

# VIA EDGAR

Re: Acceleration Request for PJT Partners Inc. Registration Statement on Form 10 File No. 001-36869

Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 100 F Street, NE Washington, DC 20549 Attention: Christian Windsor, Esq.

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

For the purpose of registering under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of PJT Partners Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), we are enclosing the Company's acceleration request relating to the above-referenced Registration Statement pursuant to Rule 12d1-2 under the Exchange Act.

As indicated in the acceleration request, it is respectfully requested that the above-referenced Registration Statement be declared effective on September 9, 2015, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

We thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please do not hesitate to call me at (202) 636-5804 with any questions or further comments you may have regarding the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Joshua Ford Bonnie

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#### PJT PARTNERS INC.

280 Park Avenue New York, NY 10017

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#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 12d1-2 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned Registrant respectfully requests that the above-referenced Registration Statement be declared effective on September 9, 2015, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

The Registrant hereby acknowledges that:

- should the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") or the staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, declare the Registration Statement effective, it does not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the Registration Statement;
- the action of the Commission or the staff, acting pursuant to delegated authority, in declaring the Registration Statement effective, does not relieve the Registrant from its full responsibility for the adequacy and accuracy of the disclosure in the Registration Statement; and
- the Registrant may not assert staff comments and the declaration of effectiveness as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States.

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Very truly yours,

PJT Partners Inc.

By: /s/ Michael S. Chae

Michael S. Chae Chief Financial Officer

cc: Securities and Exchange Commission Kevin Vaughn Svitlana Sweat William H. Dorton, Esq.

cc: The Blackstone Group L.P. John G. Finley, Esq.

cc: Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP Joshua Ford Bonnie, Esq.