

**KAIXIN AUTO HOLDINGS**  
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Chaoyang District, Beijing 100015, People's Republic of China

February 14, 2023

**VIA EDGAR**

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
Division of Corporation Finance  
Office of Trade & Services  
100 F Street, N.E.  
Mail Stop 4631  
Washington, DC 20549

Re: **Kaixin Auto Holdings**  
**Registration Statement on Form F-3, as amended**  
**Initially Filed on August 4, 2021**  
**File No. 333-258450**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 461 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Kaixin Auto Holdings hereby requests acceleration of effectiveness of the above referenced Registration Statement, so that it will become effective at 4:30 p.m. ET on February 16, 2023, or as soon as thereafter practicable.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Mingjun Lin  
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Mingjun Lin  
Chief Executive Officer

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