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INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT wbo	se opinion is contained in this	Report*		
KAUFMAN, ROSSIN & CO.				
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١,	FRANCO CASTRO	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
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	GLOBAL STRATEGIC INVESTMENTS, LLC	
of _	JUNE 30, 20O3	are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
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	(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Cli	aims of Creditors.
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	(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirement	
	(i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requ	
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A report containing a statement of financial condition has been included: accordingly it is requested that this report be given confidential treatment.

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Member Global Strategic Investments, LLC Miami, Florida

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Global Strategic Investments, LLC as of June 30, 2003. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall statement of financial condition presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Global Strategic Investments, LLC as of June 30, 2003, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Miami, Florida August 5, 2003

CO. PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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# GLOBAL STRATEGIC INVESTMENTS, LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION JUNE 30, 2003

ASSETS	 
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$ 116,072
RECEIVABLE FROM BROKER (NOTE 4)	1,205,832
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT (NOTE 2)	75,480
OTHER ASSETS	163,891
	\$ 1,561,275
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	
LIABILITIES Accounts payable (Note 6) Accrued liabilities	\$ 74,359 244,429
Total liabilities	318,788
LEASE COMMITMENTS (NOTE 5)	
MEMBER'S EQUITY	1,242,487
	1,242,467

## GLOBAL STRATEGIC INVESTMENTS, LLC

#### NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Description of Business and Organization

Global Strategic Investments, LLC (the Company), a wholly owned subsidiary of Global Securities Holdings, LLC, is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) as a broker-dealer of various types of equity, debt, commodity, and mutual fund securities. The Company acts in an agency capacity, buying and selling these securities for its customers, primarily within Latin America, and charging a commission. The Company's membership in the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. (NASD) become effective June 6, 2002.

#### Government and Other Regulation

The Company's business is subject to significant regulation by various governmental agencies and self-regulatory organizations, including the SEC and the NASD. Such regulation includes, among other things, periodic examinations by these regulatory bodies to determine whether the Company is conducting and reporting its operations in accordance with the applicable requirements of these organizations.

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments having maturities of three months or less at the date of acquisition to be cash equivalents. The Company may, during the ordinary course of business, maintain account balances with banks in excess of federally insured limits.

#### Securities Transactions

Securities transactions, along with related commission income, clearing costs and commission expenses, are reported on a trade date basis.

#### Property and Equipment

Property and equipment is recorded at cost. Expenditures for major betterments and additions are charged to the asset accounts while replacements, maintenance and repairs which do not improve or extend the lives of the respective assets are charged to expense currently.

Depreciation and amortization are computed using the straight-line method based upon estimated useful lives of five and seven years.

#### Use of Estimates in the Preparation of Financial Statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the statement of financial condition. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### Income Taxes

The Company is not subject to income taxes as the taxable income or loss is reportable on the tax return of its member.

#### NOTE 2. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consisted of the following at June 30, 2003:

Furniture and fixtures	\$	13,000
Leasehold improvements		34,996
Office equipment		36,535
		84,531
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(	9,051)
·	\$	75,480

#### NOTE 3. NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

As a registered broker-dealer, the Company is subject to the Uniform Net Capital Rule of the Securities and Exchange Commission, which requires that "Net Capital", as defined, shall be at least the greater of \$100,000 or one-fifteenth (one-eighth during the first twelve months of operations) of "Aggregate Indebtedness", as defined. At June 30, 2003, the Company's "Net Capital" was \$963,116, which exceeded the requirements by \$863,116, and the ratio of "Aggregate Indebtedness" to "Net Capital" was 0.33 to 1.

#### NOTE 4. RISK CONCENTRATIONS

#### Clearing and Depository Concentrations

The clearing and depository operations for the Company's securities transactions are provided by Bear Stearns Securities Corp., whose principal office is in New York City. At June 30, 2003, the receivable from broker included in the accompanying statement of financial condition, is due from this broker.

#### NOTE 5. LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Company is obligated under non-cancelable operating leases for office facilities and equipment. The Company has secured the office lease with a stand-by letter of credit for \$40,000. Although the Company is obligated for these non-cancelable leases, a related party incurred these expenses commencing June 2003. Approximate future minimum payments under the non-cancelable operating leases and service contracts for the twelve-month periods subsequent to June 30, 2003 are as follows:

2004	\$ 173.	,000
2005	•	,000
2006	185	,000
2007	190,	,000
2008	196	,000
Thereafter	52.	,000
	\$ 976.	,000

#### NOTE 6. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company receives management and administrative services, including the use of the Company's office facility and equipment, from an entity affiliated by virtue of common ownership. In this regard, the affiliate incurs significant operating expenses and provides facilities for the Company in consideration of a management fee. At June 30, 2003 the Company owed the management company \$51,560.

#### NOTE 7. SUBORDINATED LIABILITIES

As part of the Company's capitalization, subordinated note agreements were executed with approval from the NASD. Effective March 13, 2003, all subordinated notes were converted to equity with the approval of the NASD. The subordinated note holders waived interest on all subordinated notes.