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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

ME OF BROKER-DEALER: ARCHIPELAGO TRADING SERVICES,	INC.	AND ENDING ENTIFICATION	MM/DD/YY OFFICIAL USE ONLY	
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	ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.) 220 EAST CENTAL PARKWAY			
ALTAMONTE SPRINGS	(No. and Street)		32701	
(City)	(State)		(Zip Code)	
ME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSO PAT MURPHY			312 442 7005 rea Code - Telephone No.)	
B. ACC	OUNTANT ID	ENTIFICATION		
DEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose Ernst & Young LLP	opinion is conta	ined in this Report*		
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*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See section 240.17a-5(e)(2).

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

1.	PAT MURPHY		, swear (or affirm) that, to th	ne
best	•	the accompanying financial st	tatements and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of	
	JUNE 30	_, 20_ 03 , are true and	correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the compar	
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**For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION Archipelago Trading Services, Inc. (formerly Globenet Securities, Inc.)

Year ended June 30, 2003 with Report of Independent Auditors

Statement of Financial Condition

June 30, 2003

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Report of Independent Auditors

To the Stockholder of Archipelago Trading Services, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Archipelago Trading Services, Inc. (the "Company") as of June 30, 2003. This statement of financial condition is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this statement of financial condition based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. 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 Archipelago Trading Services, Inc. at June 30, 2003 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States.

August 28, 2003

Ernet + Young LLP

Statement of Financial Condition

June 30, 2003

Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 109,530
Receivables from brokers, dealers, and customers (net of allowance for	
doubtful accounts of \$40,939)	187,229
Other assets	21,184
Total assets	\$ 317,943
Liabilities and Stockholder's equity	
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable, accrued expenses, and other liabilities	\$ 55,208
Stockholder's Equity	
Common Stock, \$1 par value, 7,500 shares authorized, 5,000 shares	
issued and outstanding	5,000
Additional paid-in capital	851,848
Accumulated deficit	(594,113)
	262,735
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	\$ 317,943

See accompanying notes.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

June 30, 2003

1. Organization

Archipelago Trading Servies, Inc. ("the Company"), formerly Globenet Securities, Inc. ("GSI"), a Florida corporation, is a registered broker-dealer with the National Association of Securities Dealers ("NASD"). The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Arca-GNC Acquisition, LLC ("the Parent"), a Delaware limited liability company. The Parent is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Archipelago Holdings, Inc. ("Arca Holdings"). Pursuant to the Asset Purchase Agreement dated August 20, 2002, Arca Holdings acquired the net assets of the Parent, including the Company as wholly-owned subsidiary. The purchase was completed on October 18, 2002. Effective May 12, 2003, the Company changed its name to Archipelago Trading Securities, Inc. The Company's primary business activities includes the operation of an Alternative Trading System ("ATS") designed particularly to facilitate trading of small-cap securities typically traded on the Over-the-Counter Bulletin Board market.

The Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, and, accordingly, is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

In February 2003, the Company entered into a fully-disclosed clearing agreement with an affiliated broker-dealer (the "Clearing Broker") replacing the former, non-affiliated clearing firm. The Company has agreed to indemnify its clearing broker for certain losses sustained in executing transactions on behalf of the Company's customers in accordance with the clearing agreement.

The Parent employs corporate, marketing, and information technologies staffs to support the Company. Under a contract, required by the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD), with the Company, the Parent provides operational and support services. The contract is the Parent Subsidiary Expense Agreement, whereby the Parent shall provide all material hardware, software and personnel necessary to facilitate the operation of the ATS and to provide certain other corporate and business services. The agreement was effective October 18, 2002 and provides for the Company's expenses and liquidity needs to be met by the Parent without expectation of repayment. Customary and reasonable direct expenses attributable to the Company are recorded as expenses on the Company's financial statements with an offsetting credit to additional paid in capital. The Parent retains ownership and control of all such employed hardware, software and personnel and the Company is dependent on the Parent providing the services in order for the Company to carry out its operations.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the statement of financial condition and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on deposit at banks and money market funds.

Receivables from Brokers, Dealers and Customers

Receivables consist of accrued commissions from related and non-related subscribers and non-subscribers for transactions executed through the Company's ATS. Management evaluates the collectibility of its commission receivables based on a number of factors. In circumstances where the Company becomes aware of a specific customer's inability to meet its financial obligations to the Company, a specific provision for doubtful account is estimated and recorded which reduces the recognized receivable to the estimated amount that management believes will ultimately be collected.

Estimated Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 107, "Disclosure about Fair Value of Financial Instruments," requires the disclosure of the fair value of financial instruments, including assets and liabilities recognized in the statement of financial condition. Management estimates that the net fair value of financial instruments recognized in the statement of financial condition (including cash and cash equivalents, receivables, payables and accrued expenses) approximates their carrying value.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Income Taxes

Certain income and expense items are accounted for in different periods for income tax purposes than for financial statement purposes. Provisions for deferred taxes are made in recognition of these timing differences in accordance with the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109 ("FAS 109"), "Accounting for Income Taxes." The Company accounts for income taxes using an asset and liability approach that requires the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities for the expected future tax consequences of events that have been recognized in the Company's financial statements or tax returns.

The Company is wholly owned by Parent, which is a disregarded entity for federal income tax purposes. Parent is in turn owned by Arca Holdings, which is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes.

3. Related Party Transactions

Beginning February 2003, the Company clears its transactions through an affiliated clearing broker.

Certain principal owners of the Parent ("Members of Parent") and affiliates execute transactions through the Company's ATS and were charged a commission by the Company for such activities.

As of June 30, 2003, receivables from Members of Parent and affiliates, included in receivables from brokers, dealers, and customers, consisted of accrued commissions from subscribers of \$59,142.

In the opinion of management, related party transactions were made at prevailing rates, terms and conditions and do not involve more than the normal risk of collectibility or present other unfavorable features.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

4. Credit Risk

In the normal course of business, the Company's activities involve the execution of securities transactions for institutional customers and other broker-dealers, which are cleared and settled by an affiliated broker-dealer. Pursuant to the clearing agreement, the Company is required to reimburse the affiliated broker-dealer for any losses incurred due to a counterparty's failure to satisfy its contractual obligations. Therefore, the Company is exposed to risk of loss in the event of the customer's or broker's inability to meet the terms of their contracts. Should the customer or broker fail to perform, the Company may be required to complete the transaction at prevailing market prices. Customer trades pending at June 30, 2003 were settled without an adverse effect on the Company's statement of financial condition taken as a whole.

Cash balances are maintained at major United States financial institutions at June 30, 2003.

The Company's exposure to credit risk can be directly impacted by volatile securities markets that may impair the ability of counterparties to satisfy their contractual obligations. The Company seeks to control its credit risk through a variety of reporting and control procedures and by applying uniform credit standards maintained for all activities with credit risk.

5. Regulatory Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1 (the rule also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1). Under Rule 15c3-1, the Company is required to maintain minimum net capital equal to the greater of \$5,000 or 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness.

As of June 30, 2003, the Company had net capital of \$107,820, which was \$102,820 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The ratio of the Company's aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 0.51 to 1.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

6. Stock Option Plan

Employees of the Company are covered under the Parents' Stock Option Plan that provides for the granting of stock options. Employees and directors are granted options to purchase shares of the Parent at a price equal to the fair value of the shares at the date of grant.

Such options are granted for a period of up to ten years and typically vest over a five year period. The Parent has elected to follow APB No.25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees," and related interpretations in accounting for its employee stock options.