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| NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Aethlon C                | apital, LLC  |                   | OFFICIAL USE ONLY  |
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|   | (No. and Street)   |                   |  |
| Minneapolis<br>(City)                           | (State)  |                   | 5402   |
| AME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PE<br>Sima Griffith | RSON TO CONTACT IN R   | 61:               | RT<br><b>2-677-1339</b><br>.rea Code – Telephone Number  |
| B. ACC  | OUNTANT IDENTIFI   |                   |  |
| NDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT w                  | hose opinion is contained in                                   | this Report*      |  |
| Virchow, Krause & Company, LLP                  | nose opinion is contained in                                   | uns report        |  |
|   | (Name – if individual, state last, fi                          | rst, middle name) |  |
| 7900 Xerxes Avenue South, Suite 24              | 400 Minneapolis  | MN                | 55431  |
| (Address)                                       | (City)   | (State)           | (Zip Code)   |
| CHECK ONE:                                      |  |                   |  |
| Certified Public Accountant                     |  |                   |  |
| Public Accountant                               |  |                   |  |
| Accountant not resident in Unit                 | ed States or any of its posse                                  | ssions.           |  |
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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)

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### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, <u>Sima Griffith</u>, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of <u>Aethlon Capital, LLC</u>, as of <u>December 31</u>, 2004, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that

neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

JEANNIE MARIE MAIER Notary Public Minnesota ommission Expires January 31,

Notary Public

This report **\*\*** contains (check all applicable boxes):

- (a) Facing Page.
- (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- □ (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.
- (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
- □ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- □ (g) Computation of Net Capital.
- (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
- □ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
- (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- $\Box$  (1) An Oath or Affirmation.
- $\square$  (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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### STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION December 31, 2004 and 2003

| ASSETS                                |           | 2004    |           | 2002       |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|------------|--|--|
|                                       |           | 2004    |           | 2003       |  |  |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS             | \$        | 73,147  | \$        | 19,203     |  |  |
| COMMISSIONS RECEIVABLE                |           | 24,445  |           | 26,314     |  |  |
| PREPAID EXPENSES                      |           | 3,655   |           | 3,795      |  |  |
| PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET           |           | 10,166  |           | <u>-</u> . |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS                          | <u>\$</u> | 111,413 | <u>\$</u> | 49,312     |  |  |
| LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY       |           |         |           |            |  |  |
| LIABILITIES<br>Accrued expenses       | \$        | 19,159  | \$        | 6,463      |  |  |
| MEMBER'S EQUITY                       |           | 92,254  |           | 42,849     |  |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY | <u>\$</u> | 111,413 | <u>\$</u> | 49,312     |  |  |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2004 and 2003

### **NOTE 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

### Nature of Business

Aethlon Capital, LLC (the Company) was formed in October 1996 as a limited liability company under Chapter 322B of the Minnesota statutes. The Company will continue until October 30, 2026 unless terminated prior to that time.

The Company is a licensed securities broker-dealer and specializes in providing investment banking services for public and private emerging growth companies. Services provided include private placement of equity or debt, general corporate finance advisory services and investor relations.

The Company is a member of the Securities Investors Protection Corporation (SIPC) and the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD).

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company maintains its cash in high quality financial institutions and money market mutual funds. The balances, at times, may exceed federally insured limits.

### **Commissions Receivable**

Commissions receivable are unsecured and do not accrue interest. No allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary at December 31, 2004 and 2003.

#### Equipment and Furniture

Equipment and furniture are being depreciated using straight-line and accelerated methods over estimated useful lives of 5 to 7 years.

#### Revenues

The Company's revenues during 2004 and 2003 were derived from private placement and consulting fees. Revenue is recognized at the time of the placement's closing.

#### Management's Use of Estimates

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 financial statements and revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2004 and 2003

### NOTE 2 - Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital 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. Net capital and the related net capital ratio fluctuate on a daily basis. At December 31, 2004 and 2003, the Company had net capital of \$53,988 and \$12,740 which was \$48,988 and \$7,740 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's net capital ratio was .35 to 1 and .51 to 1 at December 31, 2004 and 2003.

No material differences exist between the net capital calculated above and the net capital computed and reported in the Company's December 31, 2004 amended FOCUS filing. Per Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule, the Company is exempt under the (k)(2)(i) exemption.

### NOTE 3 - Equipment and Furniture

|                               | 2004             | 2003      |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Equipment and Furniture       | \$ 32,453        | \$ 21,821 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation | (22,287)         | (21,821)  |
|                               | <u>\$ 10,166</u> | <u>\$</u> |

Depreciation expense was \$466 and \$1,413 for the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003.

#### **NOTE 4 - Income Taxes**

The Company is a limited liability company for income tax purposes. Accordingly, these financial statements do not include any provision for income taxes since the income and expenses are reported on the individual income tax returns of the sole member and the applicable income taxes, if any, are paid by the member.

### **NOTE 5 - Leases**

The Company entered into a noncancelable operating lease for office space. The lease expires May 2005 and requires monthly base rents of \$2,948 in addition to the Company's prorata share of the building's property taxes and operating expenses. The Company also leases a vehicle under a lease that expires December 2006. Monthly rent is \$627. Total rent expense, including operating expenses, was approximately \$45,200 and \$54,600 for the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003.

Future minimum rental commitments are as follows for the years ending December 31:

| 2005 | \$ | 22,267 |
|------|----|--------|
| 2006 |    | 6,900  |
|      | \$ | 29,167 |

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2004 and 2003

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### NOTE 6 - Employee Benefit Plan

The Company adopted a simplified employee pension plan in 1999. Contributions to the plan by the Company are discretionary. Employer contributions for were \$- and \$12,000 for the years ended December 31, 2004 and 2003.

### NOTE 7 - Significant Customers

Three customers accounted for 85% of total revenues for the year ended December 31, 2004. The same three customers accounted for 86% of total revenues for the year ended December 31, 2003.

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