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# A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

# **U S SECURITIES INTERNATIONAL CORP.**

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

| 120 Broadway,    | Suite 1017, | New York, | NY | 10271 |  |            |  |
|------------------|-------------|-----------|----|-------|--|------------|--|
| (No. and Street) |             |           |    |       |  |            |  |
| (City)           |             | (State)   |    |       |  | (Zip Code) |  |

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT William Coppa 212/227-0800

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

# **B.ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*

Hagan & Burns CPA's PC

(Name - if individual, state last. first. middle name)

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#### **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

William Coppa , swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial I,\_\_\_\_ statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of <u>US Securities Corp.</u> September 30, 2009 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, as of proprietor, principal officer, or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

PATRICEA A. NELSON Notary Public, State of New York No. 24-4788557 Qualified in Kings County Commission Expl. on Sept. 30, 12

Signature

THENSURON Title

Notary Public

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

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☑ (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.
- (i) 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.
- (I) An Oath or Affirmation.
- $\square$  (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- $\Box$  (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 240.17 a-5(e)(3).

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## **U.S. SECURITIES INTERNATIONAL CORP.**

Statement of Financial Condition For the Year Ended September 30, 2009

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors U.S. Securities International Corp.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of U.S. Securities International Corp. as of September 30, 2009. 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 the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of U.S. Securities International Corp. as of September 30, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Hagan & Burns CPA's PC

Hagan & Burns CPA's P.C.

New York, New York November 17, 2009

#### U.S. SECURITIES INTERNATIONAL CORP. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

#### Assets

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| Cash and cash equivalents<br>Receivable from clearing broker<br>Investment in securities<br>Exchange membership, at cost (market value \$2,800,000)  | \$<br>169,575<br>19,548<br>31,575<br>1<br>117,118 |
|--|---|
| Advances to employees  | <br>117,110                                       |
| Total Assets   | \$<br>337,817                                     |
|  |   |
| Liabilities And Stockholders' Equity   |   |
| Liabilities  |   |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities   | \$<br>20,000                                      |
| Total Liabilities  | <br>20,000  |
| Commitments And Contingent Liabilities   |   |
| Stockholders' Equity<br>Common stock, \$0.01 par value<br>Nonvoting, authorized, 10,000 shares; issued and outstanding 86 shares<br>Voting, authorized 10,000 shares; issued and outstanding 6 shares<br>Retained earnings | 86<br>6<br>305,050                                |
| Accumulated other comprehensive gain   | <br>12,675  |
| Total Stockholders' Equity   | <br>317,817                                       |
| Total Liabilities And Stockholders' Equity   | \$<br>337,817                                     |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



#### **NOTE 1--Business And Summary Of Significant Accounting Policies**

U.S. Securities International Corp. (the "Company") was purchased from Fidelity Management and Research Co. in 1974 by the operating personnel who have owned and operated the Company since that date. The Company is a registered broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the NASD and is a member of the Chicago Board Options Exchange (CBOE).

The Company clears transactions on a fully disclosed basis and does not carry customer accounts and is exempt from Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 under paragraph k (2)(ii).

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Company:

#### **Accounting Method**

Assets, liabilities, income and expenses are recorded on the accrual basis of accounting.

#### Revenue Recognition

The Company records all securities transactions, including commission revenue and related expenses, on a settlement-date basis. There is no material difference between settlement date and trade date.

#### **Use of Estimates**

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 reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash equivalents include short-term highly liquid investments, such as short-term deposits.

#### Assets and liabilities measured at fair value

The Company has adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements" ("SFAS No. 157"). SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS No. 157 applies to reported balances that are required or permitted to be measured at fair value under existing accounting pronouncements; accordingly, the standard does not require any new fair value measurements of reported balances.

#### Assets and liabilities measured at fair value (cont.)

SFAS No. 157 emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity specific measurement. Therefore, a fair value measurement should be determined based on the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. As a basis for considering market participant assumptions in fair value measurements, SFAS No. 157 establishes a fair value hierarchy that distinguishes between market participant assumptions based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity (observable inputs that are classified within Levels 1 and 2 of the hierarchy) and the reporting entity's own assumptions about market participant assumptions (unobservable inputs classified within Level 3 of the hierarchy).

Level 1 inputs utilize quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company has the ability to access. Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 2 inputs may include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, as well as inputs that are observable for the asset or liability (other than quoted prices), such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals. Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability which are typically based on an entity's own assumptions, as there is little, if any, related market activity. In instances where the determination of the fair value measurement is based on inputs from different levels of the fair value hierarchy, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the entire fair value measurement falls is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. The Company's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment, and considers factors specific to the asset liability.

#### **NOTE 2—Prior Period Adjustment**

It was determined that prior years' unrealized gains on investment in securities needed to be reclassified from retained earnings to accumulated other comprehensive income in the equity section of the statement of financial condition to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. This effect decreased retained earnings as of September 30, 2008 by \$26,955 which represents the accumulated unrealized gain previously booked to income since the receipt of these securities in 2002.

#### NOTE 3—Receivable From Clearing Broker

The Company's clearing operations are provided by a nationally recognized clearing broker. At September 30, 2009 the amount receivable from clearing broker reflected in the Statement of Financial Condition is due from this clearing broker in connection with such services.

The same clearing broker acts as custodian for money market mutual fund shares valued at \$109,270.



#### **NOTE 4 – Investment in Securities**

Investments are classified as available for sale in accordance with the FASB Accounting Standards Codification. Accordingly, the investments are carried at fair value with unrealized gains and losses reported separately in other comprehensive income in the stockholders' equity section of the statement of financial condition.

At September 30, 2009, marketable securities consist of:

| Marketable securities, at cost<br>Net unrealized gain | \$ 18,900<br><u>12,675</u> |
|---|----------------------------|
| Fair value  | <u>\$ 31,575</u>           |

The valuation of such stock is based on quoted prices (unadjusted) and as a result the investments are classified within Level 1 of the fair-value hierarchy.

#### **NOTE 5— Net Capital Requirements**

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") Net Capital Rule, 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 12 to 1.

As of September 30, 2009, the Company had net capital of \$192,050 which was \$187,050 in excess of the minimum net capital of \$5,000. The ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .10 to 1.

The Company clears all transactions with and for customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker. Accordingly, the Company is exempt from the requirements of SEC Rule 15c3-3. Under its clearing agreement, the Company could ultimately be held liable for the non-performance of its customers.

#### **NOTE 6-- Commitments And Contingent Liabilities**

#### Lease

By agreement of the lease dated as of September 30, 2003 (the original lease), the term of the original lease was extended for a period of 5 years commencing on December 1, 2008 and expiring on November 30, 2013.

#### NOTE 6-- Commitments And Contingent Liabilities (cont.)

The lease requires monthly payments of \$6,128 per month throughout the lease. The lease is subject to escalation based on taxes and other costs. At September 30, 2009 the future minimum payment were as follows:

| Year Ended                  |           |                |
|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| 2009                        | \$        | 18,383         |
| 2010                        | •         | 73,530         |
| 2011                        |           | 73,530         |
| 2012                        |           | 73,530         |
| 2013 and thereafter         |           | 85,785         |
| Total minimum lease payment | <u>\$</u> | <u>324,758</u> |

Rent expense for the year ended September 30, 2009 under this lease, amounted to \$75,676. The difference between the actual rent expense incurred by the Company and the minimum annual rental payments as reported in the prior year's financial statements is due to real estate and porter wage escalation charges.

## NOTE 7 – Related party transactions

- At September 30, 2009, the Company advanced funds \$117,118 to employees of which \$115,290 was to an executive officer and shareholder of the Company. These advances do not bear interest.
- b. The Company rents property on a monthly basis from a firm owned by an executive officer and shareholder of the Company. For the year ended September 30, 2009, such rental payments aggregated \$18,000 and are included in other expenses.

#### **NOTE 8--Income Taxes**

The provision for income taxes consists of the following:

|                           | 2009                           |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Federal<br>New York State | \$    1,638<br>427             |
| New York City             | <u>2,338</u><br><u>\$4,403</u> |

The Company files its tax returns on a June 30 fiscal year.

For the year ending June 30, 2009, the Company incurred corporate taxes of \$4,403 which was based on income earned during the tax filing fiscal year. There are no recording of deferred taxes as they are not material.



## NOTE 9--Pension Plan

The Company has a qualified, self-directed, defined contribution pension plan covering all eligible employees. For the year ended September 30, 2009, the Company has contributed \$49,965 to the plan, an amount equal to 25% of each participant's compensation for the period October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2009.

## NOTE 10 -- Leasing Income

The Company has an agreement to lease its seat on the Chicago Board Options Exchange. The lease is cancelable at six-month intervals. Lease payments are based on the average fair market value of the seat multiplied by a monthly interest factor. For the year ended September 30, 2009, the Company collected rentals in the amount of \$120,742.

#### NOTE 11--Off Balance Risk

Pursuant to a clearing agreement, the Company introduces all its securities transactions to its clearing broker on a fully disclosed basis. All of the customers' money balance and long and short security positions are carried on the books of the clearing broker. In accordance with the clearance agreement, the Company has agreed to indemnify the clearing broker for losses, if any, which the clearing broker may sustain from carrying transactions introduced by the Company and must maintain, at all times, net capital of not less than \$5,000. In accordance with industry practice and regulatory requirements, the Company and the clearing broker monitor collateral on the customers' accounts.

In normal course of business, the Company's customer activities involve the execution, settlement and financing of various customer securities transactions. These activities may expose the Company to offbalance-sheet risk in the event the customer or other broker is unable to fulfill its contracted obligations and the Company has to purchase or sell the financial instrument underlying the contract at a loss.

## NOTE 12 -- Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company maintains its cash in financial institutions, which at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not subject to any significant credit risk on cash.

