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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING	January 1, 2009	AND ENDING	December 31, 2009
A.	REGISTRANT IDE	NTIFICATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Independent Brokers, LLC (A Limited Liability Company)		OFFICIAL USE ONLY	
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)		FIRM ID NO.	
55 Broad Street	(No. and Street)		
New York (City)		NY (State)	(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERS	SON TO CONTACT IN I	REGARD TO THIS REPO	₹Т
Jay Lipner, CPA		· /a	516-487-4070
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT Lipner, Sofferman & Co., LLP	whose opinion is cont	ained in this report*	
(Na	ım <b>e</b> — if individual, state, last, fi	st, middle name)	
185 Great Neck Road	Great Neck	NY	11021
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
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Certified Public Accountant Public Accountant Accountant not resident in United S	states or any of its poss	essions.	
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be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See section 240.17a-5(e)(2).

# INDEPENDENT BROKERS, LLC

(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2009



# LIPNER, SOFFERMAN & CO., LLP CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Independent Brokers, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) 55 Broad Street New York, NY 10004

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Independent Brokers, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) as of December 31, 2009, and the related statements of income, member's equity, cash flows, and the statement of 15c3-1 net capital computation for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements 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 financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the individual, 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 statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Independent Brokers, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) at December 31, 2009, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Lipner, Soffema + Co., Cep

Great Neck, NY February 20, 2010

#### **INDEPENDENT BROKERS, LLC**

#### (A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

### **DECEMBER 31, 2009**

#### **ASSETS**

Current assets:	
Cash - checking	\$ 729,977
- money market	148,621
	<u>878,598</u>
Commissions receivable	3,285,985
Error account	7,501
Deposit account	50,000
Prepaid expenses	<u>21,370</u>
	3,364,856
Total current assets	4,243,454
Property and equipment	207,138
Less: accumulated depreciation	(104,561)
	102,577
Security deposits	10,223
Total assets	<u>\$4,356,254</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S	EQUITY
Current liabilities:	
Accrued expenses and taxes	\$ 85,584
Commissions payable	_3,195,933
Total current liabilities	3,281,517
Member's equity	<u> 1,074,737</u>
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$4,356,254

See accountants' report and notes to financial statements.

