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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2009 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2009 A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: OFFICIAL USE ONLY BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC FIRM ID. NO. ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P. O. Box No.) 40 WALL STREET - 45TH FLOOR **NEW YORK NEW YORK** 10005 (City) (State) (Zip Code) NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT **GARY GETTENBERG** (212) 668 - 8700 (Area Code - Telephone No.) **B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION** INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report* LERNER & SIPKIN, CPAs, LLP 132 Nassau Street, Suite 1023 New York NY 10038 X Certified Public Accountant FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, WILLIAM P. MULLIGAN, Jr., swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC, as of DECEMBER 31, 2009, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, member, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

NONE

Signatur

Title

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Notary Public

Lisa Carbonara
Notary Public State of New York
No #01CA6010513
Qualified in Kings County
Commission Expires July 20

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

- (x) (a) Facing page.
- (x) (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- (x) (c) Statement of Operations.
- (x) (d) Statement of Cash Flows.
- (x) (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital.
- (x) (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- (x) (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.
- (x) (1) An Oath or Affirmation.
- (x) (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.
- (x) (o) Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Accounting Control.
- ** For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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DATE:	DECEMBER 31, 2009
FINRA – NEW YORK STOCK EX 20 BROAD STREET - 21st Floor NEW YORK, N.Y. 10005	CHANGE, INC.
Att: Member Firms Department	
Gentlemen:	
the prescribed financial report ba	ecordance with the prescribed regulations and have arranged for sed upon such audit.
the prescribed financial report bath we hereby certify that, to the be report prepared as of DECEMBI	sed upon such audit. Dest of our knowledge and belief, the accompanying financia ER 31, 2009 represents a true and correct financial statement of out will promptly be made available to those members and allies

I, WILLIAM P. MULLIGAN, Jr., swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the accompanying financial statements and supporting schedule(s) pertaining to the Firm of BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC, as of DECEMBER 31, 2009, are true and correct. I further swear that neither the Company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer, director or member has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of customer, except as follows:

No Exceptions

(Signature)

(Title)

(Notary Public)

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BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2009

ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 972,529
Due from broker	855,201
Commissions receivable	
Fixed assets - net of accumulated depreciation of \$150,722(Note 2(d))	851,156
Other assets	196,495
Due from parent company	159,576
Total assets	89,245
	\$ 3,124,202
LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL	
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 928,616
Total liabilities	928,616
	720,010
Commitments and Contingencies (Notes 3 and 5)	
Capital (Note 6)	2,195,586
Total liabilities and capital	\$ -2 124 202
	\$ 3,124,202

BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2009

Note 1- Nature of Business

Bay Crest Partners, LLC (The "Company") is a broker/dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Bay Crest Partners, LLC, a limited liability company, is a New York State company formed in 1993 for the purpose of conducting business as a broker on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange.

Amerivest Partners, LLC, a limited liability company ("Amerivest"), is a New York State company formed in 1999 for the purpose of conducting business as a broker on the floor of the NYSCAMEX.

Freedom Holding Group LLC, a limited liability company ("The Parent") is a New York State company formed in 2008 as the 100% owner of the Company and Amerivest.

The Company operates under the provisions of Paragraph (k) (2) (ii) of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission and, accordingly, is exempt from the remaining provisions of that rule. Essentially, the requirements of Paragraph (k) (2) (ii) provide that the Company clears all transactions on behalf of customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker/dealer, and promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker/dealer. The clearing broker/dealer carries all of the accounts of the customers and maintains and preserves all related books and records as are customarily kept by a clearing broker/dealer.

Note 2- Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a) Revenue Recognition

Securities transactions (and the recognition of related income and expenses) are recorded on a trade date basis. Commission income and related expense are recorded on a settlement date basis.

b) Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers money market funds maintained with banks and brokers to be cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains cash in bank accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits or where no insurance is provided. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and does not believe it is exposed to any significant credit risk on cash and cash equivalents.

c) Income Taxes

Income taxes are not payable by, or provided for, the Company. Members are taxed individually on their share of Company earnings for federal and state income tax purposes. The accompanying financial statements have been adjusted to provide for unincorporated business tax based upon Company income, if applicable.

BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2009

Note 2- Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

d) Depreciation and Amortization

Depreciation of furniture and fixtures is computed on the straight-line method using estimated useful lives of four to seven years. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lesser of the economic useful life of the improvement or the term of the lease.

e) Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses.

f) Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated events and transactions that occurred between December 31, 2009 and February 19, 2010, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements.

Note 3- Commitments and Contingencies

A lease, expiring February 28, 2019, for the premises occupied by the Company, has been executed by the Parent. The Company pays substantially all of such costs. At December 31, 2009, the minimum rental commitments, before escalations, under this lease is as follows:

2010	\$487,850
2011	\$487,850
2012	\$502,633
2013	\$505,590
2014	\$505,590
Remainder	\$1,654,255

Line of Credit

The Company has established a revolving line of credit totaling \$500,000. Interest is calculated at prime plus ½%, and the lines of credit are collateralized by all of the assets of the Company. As of December 31, 2009, none of these amounts have been drawn upon by the Company.

Note 4- Profit Sharing Plan

The Company maintains a defined contribution plan covering substantially all employees. The Company contributes annually at the discretion of management. The Company's maximum contribution is 5% of the eligible compensation. For the year ended December 31, 2009, the Company's liability to the plan was \$-0-.

BAY CREST PARTNERS, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2009

Note 5- Financial Instruments with Off-Balance Sheet Credit Risk

As a securities broker, the Company is engaged in buying and selling securities for a diverse group of institutional and individual investors. The Company introduces these transactions for clearance to another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.

The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with non-performance of customers in fulfilling their contractual obligations pursuant to securities transactions can be directly impacted by volatile trading markets which may impair the customer' ability to satisfy their obligations to the Company and the Company's ability to liquidate the collateral at an amount equal to the original contracted amount. The agreement between the Company and its clearing broker provides that the Company is obligated to assume any exposure related to such non-performance by its customers.

The Company seeks to control the aforementioned risks by requiring customers to maintain margin collateral in compliance with various regulatory requirements and the clearing broker's internal guidelines. The Company monitors its customer activity by reviewing information it receives from its clearing broker on a daily basis, and requiring customers to deposit additional collateral, or reduce positions, when necessary

Note 6- Net Capital Requirement

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (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 1500%. At December 31, 2009, the Company had net capital of \$1,541,947, which was \$1,480,039 in excess of its required net capital of \$61,908. The Company's net capital ratio was 60.22%. The Company's minimum net capital requirement pursuant to CFTC Regulation 1.17 is also \$61,908.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of Bay Crest Partners, LLC 40 Wall Street – 45th Floor New York, N.Y. 10005

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of **Bay Crest Partners**, **LLC** as of **December 31, 2009**. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the statement of financial condition 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 **Bay Crest Partners**, **LLC** as of **December 31**, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Lerner & Sipkin, CPAs, LLP Certified Public Accountants (NY)

New York, NY February 19, 2010