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| NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER (| OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REC | GARD TO THIS REPO | ORT | | |
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| В. А | ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICA | TION | | | |
| INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTA | NT whose opinion is contained in th | nis Report* | | | |
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| Accountant not resident in | n United States or any of its possessi | ions Sec | ocessing ction | | |
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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

| Phillip D. Huber | , swear (or affirm) that, to the best of |
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| my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statem | tent and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of |
| C. F. Hutchison & Company d/h/a The | Hutchison Company , as |
| 20 Parambar 21 | are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that |
| of December 31 ,20 | Gran or director has any proprietary interest in any account |
| neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal of | officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account |
| classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows: | |
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| 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 P | orthors' or Sala Proprietors' Capital |
| | o Claims of Creditors |
| ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to ☑ (g) Computation of Net Capital. | Claims of Groundis. |
| (g) Computation of Not Ediplication (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Require | ements 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 Rec | nuirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3. |
| | d Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of |
| consolidation. | |
| (1) An Oath or Affirmation. | |
| (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. |
| (ii) A report describing any material madequacies found | |
| **For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portion | ons of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3). |

* Not required - less than \$500,000 in revenues

Financial Statements and Internal Control Report

December 31, 2009

(With Independent Auditors' Report Thereon)

The Hutchison Company

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Director

C.E. Hutchison & Company (d/b/a The Hutchison Company):

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of The Hutchison Company (the "Company") as of December 31, 2009, and the related statements of operations, stockholder's equity and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities 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 consideration of the internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, 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 statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Hutchison Company as of 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 contained on pages 9 through 11 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 Exchange Act of 1934. 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.

Batchelor, Tillery & Roberts, LLP

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2009

Assets

| Cash | \$ 29,326 |
|---|--|
| Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity Current liabilities - accounts payable | \$ 430 |
| Stockholder's equity: | |
| Preferred stock, 2,000,000 shares authorized, no shares issued or outstanding | _ |
| Common stock, no par value, 20,000,000 shares authorized, and 50,000 shares issued and outstanding Additional paid-in capital Accumulated deficit Total stockholder's equity | 50,000 55,000 (76,104) 28,896 |
| Total liabilities and stockholder's equity | \$ 29,326 |

Statement of Operations

Year ended December 31, 2009

| Revenues - investment consulting fees | \$300 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Expenses: | |
| Insurance | 16,861 |
| Professional fees | 13,057 |
| Licenses, permits and fees | 10,672 |
| Occupancy | 5,244 |
| Communications | 4,020 |
| Dues and subscriptions | 2,299 |
| Office supplies | 1,719 |
| Other operating expenses | 2,040 |
| | 55,912 |
| Net loss | \$ (55,612) |

Statement of Stockholder's Equity

Year ended December 31, 2009

| | Comr | non | Stock | | Additional paid-in | 1 | Accumulated | | Total stockholder's |
|--|--------|-----|--------------|----|--------------------|----|-------------|----|---------------------|
| | Shares | | Amount | - | capital | | deficit | | equity |
| D.L | 50,000 | ¢ | 50,000 | ¢ | | ¢ | (20, 402) | ¢ | 20.500 |
| Balance as of December 31, 2008 Capital contribution | 50,000 | \$ | 50,000 - | Þ | 55,000 | \$ | (20,492) | \$ | 29,508 55,000 |
| Net loss | _ | | - | | | | _(55,612) | | (55,612) |
| Balance as of December 31, 2009 | 50,000 | \$ | 50,000 | \$ | 55,000 | \$ | (76,104) | \$ | 28,896 |

Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2009

| Cash flows from operating activities: | | |
|---|------|----------|
| Net loss | \$ | (55,612) |
| Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash | | |
| used in operating activates: | | |
| Change in operating assets and liabilities- | | |
| accounts payable | _ | 515 |
| Net cash used in operating activities | | (55,097) |
| Cash flows from financing activities- | | |
| capital contribution | - | 55,000 |
| Net decrease in cash | | (97) |
| Cash, beginning of year | - | 29,423 |
| Cash, end of year | \$. | 29,326 |

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2009

(1) Organization

C.E. Hutchison & Company (d/b/a The Hutchison Company) (the "Company") was formed in the state of North Carolina on August 13, 2008. The Company is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a broker-dealer and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) formerly the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD). The FINRA requires a minimum capitalization of \$5,000.

The Company does not maintain customers' security accounts nor does it perform custodial functions related to customer securities. The Company's revenues are derived from investment advisory fees related to private placement of securities and merger and acquisition advisory services.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all investments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents. As of December 31, 2009, there were no cash equivalents.

Revenue Recognition

Investment advisory fees are recognized as earned.

Income Taxes

The Company has elected to be treated as an S-Corporation for income tax purposes. Therefore, the Company's income and expenses are included in the individual income tax returns of the Company's stockholder. Accordingly, the financial statements do not reflect a provision for income taxes.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially expose the Company to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash in a checking account which is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000 at one financial institution. As of December 31, 2009, no deposits exceeded the FDIC Insurance limit.

Notes to Financial Statements, Continued

December 31, 2009

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, Continued

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 the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

(3) Leases

The Company leases its facilities from an unaffiliated entity. The lease is classified as an operating lease and provided for minimum annual rentals of \$5,244 commencing December 15, 2008. During 2009, the Company paid \$5,244 in rent expense.

Minimum future rental payments for this operating lease as of December 31, 2009 are as follows:

| Year ending | |
|--------------|--------------|
| December 31, | |
| 2010 | \$ 5,400 |
| 2011 | 5,568 |
| | \$ 10,968 |

(4) Net Capital 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 a maximum ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital. As of December 31, 2009, the Company had net capital of \$28,896 which was \$23,896 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .01 to 1, which was below the maximum requirement.

The Company qualifies under the exemption provisions of Rule 15c3-3, paragraph (k)(2)(i), as the Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities. Under this exemption, the Company is not required to maintain a reserve account for the benefit of customers.

Notes to Financial Statements, Continued

December 31, 2009

(5) Subsequent Events

The date to which events occurring after December 31, 2009, the date of the most recent statement of financial condition, have been evaluated for possible adjustment to the financial statements or disclosure is February 22, 2010, which is the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.

Computation of Net Capital and Aggregate Indebtedness Under Rule 15c3-1 of Securities and Exchange Commission

December 31, 2009

| | 2009 |
|--|--------------|
| Net Capital: Stockholder's equity | \$ 28,896 |
| Aggregate Indebtedness: | |
| Items included in statement of financial condition: | |
| Accounts payable | \$ 430 |
| Total aggregate indebtedness | \$ 430 |
| Computation of Basic Net Capital Requirement: Minimum net capital requirement (6 2/3% of | |
| total aggregate indebtedness) (A) | \$ 27 |
| Minimum dollar net capital requirement (B) | \$ 5,000 |
| Net capital requirement - greater of (A) or (B) | \$ 5,000 |
| Excess net capital | \$ 23,896 |
| Excess net capital at 1000% (net capital | |
| less 10% of aggregate indebtedness) | \$ 28,853 |
| Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital | 0.01 |

There are no differences between net capital in the FOCUS report as of December 31, 2009, and net capital reported above.

Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission

December 31, 2009

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, in that the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption appearing in paragraph (k)(2)(i).

Computation and Reconciliation of Net Capital in Accordance with Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission

December 31, 2009

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, in that the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption appearing in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of the Rule.

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Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Required by Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 17a-5

The Director

C.E. Hutchison & Company (d/b/a The Hutchison Company):

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of C.E. Hutchison & Company (d/b/a The Hutchison Company) (the "Company") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2009 in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1) Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13.
- 2) Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

The Director Page 2

Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. However, we identified the following deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. These conditions were considered in determining the nature, timing, and extent of the procedures performed in our audit of the financial statements of the Company as of and for the year ended December 31, 2009, and this report does not affect our report thereon dated February 22, 2010.

The size of the business and resultant limited number of employees imposes practical limitations on the effectiveness of those control policies and procedures that depend on the segregation of duties such as processing of cash receipts and cash disbursements. Because this condition is inherent in the size of the Company, the specific weaknesses are not described herein and no corrective action has been taken or proposed by the Company.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate as of December 31, 2009 to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the director, management, the SEC, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. and any other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Batchelor, Tillery & Roberts, LLP