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VTB CAPITAI	L INC.			FIRM I.D. NO.	
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL	L PLACE OF BUSINESS:	(Do not use P.O. Box	No.)		
405 Lexington 25 th Floor New York, NY					
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Steven C. Bender, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of VTB Capital Inc. as of DECEMBER 31 2011, 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 soley as that of a customer except as follows: NONE.
Signature
Notary Public BETH A. CONGDON No. 01CO6199721 Notary Public. State of New York Qualified in Eric County My Commission Expires Jan. 20, 20
This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes): (a) Facing page. (b) Statement of Financial Condition. (c) Statement of Income (Loss). (d) Statement of Cash Flows. (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's 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 15c3-3. (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.

(n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

(I) An Oath or Affirmation.

(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.

(a) Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control

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

VTB CAPITAL INC. DECEMBER 31, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors VTB Capital Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of VTB Capital Inc. (the "Company") as of December 31, 2011, that is filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. 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 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 consideration of 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 statement of financial condition, 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 of the statement of financial condition 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 VTB Capital Inc. as of December 31, 2011, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

February 28, 2012

ASSETS

	Note			
Cash Prepaid expenses Equipment and software, less accumulated depreciation and		\$	15,884,052 149,894	
amortization of \$26,720	3		342,256	
Deposits	5	h	1,504,113	
TOTAL ASSETS		\$_	17,880,315	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'	LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY			
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable		\$	118,584	
Accrued expenses	4		3,842,441	
Corporate income taxes payable	6		78,520	
Due to related party			37,869	
Deferred income	8		5,451,112	
Deferred income taxes payable	6	_	125,394	
Total liabilities			9,653,920	
Commitments and contingencies	5, 9, and 10			
Stockholder's equity:				
Common stock, \$.01 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized,				
320,000 shares issued and outstanding			3,200	
Additional paid-in capital			7,996,800	
Retained earnings			226,395	
Total stockholder's equity		_	8,226,395	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY		\$_	17,880,315	

NOTE 1. ORGANIZATION AND NATURE OF OPERATIONS

VTB Capital Inc. (the "Company") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CJSC VTB Capital Holding (the "Parent"), which is based in Moscow. The Company was formed as a corporation under the laws of the state of Delaware on November 16, 2010, and is based in New York City.

The Company is a registered broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA"). The Company was approved as a broker-dealer and began securities operations on September 19, 2011.

The Company has entered into an agreement with VTB Capital, plc ("VTB UK"), an affiliate of the Parent, to effect certain securities transactions with U.S. institutional investors and major U.S. institutional investors, as defined in Rule 15a-6 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Rule 15a-6"). The Company is exempt from the reserve requirement provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Rule 15c3-3") pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(i) of Rule 15c3-3.

The Company is also permitted by FINRA to engage in the solicitation of U.S. institutional investors to establish and maintain accounts on a fully disclosed basis with a registered clearing firm for the purpose of purchasing and selling of U.S. equity and debt securities pursuant to (k)(2)(ii) of Rule 15c3-3.

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Use of estimates

The preparation of the statement of financial condition in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") requires the Company's 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 statement of financial condition. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Revenue recognition

Revenue consists of the reimbursement of costs incurred and agreed-upon mark-ups on work performed pursuant to agreements with affiliated parties. Revenue is recognized as eligible costs are incurred.

Start-up activities

Costs of start-up activities, including organization costs, are expensed as incurred.

Income taxes

The Company recognizes and measures its unrecognized tax benefits in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification ("FASB ASC") 740, *Income Taxes*. Under that guidance, the Company assesses the likelihood, based on their technical merit, that tax positions will be sustained upon examination based on the facts, circumstances and information available at the end of each period. The measurement of unrecognized tax benefits is adjusted when new information is available, or when an event occurs that requires a change.

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Income taxes (continued)

The Company uses the asset and liability method of accounting for income taxes pursuant to FASB ASC 740. Under the asset and liability method of FASB ASC 740, deferred tax assets and liabilities shall be recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases. Deferred tax assets, including tax loss and credit carryforwards, and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period that includes the enactment date. Deferred income tax expense represents the change during the period in the deferred tax assets and liabilities are individually classified as current and non-current based on their characteristics. Deferred tax assets are reduced by a valuation allowance when, in the opinion of management, it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized.

Depreciation and amortization

Depreciation and amortization of equipment and software are provided using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Equipment	3-10 years
Software	3 years

NOTE 3. EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE

Equipment and software at December 31, 2011, consisted of the following:

Computers	\$	358,822
Software	_	10,154
Total equipment and software Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization		368,976
bess. accumulated depreciation and amortization	_	(26,720)
Equipment and software, net	\$	342,256

NOTE 4. <u>ACCRUED EXPENSES</u>

Accrued expenses consisted of the following at December 31, 2011:

Accrued compensation	\$	3,319,211
Professional fees		507,505
Other	_	15,725
	\$	3,842,441

NOTE 5. <u>COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES</u>

During 2011, the Company rented office space on a month-to-month basis. The landlord of the current office premises holds a deposit amounting to \$32,000.

During December 2011, the Company entered into a lease to occupy new offices in 2012. The approximate future minimum annual payments required as of December 31, 2011, over the term of the lease, which will expire in 2022, are as follows:

Year ending December 31:		
2012	\$	357,000
2013		1,429,000
2014		1,429,000
2015		1,429,000
2016		1,429,000
Thereafter	_	8,711,000
	.\$	14 784 000

The new landlord is the beneficiary of an irrevocable letter of credit amounting to \$1,429,000. The letter of credit has been established by the Company's commercial bank and is collateralized by a segregated bank account holding cash of \$1,473,000. This account balance is included in "Deposits" in the statement of financial condition.

The Company has made commitments amounting to approximately \$1,620,000 in connection with improvements to the new leasehold premises. These capital expenditures are expected to be incurred over a period of three months commencing in January 2012.

NOTE 6. <u>INCOME TAXES</u>

At December 31, 2011, the Company recorded a deferred tax liability of \$125,394, which relates primarily to accrued bonus compensation not yet deductible for tax purposes and the deferral of start-up costs for tax purposes.

At December 31, 2011, the Company determined that it has no uncertain tax positions as defined in FASB ASC 740.

The Company's income tax returns are subject to U.S. federal, state, and local examinations by taxing authorities for all relevant periods.

NOTE 7. <u>NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS</u>

The Company is subject to the SEC's Uniform Net Capital Rule ("SEC Rule 15c3-1"), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, not exceed 15 to 1 (8 to 1 in the first year). Net capital and aggregate indebtedness change from day to day. At December 31, 2011, the Company had net capital of approximately \$6,230,000, which exceeds the Company's minimum net capital requirement by approximately \$5,705,000. The Company's percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 67% as of December 31, 2011.

NOTE 8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company has entered into a number of agreements with VTB UK pursuant to which it has agreed to undertake the activities of a broker-dealer in New York. Such activities include building an institutional investor client base in North America to trade in Russian and Commonwealth of Independent States related financial products and to provide sales and distribution coverage and other services to such institutional investors. In addition, pursuant to such agreements, the Company will provide assistance to VTB UK so that VTB UK may provide certain research reports to, and effect certain securities transactions with, institutional investors. These services are more specifically set forth within the agreements and generally provide that the Company will be reimbursed for its agreed-upon costs and receive a 10% markup based on the total of such costs, as defined, excluding pre-opening costs (as defined) and taxes.

During August 2011, the Company received an advance against future revenues from VTB UK amounting to \$12,100,000. As the Company performs services under the agreement, income will be earned and the advance will be reduced. The statement of financial condition reflects a liability amounting to \$5,451,112, which represents the unearned portion of the \$12,100,000 advance received from VTB UK in August 2011.

NOTE 9. <u>FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK</u>

Commencing in 2012, the Company will conduct business with a clearing broker on behalf of its customers pursuant to a clearance agreement. Pursuant to the agreement, the Company will introduce its customers to the clearing broker and the clearing broker will clear customer transactions on a fully disclosed basis. Commissions will be earned by the Company as an introducing broker for the transactions of its customers.

Pursuant to this agreement, the Company's clearing broker is exposed to risk of loss on customer transactions in the event a customer fails to satisfy its obligations. The clearing broker may be required to purchase or sell securities at prevailing market prices in order to fulfill a customer's obligations. The Company has agreed to indemnify its clearing broker for losses the clearing broker may sustain from customer accounts introduced by the Company. The Company and its clearing broker monitor the settlement of customer transactions. Pursuant to the rules and guidelines of its clearing broker and regulatory authority, the Company will take appropriate action to reduce risk.

In 2012, in connection with the agreement, the Company finalized the clearing agreement and was required to fund a deposit of \$100,000.

NOTE 10. <u>SUBSEQUENT EVENTS</u>

On February 21, 2012, the Company issued 120,000 shares to the Parent in exchange for \$3,000,000.

During January 2012, the ultimate parent, JSC VTB Bank, approved the VTB Capital Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan"). The Incentive Plan provides for the grant of either conditional awards or "Zero Strike Price Options" for the acquisition of global depository receipts of JSC VTB Bank ("JSC GDRs") at prices listed on the London Stock Exchange to eligible employees, as defined in the Incentive Plan. The awards vest over a period of years as specified in the award certificates. Holders of Zero Strike Price Options will have ten years to exercise their options. The Incentive Plan is not presently designed as a qualified plan under the Internal Revenue Code (the "Code"). Management is reviewing whether the Incentive Plan will satisfy Section 409(a) of the Code. During February 2012, the Company issued conditional awards to various employees of \$268,200. Pursuant to the awards, JSC GDRs will be acquired by the Company and distributed to the employees pursuant to the terms of the Incentive Plan.