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A. REC	GISTRANT IDENTIFICATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: WELLS, I	NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC	OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUS	INESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)	FIRM I.D. NO.
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OKLAHOMA CITY	ОК	73102
(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PE EDWARD F WELLS	ERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO T	HIS REPORT 405-239-9000
		(Area Code – Telephone Number
B. ACC	OUNTANT IDENTIFICATION	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT	vhose opinion is contained in this Report*	
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Public Accountant		
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#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I,EDWARD F WE	LLS	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
	the accompanying financial statement ON & ASSOCIATES, LLC	t and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
of <u>12/31</u>		5, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	any partner, proprietor, principal offic f a customer, except as follows:	cer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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- (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.
- 🗹 (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.
- $\mathbf{Q}'$  (1) An Oath or Affirmation.
- $\mathbf{\dot{\mathbf{D}}}$  (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.

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



### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Members Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. (the "Company") as of December 31, 2015, and the related statements of income, changes in members' equity, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors and cash flows for the year then ended. 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 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 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 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 Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. as of December 31, 2015, 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.

The supplementary information contained in Schedules I and II (the "Supplemental Information") has been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of the Company's financial statements. The Supplemental Information is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our audit procedures included determining whether the Supplemental Information reconciles to the financial statements or the underlying accounting and other records, as applicable, and performing procedures to test the completeness and accuracy of the information presented in the Supplemental Information. In forming our opinion on the Supplemental Information, we evaluated whether the Supplemental Information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with 17 C.F.R. §240.17a-5. In our opinion, the Supplemental Information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

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Dallas, Texas February 24, 2016

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# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2015

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# ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$	138,820
Deposits with clearing broker-dealer		1,054,828
Receivable from clearing broker-dealer		508,155
Interest receivable		3,879
Securities owned at fair value		1,115,549
Furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements, net		98,740
Other assets		4,954
	\$	2,924,925
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$	30,302
Accrued expenses		236,229
Deferred rent		6,000
Payable to clearing broker-dealer		1,099,442
Total liabilities		1,371,973
Members' equity		1,552,952
	_\$	2,924,925

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Statement of Income For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Revenues:		
Commissions	\$	1,581,954
Trading and investment gains		995,440
Underwriting and advisory fees		867,960
Interest		70,617
Other		123,749
		3,639,720
Expenses:		
Employee compensation and benefits		2,545,114
Brokerage and clearance fees		116,473
Communications		81,118
Occupancy and equipment costs		256,756
Promotional costs		103,607
Interest		32,811
Data processing costs		45,391
Regulatory fees and expenses		194,557
Errors and bad debt		22,560
Other	<b>.</b>	166,118
		3,564,505
Net income	\$	75,215

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Statement of Changes in Members' Equity For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Number Units		<u> </u>	Members' Equity	
Balance, January 1, 2015	1,367	\$	1,720,515	
Distributions			(242,778)	
Net income			75,215	
Balance, December 31, 2015	1,367	\$	1,552,952	

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of General Creditors For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Balance, December 31, 2014		
Additions		
Retirements	<del></del>	
Balance, December 31, 2015	\$	

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

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Cash flows from operating activities	
Net income	\$ 75,215
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net	
cash provided (used) by operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization	54,588
Loss on disposal of assets	957
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	
Decrease in deposits with cleaning broker-dealer	174,409
Increase in receivable from clearing broker-dealer	(285,482)
Increase in interest receivable	(3,713)
Increase in securities owned	(833,807)
Decrease in other assets	11,717
Increase in accounts payable	15,639
Increase in accrued expenses	53,184
Decrease in deferred rent	(9,000)
Increase in payable to clearing broker-dealer	 819,478
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	 73,185
Cash flows from investing activities	
Purchase of furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements	 (228)
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	 (228)
Cash flows from financing activities	
Distributions	 (242,778)
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities	 (242,778)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(169,821)
Beginning cash and cash equivalents	 308,641
Ending cash and cash equivalents	\$ 138,820
Supplemental Disclosures	
Cash paid for:	
Interest	\$ 32,811

#### Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Financial Statement Presentation**

The financial statements present the financial position and results of operations of Wells Nelson & Associates, LLC (the "Company"), an Oklahoma limited liability company, which was formed on February 7, 2000. Three individuals who are members of management and/or employees of the Company, own the majority of the membership interests. The Company shall terminate on February 28, 2050, unless earlier terminated. Profit and loss are allocated and distributions are made to members in accordance with their percentage ownership of outstanding units. The number of membership units authorized must be approved by the majority of the board of members. Each member's liability is limited to its capital account balance. The Company generally makes distributions to its members around March of each year.

#### Business Operations

The Company is a broker-dealer in securities registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") under Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii) which provides that all the funds and securities belonging to the Company's customers would be handled by a clearing broker-dealer. In accordance with the provisions of this rule, the Company executes all of its customers' transactions on a fully-disclosed basis, through an unaffiliated clearing broker-dealer, located in Dallas, Texas, which carries the accounts and securities of the Company's customers. Principal business activities are conducting principal and agency transactions and providing underwriting and advisory services for customers primarily located in Oklahoma.

#### **Underwriting and Advisory Fees**

Underwriting and advisory fees include gains, losses, and fees, net of syndicate expenses, arising from securities offerings in which the Company acts as an underwriter or agent. Underwriting and advisory fees also include fees eamed from providing financial advisory services. Underwriting and advisory fees are recorded at the time the underwriting is completed and the income is reasonably determinable.

#### Securities Transactions

Profit and loss arising from all securities transactions entered into for the account and risk of the Company are determined using the specific identification method and are recorded on a trade date basis. Customer's securities transactions are reported on a settlement date basis with related commission income and expense reported on a settlement date basis. The amounts recorded for commission income and expense for customers' securities transactions approximate the amounts that would be recorded on a trade date basis.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company has defined cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than ninety days, not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

## Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - continued

## Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements

Furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided principally by accelerated and straight-line methods using estimated useful lives of five to seven years. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lesser of the economic useful life of the improvement or the term of the lease.

#### Income Taxes

The Company is treated and taxed as a partnership for federal income tax purposes. Accordingly, any tax liability is the responsibility of the individual members.

Any potential interest and penalty associated with a tax contingency, should one arise, would be included as a component of income tax expense in the period in which the assessment arises. The Company's income tax returns are subject to examination over the statutes of limitations, generally three years from the date of filing.

#### Use of Estimates

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

#### Recent Pronouncements

In May 2014, the FASB issued ASU No. 2014-09, Revenue from Contracts with Customers, which provides guidance for revenue recognition. This ASU's core principle is that an entity will recognize revenue when it transfers promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. This ASU also requires additional disclosure about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from costs incurred to obtain or fulfill a contract. ASU No. 2014-09 allows for either full retrospective or modified retrospective adoption. In August 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-14, which deferred the effective date of ASU 2014-09 one additional year. The ASU will be effective commencing with the Company's year ending December 31, 2018. The Company is currently assessing the potential impact of this ASU on its financial statements.

#### Note 2 - Deposits with and Receivable from Cleaning Broker-Dealer

Deposits with clearing broker-dealer include cash required to be maintained at the clearing broker-dealer for clearing and trading activities. Receivable from clearing broker-dealer is comprised of commissions, trading profits, and other items. Such amounts are normally collected between five and thirty-five days after month end.

#### Note 3 - Receivable from Other Broker-Dealer

Receivable from other broker-dealers include underwriting fees from securities offerings in which the Company acts as an underwriter. Such amounts are normally collected within thirty days after month end. There were no such receivables at December 31, 2015.

#### Note 4 - Securities Owned

Securities owned at fair value as of December 31, 2015 are considered trading securities and consist of state and municipal obligations and a collateralized obligation. In accordance with U.S. GAAP, the Company categorizes its financial instruments recorded at fair value into a three-level fair value hierarchy. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). If the inputs used to measure the financial instruments fall within different levels of the hierarchy, the categorization is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities recorded on the Statement of Financial Condition are categorized based on the inputs to the valuation techniques as follows:

Level 1 - Valuations based on quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company has the ability to access.

Level 2 - Financial assets and liabilities whose value are based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or model inputs that are observable either directly or indirectly for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 - Financial assets and liabilities whose values are based on prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement. These inputs reflect management's judgment about the assumptions a market participant would use in pricing the asset or liability.

State and municipal obligations consist of debt securities that are valued based on quotations received from dealers who make markets in such securities or by independent pricing services. These pricing services generally utilize matrix pricing which considers yield or price of bonds of comparable quality, coupon, maturity and type as well as dealer supplied prices.

Collateralized mortgage obligations ("CMO") are value based on an option-adjusted discounted cash flow model. The significant inputs to this model include yield, prepayment speed, default rate, and loss severity.

The following table presents the fair value hierarchy for those assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of December 31, 2015.

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#### Note 4 - Securities Owned - continued

	Securities Owned		
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
State and municipal obligations	\$350,970	\$752,465	
Collateralized obligation			\$12,114
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Total	<u>\$350,970</u>	<u>\$752,465</u>	<u>\$12,114</u>

The following table presents a reconciliation of investments measured at fair value using unobservable inputs (level 3).

Balance at January 1, 2015	<u>_CMO</u> \$0
Purchases	<u>   12,114</u>
Balance at December 31, 2015	<u>\$12.114</u>

The Company did not hold any financial liabilities at fair value at December 31, 2015.

## Note 5 - Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements

A summary of fumiture, equipment and leasehold improvements at December 31, 2015 is as follows:

Furniture and fixtures Equipment Leasehold improvements	\$296,931 181,412 125,353
	\$ 603,696
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization	<u>504,956</u> <u>\$ 98,740</u>

#### Note 6 - Leases

The Company's facilities and certain equipment are leased under various operating leases with initial noncancelable terms in excess of one year. Rental expense related to facilities and equipment amounted to \$172,169 during 2015. One facility lease contains an option to renew for an additional sixty months.

#### Note 6 - Leases - continued

The following are the minimum lease payments that will have to be made in each of the years indicated based on operating leases in effect as of December 31, 2015:

Year Ending	
December 31,	
2016	\$ 125,094
2017	62,175
2018	10,720
Total minimum lease payments	<u>\$ 197.989</u>

#### Note 7 - Net Capital Requirements and Exemptive Provisions

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC 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 15 to 1. At December 31, 2015, the Company had net capital of \$1,376,104, which was \$1,276,104 in excess of its required net capital of \$100,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital ratio was .2 to 1,

The Company is exempt from the Securities and Exchange Commission Customer Protection Rules (SEC Rule 15c3-3), which relate to reserves and custody of securities, under section (k)(2)(ii) of this rule.

#### Note 8 - Defined Contribution Plan

The Company adopted a 401(k) profit sharing plan covering all eligible employees, effective January 1, 2003. Participants may make deferral contributions up to the annual maximum amount allowed by the Internal Revenue Code. The Company may also make discretionary contributions and safe harbor matching contributions. The Company incurred administrative fees and made matching contributions of \$76,048 and \$65,779, respectively.

#### Note 9 - Commitments and Contingent Liabilities

The Company is engaged in various trading and brokerage activities in which counterparties primarily include brokerdealers, banks and other financial institutions. In the event counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the credit worthiness of the counterparty or issuer of the instrument. It is the Company's policy to review, as necessary, the credit standing of each counterparty.

The Company is required to indemnify its clearing broker/dealer if a customer fails to settle a securities transaction, according to its clearing agreement. Management was neither aware, nor had it been notified of any potentially material indemnification loss at December 31, 2015.

The Company maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts that, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and does not believe it is exposed to any significant risk.

Supplemental Information Pursuant to Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as of December 31, 2015

# Schedule I

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# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission As of December 31, 2015

# **Computation of Net Capital**

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Total members' equity qualified for net capital			\$	1,552,952
Deductions and/or charges				
Non-allowable assets:				
Furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements	\$	98,740		
Other assets	<u></u>	4,954		(103,694)
Net capital before haircuts on securities positions				1,449,258
Haircuts on securities (computed, where applicable,				
pursuant to Rule 15c3-1(f)):				
Debt securities			<u></u>	(73,154)
Net capital			\$	1,376,104
Aggregate Indebtedness				
Items included in statement of financial condition				
Accounts payable			\$	30,302
Accrued expenses				236,229
Deferred rent				6,000
Total aggregate indebtedness			\$	272,531

# Schedule I (continued)

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission As of December 31, 2015

## **Computation of Basic Net Capital Requirement**

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Minimum net capital required (6 2/3% of total aggregate indebtedness)	\$ 18,169
Minimum dollar net capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer	\$ 100,000
Minimum net capital requirement (greater of two minimum requirement amounts)	\$ 100,000
Net capital in excess of minimum required	\$ 1,276,104
Net capital less greater of 10% of aggregate indebtedness or 120% of minimum net capital	\$ 1,256,104
Ratio: Aggregate indebtedness to net capital	 0.20 to 1

# **Reconciliation with Company's Computation**

There were no material differences in the computation of net capital under Rule 15c3-1 from the Company's computation.

#### Schedule II

# WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission As of December 31, 2015

## **Exemptive Provisions**

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The Company has claimed an exemption from Rule 15c3-3 under Section (k)(2)(ii), in which all customer transactions are cleared through another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.

Company's clearing firm: Hilltop Securities, Inc.

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## REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM ON MANAGEMENT'S EXEMPTION REPORT

To the Board of Members Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying exemption report, in which (a) Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 15c3-3(k) under which Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3: (k)(2)(ii) (the "exemption provisions") and (b) Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. stated that Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C. met the identified exemption provisions throughout the year ended December 31, 2015 without exception. Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.'s management is responsible for compliance with the exemption provisions and its statements.

Our review was conducted in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) and, accordingly, included inquiries and other required procedures to obtain evidence about Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.'s compliance with the exemption provisions. A review is substantially less in scope than an examination, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on management's statements. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to management's statements referred to above for them to be fairly stated, in all material respects, based on the provisions set forth in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Dallas, Texas February 24, 2016

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# EXEMPTION REPORT DECEMBER 31, 2015

Comes now the firm and makes the following statements that we believe are true and accurate to the best of our knowledge and belief:

- 1. The firm is exempt from the provisions of §240.15c3-3(k)(2)(ii).
- 2. The firm met the identified exemption provisions in §240.15c3-3(k)(2)(ii) throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception.

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Edward Wells President

211 NORTH ROBINSON, TWO LEADERSHIP SQUARE, SUITE 1600, ONLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102. TEL (405) 239-9000. FAX (405) 228-1062 DALLAS • LITTLE ROCK • OKLAHOMA CITY • TULSA WellsNelson & Associates, L.L.C. is a registered Investment Advisor, a registered Broker Dealer and member FINRA SIPC INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES RELATED TO AN ENTITY'S SIPC ASSESSMENT RECONCILIATION DECEMBER 31, 2015

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## INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON THE SIPC ANNUAL ASSESSMENT REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

To the Board of Members Wells Nelson & Associates, LLC

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments ("Form SIPC-7") to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation ("SIPC") for the year ended December 31, 2015, which were agreed to by Wells Nelson & Associates, LLC (the "Company), the Securities and Exchange Commission, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. and SIPC, solely to assist you and the other specified parties in evaluating the Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.'s compliance with the applicable instructions of the Form SIPC-7. Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.'s management is responsible for the Wells Nelson & Associates, L.L.C.'s compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

The procedures we performed and our findings are as follows:

- 1. Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7 with respective cash disbursements records entries (cash disbursements journal), noting no differences.
- 2. Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form X-17A-5 Part III for the year ended December 31, 2015 with the amounts reported in Form SIPC-7 for the year ended December 31, 2015, noting no differences.
- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers, noting no differences.
- 4. Proved the mathematical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments, noting no differences.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

G. RRP CF & Co., L.L.P.

Dallas, Texas February 24, 2016

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H. Overpayment carried forward		\$(	)	
G. PAID WITH THIS FORM: Check enclosed, payable to SIP Total (must be same as F above		\$ <u>4,052</u>		
F. Total assessment balance and in	nterest due (or overj	payment carried lorwar	d}	\$4,052
E. Interest computed on late payme	ent (see instruction )	E) fordays at 20	1% per annum	
D. Assessment balance due or (ove	erpayment)			4,052
C. Less prior overpayment applied				(0
07/21/2015 Date Paid				
B. Less payment made with SIPC-6 filed (exclude Interest)			(4,118	
A. General Assessment (item 2e fri	om page 2)			\$8,170
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WELLS NELSON & ASSOCIATES LLC TWO LEADERSHIP SQ 211 N ROBINSON AVE STE S1600 OKLAHOMA CITY OK 73102-7175		Edward F	contact respecting this form. Edward P. Wells, President (405) 239-9000	
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## DETERMINATION OF "SIPC NET OPERATING REVENUES" AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT

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Amounts for the fiscal period beginning 1/1/2015 and ending 12/31/2015

Item No. 2a. Total revenue (FOCUS Line 12/Part IIA Line 9, Code 4030)		Eliminate cents \$_3,639,721
2b. Additions (1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries ( predecessors not included above.	except foreign subsidiaries) and	
(2) Nel loss from principal transactions in securilies in trading a	ccounts.	
(3) Net loss from principal transactions in commodities in Irad ng	g accounts.	
(4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item i		
(5) Net loss from management of or partic pation in the underwri		
(6) Expenses other than advertising, printing, registration fees a profit from management of or participation in underwriting or	nd legal fees deducted in determining net	
(7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.		
Total additions		
2c. Deductions: {1) Revenues from the distribution of shares of a registered oper investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the advisory services rendered to registered investment companiation accounts, and from transactions in security futures products.	e business of insurance, from investment es or insurance company separate	237,529
(2) Revenues from commodity transactions.		
(3) Commissions, lloor brokerage and clearance paid to other SII securities transactions.	101,477	
(4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicita	tion.	
(5) Nel gain from securities in investment accounts.		
<ul> <li>(6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions</li> <li>(ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper from issuance date.</li> </ul>		
(7) Direct expenses of printing advertising and legal fees incurre related to the securities business (revenue defined by Sectio		4.000 - 1
(8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the si (See Instruction C):	ecurities business.	
(Deductions in excess of \$100,000 require documentation)	4	
<ul> <li>(9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess of total interest and dividend income.</li> <li>(ii) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities</li> </ul>	11A Line 13. \$ <b>32,811</b>	
accounts (40% of FOCUS line 5, Code 3960).	\$	
Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)		32,811
Total deductions		371,817
d. SIPC Net Operating Revenues		s <u>3,267,903</u>
e. General Assessment @ .0025		\$ <u> </u>
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