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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 1/1/15 AND ENDING 12/31/15
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: BlackRock Investments, LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

55 East 52nd Street

(No. and Street)

New York New York 10055

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Saurabh Pathak 212-810-8182

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Deloitte & Touche LLP

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

30 Rockefeller Plaza New York New York 10112

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

CHECK ONE:

- Certified Public Accountant
- Public Accountant
- Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

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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)

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BlackRock Investments, LLC

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- (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanations, of the Computation of Net Capital under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A Rule 15c3-3 (not required).
- (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation (not applicable).
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- (n) A Report Describing the Broker-Dealer's Compliance with the Exemption Provisions of Section k of SEC Rule 15c3-3 (the "Exemption Report") and Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Thereon (filed separately).

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February 26, 2016

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RE: BlackRock Execution Services - CRD #39438

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the statement of financial condition of BlackRock Execution Services as of December 31, 2015 to be used as a public document.

Audited financial statements and supplementary schedules of BlackRock Execution Services for the year ended December 31, 2015 have been submitted in a separate package. It is our understanding that the audited financial statements and supplementary schedules shall be deemed confidential pursuant to the disclosure standard set forth in paragraph (e)(3) of Rule 17a-5.

If you have any questions regarding this matter or require additional information, you may contact me at (212) 810-8182.

Sincerely,

Saurabh Pathak - PC
Saurabh Pathak
Chief Financial Officer
BlackRock Execution Services

Enclosures

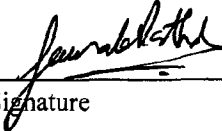
BLACKROCK INVESTMENTS, LLC
(SEC. I.D. No. 8-48436)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015
AND
REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

**Filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5(e)(3) under the Securities Exchange
Act of 1934 as a Public Document.**

AN OATH OR AFFIRMATION

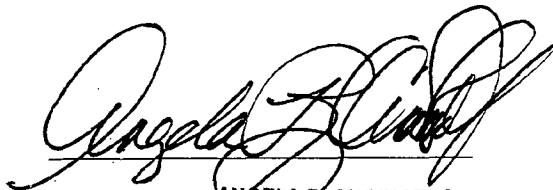
I, Saurabh Pathak, affirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the accompanying statement of financial condition pertaining to BlackRock Investments, LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2015, is true and correct. I further affirm that neither the Company nor any officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer.


Signature

2/26/16
Date

Financial and Operations Principal
Title

Subscribed to before me this 26th day of
February, 2016.



ANGELA R. CUCINOTTO
Notary Public, State of New York
Notary Public No. 6094803 Qualified in Queens County
Certificate Filed in New York County
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BlackRock Investments, LLC
Statement of Financial Condition

As of December 31, 2015

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To BlackRock Investments, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of BlackRock Investments, LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2015, that you are filing 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 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 statement is free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audit included 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 financial statement, 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, such statement of financial condition presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of BlackRock Investments, LLC as of December 31, 2015, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

February 26, 2016

BlackRock Investments, LLC
Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2015
(Dollar amounts in thousands)

Assets	
Cash	\$ 54,119
Due from related parties	48,030
Accounts receivable	1,686
Other assets	303
Total assets	<u>\$ 104,138</u>
 Liabilities	
Due to broker-dealers	\$ 42,765
Due to related parties	5,847
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	483
Total liabilities	<u>49,095</u>
 Member's equity	 55,043
Total liabilities and member's equity	<u>\$ 104,138</u>

See accompanying notes to statement of financial condition.

BlackRock Investments, LLC
Notes to Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2015

1. Organization

BlackRock Investments, LLC (the "Company") is a Delaware limited liability company. The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc. ("BLK"). The Company is a registered broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation. The Company is the distributor of various BLK-sponsored mutual funds, *iShares*[®] exchange-traded funds and certain municipal securities (collectively, the "Funds"). In addition, the Company provides marketing services to a third party in connection with various registered securities.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

This statement of financial condition has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP").

The preparation of statement of financial condition in conformity with GAAP 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 statement of financial condition. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Income Taxes

The Company is a disregarded entity for U.S. tax purposes and generally is not subject to income taxes. BLK is individually liable for income taxes, if any, on the Company's net taxable income. Accordingly, no income tax provision has been recorded.

Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 740-10, *Income Taxes* ("ASC 740-10") provides that a tax benefit from an uncertain tax position may be recognized when it is more likely than not that the position would be sustained upon examination, including resolutions of any related appeals or litigation processes, based on the technical merits. Income tax positions must meet a more-likely-than-not recognition threshold at the effective date to be recognized. This interpretation also provides guidance on measurement, derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition. The Company has not recorded any liabilities on its statement of financial condition pursuant to ASC 740-10 at December 31, 2015.

BlackRock Investments, LLC
Notes to Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2015

3. Related Party Transactions

As a distributor of certain Funds, the Company receives distribution and service fees from the Funds and re-distributes substantially all of those fees to the ultimate third-party selling broker-dealers of these Funds and a wholly owned subsidiary of BLK. Pursuant to these arrangements, \$46.2 million was due from these Funds and \$3.9 million was payable to the wholly owned subsidiary of BLK at December 31, 2015.

The Company provides certain distribution services for a fee to a wholly owned subsidiary of BLK. Certain wholly owned subsidiaries of BLK provide general and administrative services to the Company. Amounts due from related parties and due to related parties pertaining to the fees for these services were \$1.8 million and \$1.9 million at December 31, 2015, respectively.

Outstanding amounts related to the above transactions are recorded net in due to and due from related parties where the legal right and intent to offset exists.

4. Indemnifications, Commitments and Contingencies

In the normal course of business, the Company may enter into contracts and agreements that contain a variety of representations, warranties and general indemnifications. The Company's maximum exposure under these arrangements cannot be quantified as this could involve future claims that may be made against the Company that have not yet occurred. Management believes that the likelihood of any material liability arising under these arrangements is remote. No related liability has been recorded in the statement of financial condition.

In the normal course of business, the Company may be named as a defendant in various lawsuits and may be involved in certain regulatory investigations and proceedings. Some of these matters may involve claims of substantial amounts. It is the opinion of management, after consultation with legal counsel, that there are no matters pending against the Company that would have a material effect on the statement of financial condition of the Company at December 31, 2015.

5. Net Capital Requirements

The Company calculates its net capital using the alternative method under Rule 15c3-1 of the Act, which requires the Company to maintain minimum net capital of the greater of \$250 thousand or 2% of aggregate debits, as defined. At December 31, 2015, the Company had net capital of approximately \$37.4 million, which was \$37.2 million in excess of its required net capital of \$250 thousand.

BlackRock Investments, LLC
Notes to Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2015

6. Subsequent Events

On January 29, 2016, the agreement to provide marketing services (as referenced in Note 1) was terminated. Pursuant to this, the Company received a one-time termination fee, a substantial portion of which was distributed to a wholly owned subsidiary of BLK which provided services related to the agreement. As a result of this termination, the Company will no longer earn marketing fees.