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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	01/01/2015	AND ENDING	12/31/2015	
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A. REG	ISTRANT IDENTIFIC	CATION		
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B. ACCO	OUNTANT IDENTIFIC	CATION		
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT wh	nose opinion is contained in	this Report*		
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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

I, Michael Brown		, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of		
my knowledge and beli Ascendiant Se		inancial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of		
of December	er 31	, 20_15, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that		
neither the company no	or any partner, propriet	tor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account		
classified solely as that	of a customer, except	as follows:		
		None		
HA FE		Michaelo Brown Signature		
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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 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.
- |X| (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.

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

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC
REPORT PURSUANT TO RULE 17a-5(d)
AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2015

The report is filed in accordance with Rule 17a-5 (e)(3) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as a PUBLIC DOCUMENT.

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Member of Ascendiant Securities, LLC

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Ascendiant Securities, LLC (the "Company") (a California corporation), which comprise the statement of financial condition as of December 31, 2015, and the related statements of operations, changes in member's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended that are filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the related notes to the financial statements and supplemental information. The Company's management is responsible for these financial statements. 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. 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 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 condition of the Company as of December 31, 2015, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The computation of Net Capital Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1 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 Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. In our opinion, the supplemental information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

ANTON & CHIA, LLP Newport Beach, CA February 26, 2016

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015

ASSETS

Cash	\$	21,467
Other assets		1,588
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	23,055
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY		
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	4,187
Income taxes and penalties payable		10,445
Total liabilities		14,632
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Notes 4 and 5)		
MEMBER'S EQUITY (Note 3)		8,423
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$	23,055

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these audited financial statements.

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Business

Ascendiant Securities, LLC (the "Company") was incorporated in the state of Nevada on August 19, 2003 and commenced operations on January 20, 2004. The Company is wholly owned by Ascendiant Capital Group, LLC ("ACG" or the "Parent"). The Company is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") as a broker-dealer in securities and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA").

15c3-3 Exemption

The Company, under Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(i), is exempt from both the customer reserve requirement and the possession and control requirements of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company does not carry or clear customer accounts.

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.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash consists of cash in banks. The recorded value of cash (and any other financial instruments) approximates fair value at December 31, 2015. For purposes of the financial statement of cash flows, the Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents. As of December 31, 2015, the Company had no cash equivalents.

Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recorded upon the close of the related transaction.

Reclassification

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

Income Taxes

All income and losses of the Company are passed through to the Parent and the Parent reports these on its income tax return. There is no entity level tax for the Company for federal purposes. The state of California imposes an \$800 annual tax and a gross receipts fee based on the total income from all sources reportable to the state.

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Income Taxes (continued)

The Company is required to determine whether a tax position is more likely than not to be sustained upon examination by the applicable taxing authority, including resolution of any tax related appeals or litigation processes, based on the technical merits of the position. The Company files an income tax return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, and may file income tax returns in various U.S. states. The Company is not subject to income tax return examinations by major taxing authorities for years before 2010. The tax benefit recognized is measured as the largest amount of benefit that has a greater than fifty percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. Derecognition of a tax benefit previously recognized results in the Company recording a tax liability that reduces not assets. However, the Company's conclusions regarding this policy may be subject to review and adjustment at a later date based on factors including, but not limited to, on-going analyses of and changes to tax laws, regulations and interpretations thereof. The Company recognizes interest accrued related to unrecognized tax benefits and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits in income taxes payable, if assessed. Penalties of \$410 have been recognized for the year ended December 31, 2015.

NOTE 2 - GOING CONCERN

For the Company to stay compliant as a public entity, we will have to comply with numerous financial reporting and legal requirements, including those pertaining to audits and internal control. The costs of this compliance could be significant. If our revenues are insufficient, and/or we cannot satisfy many of these costs through the issuance of our shares, we may be unable to satisfy these costs in the normal course of business that would result in our being unable to continue as a going concern.

NOTE 3 - NET CAPITAL

Pursuant to the net capital provisions of Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital, as defined under such provisions. At December 31, 2015, the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$6,835 and \$5,000, respectively. The Company's net capital ratio (aggregate indebtedness to net capital) was 2.14 to 1. According to Rule 15c3-1, the Company's net capital ratio shall not exceed 15 to 1.

NOTE 4 - COMMITMENTS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company may be obligated to pay management fees to ACG for general and administrative support provided to the Company. However, ACG determined that for the year ended December 31, 2015 such fee would not be due by the Company due to the lack of activity in the Company until such time as the Company recommences business. ACG contributed \$10,000 to capital during the year ended December 31, 2015.

NOTE 5 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Company's financial instruments, including prepaid expenses, deposits, accounts payable and accrued expenses and income taxes and penalties payable, are carried at amounts that approximate fair value, due to the short-term nature of the instruments.

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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NOTE 5 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES (continued)

During the normal course of business, the Company has made certain indemnities and guarantees under which it may be required to make payments in relation to certain transactions. These indemnities include certain agreements with the Company's officers, under which the Company may be required to indemnify such persons for liabilities arising out of their current relationship. The duration of these indemnities and guarantees varies and, in certain cases, is indefinite. The majority of these indemnities and guarantees do not provide for any limitation of the maximum potential future payments the Company could be obligated to make. Historically, the Company has not been obligated to make any payments for these obligations and as of December 31, 2015 there are no known liabilities required to be recorded for these indemnities and guarantees in the accompanying financial statements.

At times, the Company may maintain cash balances in excess of the FDIC limit of \$250,000 At December 31, 2015, the Company did not have a cash balance that was in excess of the FDIC limit.

On October 6, 2015 the Company commenced a voluntary filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. The filing was a management decision for the purpose of clearing any prospective or unknown liabilities that may occur from past third party business activities. Because of the very limited current business activities with the Company, and in anticipation of a plan to build future business lines within the firm, management decided to enter the process of a reorganization filing to identify all possible claims. To date there have been no claims made under the Chapter 11 petition. If no claims are made after the claims bar date of March 14, 2016, the firm will file a motion to dismiss the Chapter 11 proceeding.

NOTE 6 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company has performed an evaluation of subsequent events through date the financial statements were issued, which was February 26, 2016. The evaluation did not result in any subsequent events that required disclosures and/or adjustments.



CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Member of Ascendiant Securities, LLC

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Exemption Report in which (1) Ascendiant Securities, LLC identified the following provision of 17 C.F.R 15c3-3k under which Ascendiant Securities, LLC claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R 240.15c3-3: (2)(i) the exemption provisions and (2) Ascendiant Securities, LLC stated that Ascendiant Securities, LLC met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception Ascendiant Securities, LLC management is responsible for compliance with the identified 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 Ascendiant Securities, LLC compliance with the exemption provisions review is substantially less in scope that an examination the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on managements 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 managements 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 and Exchange Act of 1934.

ANTON & CHIA, LLP Newport Beach, CA February 26, 2016

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC

EXEMPTION REPORT

PURSUANT TO SEC RULE 17a-5

DECEMBER 31, 2015

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC (the "Company") is a registered broker-dealer subject to Rule 17a-5 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission (17 C.F.R. §240.17a-5, "Reports to be made by certain brokers and dealers"). This Exemption Report was prepared as required by 17 C.F.R. §240.17a-5(d)(1) and (4). To the best of its knowledge and belief, the Company states the following:

- 1) The Company claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R §240.15c3-3 ("Customer protection reserves and custody of securities") under the provisions of 17 C.F.R. §240.15c3-3(k)(2)(i) as the Company is an introducing broker dealer who clears all transactions with and for customers on a fully disclosed basis with another clearing broker.
- 2) The Company met the exemption provision in 17C.F.R. §240.15c3-3(k)(2)(i) during the period of January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 without exception.

ASCENDIANT SECURITIES, LLC

I, <u>Michael O. Brown</u>, affirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, this Exemption Report is true and correct.

Michael O. Brown - Financial & Operations Manager

February 26, 2016

(Date)