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X		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.		
		Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.		
		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		
	(k)	Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3. A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.		
X	(I)	An Oath or Affirmation.		
	` '	A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.		
		A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.		
		Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Accounting Control.		

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

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the General Partner of North Sea Securities, L.P.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of North Sea Securities, L.P. (the "Company"), as of December 31, 2015. 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. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. 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 statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial condition of North Sea Securities, L.P. as of December 31, 2015, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

February 25, 2016

Withern Smeth + Brown, PC

North Sea Securities L.P. Statement of Financial Condition As of December 31, 2015

Assets	
Cash	\$ 521,690
Accounts receivable	45,442
Prepaid expenses	39,032
Total Assets	\$ 606,164
Liabilities and Partners' Capital Accounts payable and accrued expenses Due to related parties Total Liabilities	\$ 288,023 62,183 350,206
Partners' capital	255,958
Total Liabilities and Partners' Capital	\$ 606,164

North Sea Securities L.P. Notes to Financial Statement

1. Notes on Significant Business Activities

North Sea Securities, L.P. (the "Company"), a Delaware limited partnership, is registered as a broker-dealer in securities with the Securities and Exchange Commission and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"). In this capacity, it provides investment banking and other financial consulting services. The Company solely participates in transactions related to M&A and Private Placements.

The Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial services and, accordingly, claims exemption from Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The Company's financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP"), which requires management to make estimates and assumptions in determining the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies followed by the Company.

Cash

Cash consists of cash in banks, primarily held at one financial institution which at times may exceed federally insured limits. Funds deposited with a single financial institution are insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC"). The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts related to exceeding these limits.

Income Taxes

The Company is recognized as a Limited Partnership by the Internal Revenue Service. As a Limited Partnership, the Company is not subject to income taxes. The Company's income or loss is reportable by its partners on their individual tax returns.

US GAAP provides guidance for how uncertain tax positions should be recognized, measured, disclosed and presented in the financial statements. This requires the evaluation of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Company's tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained "when challenged" or "when examined" by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold would be recorded as a tax benefit or expense and liability in the current year.

The Company has deferred tax assets related to current year net loss and net operating loss carry forwards for New York City UBT. A valuation allowance has been established offsetting the total deferred tax asset as the ultimate realization of these benefits is uncertain.

For the year ended December 31, 2015 management has determined that there are no material uncertain income tax positions.

North Sea Securities L.P. Notes to Financial Statement

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Revenue Recognition

Revenue from advisory services is recognized as services are performed. Success fees are considered performed when the transaction closes. Hedge fund trailers are calculated on a quarterly basis based on the funds' management and incentive fee and the Company's agreed upon share.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

ASC Topic 460, "Guarantees" requires the disclosure of the Company's representations and warranties which may provide general indemnifications to others. The Company in its normal course of business may enter into other legal contracts that contain a variety of these representations and warranties that provide general indemnifications. The Company's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown, as claims may be unasserted. However, based on its experience, the Company expects the risk of loss to be remote.

3. Related Parties

The Company has an affiliate relationship with Shelter Rock Capital Advisors ("Shelter Rock"), in which Shelter Rock employees are registered with the Company. Non-transactional revenue generated in the broker dealer is shared with Shelter Rock and any transactional fees are revenue solely of the Company, subject to any commission agreements with registered representatives. At year end, the Company had an outstanding liability of \$24,111 to Shelter Rock for their share of fees and expense reimbursements collected by the Company.

The Company had an additional liability due to a Member, Hydroft LLC, in the amount of \$38,072 for expenses paid on the Company's behalf.

4. Commitments and Contingencies

The Company had no underwriting commitments, or contingent liabilities at December 31, 2015 or during the year then ended.

The nature of the Company's business subjects it to various claims, regulatory examinations, and other proceedings in the ordinary course of business. The ultimate outcome of any such actions against the Company could have an adverse impact on the financial condition, results of operations, or cash flows of the Company.

The Company leases office space in New York City that expires in August 2016. The minimum future lease payments on this lease are as follows:

Year

2016

\$ 157,696

North Sea Securities L.P. Notes to Financial Statement

5. Liabilities Subordinated to the Claims of General Creditors

As of December 31, 2015, the Company had not entered into any subordinated loan agreements.

6. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule ("Rule 15c3-1") of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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 \$171,484, which exceeded the required net capital minimum of \$23,347 by \$148,137.

7. Subsequent Events and Financial Support

Management of the Company has evaluated subsequent events through the date these financial statements were issued and have the following events to report. Capital contributions in the amount of \$330,000 were made to the Company in January and February 2016 to cover operating losses and the partners have committed to continue as needed through February 28, 2017.

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Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2015

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