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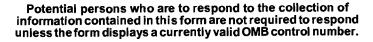
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my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of  Brauvin Securities, Inc , as of December 31 , 20_15 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:  None  TANNER BRAWLEY OFFICIAL SEAL Not Commission Expires  None  Title  Notary Public  This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):  (a) Facing Page. (b) Statement of Financial Condition. (c) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition. (c) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition. (d) Statement of Changes in Itabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors. (e) Computation of Net Capital. (f) Statement of Changes in Condition of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3. (g) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3. (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. (k) 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. (d) An Oath or Affirmation.	
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**For	conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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**RSM US LLP** 

#### Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Shareholder Brauvin Securities, Inc. Chicago, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Brauvin Securities, Inc. (the Company) as of December 31, 2015, and the related notes (the financial statement). 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. 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, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Brauvin Securities, Inc. as of December 31, 2015, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

PSM US LLP

Chicago, Illinois February 26, 2016 Brauvin Securities, Inc.

# Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2015

Assets	
Cash	\$ 89,588
Receivable from affiliate	2,547
Other	 1,273
Total assets	\$ 93,408
Liabilities and Shareholder's Equity	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	 -
Shareholder's Equity	
Common stock	60
Additional paid-in capital	93,439
Accumulated deficit	 (91)
Total liabilities and shareholder's equity	\$ 93,408

See Notes to Statement of Financial Condition.

## **Brauvin Securities, Inc.**

#### **Notes to Statement of Financial Condition**

# Note 1. Nature of Operations and Significant Accounting Policies

**Nature of operations**: Brauvin Securities, Inc. (the Company) is an Illinois corporation formed on December 3, 1983. The Company is a securities broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA). The Company earns all income by acting as an agent for an affiliate, related by common ownership.

The Company operates under the provisions of Paragraph (k)(2)(i) of Rule 15c3-3 of the SEC, and accordingly, is exempt from the remaining provisions of that rule. Essentially, the requirements of Paragraph (k)(2)(i) provide that the Company carries no margin accounts, promptly transmits all customer funds and delivers all securities received in connection with its activities as a broker-dealer, does not otherwise hold funds or securities for or owe money or securities to customers, and effectuates all financial transactions between the Company and its customers through one or more bank accounts, each designated as a Special Account for the Exclusive Benefit of Customers of the Company. Because the Company effects no financial transactions with customers as defined in Rule 15c3-3(a)(1), the Company does not maintain a Special Account.

**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 amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**Revenue recognition**: Commissions and related expenses are recognized at the time the transaction is completed and the income is reasonably determinable.

# Note 2. Transactions with Affiliates

As of December 31, 2015, the Company has a receivable of \$2,547 from an affiliate related by common ownership.

# Note 3. Income Taxes

The Company elected to be treated as a subchapter S corporation under the Internal Revenue Code and as such is not subject to federal income tax because its income and losses are includable in the tax returns of its shareholder, but may be subject to certain state taxes. The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) has provided 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 entity'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 taxing authority. Management has determined that there are no material uncertain income tax positions through December 31, 2015.

The Company is generally not subject to U.S. federal, state or local income tax examinations for tax years before 2012.

# **Brauvin Securities, Inc.**

#### **Notes to Statement of Financial Condition**

#### Note 4. Net Capital Requirements

The Company, as a registered broker-dealer, is subject to the SEC's Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1) and is required to maintain minimum net capital. Under this rule, the Company is required to maintain "minimum net capital" equivalent to the greater of \$5,000 or 6-2/3 percent of "aggregate indebtedness," as these terms are defined, and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, not to exceed 15 to 1. The rule also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1.

At December 31, 2015, the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$89,588 and \$5,000, respectively. The net capital requirements may effectively restrict the payment of cash dividends.

## Note 5. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events for potential recognition and/or disclosure through the date the financial statements were issued and determined that there are none.

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