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A. REGIS	STRANT IDENTIFI	CATION	
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	. (No. and Street)		
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(City)	(State)		(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PER Carole M. Laible, Chief Financial Officer  B. ACCO	SON TO CONTACT IN  UNTANT IDENTIF		EPORT <u>(212)</u> 217 - 1100 (Area Code – Telephone Number
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT who	ose opinion is contained	in this Report*	
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## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

Carole M. Laible, Chief Financial Officer , swear (or affirm) that, to	
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial state DSIL Investment Services LLC	ement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
of December 31	o 15, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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	Signature
	Chief Financial Officer
Doce Les Zowe  Notary Public  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.	Title  DOUGLAS LOWE  NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW YORK  No. 02L06141547  Qualified in Westchester County  Commission Expires February 27, 201?
(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or I	
(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to	to Claims of Creditors.
Computation for Determination of the Reserve Re (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudite consolidation.	Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. n of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
<ul> <li>☑ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.</li> <li>☐ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report. (Bound of the SIPC Supplemental Report.)</li> </ul>	under separate cover)
<ul> <li>□ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found</li> <li>□ (o) Independent auditor's report on internal control</li> </ul>	d to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
**For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portion	ons 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 Member
DSIL Investment Services LLC
New York, New York

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of DSIL Investment Services LLC (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 DSIL Investment Services LLC as of December 31, 2015, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

RSM US LLP

New York, New York February 25, 2016

# Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2015

See Notes to Statement of Financial Condition.

ASSETS	
Cash	\$ 277,406
Commissions receivable	1,078
Other assets	26,627
Total assets	\$ 305,111
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	•
Liabilities: Accrued expenses Due to Parent	\$ 31,334 10,253
Total liabilities	41,587
Member's equity	263,524_
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$ 305,111

#### Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

#### Note 1. Nature of Business

<u>Nature of Business</u>: DSIL Investment Services LLC (the "Company") is a wholly owned subsidiary of Domini Social Investments LLC (the "Parent"), a registered investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. The Company is a broker-dealer that acts as the principal underwriter and distributor for mutual funds sponsored by the Parent.

The Company is currently exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") based on paragraph (k)(1) of the rule. Among other provisions, the Company does not hold funds or securities for, or owe money or securities to, customers.

#### Note 2. Significant Accounting Policies

The Company follows Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"), as established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB"), to ensure consistent reporting of financial condition, results of operations, and cash flows.

Cash: Cash represents bank demand deposits.

Income Taxes: The Company is a single-member limited liability company whose parent is a multi-member limited liability company classified as a partnership for federal income tax purposes. The Company is a "disregarded entity" for tax purposes and its income is included in the Parent's partnership return and, therefore, no provision for income taxes is required. FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 740, Income Taxes, 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 expense and liability in the current year. For the year ended December 31, 2015, management has determined that there are no uncertain tax positions. With few exceptions, the Company is no longer subject to income tax examinations by the U.S. federal, state or local tax authorities for years before 2012.

<u>Accounting Estimates</u>: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles 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. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Note 3. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of a minimum amount of net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. Rule 15c3-1 also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1. At December 31, 2015, the Company had a net capital of \$235,819, which was \$210,819 in excess of its required net capital of \$25,000. The Company had aggregate indebtedness at December 31, 2015 of \$41,587. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 0.18 to 1 at December 31, 2015.

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

#### Note 4. Agreement With Parent

Pursuant to a Management Agreement with the Parent, the Parent has agreed to pay the Company's expenses, net of income, including but not limited to professional fees, registration and regulatory fees, occupancy, general and administrative costs, and salaries and related costs. Operating expenses of the Company are primarily allocated to it from the Parent.

#### Note 5. Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to significant concentrations of credit risk consist principally of cash. The Company maintains substantially all of its cash with one financial institution, which at times may exceed insured limits. It is the opinion of management that solvency of the financial institution is not a concern at this time.

#### Note 6. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events for potential recognition and/or disclosure through the date this financial statement was issued.

Exemption Report

December 31, 2015

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**RSM US LLP** 

#### Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Member
DSIL Investment Services LLC
New York, New York

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Exemption Report, in which (a) DSIL Investment Services LLC identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3(k) under which DSIL Investment Services LLC claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3: (k)(1), (the "exemption provisions") and (b) DSIL Investment Services LLC stated that DSIL Investment Services LLC met the identified exemption provisions throughout the year ended December 31, 2015 without exception. DSIL Investment Services LLC'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 DSIL Investment Services LLC'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)(1) of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

RSM US LLP

New York, New York February 25, 2016



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### DSIL Investment Services LLC Exemption Report

DSIL Investment Services 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 under the provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3(k)(1).
- (2) The Company met the identified exemption provisions in 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3(k)(1) throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception.

I hereby affirm that, to my best knowledge and belief, this Exemption Report is true and correct.

Name: Carole M. Laible

Title: President, Chief Financial Officer

DSIL Investment Services LLC

Date: February 25, 2016

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## **DSIL Investment Services LLC**

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2015

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