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	A. REGISTRANT I	DENTIFICATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: C	larion Partners Securities, LL	C	OFFICIAL USE ONLY
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Robert Fortino			646-589-8100
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-	B. ACCOUNTANT I	DENTIFICATION	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUN	TANT whose opinion is con	tained in this Report*	
Ernst & Young LLP	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
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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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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

IJason Schwartz	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of			
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of				
Clarion Partners Securities, LLC	. 35			
	, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that			
neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal office	er or director has any proprietary interest in any account			
classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:				
No Exceptions	,			
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This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):				
(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 C ☐ (g) Computation of Net Capital.	laims of Creditors.			
 (g) Computation of Net Capital. (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirement 	ante Durguent la Dala 15a2 2			
 □ (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.				
(I) 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.				
☑ (o) Exemption Report pursuant to Securities and Exchang	ge Commission Rule 17a5(d)(4)			

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Clarion Partners Securities, LLC Statement of Financial Condition

Statement of Financial Condition
Pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange
Act of 1934
As of December 31, 2015

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Management of Clarion Partners Securities, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Clarion Partners Securities, LLC (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 statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. 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 statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Clarion Partners Securities, LLC at December 31, 2015, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Ernet + Young LLP

February 5, 2016

Clarion Partners Securities, LLC Statement of Financial Condition As of December 31, 2015

Assets:		
Cash	\$	315,772
Other assets		31,001
Prepaid expenses	•	41,438
Accounts receivable - parent		150,132
Total assets	\$	538,343
Liabilities and Member's Equity: Liabilities: Accounts payable and accrued expenses Total liabilities	<u>\$</u>	82,728 82,728
Member's equity: Total liabilities and member's equity		455,615 538,343

Clarion Partners Securities, LLC Notes to the Financial Statement December 31, 2015

1. Organization

Clarion Partners Securities, LLC ("CPS LLC" or "the Company") is a limited liability company established in the state of Delaware on October 15, 2012. On November 20, 2013, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") approved the registration of the Company. Operations commenced on November 26, 2012. The Company is registered as a securities broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of FINRA. The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Clarion Partners, LLC ("CP, LLC"), and was initially capitalized with a contribution in the amount of \$250,000 in November 2012. The Company acts as agent in the private placement of securities.

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

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.

Other Assets

Other assets consist of cash held in the Company's flex-funding account at FINRA for filing fees and other FINRA related charges. The Company may choose to withdraw funds from its flex-funding Account due to various circumstances (e.g., renewal refund or account overfunding).

Accounts Receivable - Parent

Accounts receivable - parent is stated at its net realizable value, which represents the current balance.

Income Taxes

The Company was formed as a single member limited liability company and as such is not itself subject to federal, state or local income taxes. The sole member is responsible for the tax liability, if any, related to the Company's taxable income or loss.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statement in conformity with GAAP requires the Company's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statement. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

3. Related Party Transactions

On March 5, 2013, the Company and CP, LLC entered into the SLA under which the Company shall be paid an annual service fee in the amount of all costs and expenses incurred by the Company in connection with the performance under the SLA, plus 15%. For the year ended December 31, 2015,

Clarion Partners Securities, LLC Notes to the Financial Statement December 31, 2015

the Company recognized revenue of \$8,940,006 under the SLA. Fees receivable at December 31, 2015 was \$150,132 and are reflected as accounts receivable - parent on the accompanying statement of financial condition.

On March 5, 2013, the Company and CP, LLC also entered into a Services Agreement to establish terms and conditions under which the parties will allocate shared costs and expenses. CP, LLC and the Company share the same office space, equipment, technology, supplies and the agreement allows for the Company to provide office equipment and staffing for its operations. For these services the Company pays fees to CP, LLC as referenced in the SLA, above.

4. Net Capital Requirements

The Company, as a member of the FINRA, is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c3-1. This Rule requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2015, the Company's net capital was \$233,044, which was \$227,529 in excess of its minimum requirement of \$5,515.