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| Report for the period beginning January 1, 2015 and ending December 31, 2015  |                                       |                     |                     |                               |  |
|   | A. REGISTR                            | ANT INFOR           | RMATION             |                               |  |
| NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:  CHXBD, LLC.  ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE 440 S. LaSalle Street.  | OF BUSINES                            | S (Do not use       | e P.O. Box No.):    | Official Use Only Firm ID No. |  |
| (No. and Street) Chicago (City)   | Illinois<br>(State)                   | 60605<br>(Zip Code) |                     |                               |  |
| NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBE<br>Ronald Brzezinski   | (312) 663-26<br>(Area Code – Telephon | <u>660.</u>         | CT IN REGARD T      | O THIS REPORT:                |  |
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| INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUN<br>Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP<br>(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)<br>205 North Michigan Avenue<br>(No. and Street) | ITANT whose o                         | opinion is con      | tained in this Repo | ort*                          |  |
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### **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

| of CH affirm) has ar                                    | pald Brzezinski, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, companying financial statements and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm XBD, LLC, as of December 31, 2015, are true and correct. I further swear (or that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director my proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, as follows:  |
|---|--|
| None.   |  |
|   |  |
|   | RU Byis  Signature  Financial Operation and Principal  Title   |
| Signed  | be fore me on the 26th day  OFFICIAL SEAL  RICHARD S SCHILLTZ  |
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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

Board of Directors CHXBD, LLC Chicago, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of CHXBD, LLC as of December 31, 2015, and the related statements of operations, changes in member's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of CHXBD, LLC's management. 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. 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 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of CHXBD, LLC 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 supplemental information contained in pages 11-14 has been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of CHXBD, LLC's financial statements. The supplemental information is the responsibility of CHXBD, LLC'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 17 C.F.R. § 240.17a5. In our opinion, the supplemental information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Chicago, Illinois February 26, 2016



### CHXBD, LLC **Statement of Financial Condition** December 31, 2015

See notes to financial statements.

|                                     |                    |               | Dec | ember 31,<br><u>2015</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|-----|--------------------------|
|                                     | ASSETS             | }             |     |                          |
| Cash and cash equivaler             | nts                |               | \$  | 164,362                  |
| Receivable from clearing            | g organization     | ·             |     | 112,620                  |
| Receivable from FINRA               |                    | :             |     | 11,288                   |
| Prepaid expenses                    |                    | •             |     | 2,404                    |
| Receivable from affiliate           | 2                  |               |     | 4,071                    |
| Total assets                        |                    |               | \$  | 294,745                  |
|                                     |                    |               |     |                          |
| L                                   | IABILITIES AND MEM | MBER'S EQUITY |     |                          |
| <b>Liabilities</b> Accrued expenses |                    |               | \$  | 26,693                   |
| Total Liabilities                   |                    |               |     | 26,693                   |
| Member's Equity                     |                    |               |     | 268,052                  |
| Total Liabilities and Mer           | mber's Equity      |               | \$  | 294,745                  |
|                                     | •                  | •             |     |                          |

# CHXBD, LLC Statement of Operations Year ended December 31, 2015

| Reve | nues |
|------|------|
|------|------|

| Transaction Fees                        |    | \$<br>6,037    |
|---|----|----------------|
| Total revenues                          |    | <br>6,037      |
| Expenses                                |    |                |
| Execution fees                          |    | 28,770         |
| Professional and other outside services |    | 22,351         |
| General and administrative              |    | 15,886         |
|   | t. | _              |
| Total expenses                          |    | <br>67,007     |
|   |    |                |
| Net loss                                |    | \$<br>(60,970) |

See notes to financial statements.

### CHXBD, LLC Statement of Changes in Member's Equity Year Ended December 31, 2015

|                            | Me   | Total<br>ember's<br>Equity |
|----------------------------|------|----------------------------|
| Balance, January 1, 2015   | \$   | 262,022                    |
| Capital contributions      |      | 67,000                     |
| Net loss                   |      | (60,970)                   |
| Balance, December 31, 2015 | \$ . | 268,052                    |

### **Statement of Cash Flows**

Year Ended December 31, 2015

| Net loss                                  |   | \$<br>(60,970) |
|---|---|----------------|
| Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net  |   |                |
| cash used in operating activities:        |   | •              |
| Changes in:                               |   | •              |
| Receivable from clearing organization     |   | (2,620)        |
| Receivable from FINRA                     |   | 225            |
| Prepaid expenses                          | • | (261)          |
| Receivable from affiliate                 |   | (4,071)        |
| Accrued liabilities                       |   | <br>13,632     |
| Net cash used in operating activities     |   | (54,065)       |
| Cash flows from financing activities      |   |                |
| Proceeds from capital contributions       |   | <br>67,000     |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents |   | 12,935         |
| Cash, at beginning of year                |   | <br>151,427    |
| Cash, at end of year                      |   | \$<br>164,362  |
| See notes to financial statements.        |   |                |

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2015

### 1. Organization

CHXBD, LLC, (the "Company") or ("CHXBD"), a Delaware limited liability company, was formed on June 20, 2012. The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CHX Holdings, Inc. ("CHXH"). The Company is a registered broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and Financial Industry Regulatory Authority.

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A summary of the significant accounting policies which have been followed in preparing the accompanying financial statement is set forth below:

Cash and Cash Equivalents - Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term highly liquid investments with maturities of three months or less at the date of acquisition. At December 31, 2015, the balance in cash and cash equivalents consisted entirely of cash.

Receivable from Clearing Organization — Receivable from clearing organization represents unsecured deposits held by the Company's clearing broker. Receivables from clearing organizations are considered fully collectible by management and, accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary.

**Revenue Recognition** — Transaction fee revenue is generated by providing order routing services to its affiliate the Chicago Stock Exchange, Inc. (CHX), a wholly-owned subsidiary of CHXH. The transaction fee revenue is earned on the routing of executed orders and recorded on the trade date.

Income Taxes — As a limited liability company with a single member, the Company is treated as a disregarded entity for Federal and Illinois income tax purposes. All income and expense of the Company is reported on the tax returns of the Company's sole member. Consequently, no provision or liability for income taxes has been included in the financial statements.

The Company is subject to the accounting standard for uncertainty in income taxes. In accordance with that standard, the Company has evaluated tax positions taken or expected to be taken for all open tax years to determine whether the tax provisions are more-likely-than-not to be sustained by the applicable tax authority. Based on this analysis, there were no tax positions not deemed to meet a more-likely than not threshold. Therefore, no tax provision, including any interest and penalties, has been recorded as of December 31, 2015.

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2015

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Income tax returns filed or to be filed by the Company's sole member for the years ended December 31, 2013, 2014 and 2015 are subject to examination by the relevant tax authorities.

Use of Estimates — The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Actual amounts realized may differ from those estimates.

### 3. Related-Party Transaction

The Company has entered into an expense sharing agreement with CHXH and CHX. The agreement, among other things, provides for CHX to pay for certain expenses such as, but not limited to salaries, rent, telephone, copy services, etc. on behalf of the Company. The agreement also states that the Company has no obligation, legally or otherwise, to the vendors for such costs as described in the agreement and furthermore, that the Company has no obligation, direct or indirect, to reimburse or otherwise compensate CHX or CHXH for such costs. Such expenses are excluded from the Company's financial statements and totaled \$114,069 for the year ended December 31, 2015.

CHXBD incurs SRO and trading permit fees which are payable to CHX. During 2015, CHXBD recorded SRO and trading permit fee expense in the amounts of \$7,200 and \$7,200, respectively, which are included in general and administrative expense on the statement of operations.

The receivable from affiliate at December 31, 2015 consists primarily of routing fees generated by services performed by the Company for its affiliate.

### 4. Fair Value Disclosure

ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and establishes a fair value hierarchy which prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market. Valuation techniques that are consistent with the market, income or cost approach, as specified by ASC 820, are used to measure fair value.

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2015

### 4. Fair Value Disclosure (continued)

The fair value hierarchy prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value in three broad levels:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities the Company has the ability to access.
- Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability and rely on management's own assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. The unobservable inputs should be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances and may include the Company's own data.

As of December 31, 2015, the Company had no Level 1, Level 2, or Level 3 assets.

### 5. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is a broker dealer subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1). Under this rule, the Company is required to maintain "net capital" equal to the greater of \$5,000 or 2% of "aggregate debt items" arising from customer transactions, as defined.

At December 31, 2015, the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$261,577 and \$5,000, respectively.

### 6. Commitments

The Company has entered into an agreement with its clearing broker that requires a minimum monthly fee of \$8,333 for clearing and execution services. The minimum fee commenced on October 1, 2015 and as a result CHXBD incurred \$25,000 of such fees in 2015 which are included in execution fees on the statement of operations.

### 7. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated events and transactions through February 26, 2016 the date the financial statement were issued. Management has determined that there were no material events that would require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### **Supplementary Information**

Schedule I – Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
As of December 31, 2015
(See Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm)

### **Computation of Net Capital**

|   |                     | <u>2015</u>       |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| Total Member's Equity                           |                     | \$ 268,052        |
| Deductions And/Or Charges Non-Allowable assets: |                     |                   |
| Receivable from affiliate Prepaid expenses      |                     | 4,071<br>2,404    |
| Net Capital                                     |                     | <u>\$ 261,577</u> |
|   |                     |                   |
| Computation of Agg                              | regate Indebtedness |                   |
|   | . 44                |                   |
| Total Aggregate Indebtedness Accrued expenses   |                     | <br>\$ 26,693     |
| Total Aggregate Indebtedness                    |                     | \$ 26.693         |

### **Supplementary Information**

Schedule I – Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
As of December 31, 2015
(See Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm)

### Computation of Basic Net Capital Requirement

|  | <u>2015</u>      |
|--|------------------|
| Minimum Net Capital Required   | <u>\$ 5,000</u>  |
| Minimum Dollar Net Capital Required  | \$ 5,000         |
| Net Capital Requirement  | <u>\$ 5,000</u>  |
| Excess Net Capital   | <u>\$256,577</u> |
| Net Capital Less Greater of 10% of Total Aggregate indebtedness or 120% of Minimum Dollar Net Capital Required | <u>\$255,577</u> |
| Ratio: Aggregate Indebtedness to Net Capital   | <u>.10 to 1</u>  |

There are no material differences between the amount reported herein and the Form X-17-A-5 Part IIA Filing.

### **Supplementary Information**

Schedule II – Computation for the Determination of Revenue Requirements under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2015
(See Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm)

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(ii) of the Rule.

### **Supplementary Information**

Schedule III – Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2015
(See Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm)

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(ii) of the Rule.

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### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

**Board of Directors** CHXBD, LLC Chicago, Illinois

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Exemption Report, in which (1) CHXBD, LLC identified the following provision of 17 C.F.R. § 15c3-3(k) under which CHXBD, LLC claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3: (2)(ii) (the "exemption provisions") and (2) CHXBD, LLC stated that CHXBD, LLC met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception. CHXBD, LLC 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 CHXBD, 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 conditions set forth in paragraph (k)(2)(ii) of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Chicago, Illinois

February 26, 2016

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February 10, 2016

### By UPS

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SEC Headquarters Mail Stop 8031 Rule 15c3-3 Exemption 100 F Street, NE Washington, DC 20549

Re: Exemption from SEA Rule 15c3-3 for CHXBD, LLC

To Whom It May Concern:

CHXBD, LLC ("CHXBD") claims exemption from SEA Rule 15c3-3, pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(ii) thereunder, for the period of January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015, because CHXBD does not hold customer funds or safe keep securities. Paragraph (k)(2)(ii) states as follows:

The provisions of this section shall not be applicable to a broker or dealer who, as an introducing broker or dealer, clears all transactions with and for customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker or dealer, and who promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker or dealer which carries all of the accounts of such customers and maintains and preserves such books and records pertaining thereto pursuant to the requirements of §§ 240.17a-3 and 240.17a-4 of this chapter, as are customarily made and kept by a clearing broker or dealer.

CHXBD met the exemption provisions of paragraph (k)(2)(ii) under SEA Rule 15c3-3 for the period of January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015, without exception.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Albert J. Kim
Deputy Chief Compliance Officer

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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| NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: MKG I  | FINANCIAL GROUP,                 | INC.                   |                    | OFFICIAL USE ONLY                     |
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# Duane Liebswager, CPA P.C. Certified Public Accountant

15405 SW 116th Avenue, Suite 112 King City, OR 97224 Duane G. Liebswager

### Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants

Board of Directors
MKG Financial Group, Inc.

Report of the Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying statements of financial condition of MKG Financial Group, Inc. (An Oregon "S" Corporation) as of December 31, 2015, and the related statements of income income, changes in stockholder'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.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards established by The Auditing Standards (United States) and in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the

financial statements whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design 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. Accordingly, I express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluation of the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

### Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of MKG Financial Group, Inc. as of December 31, 2015, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in The United States of America.

Duane Liebswager, C.P.A., PC Certified Public Accountant

February 10, 2016

### MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION December 31, 2015

|   | 2015               |
|---|--------------------|
| ASSETS  |                    |
| Cash  | \$ 1,087           |
| Receivables from broker dealers   | 9,546              |
| Receivables   | 1,085              |
| Deposits with clearing organizations  | 25,000             |
| Furniture, equipment at cost - net of accumulated depreciation of \$167,052 | 650                |
| Prepaid expenses  | 216                |
| Cash surrender value life insurance   | 1,943              |
|   |                    |
| TOTAL ASSETS  | \$ <u>39,527</u>   |
|   |                    |
|   |                    |
|   |                    |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY  |                    |
| Accounts payable and accrued  |                    |
| liabilities   | \$ 23,029          |
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| TOTAL LIABILITIES   | 23,029             |
|   |                    |
| STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY  |                    |
| Common stock, \$1 par value, 100  |                    |
| shares authorized and issued  | 100                |
| Additional paid-in capital  | 282,127            |
| Retained earnings   | ( <u>265,729</u> ) |
| Total stockholder's equity  | 16,498             |
| Total Stockholder S equity  |                    |
|   | \$ <u>39,527</u>   |

### MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. STATEMENT OF INCOME Year Ended December 31, 2015

|                                   | 2015              |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                   |                   |
| REVENUES                          | 4456 000          |
| Commissions                       | \$456,929         |
| Sale of investment company shares | 0 046             |
| Interest and dividends            | 2,246             |
| Rent income                       | 63,999            |
| Other                             | 99,882            |
| Total revenue                     | 623,056           |
|                                   | 023,000           |
|                                   |                   |
| EXPENSES                          |                   |
| Employee compensation and taxes   | 112,046           |
| Commissions and floor brokerage   | 81,369            |
| Regulatory fees and assessments   | 12,988            |
| Communications                    | 16,616            |
| Occupancy and equipment rents     | 126,847           |
| Professional fees                 | 26,165            |
| Other expenses                    | 1-37,654          |
| Depreciation                      | 2,023             |
|                                   | F1F 700           |
| Total expenses                    | 515,708           |
| NET INCOME (LOSS)                 | \$ <u>107,348</u> |

See accompanying notes and accountant's audit report.

### MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

| Common Stock                 | Shares          | _Amount       | Paid In<br><u>Capital</u> | Retained<br><u>Earnings</u> | Total              |  |
|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Balance at December 31,      | 2014 100        | \$100         | (\$282,127                | )(\$269 <b>,</b> 084)       | \$ 13,143          |  |
| Net income (los for the year |                 |               |                           | 107,348                     | 107,348            |  |
| Distributions                |                 | <del></del> . | -                         | (103,933)                   | ( <u>103,933</u> ) |  |
| Balance at December 31,      | 2015 <u>100</u> | \$ <u>100</u> | \$ <u>282,127</u>         | (\$ <u>265,729</u> )        | \$ <u>16,498</u>   |  |

### MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

|   | <u>2015</u>   |
|---|---|
| Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents: | ,   |
| Cash flows from operating activities:             |   |
| Cash received from operations                     | \$611,469   |
| Cash paid to employees and suppliers              | (507, 593)  |
| Interest received                                 | 2,246   |
| Interest paid                                     | ( 1,885)  |
| Income taxes                                      | ( <u>150</u> )  |
| Net cash provided by operating                    |   |
| activities  | 102,763   |
| Cash flows from investing activities:             | e de la companya de |
| CVS Life insurance change                         | 1,324   |
| Paid-In capital                                   | 0   |
| Net cash provided by investing                    |   |
| activities  | 1,324   |
| Cash flows from financing activities:             |   |
| Bank loans  | 0   |
| Distributions                                     | ( <u>103,993</u> )  |
| Net cash used by financing activities             | (103,993)   |
| Net increase in cash and cash                     |   |
| equivalents                                       | 94  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning            |   |
| of year   | 993   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of               |   |
| year  | \$ <u>1,087</u>   |
|   |   |

## Reconciliation of net income to net cash provided by operating activities:

| Net income                         |                  | \$107,348 |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Adjustments to reconcile net incom | ne to            |           |
| net cash provided by operating ac  | ctivities:       |           |
| Amortization and depreciation      |                  | . 2,023   |
| Change in assets and liabilities:  |                  |           |
| Receivables from brokers or dealer | rs ja kala ka ja | ·( 9,341) |
| Prepaid expenses                   |                  | 1,015     |
| Accounts payable                   |                  | 1,718     |
| Total adjustments                  |                  | (4,585)   |
|                                    |                  |           |

Net cash provided by operating activities  $$\frac{102,763}{}$ 

Disclosure of accounting policy:

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers cash on hand and cash in bank to be cash equivalents.

See accompanying notes and accountant's audit report.

MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2015

### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Date of Management's Review - Management has evaluated subsequent events through February 10, 2016, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.

The Company is an Oregon corporation and a registered broker-dealer in securities under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The Company renders broker-dealer services in securities on both an agency and principal basis to its customers who are fully introduced to Pershing. The Company is exempt from the reserve requirements under SEC Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(B), since it does not handle or carry customer securities and cash.

A summary of the Company's significant accounting policies consistently applied in the preparation of the accompanying financial statements follows:

### 1. Revenue Recognition

Security transactions and related revenue are recorded on a trade date basis, as if they had settled.

### 2. Securities Valuation

Marketable securities owned are stated at market value with changes in value reflected currently in the results of operations for the year.

### 3. Receivables

Receivables from brokers or dealers consist of commissions receivable and are considered fully collectible.

Receivables from non-customers consist of balances due for services rendered and are considered collectible by management.

### 4. Securities

Marketable securities are valued at market value and the resulting difference between cost and market is included in income.

### 5. Income Taxes

The Company elected, effective April 1, 2000 to be treated as an

## MKG FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2015

### 5. <u>Income Taxes Continued</u>

"S" Corporation under the Internal Revenue Code. Instead of paying corporate income taxes, the shareholders of an "S" Corporation are taxed individually on the Company's taxable income or loss. Therefore, no provision or liability for federal and state corporate income taxes has been included in these financial statements.

The Company is no longer subject to federal or state examinations by taxing authorities for years before 2012, generally for three years after they were filed.

### 6. <u>Use of 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 and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### 7. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are carried at cost. Depreciation is provided using straight-line method for financial reporting purposes using estimated useful life of five to ten years. Depreciation expense amounted to \$2,023 for calendar year ending December 31, 2015.

### NOTE B - LEASES

Operating Leases - The Company occupies office space under an operating lease expiring February 2018, which is personally guaranteed by the shareholder. The lease requires the Company to pay its proportionate share of operating expenses for the building; principally real estate taxes, insurance, repairs and maintenance and utilities. Total rent expense for the year ended December 31, 2015, was \$123,945.

### MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2015

### NOTE B - LEASES (Continued)

Future minimum lease payments under non-cancelable operating leases as of December 31, 2015 are approximately as follows:

| Year | one   |     |     | \$125,192         |
|------|-------|-----|-----|-------------------|
| Year | two   | · . | ÷ . | <br>128,948       |
| Year | three |     |     | <u>21,296</u>     |
|      | •     |     | **  | \$ <u>275,436</u> |

The Company has subleased parts of its office space. Total sublease income for year ended December 31, 2015 was \$63,999.

### NOTE C - COMMON STOCK

The Company was incorporated under the laws of the State of Oregon. In conjunction with the incorporation, the Board of Directors authorized the issuance of 100 shares of \$1. par value common stock, all of which are outstanding at December 31, 2015.

### NOTE D - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the net capital rule (Rule 15c3-1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission. This rule prohibits the Company from engaging in any securities transaction at a time when its "aggregate indebtedness" exceeds fifteen times its "net capital" as those terms are defined by the rule. At December 31, 2015, the Company's net capital and required net capital, as defined, were \$15,632 and \$5,000 respectively, and its ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 1.47 to 1.

### NOTE E - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Company maintains cash balances at one financial institution located in Portland, Oregon. Accounts are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2015 the Company's uninsured cash balance was \$.00.

### NOTE F - FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS

Furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements consist of the following at December 31, 2015:

MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2015

## NOTE F - FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS (Continued)

| Vehicle                       |                  | \$ 25,874 |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Furniture and fixtures        |                  | 41,541    |
| Office equipment              |                  | 59,559    |
| Leasehold improvements        |                  | 40,728    |
|                               |                  | 167,702   |
| Less accumulated depreciation | and amortization | (167,052) |
|                               |                  | \$ 650    |

### NOTE G - EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PROGRAM

The Company has a savings incentive match plan covering employees who meet prescribed requirements. The Company contributes a matching contribution to each eligible employee equal to the employee's salary reduction contributions up to a limit of 3% of the employee's compensation for the calendar year. The Company made contributions to the plan of approximately \$1,915 for the year ended December 31, 2015.

### NOTE H - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Company does not have any commitments or contingent liabilities other than those stated in these financial statements.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

PURSUANT TO RULE 17A-5 OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

# Duane Liebswager, CPA P.C. Certified Public Accountant

15405 SW 116th Avenue, Suite 112 King City, OR 97224 Duane G. Liebswager

Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants
on Supplemental Information Required by SEC Rule 17a-5

Board of Directors MKG Financial Group, Inc.

I have audited the financial statements of MKG Financial Group, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2015, and have issued my report dated February 10, 2016, which contained an unmodified opinion on those financial statements. My audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The Supplementary information contained in Schedules 1 and 2, required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information in Schedules 1 and 2 has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and PCAOB. In my opinion the information in Schedules 1 and 2 is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Dune Liebswager CPAP.C.

Duane Liebswager, C.P.A., PC Certified Public Accountant

February 10, 2016

## MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. SCHEDULE 1

# FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL COMBINED UNIFORM SINGLE REPORT - PART IIA FORM X-17A-5 THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL For Year Ended December 31, 2015

|   | 2015                                       |
|---|--|
| Stockholders' equity from statement of financial condition Deduct equity not allowable for net            | \$16,498                                   |
| capital   | 0  |
| Stockholders' equity qualified for net capital  | \$16,498                                   |
| Deductions and/or charges Non-allowable assets: Furniture and equipment Prepaid expenses & receivables    | ( 650)<br>( <u>216</u> )                   |
| Net Capital before haircuts Haircut on other securities Net Capital                                       | 15,632<br>( <u>0</u> )<br>\$ <u>15,632</u> |
| Computation of net capital requirement Minimum net capital required                                       | \$ <u>1,535</u>                            |
| Minimum dollar net capital requirement  | \$ <u>5,000</u>                            |
| Excess net capital  | \$ <u>10,632</u>                           |
| Excess net capital at 1000%   | \$ <u>13,329</u>                           |
| Aggregate Indebtedness Items included from statement of financial condition: Accounts payable and accrued |  |
| liabilities   | \$ <u>23,029</u>                           |
| Total aggregate indebtedness  | \$ <u>23,029</u>                           |
| Ratio: Aggregate indebtedness to net capital  | 1.47 to 1.                                 |

## MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. SCHEDULE 2

## FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL COMBINED UNIFORM SINGLE REPORT - PART IIA FORM X-171-5 THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

RECONCILIATION OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL UNDER RULE 15c3-1 For Year Ended December 31, 2015

|   | 2015             |
|---|------------------|
| NET CAPITAL   |                  |
| Net capital as of December 31, per unaudited report filed by respondent   | \$14,547         |
| Adjustments Effect on net income for adjustments Receivable misclassification Rounding                                | 1,085<br>0       |
| Net capital at December 31, as adjusted  AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS   | \$ <u>15,632</u> |
| Total aggregate indebtedness as of December 31, per unaudited report filed by respondent Decrease in accounts payable | \$23,029<br>0    |
| Total aggregate indebtedness as of December 31, as adjusted   | \$ <u>23,029</u> |

# Duane Liebswager, CPA P.C. Certified Public Accountant

15405 SW 116th Avenue, Suite 112 King City, OR 97224

Duane G. Liebswager

Independent Accountants' Report on Applying Agreed-Upon Procedures

Related to an Entity's SIPC Assessment Reconciliation

To the Board of Directors MKG Financial Group, Inc. 1500 SW First Avenue, Suite 1000 Portland, Oregon 97201

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments (General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7) to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) for the year ended December 31, 2015, which were agreed to by MKG Financial Group, Inc. and the Securities and Exchange Commission, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc., SIPC and other designated examining authority or specified parties of report, solely to assist you and the other specified parties in evaluating MKG Financial Group, Inc. compliance with the applicable instructions of the General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7). MKG Financial Group, Inc.'s management is responsible for the MKG Financial Group, Inc.'s compliance with those requirements. agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures we performed and our findings are as follows:

- 1. Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7 with respective cash disbursement records entries noting no differences,
- 2. Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form-X17A-5 for the year ended December 31, 2015, as applicable, with the amounts reported in Form SIPC-7 for the year ended December 31, 2015, noting no differences;

- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers noting no differences;
- 4. Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments noting no differences; and
- 5. Compared the amount of any overpayment applied to the current assessment with the Form SIPC-7T on which it was originally computed noting no differences.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Duane Liebswager, C.P.A., PC Certified Public Accountant

February 10, 2016

### SIPC-6

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SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION
P.O. Box 92185 Washington, D.C. 20090-2185
202-371-8300
General Assessment Payment Form

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(34-REV 7/10)

For the first half of the fiscal year ending 12/31/2015 (Read carefully the instructions in your Working Copy before completing this Form)

| TO BE FILED BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION |                            |                            |                          |
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| urpos        | es of the audit requirement of SEC Rule 17a-5: /   |  |
|              |  | Note: If any of the information shown on the   |
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|              | MKG FINANCIAL GROUP INC<br>1500 SW 1ST AVE STE 1000  | moleate on the form med.   |
|              | PORTLAND OR 97201-5834   | Name and telephone number of person to contact respecting this form.                   |
|              |  | Tom BIESIADECK; (503) 216-6700   |
|              |  | JOHN DIESTAVECRI (V-2) XZC 0100  |
|              |  |  |
|              |  |  |
| 2. A.        | General assessment payment for the first half of the fiscal year (item 2e from page 2)   | \$ 663.07  |
| ٠.           | 1. Less prior year overpayment applied as reflected on SIPC-7 if applicab  | ole (  |
|              | 2. Assessment balance due  | 663.07   |
| В.           | Interest computed on late payment (see instruction E) fordays at 2   | 20% per annum  |
| C.           | Total assessment and interest due  | s 663.07   |
| n            | PAID WITH THIS FORM:   |  |
| υ.           | Check enclosed, payable to SIPC Total (must be same as C above)  \$  | 07   |
|              |  |  |
| 3. Sut       | osidiaries (S) and predecessors (P) included in this form (give name and 1   | 934 Act registration number):  |
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|              | n by whom it is executed represent thereby   |  |
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## DETERMINATION OF "SIPC NET OPERATING REVENUES" AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT

Amounts for the fiscal period beginning 1/1/2015 and ending 6/30/2015

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| 2a. Total revenue (FOCUS Line 12/Part IIA Line 9. Code 4030)  | \$ 333, 163            |
|---|------------------------|
| 2b. Additions:  |                        |
| (1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries (except foreign subsidiaries) and<br>predecessors not included above.   |                        |
| (2) Net loss from principal transactions in securities in trading accounts.   |                        |
| (3) Net loss from principal transactions in commodities in trading accounts.  | •                      |
| (4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item 2a.  |                        |
| (5) Net loss from management of or participation in the underwriting or distribution of securities.   |                        |
| (6) Expenses other than advertising, printing, registration fees and legal fees deducted in determining net profit from management of or participation in underwriting or distribution of securities.   |                        |
| (7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.  |                        |
| Total additions   |                        |
| 2c. Deductions:   |                        |
| (1) Revenues from the distribution of shares of a registered open end investment company or unit<br>investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the business of insurance, from<br>investment advisory services rendered to registered investment companies or insurance company<br>separate accounts and from transactions in security futures products. |                        |
| (2) Revenues from commodity transactions.   | ·<br>·                 |
| (3) Commissions, floor brokerage and clearance paid to other SIPC members in connection with securities transactions.   | 42,142                 |
| (4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicitation.   | *                      |
| (5) Net gain from securities in investment accounts.  |                        |
| (6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions in (i) certificates of deposit and<br>(ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper that mature nine months or less<br>from issuance date.  |                        |
| (7) Direct expenses of printing, advertising and legal fees incurred in connection with other revenue<br>related to the securities business (revenue defined by Section 16(9)(L) of the Act).   |                        |
| (8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the securities business. (See instruction C):  |                        |
|   | 26,192                 |
| (Deductions in excess of \$100,000 require documentation)   |                        |
| (9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART IIA Line 13, Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess of total interest and dividend income   |                        |
| (ii) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities accounts (40% of FOCUS line 5, Code 3960)  |                        |
| Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)   |                        |
| Total deductions  | 68,334                 |
| 2d. SIPC Net Operating Revenues   | \$ 265 229             |
| 2e. General Assessment @ .0025  | \$663,07               |
|   | (to page 1, line 2.A.) |

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MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

1500 SW FIRST AVE. STE. 1000 PORTLAND, OR 97201 (503)226-6700 (800)760-4933

<u>7/31/2715</u> \$ 663.07

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#### SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION P.O. Box 92185 Washington, D.C. 20090-2185 202-371-8300

General Assessment Reconciliation

SIPC-7

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For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2015 (Read carefully the instructions in your Working Copy before completing this Form)

#### TO BE FILED BY ALL SIPC MEMBERS WITH FISCAL YEAR ENDINGS

| This form and the assessment payment is due 60 days after the end of the fiscal year. Retain the Working Copy of this form for a period of not less than 6 years, the latest 2 years In an easily accessible place.  Dales:  Postmarked Received Reviewed  Calculations Documentation Forward Copy  Exceptions:  | TO BE FILED BY ALL SIPC WEWBERS WIT  |  |
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## DETERMINATION OF "SIPE NET OPERATING REVENUES

AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT

Amounts for the fiscal period beginning 1/1/2015 and ending 12/31/2015

| Item No.<br>2a. Total revenue (FOCUS Line 12/Part IIA Line 9, Code 4030)   | Eliminate cents<br>\$623,057 |
|--|------------------------------|
| Additions:     (1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries (except foreign subsidiaries) and predecessors not included above.  |                              |
| (2) Net loss from principal transactions in securities in trading accounts.  |                              |
| (3) Net loss from principal transactions in commodities in trading accounts.   |                              |
| (4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item 2a.   |                              |
| (5) Net loss from management of or participation in the underwriting or distribution of securities.  |                              |
| (6) Expenses other than advertising, printing, registration fees and legal fees deducted in determining net<br>profit from management of or participation in underwriting or distribution of securities.   |                              |
| (7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.   |                              |
| Total additions  |                              |
| 2c. Deductions:  |                              |
| (1) Revenues from the distribution of shares of a registered open end investment company or unit<br>investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the business of insurance, from investment<br>advisory services rendered to registered investment companies or insurance company separate<br>accounts, and from transactions in security futures products. |                              |
| (2) Revenues from commodity transactions.  |                              |
| (3) Commissions, floor brokerage and clearance paid to other SIPC members in connection with securities transactions.  | 80,285<br>635                |
| (4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicitation.  | -                            |
| (5) Net gain from securities in investment accounts.   | 635                          |
| (6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions in (i) certificates of deposit and<br>(ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper that mature nine months or less<br>from issuance date.   |                              |
| (7) Direct expenses of printing advertising and legal fees incurred in connection with other revenue<br>related to the securities business (revenue defined by Section 16(9)(L) of the Act).   |                              |
| (8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the securities business.<br>(See Instruction C):  |                              |
|  | 63,999                       |
| (Deductions in excess of \$100,000 require documentation)  |                              |
|  |                              |
| (9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART IIA Line 13,<br>Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess<br>of lotal interest and dividend income.   |                              |
| (ii) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities accounts (40% of FOCUS tine 5, Code 3960).  |                              |
| Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)  |                              |
| Total deductions   | 144,919                      |
| 2d. SIPC Nel Operating Revenues  | s 478,138                    |
| 2e. General Assessment @ .0025   | \$ 1195.35                   |
|  | (to page 1, line 2.A.)       |

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm-Exemption Report Review

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Exemption Report required by SEC Rule 17a-5, in which (1) MKG Financial Group, Inc. indentified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. #240.15c3-3 under the provision (k)(2)(ii) "Customer protection-Reserves and Custody of Securities" and (2) Broker Dealer stated that it has met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception. MLG Financial Group, Inc's. management is responsible for compliance with the exemption provisions and it's 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 Broker Dealer'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 Section (k)(2)(ii) "Customer Protection-Reserves and Custody of Securities of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934.

Oregon

Duane Liebswager, C.P.A., PC

February 10, 2016



#### 2015 Exemption Report

#### SEC Rule 15c3-3

MKG Financial Group, Inc. during calendar year 2015 claimed an exemption to SEC Rule 15c3-3. MKG Financial Group, Inc. met the following criteria, without exception, for the entire calendar year 2015 under section (k) of the Rule:

MKG Financial Group, Inc. is not a carrying firm. MKG Financial Group, Inc. carries no margin accounts, promptly transmits all customer funds, does not receive or handle customer securities, does not otherwise hold funds or securities for, or owe money to, customers and effectuates all financial transactions between the broker/dealer and its customers through Pershing, LLC.

In accordance with SEC Rule 17a-5, MKG Financial Group, Inc. makes the following assertions:

- a. The Internal Control Over Compliance of MKG Financial Group, Inc. was effective during 2015.
- b. The Internal Control Over Compliance of MKG Financial Group, Inc. was effective as of the end of 2015.
- c. MKG Financial Group, Inc. was in compliance with 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.15c3-1 (the "net capital rule") and 240.15c3-3(e) (the "reserve requirements rule") as of the end of 2015.
- d. The information MKG Financial Group, Inc. used to state whether it was in compliance with the net capital rule and the reserve requirements rule was derived from the books and records of MKG Financial Group, Inc.

I certify that the above statement is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Thank you,

Mark K. Gaskill President/CEO



MKG FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. (An Oregon "S" Corporation)

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