

SKYWORKS SECURITIES, LLC

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2023

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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/2023 AND ENDING 12/31/2023
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF FIRM: SkyWorks Securities, LLC

TYPE OF REGISTRANT (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ Broker-dealer ☐ Security-based swap dealer ☐ Major security-based swap participant
☐ Check here if respondent is also an OTC derivatives dealer

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

283 Greenwich Avenue, 4th Floor

(No. and Street)

Greenwich

CT

06830

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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(Name)

(Area Code – Telephone Number)

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B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP

(Name – if individual, state last, first, middle name)

180 Park Avenue, Suite 200

Florham Park

NJ

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(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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(Date of Registration with PCAOB)(if applicable)

(PCAOB Registration Number, if applicable)

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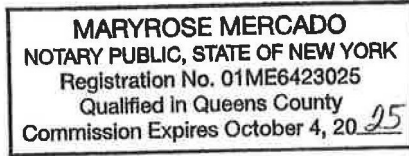
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Steven Gaal, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the financial report pertaining to the firm of Skyworks Securities, LLC, as of 12/31, 2023, is true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, officer, director, or equivalent person, as the case may be, has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer.



Notary Public



Signature: 

Title:
CCO

This filing** contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Statement of financial condition.
- ☒ (b) Notes to consolidated statement of financial condition.
- ☐ (c) Statement of income (loss) or, if there is other comprehensive income in the period(s) presented, a statement of comprehensive income (as defined in § 210.1-02 of Regulation S-X).
- ☐ (d) Statement of cash flows.
- ☐ (e) Statement of changes in stockholders' or partners' or sole proprietor's equity.
- ☐ (f) Statement of changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of creditors.
- ☐ (g) Notes to consolidated financial statements.
- ☐ (h) Computation of net capital under 17 CFR 240.15c3-1 or 17 CFR 240.18a-1, as applicable.
- ☐ (i) Computation of tangible net worth under 17 CFR 240.18a-2.
- ☐ (j) Computation for determination of customer reserve requirements pursuant to Exhibit A to 17 CFR 240.15c3-3.
- ☐ (k) Computation for determination of security-based swap reserve requirements pursuant to Exhibit B to 17 CFR 240.15c3-3 or Exhibit A to 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable.
- ☐ (l) Computation for Determination of PAB Requirements under Exhibit A to § 240.15c3-3.
- ☐ (m) Information relating to possession or control requirements for customers under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3.
- ☐ (n) Information relating to possession or control requirements for security-based swap customers under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3(p)(2) or 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable.
- ☐ (o) Reconciliations, including appropriate explanations, of the FOCUS Report with computation of net capital or tangible net worth under 17 CFR 240.15c3-1, 17 CFR 240.18a-1, or 17 CFR 240.18a-2, as applicable, and the reserve requirements under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3 or 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable, if material differences exist, or a statement that no material differences exist.
- ☐ (p) Summary of financial data for subsidiaries not consolidated in the statement of financial condition.
- ☒ (q) Oath or affirmation in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5, 17 CFR 240.17a-12, or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- ☐ (r) Compliance report in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- ☐ (s) Exemption report in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- ☐ (t) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of the statement of financial condition.
- ☒ (u) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of the financial report or financial statements under 17 CFR 240.17a-5, 17 CFR 240.18a-7, or 17 CFR 240.17a-12, as applicable.
- ☐ (v) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of certain statements in the compliance report under 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- ☐ (w) Independent public accountant's report based on a review of the exemption report under 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- ☐ (x) Supplemental reports on applying agreed-upon procedures, in accordance with 17 CFR 240.15c3-1e or 17 CFR 240.17a-12, as applicable.
- ☐ (y) Report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit, or a statement that no material inadequacies exist, under 17 CFR 240.17a-12(k).
- ☐ (z) Other: _____

****To request confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see 17 CFR 240.17a-5(e)(3) or 17 CFR 240.18a-7(d)(2), as applicable.**

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Member
SkyWorks Securities, LLC

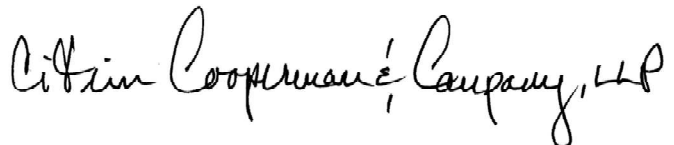
Opinion on the Financial Statement

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of SkyWorks Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2023, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "financial statement"). In our opinion, the financial statement presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of SkyWorks Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2023, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

This financial statement is the responsibility of SkyWorks Securities, LLC's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on SkyWorks Securities, LLC's financial statement based on our audit. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB") and are required to be independent with respect to SkyWorks Securities, LLC in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audit included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. Our audit also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.



We have served as SkyWorks Securities, LLC's auditor since 2015.
Florham Park, New Jersey
February 20, 2024

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ASSETS

Cash	\$	322,917
Other assets		<u>31,742</u>
Total assets	\$	<u>354,659</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

Liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	17,979
Due to parent		<u>49,114</u>
Total liabilities		67,093

Member's equity

		<u>287,566</u>
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$	<u>354,659</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

SkyWorks Securities, LLC

Notes to Financial Statement

December 31, 2023

1. Nature of operations and summary of significant accounting policies

Nature of Business

SkyWorks Securities, LLC (the "Company"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of SkyWorks Capital, LLC (the "Parent"), is a limited liability company organized under the laws of the state of Delaware on November 6, 2002. The Parent is a wholly-owned subsidiary of SkyWorks Holdings, LLC. The Company's operations consist primarily of providing investment banking and advisory services.

The Company is a registered broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA").

Basis of Presentation

The Company's statement of financial condition has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").

Income Taxes

The Company is a single member Limited Liability Company. As such, the Company is a disregarded entity for tax purposes and is not subject to federal or state income taxes on its income. The Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") provides that any income or loss is passed through to the member(s) for federal and state income tax purposes. Accordingly, the Company has not provisioned for federal or state income taxes.

At December 31, 2023, management had determined that the Company had no uncertain tax positions that would require financial statement recognition. This determination will always be subject to ongoing reevaluation as facts and circumstances may require. The Company remains subject to U.S. federal and state income tax audits for all periods subsequent to 2020.

Credit Losses

In June 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") No. 2016-13, *Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 326)*. The ASU introduces a new credit loss methodology, Current Expected Credit Losses ("CECL"), which requires earlier recognition of credit losses, while also providing additional transparency about credit risk. Since its original issuance in 2016, the FASB has issued several updates to the original ASU.

The CECL methodology utilizes a lifetime "expected credit loss" measurement objective for the recognition of credit losses for certain financial assets at the time the financial asset is originated or acquired. The expected credit losses are adjusted each period for changes in expected lifetime credit losses. The methodology replaces the multiple existing impairment methods in current U.S. GAAP, which generally require that a loss be incurred before it is recognized.

For certain financial assets measured at amortized cost (e.g., cash), the Company has concluded that there are de minimus expected credit losses based on the nature and contractual life or expected life of the financial assets and immaterial historic and expected losses.

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Notes to the Financial Statement

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1. Nature of operations and summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires the Company's 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 statement. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. Related-party transactions

The Company has an expense sharing agreement with its Parent, whereby the Parent provides certain administrative services in connection with the Company's operations. In exchange for these administrative services, the Company is billed a representative allocation of direct expenses based on the time allocated by registered personnel to the Company's broker-dealer activities, or space utilized, plus a monthly fixed overhead charge.

At December 31, 2023, total fees owed to the Parent were approximately \$49,000.

3. Concentration of credit risk

From time to time, the Company will maintain cash balances in a financial institution that may exceed the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") coverage of \$250,000. Management regularly monitors the financial condition of these institutions in order to keep the potential risk to a minimum.

4. Net capital requirement

The Company, as a member of 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 and that equity capital may not be withdrawn if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1. At December 31, 2023, the Company's net capital was approximately \$256,000, which was approximately \$206,000 in excess of its minimum requirement of \$50,000.

5. Financial support

The Company was established to provide the services of a broker-dealer if needed by its Parent or affiliated entities. Accordingly, the Company does not routinely generate revenues in the ordinary course of business. Because of this, the Company considered whether substantial doubt might exist about its ability to continue as a going concern. In order to alleviate the substantial doubt about its ability to continue as a going concern, the Company has an agreement with the Parent, whereby the Parent has committed to provide financial support to the Company in an amount sufficient to satisfy its obligations when due and fund its operations as needed, until at least March 15, 2025.

6. Subsequent events

The Company evaluated subsequent events or transactions that occurred from January 1, 2024 through February 20, 2024, the date this statement of financial condition was available to be issued. The Company did not have any significant subsequent events that require recognition or disclosure in this financial statement.