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**ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT**  
**FORM X-17A-5**  
**PART III**  
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**Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder**

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2016 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2016

**A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION**

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

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Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC

**FIRM ID. NO.**

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

14 Wall Street – Suite 8B

NEW YORK

NY

10005-2169

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Constantinos Youssis

(212) – 238-2000

(Area Code – Telephone No.)

**B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*

LEONARD, ROSEN & COMPANY, P.C.

15 MAIDEN LANE

NEW YORK

NY

10038

X

Certified Public Accountant

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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

I, *Constantinos Youssis*, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of *Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC as of December 31, 2016*, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, member, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

NONE

X   
Signature  
*Managing Member*  
Title

X   
Notary Public

**DANIEL A SAUER**  
Notary Public - State of New York  
No. 01SA6313903  
Qualified in New York County  
My Commission Expires Oct. 27, 2018

This report\*\* contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- ☐ (c) Statement of Operations.
- ☐ (d) Statement of Cash Flows.
- ☐ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☐ (g) Computation of Net Capital.
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (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.
- ☒ (l) 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) Independent Auditors' Report.

\*\* For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

**TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**  
**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

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LEONARD ROSEN & COMPANY, P.C.  
*Certified Public Accountants*

15 MAIDEN LANE  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10038

**Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

The Members  
Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC as of December 31, 2016 that is filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the related notes to the financial statement. This financial statement is the responsibility of Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the 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 statements are free from 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 statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Two Rivers Trading Group, LLC as of December 31, 2016 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

*Leonard Rosen & Company, P.C.*

New York, NY  
February 28, 2017

**TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**  
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION  
DECEMBER 31, 2016

**ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 101,681
Marketable securities - allowable	66,715,802
Marketable securities - non allowable	541,015
Fixed assets, net of accumulated depreciation of \$148,177 (Notes 2D and 6)	11,194
Other assets	<u>51,488</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 67,421,180</u>

**LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY**

**Liabilities:**

Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 265,666
Due to clearing brokers	5,966,449
Securities sold, not yet purchased	<u>50,159,073</u>
Total liabilities	<u>56,391,188</u>

**Commitments and Contingencies**

**Members Equity (Note 8 )**

Total members' equity	<u>11,029,993</u>
Total liabilities and members' equity	<u>\$ 67,421,181</u>

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

**TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**  
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

**1. Organization and Nature of Business**

Two Rivers Trading Group LLC (the "Company") is a Limited Liability Company registered in the State of New York. In April, 2012 the Company, then known as Zone Equity Group LLC was registered with NYSE ARCA as a proprietary trading firm. In May of 2012, the name of the Company was changed to Two Rivers Trading Group LLC. The Company trades regulated and non-regulated commodity futures contracts, currencies, and equities. All trades are cleared through a clearing broker.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**A. Revenue Recognition**

The Company records both realized and unrealized trading profits and losses on a trade date basis.

**B. Cash and Cash Equivalents**

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers demand deposited money market funds to be cash and cash equivalents.

**C. Use of Estimates**

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, revenues and expenses.

**D. Fixed Assets**

Fixed assets are carried at cost. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis using estimated useful lives. Additions and betterments are capitalized, whereas the costs of repairs and maintenance are charged to expense as incurred.

## TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

#### 3. Income Taxes

As a Limited Liability Company the Members are subject to any taxes on income that the Company may earn. Therefore, there is no provision nor benefit for income taxes in the accompanying Statement of Income.

#### 4. Related Party

The Company has an agreement to lease office space from an affiliated company through common ownership. The lease is on a month to month basis. The monthly lease amount is \$11,500.

#### 5. Commitments and Contingencies

The Company leases two CME International Monetary Market seats. Each lease is for \$1,750 per month. The leases terminate on May 31, 2017.

#### 6. Property and Equipment

Major classifications of property and equipment, as of December 31, 2016 are summarized as follows:

Furniture and equipment	<u>\$159,371</u>
	<u>159,371</u>
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(148,177)</u>
	<u>\$11,194</u>

#### 7. Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company maintains its cash balances in one financial institution. The Company also has cash and security and/ or commodity futures positions at several futures commission merchants. At times the value of such accounts can exceed insurance limits.

## **TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

#### **8. Net Capital Requirement**

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Net Capital Rule 15c3-1, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 1,500%. At December 31, 2015, the Company's net capital of \$2,808,310 was \$2,708,310 in excess of its required net capital of \$100,000. The Company's capital ratio was 7.45%.

#### **9. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated and noted no events or transactions that have occurred after December 31, 2016 that would require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

#### **10. Investments, at Fair Value**

The Company adopted ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements ("ASC 820"). ASC 820 establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three level of the fair value hierarchy under ASC 820 are as follows:

Level 1—Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical investments at the measurement date.

Level 2—Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the investment, either directly or indirectly. Level 2 pricing inputs include quoted prices for similar investments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar investments in markets that are not active, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the investment, and inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.



**TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**  
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

**Investments, at Fair Value (continued)**

Level 3—Pricing inputs are unobservable for the investment and are based on the Company's own assumptions about the assumptions that a market participant would use, including inputs derived from extrapolation and interpolation that are not corroborated by observable market data.

In some cases, the inputs used to measure fair value might fall in different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the investment in its entirety falls is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the investment in its entirety. Assessing the significance of a particular input to the investment in its entirety requires judgment, and considers factors specific to the investment.

The categorization of an investment within the hierarchy is based upon the pricing transparency of the investment and does not necessarily correspond to the Company's perceived risk of that investment.

At December 31, 2016, the Company's investments are classified within Level 1 as they were traded in active markets. Fair value was calculated based on the quoted market prices at the measurement date. The Virtual Currency investment is classified as a Level 3 as there is no recognized market in Virtual Currencies.

**TWO RIVERS TRADING GROUP, LLC**  
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FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

**Investments, at Fair Value (continued)**

	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Securities Long				
Equities	\$23,931,452	\$ -	-	\$23,931,452
Options	42,784,350	-	-	42,784,350
Virtual Currencies	-	-	\$ 541,014	541,014
Total Securities Long	<u>\$66,715,802</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 541,014</u>	<u>\$67,256,816</u>
Securities Short				
Equities	\$39,104,339	\$ -	\$ -	\$39,104,339
Options	11,054,734	-	-	11,054,734
Total Securities Short	<u>\$50,159,703</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$50,159,073</u>

**Level 3 Change in Financial Assets and Liabilities:**

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Proceeds from Sales Related to Assets No Longer Held</u>	<u>Purchases and Issuances</u>	<u>Transfers In (Out)</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Assets					
Virtual Securities	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 541,014</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 541,014</u>