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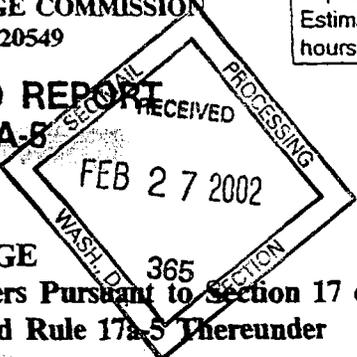
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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01-01-2001 AND ENDING 12-31-2001
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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Granite Investment Services, Inc.

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FIRM ID. NO.

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

400 First Street South, Suite 300

(No. and Street)

St. Cloud

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56301

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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

Jean Lund

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(Area Code - Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Ernst & Young, LLP

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

600 Peachtree Street Suite 2800

Atlanta

GA

30308

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

CHECK ONE:

- Certified Public Accountant
- Public Accountant
- Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

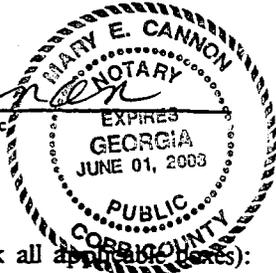
I, Randall L. Ciccati, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Granite Investment Services, Inc., as of December 31, 2001, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

Randall L. Ciccati
Signature

President - CEO

Title

Mary Cannon
Notary Public



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

- (a) Facing page.
- (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.
- (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.

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

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Audited Financial Statements
and Supplemental Information

For the year ended December 31, 2001

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Report of Independent Auditors

Stockholder and Board of Directors
Granite Investment Services, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Granite Investment Services, Inc. (the Company) as of December 31, 2001, and the related statement of operations, changes in stockholder's equity and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the 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 Granite Investment Services, Inc. at December 31, 2001, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in Schedules I, II, and III is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplemental information required by Rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Ernst & Young LLP

Atlanta, Georgia
February 15, 2002

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2001

Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$516,862
Securities owned, at fair market value	3,300
Due from affiliates	121,463
Other assets	28,875
Total assets	<u>\$670,500</u>
 Liabilities and stockholder's equity	
Liabilities:	
Due to affiliates, including \$93,151 under tax allocation agreement	\$201,520
Other liabilities	35,215
Total liabilities	<u>236,735</u>
 Stockholder's equity:	
Common stock, \$.01 par value per share; 1,000,000 shares authorized; 6,000 shares issued and outstanding	60
Additional paid-in capital	274,174
Retained earnings	159,531
Total stockholder's equity	<u>433,765</u>
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	<u>\$670,500</u>

See accompanying notes.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Statement of Operations

Year ended December 31, 2001

Revenues:	
Commissions and distribution fees	\$976,348
Interest and dividend income	10,323
Other revenue	9,116
Total revenues	<u>995,787</u>
Expenses:	
Commissions	742,544
Other operating expenses	50,433
Total expenses	<u>792,977</u>
Income before taxes	<u>202,810</u>
Income tax expense:	
Current	<u>78,893</u>
Total income tax expense:	<u>78,893</u>
Net income	<u><u>\$123,917</u></u>

See accompanying notes.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Statement of Changes in Stockholder's Equity

	Common Stock	Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings	Total
Balance at January 1, 2001	\$60	\$274,174	\$ 35,614	\$309,848
Net income	-	-	123,917	123,917
Balance at December 31, 2001	\$60	\$274,174	\$159,531	\$433,765

See accompanying notes.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2001

Operating activities

Net income	\$123,917
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Change in operating assets and liabilities:	
Due from affiliates	(4,120)
Other assets	(4,813)
Commissions and concessions payable	(99,464)
Due to affiliates	166,728
Other liabilities	28,507
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Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	210,755
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	306,107
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<hr/> <hr/>

Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information

Cash paid during the year for:	
Income taxes	\$ 21,004

See accompanying notes.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2001

1. Nature of Business and Ownership

Granite Investment Services, Inc. (the "Company") operates as a broker-dealer registered under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 and is a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers. The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of PrimeVest Financial Services, Inc. (the "Parent"). The Parent is a wholly owned subsidiary of ReliaStar Financial Corp. ("ReliaStar"). In September 2000, ReliaStar was acquired by ING America Insurance Holdings, Inc. ("ING AIH"). ING AIH is a wholly owned subsidiary of ING Groep N.V., a global financial services holding company based in the Netherlands.

The Company is a fully disclosed broker-dealer and clears all securities transactions through the Parent. Therefore, the Company is exempt from Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") Rule 15c3-3. The Company does not carry customer accounts and is not required to make the periodic computation of reserve requirements for the exclusive benefit of customers.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

General

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers deposits that can be redeemed on demand and highly liquid investments that have original maturities of three months or less, when purchased, to be cash and cash equivalents.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Income Taxes

The Company has not recorded any deferred tax expense as there are no book-to-tax differences in the basis of its assets and liabilities.

Revenue Recognition

Commission revenue and expense are recognized on a settlement-date basis. The impact of unsettled transactions on commission income, net of related expenses, is not material.

Financial Instruments with Off-Balance Sheet Risk

The securities transactions of the Company's customers are introduced on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker-dealer. The Company holds no customer funds or securities. The clearing broker-dealer is responsible for execution, collection of and payment of funds, and receipt and delivery of securities relative to customer transactions. Off-balance-sheet risk exists with respect to these transactions due to the possibility that customers may be unable to fulfill their contractual commitments wherein the clearing broker-dealer may charge any related losses to the Company. The Company seeks to minimize this risk through procedures designed to monitor the creditworthiness of its customers and to ensure that customer transactions are executed properly by the clearing broker-dealer.

Liabilities Subordinated to the Claims of General Creditors

At December 31, 2001 and during the year then ended, the Company had no liabilities subordinated to the claims of general creditors.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

3. Income Taxes

The results of the Company's operations are included in the consolidated tax return of ING AIH. ING AIH and its subsidiaries each report current income tax expense as allocated under a consolidated tax allocation agreement. Generally, this allocation results in profitable companies recognizing a tax provision as if the individual company filed a separate return and loss companies recognizing benefits to the extent of their losses.

Income tax expense consists of the following:

Current:	
Federal	\$65,724
State	12,169
Total	<u>\$78,893</u>

Variations from the federal statutory rate are as follows:

Expected federal income tax expense at statutory rate of 35%	\$70,984
State income tax expense, net of federal benefit	7,909
Income tax expense	<u>\$78,893</u>

The difference between the income tax provision computed at the federal statutory rate and the effective income tax rate is primarily due to state income taxes and nondeductible expenses such as travel, entertainment, and meals.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

4. Related Party Transactions

The Parent performs certain administrative functions, including the payment of expenses and collection of cash, for the Company at no charge. As a result, expenses of the Company may not be indicative of what would have been incurred if it had operated independently.

As of December 31, 2001, the Company has a receivable due from the Parent of \$121,463.

5. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (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 15 to 1. Rule 15c3-1 also provides that equity may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if the resulting net capital would exceed 10 to 1. At December 31, 2001, the Company had net capital of \$280,127, which was \$230,127 in excess of its required net capital of \$50,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital at December 31, 2001 was .85 to 1.

Supplemental Information

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Schedule I
Computation of Net Capital Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1

December 31, 2001

Stockholder's equity	\$433,765
Non-allowable assets	
Due from affiliates	121,463
Other assets	28,875
Total non-allowable assets	<u>150,338</u>
Net capital before haircuts	283,427
Haircuts	<u>3,300</u>
Net Capital	<u>\$280,127</u>
Aggregate indebtedness (AI)	
Due to affiliates	\$201,520
Other liabilities	35,215
Total aggregate indebtedness	<u>\$236,735</u>
Minimum net capital requirement, 6 2/3 % of AI	<u>\$ 15,782</u>
Minimum dollar net capital requirement	<u>\$ 50,000</u>
Excess net capital	<u>\$230,127</u>
Excess net capital at 1000%, as defined	<u>\$256,453</u>
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	<u>.85 to 1</u>

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Schedule II
Statement Pursuant to SEC Rule 17a-5(d)(4)

December 31, 2001

There were no differences between the computation of net capital under Rule 15c3-1 included in this audited report and the computation included in the Company's corresponding unaudited Form X-17A-5 Part IIA filing as of December 31, 2001.

Granite Investment Services, Inc.

Schedule III
Statement Regarding SEC Rule 15c3-3

December 31, 2001

Exemptive Provision

The Company claims exemption from the requirements of Rule 15c3-3 under Section (k)(2)(ii) of the Rule.

Report on Internal Control Required by SEC Rule 17a-5 For a Broker-Dealer Claiming an Exemption from SEC Rule 15c3-3

Stockholder and Board of Directors
Granite Investment Services, Inc.

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of Granite Investment Services, Inc. (the "Company") for the year ended December 31, 2001, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the criteria stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons;
2. Recordation of the differences required by Rule 17a-13; and
3. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned criteria. Two of the criteria of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in

accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional criteria of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, misstatements due to errors or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of internal control to future periods are subject to the risk that internal control may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the effectiveness of its design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that meet the criteria referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not meet such criteria in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2001, to meet the SEC's criteria.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, the National Association of Securities Dealers, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Ernst & Young LLP

Atlanta, Georgia
February 15, 2002

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
Granite Investment Services, Inc.
For the year ended December 31, 2001
with Reports of Independent Auditors