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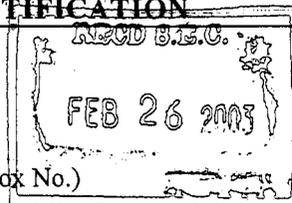
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**Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder**

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/02 AND ENDING 12/31/02
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER - DEALER:
Shipley Raidy Capital Partners, LLC



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

501 Candace Lane, Suite 100

(No. and Street)

Villanova PA 19085
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

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

Samuel R. Shipley, III

610-941-9090

(Area Code - Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Sanville & Company

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

1514 Old York Road Abington PA 19001
(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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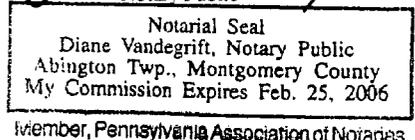
OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Samuel R. Shipley, III, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Shipley Raidy Capital Partners, LLC, as of December 31, 2002, 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:

Samuel Shipley
Signature

Managing Director
Title

[Handwritten Signature]
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 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.
- N/A (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- N/A* (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- N/A (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
- (o) Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Accounting Control.

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

* Minimum assessment in effect.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Financial Statements
and
Supplemental Schedules Pursuant
to SEC Rule 17a-5

December 31, 2002

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of
ShIPLEY RAIDY Capital Partners, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of ShIPLEY RAIDY Capital Partners, LLC as of December 31, 2002, and the related statements of income, changes in members' equity, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors, 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 of America. 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 ShIPLEY RAIDY Capital Partners, LLC as of December 31, 2002, 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 of America.

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 and II is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the 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.

Abington, Pennsylvania
February 11, 2003

Sanville & Company
Certified Public Accountants

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2002

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 22,589
Securities owned:	
Marketable, at market value (Note 3)	3,000
Receivable from broker	30
Accounts receivable	30,247
Other	<u>200</u>
 Total assets	 <u>\$ 56,066</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ <u>4,750</u>
 Total liabilities	 <u>4,750</u>
 Commitments and contingent liabilities	
 Members' Equity	 <u>51,316</u>
 Total liabilities and members' equity	 <u>\$ 56,066</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC

Statement of Income

For the Year Ended December 31, 2002

REVENUE

Investment banking fees	\$ 254,781
Interest and dividends	182
Realized and unrealized losses on securities	<u>(3,791)</u>
Total revenue	<u>251,172</u>

EXPENSES

Salaries and other employment costs	34,007
Interest	25,624
Guaranteed payments	73,098
Occupancy costs and equipment rental	68,455
Telephone	20,239
Quotation fees	23,567
Regulatory fees and expenses	2,853
Travel and entertainment	18,599
Professional fees	24,100
Consulting fees	7,675
Office expenses	26,823
Other	<u>12,095</u>
Total expenses	<u>337,135</u>
Loss before income taxes	(85,963)
Provision for income taxes	<u>-</u>
Net loss	<u>\$ (85,963)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Statement of Changes in Members' Equity
For the Year Ended December 31, 2002

Members' equity as of January 1, 2002	\$ -
Equity from merger with predecessor limited partnership (Note 1)	(153,706)
Net loss	(85,963)
Contributions of capital (Note 4)	355,985
Withdrawals of capital	<u>(65,000)</u>
Net increase	<u>51,316</u>
Members' equity as of December 31, 2002	<u>\$ 51,316</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Statement of Changes in Subordinated Borrowings
For the Year Ended December 31, 2002

Subordinated borrowings at January 1, 2002	\$ -
Increases: (Note 1)	312,250
Decreases: (Note 4)	<u>(312,250)</u>
Subordinated borrowings at December 31, 2002	<u><u>\$ -</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LP
Statement of Cash Flows
For the Year Ended December 31, 2002

Cash flows from operating activities:	
Net loss	\$ (85,963)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:	
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
(Increase) decrease in assets:	
Securities owned	(3,000)
Other	(200)
Receivable from broker	(30)
Accounts receivable	(30,247)
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>4,750</u>
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>(114,690)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:	
Equity from merger with predecessor partnership	(153,706)
Conversion of subordinated loans	312,250
Members' capital contributions	43,735
Members' capital withdrawals	<u>(65,000)</u>
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>137,279</u>
Net increase in cash	22,589
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	<u>-</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>\$ 22,589</u>
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information	
Cash paid during the year for:	
Interest paid	\$ 25,624
Income taxes	\$ -

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Notes to Financial Statements
December 31, 2002

1. ORGANIZATION

Shipley Raidy Capital Partners, LLC ("the Company") is a Pennsylvania limited liability company which is a registered broker dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). On January 2, 2002 the Company was formed and merged with a predecessor Pennsylvania limited partnership, Shipley Raidy Capital Partners, LP ("SRCP"). The Company, which has agreed to limit its business to corporate finance and investment banking activities, is directly affected by general economic and market conditions, including fluctuations in volume and price level of securities and changes in interest rates, which have an impact on the Company's liquidity.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following is a summary of the Company's significant accounting policies:

Investment Banking - Investment banking revenues include gains, losses and fees arising from the private placement of securities. Investment banking revenues also include fees earned from providing merger and acquisition consulting, financial restructuring advisory services and financial consulting services. These fees are recognized when the private placement is completed and the income is reasonably determinable. Fees for financial restructuring advisory services and financial consulting services are recorded when earned.

Securities owned - Securities owned are valued at their fair value generally determined by market quotations; other investments with no ready market are valued at fair value as determined by management. The corresponding appreciation or depreciation is included in revenue. Securities transactions and related commission revenue and expense are recorded on a trade date basis.

Use of Estimates - 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 may differ from those estimates and assumptions.

Income taxes - No provisions have been made for income taxes since the Company is a limited liability company and the Company has elected to file its tax return on a partnership basis. The individual members are liable for income taxes based on their respective share of the Company's taxable income.

Allocation of income, loss and cash distributions - Allocations of net income, loss and cash distributions are based on the proportion of the qualified member's account to the total capital accounts.

Cash and cash equivalents - The Company includes as cash and cash equivalents amounts invested in money market mutual funds.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
December 31, 2002

3. SECURITIES OWNED

Marketable securities owned consist of investment securities at quoted market values.

Securities owned are as follows:

Marketable securities:	Common stocks	\$3,000
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4. LIABILITIES SUBORDINATED TO CLAIMS OF GENERAL CREDITORS

SRCP had various subordinated borrowings that were contributed by its partners and an ex-partner. These borrowings of an ex-partner were repaid and subordinated agreements with the Company's members were renewed with the Company during 2002 and were converted to members' equity at December 31, 2002 with the approval of the NASD. These borrowings were payable with interest at 8% per annum, payable annually. The subordinated agreements were allowable in the computation of net capital under the net capital provisions of the Security and Exchange Commission. To the extent that such borrowings were required for the Company's continued compliance with minimum net capital requirements, they could not be repaid. Interest expense for these liabilities totalled \$24,980 for the year ended December 31, 2002.

5. COMMITMENTS

The Company leases office space and office equipment under non-cancellable leases expiring in 2003. In addition, the Company also leases quotation services under a lease that expires in 2003. In October of 2002 the Company entered into a sub-lease agreement regarding its office space under which the Company assigned the remaining term of its office lease agreement to an unrelated assignee. Additionally, the Company also subleased its obligations under the quotation service lease. Future minimum lease payments are as follows:

	<u>Office Space and Equipment</u>	<u>Quotation Services</u>
2003	\$ 57,536	\$ 14,145

Future minimum lease payments have not been reduced by the minimum sublease rentals. Rent expense for office space and office equipment was \$92,022 for the year ended December 31, 2002.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
December 31, 2002

6. PROFIT SHARING AND SAVINGS PLAN

The Company has a Profit Sharing and Savings Plan (the "Plan") which provides for discretionary Company contributions and/or a salary deferral at the option of the employee. The Plan has an optional Company matching clause, and covers substantially all employees of the Company who meet certain age and length of employment requirements.

Under the salary deferral plan, eligible employees may contribute to the Plan any whole percentage of their compensation varying from 1% to 10% up to the limitations of the Internal Revenue Code and the Company may make discretionary matching contributions. The Company incurred no expense in connection with these plans for the year ended December 31, 2002.

7. CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Company maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts, which at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts. The Company believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk related to cash.

8. CONCENTRATION OF REVENUES

The Company performs corporate finance and investment banking activities. These activities generally involve a limited number of clients and transactions that have varying realization periods and result in fluctuating revenues.

9. NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to the net capital provisions of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital as defined under such provisions. Net capital and the related net capital ratio may fluctuate on a daily basis. At December 31, 2002 the Company had net capital and capital requirements of \$20,282 and \$5,000, respectively. The Company's net capital ratio was .23 to 1.

10. COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS

The Company will operate in accordance with the exemptive provisions of (k)(2)(i) of SEC Rule 15c-3-3. The Company does not carry security accounts for customers.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
December 31, 2002

11. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On January 2, 2003, Raymond Kraftson acquired 100% control of the Company from the existing members of the Company. The name of the Company was subsequently changed to Ariane, LLC. The NASD has been notified of the change. The Company's application to continue as a broker dealer is pending NASD approval.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC
Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1
of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2002

COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL

Total members' equity	\$ 51,316
Deduct members' equity not allowable for Net Capital:	<u>-</u>
Total members' equity qualified for Net Capital	51,316
Add: Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors	<u>-</u>
Total capital and allowable subordinated liabilities	<u>51,316</u>
Deductions and/or charges:	
Non-allowable assets:	
Accounts receivable	30,247
Other	<u>200</u>
Total non-allowable assets	<u>30,447</u>
Net Capital before haircuts on securities positions	20,869
Trading and investment securities:	
Equity securities - marketable	(450)
Undue concentration	<u>(137)</u>
Net Capital	<u>\$ 20,282</u>

COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS

Total aggregate indebtedness liabilities from Statement of Financial Condition	\$ <u>4,750</u>
Total aggregate indebtedness	\$ <u><u>4,750</u></u>
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to Net Capital	23%
Percentage of debt to debt-equity total computed in accordance with Rule 15c3-1(d)	0%

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LP
Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1
of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2002

COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT

Minimum Net Capital (6 2/3% of \$4,750)	\$	317
Minimum dollar Net Capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer	\$	5,000
Net Capital requirement	\$	5,000
Excess Net Capital	\$	15,282
Excess Net Capital at 1000%	\$	19,807

RECONCILIATION BETWEEN COMPUTATION OF ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT
AND COMPUTATION IN COMPANY'S UNAUDITED FOCUS REPORT

Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1

No material difference exists between the broker's most recent, unaudited,
Part IIA filing and the annual audit report.

SHIPLEY RAIDY CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC

Computation For Determination of the
Reserve Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3
of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2002

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 in accordance with Section (k) (2) (i).

RECONCILIATION BETWEEN COMPUTATION OF ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT
AND COMPUTATION IN COMPANY'S UNAUDITED FOCUS REPORT

Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Under
Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3

No material difference exists between the broker's most recent, unaudited, Part IIA filing and the Annual Audit Report.

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To the Members of
ShIPLEY RAIDY Capital Partners, LLC

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of ShIPLEY RAIDY Capital Partners, LLC (the Company) for the year ended December 31, 2002, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order 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 Exchange Commission (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 objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness or aggregate debits and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the 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 differences required by Rule 17a-13.
- 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 an 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 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 objectives. Two of the objectives 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 conformity with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their 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 the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that error 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, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives 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 accomplish such objectives 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, 2002, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Members, the SEC, the NASD, and any 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.

Abington, Pennsylvania
February 11, 2003


Certified Public Accountants