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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 01/01/03 AND ENDING 12/31/03
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

CapWest Securities, Inc.

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

5808 South Rapp Street, Suite #108

Littleton

(No. and Street)
Colorado

80120

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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

Debra White

303-798-5407

(Area Code - Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Comiskey & Company, P.C.

(Name - If no name, state sec. first, middle name)

789 Sherman Street, Suite #440, Denver, Colorado 80203

(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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*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).

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

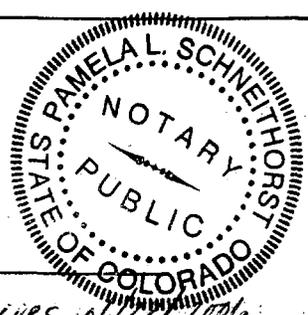
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Debra White, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of CapWest Securities, Inc., as of

December 31, 2003 ~~XXXX~~, 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:

[Handwritten Signature]
Notary Public
My Commission Expires 01/29/2006



[Handwritten Signature]

Signature
[Handwritten Title]

Title

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

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

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

CapWest Securities, Inc.

Financial Statements

December 31, 2003

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Comiskey Professional Corporation
& Company

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors and Shareholder
CapWest Securities, Inc.
Littleton, Colorado

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of CapWest Securities, Inc. (the "Company") as of December 31, 2003, and the related statements of operations, stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. 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 CapWest Securities, Inc. as of December 31, 2003, 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 made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in the Schedule of Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3 as of December 31, 2003 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements, but are supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination 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.

Denver, Colorado
January 29, 2004

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CapWest Securities, Inc.
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
December 31, 2003

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 49,084
Commissions receivable	44,105
Receivables from non-customers	3,887
Deposits	1,645
Prepaid expenses	<u>14,768</u>

TOTAL ASSETS	\$ <u>113,489</u>
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Commissions payable	\$ 50,129
Accounts payable	<u>6,182</u>

Total current liabilities	56,311
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STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 10,000 shares authorized; 1,000 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2003	10
Additional paid-in capital	69,763
Accumulated deficit	<u>(12,595)</u>

Total stockholder's equity	<u>57,178</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	\$ <u>113,489</u>
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CapWest Securities, Inc.
STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
For the year ended December 31, 2003

REVENUES	
Commissions	\$ 768,775
Interest income	27
Other income	<u>11,883</u>
 Total income	 780,685
EXPENSES	
Commissions	538,997
General and administrative	44,065
Management fees - related party	<u>175,699</u>
 Total expenses	 <u>758,761</u>
 NET LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAX	 21,924
 Income tax benefit	 <u>-</u>
 NET LOSS	 <u><u>\$ 21,924</u></u>

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

CapWest Securities, Inc.
STATEMENT OF STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY
For the year ended December 31, 2003

	<u>Common Stock</u>		Additional	Accumulated	Total
	Number of	Amount	Paid - in	deficit	stockholder's
	shares		capital		equity
Balances, January 1, 2003	1,000	\$ 10	\$ 69,763	\$ (34,519)	\$ 35,254
Net loss	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21,924</u>	<u>21,924</u>
Balances, December 31, 2003	<u>1,000</u>	<u>\$ 10</u>	<u>\$ 69,763</u>	<u>\$ (12,595)</u>	<u>\$ 57,178</u>

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

CapWest Securities, Inc.
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
For the year ended December 31, 2003

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Net income	\$ 21,924
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flows from operating activities:	
Decrease in accounts receivable	9,729
Increase in prepaid expenses	(2,314)
Decrease in accounts payable	<u>(25,745)</u>
Net cash flows from operating activities	3,594
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Net cash flows from investing activities	-
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Net cash flows from financing activities	<u>-</u>
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3,594
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>45,490</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 49,084</u>

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

CapWest Securities, Inc.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2003

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of Business

CapWest Securities, Inc. (the "Company"), a Colorado corporation, was incorporated in 1991 to provide security brokerage and related services as set forth by the Securities and Exchange Commission and National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. ("NASD"). The Company does not maintain or clear customer accounts. Accordingly, all customer transactions are executed and cleared on behalf of the Company by Legent Clearing Corp. on a fully-disclosed basis. Legent Clearing Corp. makes and keeps such records of transactions effected and cleared in the customer accounts as are customarily made and kept by a clearing broker/dealer pursuant to the requirements of Rules 17a-3 and 17a-4 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Legent Clearing Corp. also performs all services customarily incident therein, including preparation and distribution of customer confirmations, customer statements, and maintenance of margin requirements.

Method of Presentation

The Company has elected to present the statement of financial condition separating assets and liabilities between current and noncurrent categories. The presentation is in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, but is often not used by members of the brokerage industry.

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 could differ from those estimates.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Company's financial instruments that are exposed to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Company's cash and cash equivalents are in demand deposit accounts placed with federally insured financial institutions. Such deposit accounts at times may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses on such accounts.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all money market accounts and highly liquid debt investments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Securities Transactions

Securities transactions, including the resulting commission revenue and expense, are recorded on a trade-date basis.

CapWest Securities, Inc.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2003

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes under Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109. Temporary differences are differences between the tax basis of assets and liabilities and their reported amounts in the consolidated financial statements that will result in taxable or deductible amounts in future years. The Company and its parent file a consolidated income tax return. Income tax expense in the Company's income statement has been allocated on the basis of the Company's earnings as a percentage of total consolidated earnings, as adjusted for temporary tax differences.

2. Clearing Deposit

The Company maintained a \$15,000 deposit with a clearing broker/dealer and has provided a security interest with respect to the amount deposited. During 2003, the company switched clearing brokers and has yet to receive a refund of its clearing deposit from the former broker. The new broker requires a \$10,000 clearing deposit.

3. Leases

The Company's parent, Capstone Financial Group, Inc. ("Capstone"), entered into a one-year lease for office space which it shares with the Company. Effective for the 2003 fiscal year, rent is included in management fees paid to Capstone.

4. Related Party Transactions

The Company has a management fee agreement with its sole stockholder, Capstone Financial Group, Inc. ("Capstone"). Management fees paid to Capstone during 2003 totaled \$175,699. The amount receivable from Capstone as of December 31, 2003 was \$0.

Debra H. White, the Secretary/Treasurer, is the guarantor in the Clearing Broker Agreement with Legent Clearing Corp.

5. Income Taxes

The Company files a consolidated Federal income tax return with its parent, Capstone Financial Group, Inc. As of December 31, 2003, the Company's profit has been offset by approximately \$14,500 in tax losses sustained by the parent in the current fiscal year, as well as a \$9,300 net operating loss carryforward belonging to the consolidated group. Consequently, the accompanying financial statements contain no provision for federal income tax. Approximately \$400 of state income tax is included in general and administrative expense.

6. Net Capital Requirements

Pursuant to the net capital provisions of Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital as defined under such provision. As of December 31, 2003, the Company had net capital and minimum net capital requirements of \$38,039 and \$5,000, respectively. The net capital ratio (aggregate indebtedness to net capital) was 1.48 to 1. In accordance with Rule 15c3-1, the net capital ratio may not exceed 15 to 1.

CapWest Securities, Inc.
SCHEDULE OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL
UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SEC
December 31, 2003

Computation of Net Capital

1. Total ownership equity from Statement of Financial Condition	<u>\$ 57,178</u>
2. Deduct ownership equity not allowable for Net Capital	<u>-</u>
3. Total ownership equity qualified for Net Capital	<u>\$ 57,178</u>
4. Add:	
A. Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors allowable in computation of net capital	<u>-</u>
B. Other (deductions) or allowance credits (List)	<u>-</u>
5. Total capital and allowable subordinated liabilities	<u>\$ 57,178</u>
6. Deductions and/or changes:	
A. Total nonallowable assets from Statement of Financial Condition	<u>\$ 19,139</u>
B. Secured demand note deficiency	<u>-</u>
C. Commodity future contracts and spot commodities-proprietary capital charges	<u>-</u>
D. Other deductions and/or charges	<u>-</u>
	<u>\$ (19,139)</u>
7. Other additions and/or allowable credits	<u>-</u>
8. Net capital before haircuts on securities positions	<u>\$ 38,039</u>

CapWest Securities, Inc.
SCHEDULE OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL
UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SEC
(CONTINUED)
December 31, 2003

Computation of Net Capital (continued)

9.	Haircuts on securities (computed, where applicable, pursuant to 15c3-1(f)):		
	A. Contractual securities commitments	\$ _____	-
	B. Subordinated securities borrowings	_____	-
	C. Trading and investment securities:		
	1. Exempted securities	_____	-
	2. Debt securities	_____	-
	3. Options	_____	-
	4. Other securities	_____	-
	D. Undue concentration	_____	-
	E. Other	_____	-
		\$ _____	-
10.	Net Capital		<u>38,039</u>

COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

11.	Minimum net capital required (6-2/3% of line 18)	\$ <u>3,753</u>
12.	Minimum dollar net capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer	\$ <u>5,000</u>
13.	Net capital requirement (greater of line 11 or 12)	\$ <u>5,000</u>
14.	Excess net capital (line 10 less line 13)	\$ <u>33,039</u>
15.	Excess net capital at 1000% (line 10 less 10% of line 16)	\$ <u>32,408</u>

CapWest Securities, Inc.
SCHEDULE OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL
UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SEC
(CONTINUED)
December 31, 2003

Computation of Aggregate Indebtedness

16.	Total Aggregate Indebtedness liabilities from Statement of Financial Condition		\$ <u>56,311</u>
17.	Add:		
	A. Drafts for immediate credit	\$ _____	-
	B. Market value of securities borrowed for which no equivalent value is paid or credited	_____	-
	C. Other unrecorded amounts	_____	-
			\$ _____
18.	Total aggregate indebtedness		\$ <u>56,311</u>
19.	Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital		<u>148%</u>
20.	Percentage of debt to debt-equity total computed in accordance with Rule 15c3-1(c)		

Computation of Alternative Net Capital Requirement

The "Computation of Alternative Net Capital Requirement" is not applicable and, therefore, items 22 through 26 have not been included.

CapWest Securities, Inc.
SCHEDULE OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL
UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SEC
(CONTINUED)
December 31, 2003

CapWest Securities, Inc. is exempt under Rule 15c3-3 in accordance with Section (k)(2) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. All customer transactions are cleared through another broker/dealer on a fully-disclosed basis. The clearing firm is Legent Clearing Corp.



**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL
REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5**

Board of Directors
CapWest Securities, Inc.
Littleton, Colorado

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of CapWest Securities, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2003, we considered its internal control structure including procedures 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 the internal control structure.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, we have made a study of the practices and procedures (including tests of compliance with such practices and procedures) followed by CapWest Securities, Inc. 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 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 structure and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgements by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal control structure policies and procedures and other practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the Commission's above mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of an internal control structure 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 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.

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL
REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5
(CONTINUED)**

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities 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 the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure 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 structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or irregularities 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 the internal control structures, including procedures 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 Commission 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, 2003, to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, the National Association of Security 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.

Denver, Colorado
January 29, 2004


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