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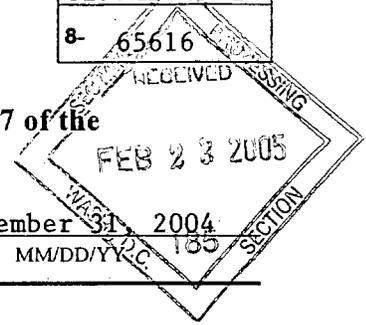
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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING January 1, 2004 AND ENDING December 31, 2004
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Ankale Capital LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

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

626 Grove Street
(No. and Street)
Evanston Illinois 60201
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT
Robin E. Winslow (847) 332-2350
(Area Code - Telephone Number)

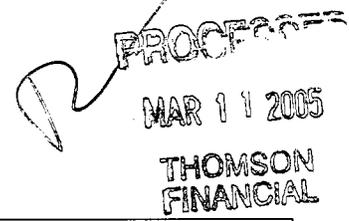
B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Schultz and Chez, LLP
(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)
141 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 2900 Chicago Illinois 60604
(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)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Robin E. Winslow, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Ankale Capital LLC, as of December 31, 2004, 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:

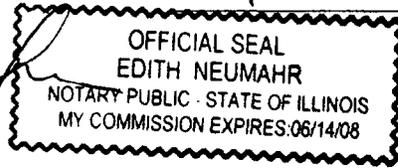
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Notary Public

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Signature
PRINCIPAL

Title



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 Proprietors' 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.] Same Page
- (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.] Same Page
- (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-3 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 Auditor's Report on Internal Control Structure.

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

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members
ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
Evanston, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC, as of December 31, 2004, and the related statements of income, changes in members' 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 ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC, as of December 31, 2004 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 on pages 9 and 10 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 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. 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.

Chicago, Illinois
January 24, 2005

Schultz & Chez, LLP

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
(An Illinois Limited Liability Company)
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 2004

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 111,986
Equities owned, at market value	34,507,971
Interest and dividends receivable	14,180
Equipment, furniture and leasehold improvements, net	25,998
Other assets	<u>42,343</u>
 TOTAL ASSETS	 \$ <u>34,702,478</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

LIABILITIES

Payable to broker/dealer	\$ 6,543,929
Securities sold, not yet purchased, at market value	
Equities	4,272,115
Options	350
Interest and dividends payable	5,320
Accounts payable	<u>1,135</u>
 Total Liabilities	 <u>10,822,849</u>

Members' Equity	<u>23,879,629</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY	\$ <u>34,702,478</u>
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See accompanying notes.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
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STATEMENT OF INCOME
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

REVENUE

Firm trading	\$ 16,443,733
Interest	28,681
Dividends	<u>454,916</u>
 Total Revenue	 <u>16,927,330</u>

EXPENSES

Interest	274,211
Dividends	26,942
Occupancy	24,303
Regulatory and exchange fees	11,555
Depreciation and amortization	7,210
Professional fees	23,637
Consulting	44,080
Charitable contribution	56,712
Other	<u>6,917</u>
 Total Expenses	 <u>475,567</u>

NET INCOME \$ 16,451,763

See accompanying notes.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS' EQUITY
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

Balance at December 31, 2003	\$ 7,502,866
Member contributions	-
Member withdrawals	(75,000)
Net income	<u>16,451,763</u>
Balance at December 31, 2004	<u>\$ 23,879,629</u>

See accompanying notes.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
(An Illinois Limited Liability Company)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Net income	\$ <u>16,451,763</u>
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities	
Depreciation and amortization expense	7,210
(Increase)/decrease in operating assets:	
Net receivable from broker/dealer	6,771,050
Securities owned, at market, net	(23,114,738)
Increase/(decrease) in operating liabilities:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	5,338
Other assets	(<u>17,338</u>)
Total adjustments	(<u>16,348,478</u>)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	<u>103,285</u>
 FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Member contributions	-
Member withdrawals	(<u>75,000</u>)
NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(<u>75,000</u>)
NET INCREASE IN CASH	28,285
CASH AT DECEMBER 31, 2003	<u>83,701</u>
CASH AT DECEMBER 31, 2004	\$ <u><u>111,986</u></u>

Supplemental Cash Flow Information:

Cash payments for interest during the year totaled \$271,683.

Cash payments for income taxes during the year totaled \$0.

Non-cash operating activities consist of the member donating securities to a charitable foundation with a market value at the date of donation of \$56,712.

See accompanying notes.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
(An Illinois Limited Liability Company)
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

(1) NATURE OF BUSINESS

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC (the "Company") engages in trading strategies involving primarily equities and equity derivative instruments on a proprietary basis. The company is registered as a broker/dealer with the National Association of Securities Dealers ("NASD").

(2) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Use of Estimates

Generally accepted accounting principles require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures 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.

Securities Owned and Securities Sold, Not Yet Purchased

Securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased are valued at market value based on listed market prices. Unrealized gains and losses are reflected in Firm trading in the Statement of Income. Securities sold, not yet purchased represent obligations of the Company to purchase the securities at prevailing market prices. The ultimate gains or losses recognized are dependent upon the prices at which these securities are purchased to settle the obligation under the sales commitments. Securities transactions are recorded on the trade date.

Equipment, Furniture and Leasehold Improvements

Equipment, furniture and leasehold improvements are recorded at cost. Equipment and furniture are depreciated over their estimated useful lives using accelerated methods. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lease term using the straight-line method. Computer software is depreciated over five years using the straight-line method. At December 31, 2004, accumulated depreciation and amortization totaled \$14,575.

Fair Value of Derivative Financial Instruments

Financial instruments recorded at fair value on the Company's statement of financial condition include securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased. Other financial instruments are recorded by the Company at contract amounts and include receivables from and payables to clearing broker. Financial instruments carried at contract amounts, which approximate fair value, either have short-term maturities, are repriced frequently, or bear market interest rates and, accordingly, are carried at amounts approximating fair value.

Comprehensive Income

The Company has not presented a Statement of Comprehensive Income because it does not have any items of "other comprehensive income".

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004
(Continued)

(3) INCOME TAXES

No provision has been made for income taxes as the taxable income or loss is included in the respective income tax returns of the Members.

(4) DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Derivative contracts are financial instruments whose value is based upon an underlying asset, index, or reference rate or a combination of these factors. The Company enters into derivative transactions, including futures and exchange-traded options. Options held provide the Company with the opportunity to deliver or take delivery of specified financial instruments at a contracted price. Options written (sold) obligate the Company to deliver or take delivery of specified financial instruments at a contracted price in the event the holder exercises the option. These derivative financial instruments may have market risk and/or credit risk in excess of the amounts recorded in the statement of financial condition. The Company also trades futures contracts. Futures contracts are commitments to either purchase or sell a financial instrument or commodity at a future date for a specified price.

Market Risk

Market risk is the potential change in an instrument's value caused by fluctuations in interest rates, equity prices, credit spreads, volatilities, correlations, liquidity, or other risks. Exposure to market risk is influenced by a number of factors, including the relationships between financial instruments and the volatility and liquidity in the markets in which the financial instruments are traded. In many cases, the use of derivative financial instruments serves to modify or offset market risk associated with other transactions and, accordingly, serves to decrease the Company's overall exposure to market risk. The Company utilizes various analytical monitoring techniques to control its exposure to market risk.

Credit Risk

Credit risk arises from the possible inability of counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts. For exchange-traded financial instruments, clearing corporations act as the counterparties of specific transactions and, therefore, bear the risk of delivery to and from counterparties to specific positions.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company clears all of its trades through one clearing broker. In the event this clearing broker does not fulfill its obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The Company attempts to minimize this risk by monitoring the creditworthiness of this clearing broker.

Guarantees

In the normal course of trading activities, the Company trades and holds certain fair-valued derivative contracts, which may constitute guarantees under Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Interpretation No. 45, *Guarantors Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others*, (FIN 45). Such contracts include written option contracts that are not settled in cash. These written option contracts obligate the Company to deliver or take delivery of specified financial instruments at a contracted price in the event the holder exercises the option.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
(An Illinois Limited Liability Company)
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004
(Continued)

(4) DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

As of December 31, 2004, the maximum payouts for these contracts are limited to the notional amounts of each contract. Maximum payouts do not represent the expected future cash requirements as the Company's written options positions are typically liquidated or expire and are not exercised by the holder of the option. In addition, maximum payout amounts, in the case of the exercise of written call options, may be offset by the subsequent sale of the underlying financial instrument if owned by the Company. The fair values of all written option contracts as of December 31, 2004, are included in securities and derivative contracts sold, not yet purchased on the statement of financial condition.

(5) CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

At December 31, 2004, credit concentrations with the Company's clearing broker consisted of approximately \$24 million representing the market value of the Company's trading account. The Company monitors the credit worthiness of the clearing broker to mitigate the Company's exposure to credit risk.

(6) REGULATORY MATTERS

As a registered broker/dealer, the Company is subject to the SEC's 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. At December 31, 2004, the Company had net capital of \$15,211,789 which exceeded requirements by \$15,111,789 and the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was less than 1:1.

(7) LEASE COMMITMENT

The Company rents its office space under a lease containing real estate tax and operating expense escalation clauses. At December 31, 2004, the future non-cancelable annual minimum commitments under its lease was as follows:

<u>December 31,</u> 2005	<u>Amount</u>
Total	\$ <u>12,100</u>

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
 (An Illinois Limited Liability Company)
**COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL,
 PER UNIFORM NET CAPITAL RULE 15c3-1**
 DECEMBER 31, 2004

NET CAPITAL		
Members' equity		\$ 23,879,629
Non-allowable assets		
Equipment, furniture and leasehold improvements, net		(25,998)
Other assets		(<u>42,343</u>)
NET CAPITAL BEFORE HAIRCUTS ON SECURITIES		23,811,288
Haircuts on securities	\$ (5,768,320)	
Undue concentration charges	(<u>2,831,179</u>)	
Total Haircuts		(<u>8,599,499</u>)
NET CAPITAL		\$ <u>15,211,789</u>
 COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT		
Minimum net capital required (Greater of 6 2/3% of aggregate indebtedness or \$100,000)		\$ <u>100,000</u>
EXCESS NET CAPITAL		\$ <u>15,111,789</u>
 COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		
Total aggregate indebtedness-specified liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		\$ <u>1,135</u>
TOTAL AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		\$ <u>1,135</u>
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital		<u><1:1</u>

Note: There are no material differences between the audited computation of net capital and that per the Company's unaudited FOCUS report as filed.

ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
(An Illinois Limited Liability Company)

COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS
AND
INFORMATION FOR THE POSSESSION OR CONTROL
REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-3

DECEMBER 31, 2004

RESERVE COMPUTATION
(see Note)

INFORMATION FOR POSSESSION OR CONTROL REQUIREMENTS
(see Note)

NOTE: Although the Company is not exempt from Rule 15c3-3, it does not transact a business in securities with or for customers and does not carry margin accounts, credit balances or securities for any person defined as a "customer" pursuant to Rule 17a-5(c)(4). Accordingly, there are no amounts reportable under these sections.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL

To the Members
ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC
Evanston, Illinois

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC (the "Company") for the year ended December 31, 2004, 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 the internal control.

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 followed by ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC, that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g), (1) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the reserve required by Rule 15c3-3(e); and (2) in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13. We did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8(b) of Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, because the Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities.

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 control policies and procedures 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 Commission'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 accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. 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, errors 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 the internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in the 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 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 the internal control, including procedures for safeguarding securities, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

Our review indicated that ANKALE CAPITAL, LLC, although not exempt from Rule 15c3-3, had no reporting requirements because it did not transact a business in securities directly with or for other than members of a national securities exchange and did not carry margin accounts, credit balances or securities for any person defined as a "customer" pursuant to Rule 17a-5(c)(4) and that, as of December 31, 2004, no facts came to our attention to indicate that such conditions were not complied with during the period.

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, 2004, to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the use of management, the National Association of Securities Dealers, the Securities and Exchange Commission and other regulatory authorities who 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.

Schultz & Co., LLC

Chicago, Illinois
January 24, 2005