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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:

DHR, LLC

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FIRM ID. NO.

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

401 East Market Street Suite 104

(No. and Street)

Charlottesville

Virginia

22902

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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

Jaffray Woodriff

434-984-4120

(Area Code - Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

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

Halpern & Associates

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

143 Weston Road

Weston

CT

06883

(Address)

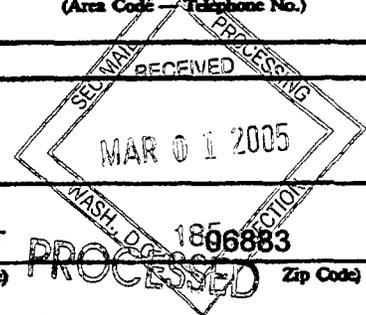
(City)

(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).

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of  
DHR, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of DHR, LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2004. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement 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 this financial statement is 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 statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of DHR, LLC as of December 31, 2004, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

*Halpern & Associates, LLC*

Weston, Connecticut  
February 2, 2005

DHR, LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 74,741
Securities owned - at market value	11,675,435
Receivable from clearing broker	4,351,633
Receivable from members	270,000
Furniture and equipment, at cost, net of \$52,183 accumulated depreciation of \$46,438	5,745
Other assets	<u>10,000</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$16,387,554</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

LIABILITIES	
Securities sold not yet purchased - at market value	\$12,044,627
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	<u>19,653</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	12,064,280
MEMBERS' EQUITY	<u>4,323,274</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY	<u>\$16,387,554</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2004

1. NOTES ON SIGNIFICANT BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

DHR, LLC (the "Company") was organized in the State of Virginia in November 2000 and began doing business as a registered broker-dealer in securities with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Pacific Stock Exchange, Inc. in July 2001. The Company was organized primarily to execute transactions for its own trading accounts and forwards all such transactions to Spear, Leeds and Kellogg ("SLK"), the Company's clearing agent, on a fully disclosed basis. As stated in the Company's Operating Agreement, unless otherwise extended by amendment, the Company shall dissolve by December 31, 2075.

In the normal course of its business, the Company enters into financial transactions where the risk of potential loss due to changes in market (market risk) or failure of the other party to the transaction to perform (credit risk) exceeds the amounts recorded for the transaction. Investments in securities and securities sold, not yet purchased, are valued at their last sales price, or, in the case of listed options, at the mean between the last bid and ask price at the close of business on such day. The resulting unrealized gain or loss is reflected in income.

The Company's policy is to continuously monitor its exposure to market and counterparty risk through the use of a variety of financial, position and credit exposure reporting and control procedures. In addition, the Company has a policy of reviewing the credit standing of each broker-dealer, clearing organization, customer and/or other counterparty with which it conducts business.

As of December 31, 2004, primarily all of the securities owned and the amounts due to brokers reflected in the statement of financial position are positions with and amounts due to SLK.

In the course of its normal trading activities, the Company is a party to financial instruments that involve, to indeterminable degrees, market risks in excess of that presented in the statement of financial condition. These instruments include puts and calls written on stock, and obligations arising from securities sold, but not yet purchased. The Company's activities include the purchase and sale of derivative financial instruments in the form of equity and index options and futures. These derivatives are used for trading purposes and for managing risks associated with the portfolio of securities. The Company's core trading positions involve risk-defined hedged strategies. Accordingly, management believes that any risk is significantly minimized through its hedging strategies. All positions are reported at market value and any change in market value is reflected in the accompanying statement of income as gain or loss as it occurs. All derivative gain or loss resulting from equity positions is reported in net trading income.

NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (continued)

DECEMBER 31, 2004

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Company records securities transactions and related revenues and expenses on a trade date basis.

Security transactions and financing with SLK are classified as operating activities on the statement of cash flows since this is the Company's principal business.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers money market funds to be cash equivalents.

The Company maintains its books and records on an accrual basis in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Depreciation is provided for on the straight-line basis using the estimated useful lives of the related property.

3. INCOME TAXES

The Company is recognized as a Limited Liability Company (an "LLC") by the Internal Revenue Service. As an LLC, the Company is not subject to income taxes. The Company's income or loss is reportable by its members on their individual tax returns based on methodology prescribed in the Company's Operating Agreement.

4. RULE 15C3-3

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under paragraph (k)(2)(B) in that the Company carries no customer accounts.

5. NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

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 15 to 1. At December 31, 2004, the Company had net capital of \$914,884, which exceeded the minimum requirement of \$100,000 by \$814,884. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital ratio was .02 to 1.

NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (continued)

DECEMBER 31, 2004

6. SUBSEQUENT CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS

Subsequent to December 31, 2004, there were additional member contributions received of \$35,000 through January 31, 2005.