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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 01/01/04 AND ENDING 12/31/04
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

BNY Trading LLC

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

32 Old Slip

FIRM ID. NO.

New York

NY

10286

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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

A. Edward Patmos

212-804-4875

(Area Code - Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Ernst & Young LLP

5 Times Square

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

New York

NY

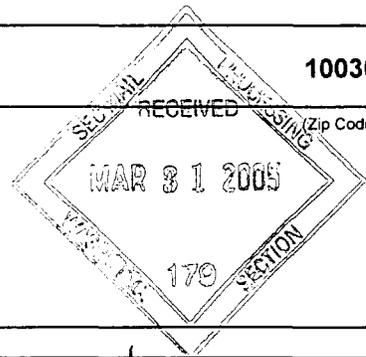
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(Address)

(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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Handwritten signature/initials

*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, A. Edward Patmos, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statements and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of BNY Trading 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:

None

A. Edward Patmos
Signature
Chief Financial Officer
Title

Joan M Hassler
Notary Public
JOAN M. HASSLER
Notary Public, State of New York
Registration No. 01HA5026248
Qualified in Richmond County
Commission Expires April 11, 2006

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 or 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 or 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) Schedule of Segregation Requirements and Funds in Segregation for Customers Trading on U.S. Commodity Exchanges.
- (p) Statement of Secured Amount and Funds Held in Separate Accounts for Foreign Futures and Options Customers Pursuant to Commission Regulation 30.7.
- (q) Supplementary Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm required by SEC Rule 17a-5.

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

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

BNY Trading LLC

(A wholly-owned subsidiary of The Bank of New York)

December 31, 2004

with Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

BNY Trading LLC
(A wholly-owned subsidiary of
The Bank of New York)

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2004

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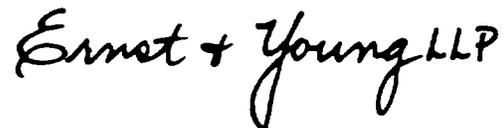
Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Board of Managers and Member of
BNY Trading LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of BNY Trading LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2004. This statement of financial condition is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this statement of financial condition 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 statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. We were not engaged to perform an audit of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Our audit included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall presentation of the statement of financial condition. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of BNY Trading LLC at December 31, 2004, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.



March 18, 2005

BNY Trading LLC
(A wholly-owned subsidiary of
The Bank of New York)

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2004

Assets

Cash on deposit with Parent	\$ 10,737
Securities purchased under resale agreements with Parent	14,498,102
Due from broker	47,358,377
Tax receivable from Parent	360,818
Total assets	<u>\$62,228,034</u>

Liabilities and member's equity

Liabilities:

Due to Parent	\$47,358,040
Other liabilities	58,406
Total liabilities	<u>47,416,446</u>

Member's equity	<u>14,811,588</u>
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Total liabilities and member's equity	<u>\$62,228,034</u>
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See accompanying notes.

BNY Trading LLC
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The Bank of New York)

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2004

1. Organization

BNY Trading LLC (the "Company"), a New York indefinite lived limited liability company, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Bank of New York (the "Parent") and is registered as a broker-dealer in securities under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Pennsylvania Securities Commission. The Company was created on June 7, 1996 for the purpose of trading foreign currency options on the Philadelphia Stock Exchange (the "Exchange").

The Company executes foreign currency option transactions on behalf of the Parent. The Parent is the sole member of the Company and the Parent shall not have any liability for any debts, obligations, or liabilities of the Company.

The Company clears its securities transactions on a fully disclosed basis through Calyon Financial Inc. (the "clearing broker").

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Estimates

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 reported amounts in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Management believes that the estimates utilized in preparing its financial statements are reasonable and prudent. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company has defined cash and cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than ninety days, that are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

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Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Securities Purchased Under Agreements to Resell

Securities purchased under agreements to resell, generally collateralized by U.S. government and agency obligations, are treated as collateralized financing transactions and are carried at amounts at which the securities will be subsequently resold plus accrued interest. It is the Company's policy to take possession of securities purchased under agreements to resell. Counterparties are principally primary dealers of U.S. government securities and financial institutions and may include the Parent. The Company minimizes credit risk associated with these activities by monitoring credit exposure and collateral values on a daily basis and requiring additional collateral to be deposited when deemed appropriate. At December 31, 2004, the Company held collateral with a fair market value of \$15,007,925 pursuant to these transactions.

At December 31, 2004, the Company did not pledge or otherwise use as collateral, securities purchased under resale agreements.

3. Due From Broker

Due from broker consists of cash on deposit with the clearing broker. The amount due to or from the broker fluctuates daily with the market value of the foreign currency options executed on behalf of the Parent. The Company conducts business with a broker that is a member of the major securities exchanges and monitors the credit standing of such broker.

4. Income Taxes

The Company is included in the consolidated federal and combined state and local income tax returns filed by the Parent. Income taxes are calculated as if the Company filed on a separate return basis, and the amount of current tax expense or benefit calculated is either remitted to or received from the Parent, pursuant to a tax sharing agreement between the Parent and the Company.

The Company's effective tax rate differs from the federal statutory rate primarily as a result of the effect of state and local taxes.

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Notes to Statement of Financial Condition (continued)

5. Related Party Transactions

Options transactions are executed with the Exchange on behalf of the Parent.

Due to Parent primarily includes funding from the Parent to meet broker margin requirements for their positions, and the unpaid portion of the related party service expense.

Tax receivable from Parent includes the tax benefit used by the Parent in their consolidated 2004 tax return. The Parent will reimburse the Company pursuant to a tax sharing agreement.

6. Fair Value Information

At December 31, 2004, substantially all of the Company's assets and liabilities were carried at either market or fair value, or at amounts that approximate such values. Assets and liabilities carried at contractual amounts that approximate fair value include due from broker and due to Parent. The market values of such items are not materially sensitive to shifts in market interest rates because of the limited term to maturity of these instruments.

7. Regulatory Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's (the "SEC") Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1). The Company computes its net capital requirements in accordance with the aggregate indebtedness method of this rule which requires that the Company maintain minimum net capital of \$100,000 or 6 2/3% of aggregate indebtedness, as defined. Advances to affiliates, dividend payments, and other equity withdrawals are subject to certain restrictions, notification and other provisions of Rule 15c3-1 or other regulatory bodies.

At December 31, 2004, the Company had net capital of \$14,440,033 which was \$11,278,937 in excess of the amount required to be maintained at that date. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 3.28 to 1.