



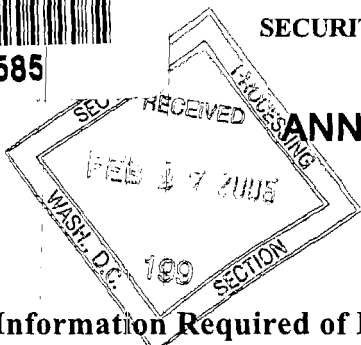
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Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/05 AND ENDING 12/31/05
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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Radnor Research & Trading Company, LLC

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

FIRM I.D. NO.

290 King Of Prussia Road

(No. and Street)

Radnor

PA

19087

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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

William R James

(610) 293-2000

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Stephano & Associates, LLC

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

125 Strafford Avenue

Wayne

PA

19087

(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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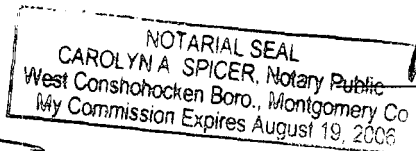
Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Charles Morgan Simpson, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Radnor Research & Trading Co., LLC, as of February 24, 20 06, 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:

Charles Morgan Simpson
Signature
President
Title



Carolyn A. Spicer
Notary Public

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 24th day of Feb. 20 06

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 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.
- ☒ (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 15c3-3 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.

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

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members
Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC
Radnor, Pennsylvania

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC, (the LLC) as of December 31, 2005 and the related statements of income, changes in members' equity, changes in subordinated borrowings 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 LLC'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 Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC at December 31, 2005, and the results of their operations and their 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 Schedule I, II, and III 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.

Stephano & Associates LLC

Stephano & Associates, LLC
Wayne, Pennsylvania

January 24, 2006

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2005

ASSETS

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 256,421
Cash Reserved for the Exclusive Benefit of Customers Pursuant to SEC Rule 15c3-3	150,302
Receivable from broker-dealers and clearing organizations	410,701
Furniture, Equipment, and Leasehold Improvements, at cost, less accumulated depreciation of \$19,077	73,200
Other Assets	<u>271,638</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1,162,262</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

Liabilities:

Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 568,231
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Other:

Subordinated Borrowings	150,000
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Members' Equity	<u>444,031</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OWNERSHIP EQUITY	<u>\$ 1,162,262</u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Statement of Income

For The Year Ended December 31, 2005

Revenue:

Commissions	\$ 3,066,728
Other Income	<u>4,969</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>3,071,697</u>

Expenses:

Account Executive and Other Employee Compensation	1,231,328
Interest Expense on Subordinated Borrowings	7,500
Brokerage Expense	782,683
Communications and Data Processing	17,826
Exchange Fees	463,875
Occupancy Expense	40,230
Other Expenses	<u>172,790</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>2,716,232</u>
NET INCOME	<u>\$ 355,465</u>

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

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Statement of Changes in Members' Equity
For The Year Ended December 31, 2005

Balance - January 1, 2005	\$	301,466
Net Income		355,465
Members' Distributions		<u>(212,900)</u>
BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 2005	\$	<u><u>444,031</u></u>

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

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
Statement of Changes in Subordinated Borrowings
For The Year Ended December 31, 2005

Subordinated borrowings at January 1, 2005	\$ 150,000
Subordinated borrowings at December 31, 2005	<u>\$ 150,000</u>

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

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Statements of Cash Flows

For The Year Ended December 31, 2005

Cash Flows From Operating Activities:

Net Income \$ 355,465

Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to

Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:

Depreciation 12,547

Decrease (Increase) in:

Receivables (248,645)

Other Assets (220,867)

Increase (Decrease) in:

Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses 547,198

NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES 445,698

Cash Flows From Investing Activities:

Purchase of Furniture, Equipment and

Leasehold Improvements (32,971)

Cash Flows From Financing Activities:

Member Distributions

(212,900)

NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS 199,827

Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning

206,896

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - ENDING

\$ 406,723

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

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

NOTE 1 - Organization and Nature of Business

The LLC is a broker-dealer registered with Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD). The LLC is a Pennsylvania Limited Liability Company that provides brokerage services to customers, who are predominately small and middle-market businesses.

NOTE 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Management believes that the estimates utilized in preparing the LLC's financial statements are reasonable and prudent; however, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents - For purposes of the statements of cash flows, the LLC considers all short-term, highly liquid investments with maturities of three months or less at the date of their acquisition to be cash and cash equivalents.

The LLC maintains cash two commercial financial institutions. Accounts are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$100,000. In the normal course of business, the LLC may have deposits in excess of the insured balance.

Receivables - Receivable are stated at the amount management expects to collect from balances outstanding at year-end. Based on management's assessment of credit history with customers having outstanding balances and current relationships with them, it has concluded that realization losses on balances outstanding at year-end will be immaterial.

Allowance for Doubtful Accounts - The LLC uses the direct write-off method to provide for doubtful accounts since experience and management's estimation indicate an adequate allowance for such amounts is immaterial.

Long-Lived Assets - Long-lived assets are required to be reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable.

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

NOTE 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements - Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements are recorded at cost. Depreciation is provided on the straight-line method. Maintenance and minor repairs are charged to operations when incurred. When assets are retired or sold, the related costs and accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and the resulting gain or loss is reflected in current operations.

The estimated useful lived for depreciation are:

Equipment	3-5 years
Furniture and Fixtures	7 years
Leasehold Improvements	15 years

Income Taxes - The LLC does not pay corporate taxes on its taxable income. Instead the members are liable for individual income taxes on the LLC's taxable income.

Commissions - Commissions and related clearing expenses are recorded on a trade-date basis as securities transactions occur.

NOTE 3 - Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements

Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements at December 31, 2005 consist of the following:

Equipment	\$ 60,060
Software	7,659
Furniture and Fixtures	19,190
Leasehold Improvements	5,368
	<u>92,277</u>
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>19,077</u>
NET FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	<u>\$ 73,200</u>

Depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2005 was \$12,547.

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2005

NOTE 4 - Subordinated Borrowings

The borrowing under the subordination agreement at December 31, 2005 is listed below:

Subordinated Note, interest accrued monthly at 5%, note matures May 2007.	\$	150,000
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The subordinated borrowing is available in computing net capital under the SEC's uniform net capital rule. To the extent that such borrowings are required for the LLC's continued compliance with minimum net capital requirements, they may not be repaid.

NOTE 5 - Major Customer

During the year ended December 31, 2005, the LLC had one major customer totaling \$509,833 which accounted for 16.6% of total sales.

NOTE 6 - Lease Commitments

The LLC leases real property under a renewable one year operating lease. Rent expense for the year ended December 31, 2005 was \$26,303. The lease term expires May 31, 2006.

NOTE 7 - Net Capital Requirements

The LLC is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC 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, 2005, the LLC had net capital of \$514,901, which was \$264,901 in excess of its required net capital of \$250,000. The LLC's net capital ratio was to 1.10 to 1.

NOTE 8 - Cash and Securities Segregated Under Federal and Other Regulations

Cash of \$150,302 has been segregated in a special reserve bank account for the benefit of customers under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Independent Auditors' Report on Supplementary Information
Required by Rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission

To the Members
Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC as of and for the year ended December 31, 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated January 24, 2006. 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, II, and III are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are 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.



Stephano & Associates, LLC
Wayne, Pennsylvania

January 24, 2006

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
SCHEDULE I - Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1
of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2005
(See Accountants' Report on Supplementary Information)

NET CAPITAL

Total Members' Equity	\$ 444,031
Add:	
Subordinated Borrowings	<u>150,000</u>
TOTAL CAPITAL AND ALLOWABLE SUBORDINATED BORROWINGS	594,031
Deductions:	
Nonallowable Assets:	
Furniture, Equipment and Leasehold	
Improvements, net	\$ 73,200
Other Assets	<u>525</u>
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	<u>73,725</u>
NET CAPITAL BEFORE HAIRCUTS ON SECURITIES POSITIONS	520,306
Haircuts on Securities:	
Other Securities	<u>5,405</u>
NET CAPITAL BEFORE HAIRCUTS ON SECURITIES POSITIONS	<u>\$ 514,901</u>
COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT:	
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED (6 2/3% x \$568,231)	<u>\$ 37,882</u>
MINIMUM DOLLAR NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT OF REPORTING BROKER-DEALER	<u><u>\$ 250,000</u></u>
NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT	<u><u>\$ 250,000</u></u>
EXCESS NET CAPITAL	<u><u>\$ 264,901</u></u>
EXCESS NET CAPITAL AT 1000%	<u><u>\$ 458,078</u></u>

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
SCHEDULE I - Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1
December 31, 2005
(See Accountants' Report on Supplementary Information)

TOTAL AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS

\$ 568,231

RATIO: AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS TO NET CAPITAL

1.10 to 1

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
SCHEDULE II - Computation For Determination of Reserve Requirements
Under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2005
(See Accountants' Report on Supplementary Information)

DEBITS

Customer Debit Balances	\$ 0
Failed to deliver of customers' securities not older than 30 calendar days	0
Securities borrowed to effectuate short sales by customers and securities borrowed to make delivery on customers' securities failed to deliver	0
Less:	
Concentration Collateral	0
Concentration Debit	0
Gross Debits	0
Less: 1 Percent Charge	0
TOTAL DEBIT ITEMS	

CREDITS

Free credit balances and other credit balances in customers' security accounts	\$ 0
Monies borrowed collateralized by securities carried for the accounts of customers'	0
Monies payable against customers' security loaned	0
Customers' securities failed to receive	0
Credit balances in firm accounts that are attributable to principal sales to customers	0
Market value of stock dividends, stock splits, and similar distributions receivable outstanding over thirty calendar days	0
Market value of short security count differences over thirty calendar days old	0
SUBTOTAL	

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
SCHEDULE II - Computation For Determination of Reserve Requirements
Under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2005
(See Accountants' Report on Supplementary Information)

BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD	0
Market value of short securities and credits	0
Market value of securities that are in transfer in excess of forty calendar days and have not been confirmed to be in transfer by the transfer agent or the issuer	<u>0</u>
TOTAL CREDITS ITEMS	<u><u>0</u></u>
RESERVE COMPUTATION	
EXCESS OF TOTAL DEBITS OVER TOTAL CREDITS	<u>0</u>
REQUIRED DEPOSIT	<u><u>\$ 0</u></u>
RECONCILIATION WITH COMPANY'S COMPUTATION	
EXCESS AS REPORTED IN COMPANY'S PART II FOCUS REPORT	<u><u>\$ 0</u></u>
AMOUNT HELD ON DEPOSIT IN "RESERVE BANK ACCOUNT"	<u><u>\$ 150,302</u></u>

RADNOR RESEARCH AND TRADING COMPANY, LLC
SCHEDULE III - Information Relating to Possession or Control Requirements
Under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
December 31, 2005
(See Accountants' Report on Supplementary Information)

Customers' full paid and excess margin securities not in the respondent's possession or control as of the report date (for which instructions to reduce to possession or control had been issued as of the report date but for which the required action was not taken by respondent within the time frames specified under Rule 15c3-3)

\$ 0

Number of Items

0

Customers' fully paid securities and excess margin securities for which instructions to reduce to possession or control had not been issued as of the report date, excluding items arising from "temporary lags which result from normal business operations" as permitted under Rule 15c3-3.

\$ 0

Number of Items

0

Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Required by SEC Rule 17a-5

To the Members
Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedule of Radnor Research and Trading Company, LLC (the LLC), for the year ended December 31, 2005, 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 and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the LLC including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in the following:

1. Making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the reserve required by rule 15c3-3(e)
2. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and 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
4. Obtaining and maintaining physical possession or control of all fully paid and excess margin securities of customers as required by rule 15c3-3

The management of the LLC 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 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 LLC 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 conformity 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 LLC's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2005, to meet the SEC's objectives.

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



Stephano & Associates, LLC
Wayne, Pennsylvania

January 24, 2006