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

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/07 AND ENDING 12/31/07
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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

DRW Securities, LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

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

10 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2100

(No. and Street)

Chicago

(City)

IL

(State)

60606

(Zip Code)

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

James B Lange

(312)542-1011

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

McGladrey & Pullen, LLP

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

One South Wacker Dr., Suite 800 Chicago

(Address)

(City)

IL

(State)

60606

(Zip Code)

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- 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)

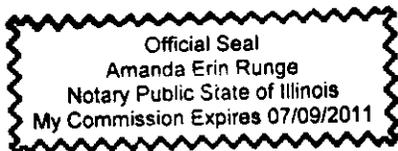
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, James B. Lange, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of DRW Securities, LLC, as of December 31, 2007, 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.



[Handwritten Signature]

Signature

CEO

Title

[Handwritten Signature]

Notary Public

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 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.
- (o) Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control

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

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McGladrey & Pullen

Certified Public Accountants

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Member
DRW Securities, LLC
Chicago, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of DRW Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2007, that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. 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 the statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall statement of financial condition presentation. 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 DRW Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2007, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

McGladrey & Pullen, LLP

Chicago, Illinois
February 27, 2008

DRW Securities, LLC

**Statement of Financial Condition
December 31, 2007**

Assets	
Cash	\$ 60,855
Receivable from clearing brokers, net	7,680,105
Securities owned, at market value	41,013,105
Memberships in exchanges, at cost (market value \$2,346,667)	1,279,000
Other assets	<u>246,043</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 50,279,108</u>
Liabilities and Member's Equity	
Liabilities	
Securities sold, not yet purchased, at market value	\$ 19,122,246
Payables to affiliated companies	3,153,041
Other accrued expenses	<u>198,168</u>
	22,473,455
Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors	3,000,000
Member's Equity	<u>24,805,653</u>
Total liabilities and member's equity	<u>\$ 50,279,108</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the statement of financial condition.

DRW Securities, LLC

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 1. Nature of Business and Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of business: DRW Securities, LLC (the "Company") is an Illinois limited liability company and a wholly owned subsidiary of DRW Holdings, LLC ("DRWH"). The Company is a registered broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and a Chicago Board Options Exchange ("CBOE") member firm that engages in proprietary securities trading activities.

The following is a summary of the Company's significant accounting policies:

Accounting 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, liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Securities transactions: Proprietary securities transactions are recorded on the trade-date basis as if they had settled. Profit and loss arising from all securities and commodities transactions are recorded on the trade-date basis.

Securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased are recorded at market value, with unrealized gains and losses reflected in proprietary trading revenue.

Corporate convertible securities are valued by management using a methodology that initially considers the securities' relative conversion attributes, either fixed or variable, as well as conversion restrictions, if any. Variable conversion further considers, among other things, negotiated discounts and look-back structures.

The Company values investments in securities for which there is no ready market at fair value as determined by management. Those estimated fair values do not necessarily represent the amounts that may be ultimately realized due to the occurrence of future circumstances that cannot be reasonably determined.

Amounts receivable and payable for securities transactions that have not reached their contractual settlement date are recorded net on the statement of financial condition.

Memberships in exchanges: Memberships in exchanges required to be held by the Company for clearing privileges at certain clearing organizations are carried at cost, or if any other than temporary impairment in value has occurred, at a value that reflects management's estimate of the impairment. Management believes no such impairment in value occurred in 2007.

Memberships in exchanges not held for operating purposes are carried at market value and are included in securities owned. Market values are based on the average of the last bid, ask, and sale price for the memberships at December 31, 2007.

Gains and losses on memberships are computed based upon specific identification.

Interest and dividend revenue/expense: The Company recognizes contractual interest on securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased on an accrual basis and dividend income is recognized on the ex-dividend date. The Company accounts for its secured financing activities on an accrual basis with related interest recorded as interest and dividend income and interest and dividend expense, as applicable.

Fair value of financial instruments: Substantially all of the Company's assets and liabilities are considered financial instruments and are either already reflected at fair value or contract amounts and are short-term or replaceable on demand. Therefore, their carrying amounts approximate fair value.

DRW Securities, LLC

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 1. Nature of Business and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Income taxes: As a limited liability company, the Company is not subject to federal income taxes. The Company's member separately accounts for its pro rata share of the Company's items of income, deductions, losses and credits. Therefore, these financial statements do not include any provision for federal income taxes.

Recent accounting pronouncements: In September 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, *Fair Value Measurements* ("SFAS 157"). SFAS 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurement. SFAS 157 also emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement, and sets out a fair value hierarchy with the highest priority being quoted prices in active markets. This Statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007. The Company is currently assessing the potential effect of SFAS 157 on its financial position, results of operations and cash flows.

In June 2006, the FASB issued FASB Interpretation No. 48, *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes – an interpretation of FASB Statement 109* ("FIN 48"). FIN 48 clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements in accordance with FASB Statement No. 109, *Accounting for Income Taxes*. FIN 48 prescribes a comprehensive model for recognizing, measuring, presenting and disclosing in the financial statements tax positions taken or expected to be taken on a tax return. If there are changes in net assets as a result of application of FIN 48 these will be accounted for as an adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings. Additional disclosures about the amounts of such liabilities will be required also. In February 2008, the FASB delayed the effective date of FIN 48 for certain nonpublic enterprises to annual financial statements for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2007. The Company will be required to adopt FIN 48 in its 2008 annual financial statements. Management is currently assessing the impact of FIN 48 on its financial position and results of operations and has not determined if the adoption of FIN 48 will have a material impact on its financial statements.

Note 2. Receivable from Clearing Brokers

Receivables from clearing brokers at December 31, 2007 consist of cash and interest and dividends receivable of \$7,427,866 and \$252,239, respectively.

Note 3. Securities Owned and Securities Sold, Not Yet Purchased

At December 31, 2007, securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased, are comprised of:

	Securities Owned	Securities Sold, Not Yet Purchased
Equity securities	\$ 20,845,480	\$ 19,122,246
Equity options	1,122,625	-
Private placements	6,140,000	-
Corporate convertible securities	8,255,000	-
Investments in exchange	4,650,000	-
	<u>\$ 41,013,105</u>	<u>\$ 19,122,246</u>

DRW Securities, LLC

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 4. Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of General Creditors

The Company has entered into a subordinated borrowing agreement with an affiliated entity in the amount of \$3,000,000. The subordinated borrowing bears interest at the Federal Funds Effective Rate plus .625 percent and is scheduled to mature on March 15, 2008. Management intends to extend the term of the subordinated borrowing through March 15, 2009.

The subordinated borrowing is available in computing net capital under the Securities and Exchange Commission's uniform net capital rule. To the extent that such borrowing is required for the Company's continued compliance with minimum net capital requirements, it may not be repaid.

Note 5. Related Party Transactions

The Company pays all direct expenses associated with its trading activities. The Company has entered into an agreement with DRWH whereby all other operating expenses are paid by DRWH and charged to the Company based on a series of usage factors.

Note 6. Derivative Financial Instruments and Concentrations of Credit Risk

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into transactions in financial instruments with varying degrees of market and credit risk. These financial instruments consist primarily of equity securities and their derivatives as well as interest rate securities and their derivatives. Derivatives include options on equities and indices as well as financial futures contracts and related options thereon. Trading of these financial instruments is conducted on securities and futures exchanges throughout the United States. Settlement of these transactions takes place in the United States through clearing brokers utilized by the Company. These instruments involve elements of market and credit risk that may exceed the amounts reflected in the statement of financial condition.

Various factors affect the market risk of these transactions; among them are the size and composition of the positions held, the absolute and relative levels of interest rates and market volatility. Also, the time period in which options may be exercised, the market value of the underlying instrument, and the exercise price affect market risk. The most significant factor influencing the Company's overall exposure to market risk is its use of hedging strategies.

Equity derivatives held such as options on common stock or financial futures contracts provide the Company with the opportunity to deliver or to take delivery of specified securities or financial futures contracts at a contracted price. Options written on common stock or financial futures contracts obligate the Company to deliver or to take delivery of, securities or specified financial futures contracts at a contracted price in the event the option is exercised by the holder and may result in market risk not reflected in the statement of financial condition to the extent that the Company is obligated to purchase or sell the underlying securities or financial futures contracts in the open market. To minimize these risks, the Company generally holds or sells short the underlying instrument, which can be used to settle these transactions.

Securities sold, not yet purchased, represent obligations of the Company to deliver specific securities at the contracted prices and thereby create a liability to purchase the securities in the open market at prevailing prices. These transactions may result in market risk not reflected in the statement of financial condition as the Company's ultimate obligation to satisfy its obligation for trading liabilities may exceed the amount reflected in the statement of financial condition. To minimize this risk, the Company generally holds equity securities or financial futures contracts, which can be used to settle these obligations.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 6. Derivative Financial Instruments and Concentrations of Credit Risk (Continued)

Since the Company does not clear its own securities and futures transactions, it has established accounts with clearing brokers for this purpose. This can and often does result in a concentration of credit risk with these firms. Such risk, however, is mitigated by each clearing broker's obligation to comply with rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") or the CBOE.

The Company maintains its cash deposits with a financial institution. On occasion, these deposits will exceed the maximum insurance level provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Note 7. Indemnifications

In the normal course of its business, the Company indemnifies and guarantees certain service providers, such as clearing brokers, against specified potential losses in connection with their acting as an agent of, or providing services to, the Company. The maximum potential amount of future payments that the Company could be required to make under these indemnifications cannot be estimated. However, the Company believes that it is unlikely it will have to make material payments under these arrangements and has not recorded any contingent liability in the financial statements for these indemnifications.

Additionally, the Company enters into contracts and agreements that contain a variety of representations and warranties and which provide general indemnifications. The Company's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown, as this would involve future claims that may be made against the Company that have not yet occurred. The Company expects the risk of any future obligations under these indemnifications to be remote.

Note 8. Regulatory Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC rule 15c3-1) which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital. The Company has elected to use the alternative method permitted by the rule, which requires that the Company maintain net capital, as defined, equal to the greater of \$250,000 or 2 percent of aggregate debit balances arising from customer transactions, as defined. The rule also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn if the resulting net capital would be less than 5 percent of aggregate debits. At December 31, 2007, the Company had net capital of \$9,167,708, which was \$8,917,708 in excess of its required net capital of \$250,000.

Although the Company is not exempt from SEC rule 15c3-3, it does not transact business in securities with or for customers and it does not carry margin accounts, credit balances or securities for any person defined as a customer under rule 17a-5(c)(4).