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**ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT  
FORM X-17A-5  
PART III**

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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 01/01/08 AND ENDING 12/31/08  
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

**A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION**

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

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

999 18th Street, Suite 1155 N  
(No. and Street)

Denver CO 80202  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

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

Doug Reynolds 720-542-7830  
(Area Code - Telephone Number)

**B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**

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

Harding and Hittesdorf, P.C.  
(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

650 S. Cherry Street, Suite 1050 Denver, CO 80246  
(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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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Douglas E. Reynolds, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC, as of December 31,, 2008, 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*

*Douglas E Reynolds*  
Signature

*President*  
Title

*Jennifer Jokela*  
Notary Public

JENNIFER JOKELA  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
STATE OF COLORADO

My Commission Expires 08/23/2010

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 15c3-1 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 auditors' Report on Internal Control.

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

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC  
(SEC File No. 8-67918)

Financial Statements and Supplemental  
Schedules for the Eight Months Ended December 31, 2008  
and Independent Auditors' Report and  
Supplemental Report on Internal  
Accounting Control

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To The Member  
Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC  
Denver, Colorado

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC (a limited liability company) as of December 31, 2008, and the related statements of operations, changes in member's equity and cash flows for the eight months then ended that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. 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 audit 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 Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC as of December 31, 2008, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the eight months 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 Schedules I and II 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.

*Hard Hittesdorf, P.C.*

HARDING AND HITTESDORF, P.C.  
Certified Public Accountants

February 23, 2009

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2008

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 118,584
Prepaid expenses	<u>3,586</u>

Total Current Assets	122,170
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PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, at cost:

Equipment	33,358
Furniture	<u>20,320</u>
	53,678

Less accumulated depreciation	<u>7,450</u>
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Net property and equipment	46,228
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OTHER ASSET:

Deposit	<u>7,464</u>
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TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 175,862</u></u>
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See accompanying notes to financial statements.

LIABILITY AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

CURRENT LIABILITY:

Accrued rent

\$ 7,498

Total Current Liability

7,498

MEMBER'S EQUITY

168,364

TOTAL LIABILITY AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

\$ 175,862

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

FOR THE EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

REVENUES:

Advisory services \$ 50,000

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Marketing	69,733
Salaries and benefits	52,830
Rent	36,789
Professional fees	30,980
Travel	26,037
Computer and internet	20,410
Depreciation	7,450
Office expense	6,286
Regulatory fees	6,168
Telephone	5,877
Printing and reproduction	4,175
Insurance	2,158
Repairs and maintenance	2,145
Miscellaneous	598

Total operating expenses 271,636

NET LOSS \$ (221,636)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

STATEMENT OF MEMBER'S EQUITY

FOR THE EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2008	\$ -
Member contribution	390,000
Net loss	<u>(221,636)</u>
BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2008	<u>\$ 168,364</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	
Net loss	\$ (221,636)
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash used for operations:	
Depreciation	7,450
Increase (decrease) in cash resulting from changes in:	
Prepaid expenses	(3,586)
Accrued rent	7,498
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NET CASH USED FOR OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(210,274)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	
Equipment purchased	(33,358)
Furniture purchased	(20,320)
Deposit paid	(7,464)
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NET CASH USED FOR INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(61,142)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Member contribution	390,000
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NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES	390,000
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	118,584
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<hr/> -
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	<hr/> <hr/> \$ 118,584

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

A. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Organization

Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC (the Company) is a FINRA member Broker/Dealer specializing in mergers and acquisitions, capital raising and related financial advisory services focused on middle market clients nationwide.

Cash and cash equivalents

The Company considers cash in banks and investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is calculated principally by the straight-line method using a useful life of 3 to 5 years. Maintenance and repairs are expensed as incurred. Major betterments are capitalized.

Income Taxes

The Company is not a taxpaying entity for federal or state income tax purposes. Accordingly, no income tax expense has been recorded in the financial statements. Income of the Company is taxed to the member in its tax return.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist primarily of temporary cash investments. The Company restricts temporary cash investments to financial institutions with high credit standing. Such temporary cash investments are often in excess of the FDIC insurance limit.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

A. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

B. Significant Client

The Company derived significant revenue from one key client during the eight months ended December 31, 2008. However, the makeup of the Company's client base will vary from year to year. Accordingly, an annual concentration in revenue from the same clients is remote.

C. Statutory Requirements

Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company is required to maintain minimum net capital as defined under such rule. At December 31, 2008, the Company's net capital was \$111,087 and the required net capital was \$5,000.

The Company is exempt from certain provisions of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and, accordingly, is not required to maintain a "Special Account for Exclusive Benefit of Customers". Such exemption is in accordance with paragraph (k) (2) (i) of the Rule.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS LLC

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

EIGHT MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

D. Commitment

Lease Commitment

In July 2008, the Company entered into a lease agreement for office space. The lease expires September 30, 2011. The Company incurred rent expense of \$36,789 during the eight months ended December 31, 2008. Future minimum lease payments under the terms of this lease are:

2009	\$ 76,670
2010	79,384
2011	61,065

E. Deferral of Financial Accounting Standards Board Interpretation No. 48 (FIN 48)

The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued FIN 48 *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes* effective for tax years beginning after December 31, 2006. Subsequent pronouncements, specifically FASB Staff Position (FSP FIN) 48-2 and FSP FIN 48-3 delayed the effective date for pass through entities for years beginning after December 15, 2008, however, early implementation is permitted. In accordance with the provisions of FSP FIN 48-3, the Company is disclosing it is not implementing the provisions of FSP FIN 48-3 early and will recognize the effective date for years beginning after December 15, 2008.

Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC is a limited liability company and is not a taxpaying entity for federal or state income tax purposes.

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE OF COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL,  
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED, AND AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS

DECEMBER 31, 2008

COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL AND MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED

MEMBER'S EQUITY	\$ 168,364
DEDUCTIONS:	
Nonallowable assets	( <u>57,277</u> )
NET CAPITAL	<u>\$ 111,087</u>
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED (greater of 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness or \$5,000)	<u>\$ 5,000</u>

AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS	<u>\$ 7,498</u>
RATIO OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS TO NET CAPITAL	<u>.068:1</u>

There is no difference between the above net capital computation and the corresponding computation included in the Company's Form X-17A-5 Part IIA Filing.

REYNOLDS ADVISORY PARTNERS, LLC

COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR BROKERS AND DEALERS PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-3

DECEMBER 31, 2008

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, in that the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption appearing in paragraph (k) (2) (i) of the Rule.

SCHEDULE II

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February 23, 2009

To The Member  
Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC  
Denver, Colorado

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Reynolds Advisory Partners, LLC (the Company), as of and for the eight months ended December 31, 2008, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's 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 Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

1. Making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13
2. 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

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 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 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 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 and 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.

A *control deficiency* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A *material weakness* is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and 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 Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at December 31, 2008 to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, 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.

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