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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 01/01/09 AND ENDING 12/31/09
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: GTO Group, LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

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

56 South Sunnycrest Drive

Little Silver (No. and Street) NJ 07739
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

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

Gregory Shinnick (732) 977-2192
(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Dunleavy & Company, P.C.

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

13116 South Western Avenue, Blue Island, Illinois 60406
(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)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Gregory Shinnick, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of GTO Group, LLC, as of December 31, 2009, 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

Gregory Shinnick
Signature

US Passport
+ PK

Manager
Title

Maria Vignola
Notary Public

MARIA VIGNOLA
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF NEW JERSEY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 2014
I.D.# 2166980

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~~ Cash Flows.
- (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.

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

GTO GROUP LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

DECEMBER 31, 2009

DUNLEAVY & COMPANY, P.C.

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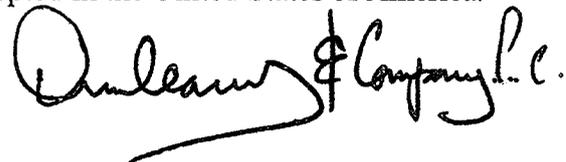
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Member of
GTO Group LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of GTO Group LLC as of December 31, 2009 that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities and 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 attain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes 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 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 statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of GTO Group LLC as of December 31, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.



DUNLEAVY & COMPANY, P. C.
Certified Public Accountants

Blue Island, Illinois
March 24, 2010

GTO GROUP LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2009

ASSETS

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	8,058
Related party receivable		<u>4,537</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	<u>12,595</u>

LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S CAPITAL

LIABILITIES

Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$	<u>1,351</u>
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MEMBER'S CAPITAL	\$	<u>11,244</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S CAPITAL	\$	<u>12,595</u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

GTO GROUP LLC

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

NOTE 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization - The Company, a limited liability company, was organized in the state of New Jersey on November 18, 2008. The duration of the Company is perpetual. The Company is registered as a broker/dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA). The Company's principal business activity is the assistance of mergers and acquisitions of other entities.

Concentrations of Credit Risk - The Company is engaged in various brokerage activities in which the counterparties primarily include broker/dealers, banks, other financial institutions and the Company's own customers. In the event the counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the creditworthiness of the counterparty or issuer of the instrument. It is the Company's policy to review, as necessary, the credit standing of each counterparty.

In addition, the Company's cash is on deposit at one financial institution and the balance at times may exceed the federally insured limit. The Company believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk to cash.

Cash Equivalents - For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, the Company has defined cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than three months that are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

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

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YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

NOTE 2 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

FASB ASC 820 defines fair value, creates a framework for measuring fair value, and establishes a fair value hierarchy which prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market. Valuation techniques that are consistent with the market, income or cost approach, as specified by FASB ASC 820, are used to measure fair value.

The fair value hierarchy prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities the Company has the ability to access.
- Level 2 inputs are inputs (other than quoted prices included within level 1) that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability and rely on management's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. *(The unobservable inputs should be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances and may include the Company's own data.)*

Level 1 inputs have been applied to value cash and cash equivalents on the statement of financial condition. No valuation techniques have been applied to all other assets and liabilities included in the statement of financial condition. Due to the nature of these items, all have been recorded at their historic values.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

NOTE 3 - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

As a registered broker/dealer and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, the Company is subject to the Uniform Net Capital Rule, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregated indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 800%. At December 31, 2009 the Company's net capital and required net capital were \$6,707 and \$5,000 respectively. The ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 20%.

NOTE 4 - RELATED PARTIES

As previously stated the Company is wholly owned by Global Trading Offshore LLC. (the Parent).

The sole member of the Parent has provided office space, accounting and administrative assistance to the Company without reimbursement.

NOTE 5 - INCOME TAXES

As a limited liability company with only one member, the Company is considered a disregarded entity for federal income tax purposes. Income taxes are therefore the responsibility of the sole member of the Company.