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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Frank Scarpiniti, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Chopper Securities, LLC, as of December 31, 2011, 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.

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This report** contains (check all applicable boxes):

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- X (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 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.
- X (1) 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).

Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2011

Filed as PUBLIC information pursuant to Rule 17a-5(d) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Member Chopper Securities, LLC Chicago, Illinois

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Chopper Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2011, that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 of 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. We believe that our audit of the statement of financial condition 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 Chopper Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2011, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

McGladrey & Pallen, LCP

Chicago, Illinois February 28, 2012

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Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2011

Assets	
Cash	\$ 9,905,196
Receivable from clearing broker	12,811,035
Accounts receivable	574,077
Other assets	24,583
Total assets	\$ 23,314,891
Liabilities and Member's Equity	
Liabilities	
Payable to brokers	\$ 1,175,787
Due to Member	238,038
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	78,212
Total liabilities	1,492,037
Member's equity	21,822,854
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$ 23,314,891

See Notes to Statement of Financial Condition.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 1. Nature of Operations and Significant Accounting Policies

Chopper Securities, LLC (the Company) was organized under the Limited Liability Company Act of Delaware on April 22, 2010. The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Chopper Trading, LLC (the Parent). The primary business of the Company is to trade exchange traded funds and futures contracts as principal. The Company is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) as a broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and commenced broker dealer operations on November 1, 2010.

Significant accounting policies are as follows:

Accounting policies: The Company follows the accounting standards set by the Financial Accounting Standard Board (FASB). The FASB sets generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) that the Company follows to ensure consistent reporting of financial condition.

Use of estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Securities and derivative financial instruments: Transactions in securities and derivative financial instruments are recorded on a trade date basis. These financial instruments are carried at fair value with the resulting unrealized gains and losses reflected in trading revenues, net on the statement of income. Brokerage commissions and other trading fees are reflected separately in the statement of income.

The Company follows FASB guidance that allows for the alternative disclosure of gains and losses on derivative instruments included in its trading activities. This alternative disclosure permits the Company to disclose on a combined basis the gains and losses related to all derivative and non-derivative (or cash) instruments classified as trading instruments disaggregated by the type of underlying risk. Trading instruments include exchange traded funds and futures contracts.

Rebates are recognized on the accrual.

The Company obtains financing from its clearing broker from whom it can borrow against its proprietary inventory positions, subject to collateral maintenance requirements.

Income taxes: Under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, the Company is treated as a disregarded entity and as a division of the Parent. Accordingly, no provision or benefit for federal income taxes has been made as the Company's taxable income or loss is included in the tax return of the Parent.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

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

The FASB guidance on accounting for uncertainty in income taxes, which addresses the determination of whether tax benefits claimed or expected to be claimed on a tax return should be recorded in the financial statements. Under this guidance, the Company may recognize the tax benefit from an uncertain tax position only if it is more-likely-than-not that the tax position will be sustained on examination by taxing authorities, based on the technical merits of the position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such a position are measured based on the largest benefit that has a greater than 50 percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. The guidance on accounting for uncertainty in income taxes also addresses de-recognition, classification, interest and penalties on income taxes, and accounting in interim periods. Management has determined that there are no material uncertain income tax positions through December 31, 2011.

Recently issued accounting pronouncement: In May 2011, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2011-04, Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurements and Disclosure Requirements in U.S. GAAP and IFRSs (ASU 2011-04). ASU 2011-04 amended ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures, to converge the fair value measurement guidance in GAAP and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs). Some of the amendments clarify the application of existing fair value measurement requirements, while other amendments change a particular principle in ASC 820. In addition, ASU 2011-04 requires additional fair value disclosures. The amendments are to be applied prospectively and are effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011. The Company is currently evaluating the effect that the provisions of ASU 2011-04 will have on the Company's financial statements.

Note 2. Receivable from Clearing Brokers

Receivable from clearing brokers at December 31, 2011, consist of:

Cash	\$ 12,329,689
Dividend	481,346
	\$ 12,811,035

Note 3. Fair Value Measurements

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. The Company utilizes valuation techniques to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Assets and liabilities recorded at fair value are categorized based upon the level of judgment associated with the inputs used to measure their value. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). Inputs are broadly defined as assumptions market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level 1. Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date.

Level 2. Significant observable inputs other than Level 1 prices such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data.

<u>Level 3</u>. Significant unobservable inputs that reflect a reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 3. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

In certain cases, the inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, a financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The Company's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurements in its entirety requires judgment, and considers factors specific to the financial instrument.

A market is active if there are sufficient transactions on an ongoing basis to provide current pricing information for the asset or liability, pricing information is released publicly, and price quotations do not vary substantially either over time or among market makers. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity.

The Company assesses the levels of the investments at each measurement date, and transfers between levels are recognized on the actual date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer in accordance with the Company's accounting policy regarding the recognition of transfer between the levels of the fair value hierarchy.

Equity securities, exchange traded funds, and futures that trade in active markets are valued using quoted market prices, broker or dealer quotations and are classified as Level 1.

In addition, substantially all of the Company's other assets and liabilities, are considered financial instruments and are already reflected at fair value or at carrying amounts that approximate fair values because of the short maturity of the instruments. Therefore, their carrying amounts approximate their fair values.

At December 31, 2011 the Company had no assets or liabilities that fall within Level 2 or Level 3.

Note 4. Derivative Financial Instruments

The Company's derivative activities are the trading of exchange traded funds and futures contracts. The Company employs arbitrage trading strategies between exchange traded funds and futures. Since the Company's trading is primarily arbitrage in nature, the notional value of open derivative positions is not representative of the risk. Accordingly, the Company's trading seeks to minimize risk by being neutral as to value-at-risk, as the open derivatives positions have corresponding offsets in other non-derivative instruments.

The Company does not utilize and does not consider any derivative instruments as or to be hedging instruments, as those terms are generally understood. Note 7 describes the risks associated with trading derivative contracts.

For the period ended December 31, 2011, the total number of the derivative contracts bought and sold was approximately 10,661,555 contracts.

At December 31, 2011, the Company did not hold any derivative positions.

Note 5. Related-Party Transactions

The Company has also entered into a services agreement with the Parent and compensates the Parent for use of computer equipment trading platforms and IT related services based on trading activities. Further, under this agreement, the Company reimburses the Parent for certain salary and administrative expenses paid for by the Parent. At December 31, 2011, the Company had a net payable to the Parent of \$238,038 for these services.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 6. Indemnifications

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into contracts and agreements that contain a variety of representations and warranties that provide indemnifications under certain circumstances. 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. Management of the Company expects the risk of any future obligation under these indemnifications to be remote.

In the normal course of business the Company may be subject to various regulatory matters, litigation, and claims. It is the Company's policy to vigorously defend against these potential matters.

Note 7. Derivatives Activities and Off-Balance-Sheet Risk

In connection with its proprietary market-making and trading activities, the Company enters into transactions in a variety of securities and derivative financial instruments, including futures and other financial instruments with similar characteristics. Futures contracts provide for the sale or purchase of financial instruments at a specified future date at a specified price or yield. These financial instruments may have market risk and/or credit risk in excess of those amounts recorded in the Statement of Financial Condition.

Market risk: Derivative financial instruments involve varying degrees of off-balance-sheet market risk whereby changes in the market values of the underlying financial instruments may result in changes in the value of the financial instruments in excess of the amounts reflected in the statement of financial condition. Exposure to market risk is influenced by a number of factors, including the relationships between financial instruments and the Company's proprietary inventories, and the volatility and liquidity in the markets in which the financial instruments are traded. In many cases, the use of such financial instruments serves to modify or offset market risk associated with other transactions and, accordingly, serves to decrease the Company's overall exposure to market risk. The Company attempts to manage its exposure to market risk arising from the use of these financial instruments through various monitoring techniques.

Credit risk: Credit risk arises from the potential inability of counterparties to perform in accordance with the terms of the contract. The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with counterparty nonperformance is limited to the current cost to replace all contracts in which the Company has a gain. Exchange traded financial instruments, such as futures and equity options, generally do not give rise to significant counterparty exposure due to soundness of the centralized clearing facility of the specific exchanges, the cash settlement procedures for daily gains and losses and the margin requirements of the individual exchanges.

Concentrations of credit risk: Pursuant to agreement, all of the Company's transactions are cleared by the broker-dealer. In the event of the insolvency of its clearing broker or in the event it does not fulfill its obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The Company attempts to minimize the credit risk by monitoring the creditworthiness of its clearing brokers.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

Note 7. Derivatives Activities and Off-Balance-Sheet Risk (Continued)

In addition, the Company also enters into various transactions with other broker-dealers and other financial institutions. In the event these counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. This risk of default depends on the creditworthiness of the counterparties to these transactions. It is the Company's policy to monitor the exposure to and creditworthiness of each party with which it conducts business.

The Company maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts that, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts. Management believes that the Company is not exposed to any significant credit risk on cash.

Note 8. Net Capital Requirements

Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1 of the SEC, the Company has elected to use the alternative method permitted by the rule, which requires that the Company maintain "net capital" equal to the greater of \$250,000 or 2 percent of the Company's aggregate debit items, as these terms are defined. At December 31, 2011, the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$20,742,848 and \$250,000, respectively. The net capital rules may effectively restrict the withdrawal of member's equity.

Note 9. Subsequent Event

The Company has evaluated subsequent events for potential recognition and/or disclosure through the date the financial statements were issued.