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#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

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I, Paul Scura	_, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of		
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting sch	nedules pertaining to the firm of		
Scura Partners Securities, LLC	, as		
of, 20_11, are true and, 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:			

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# SCURA PALEY SECURITIES, LLC

### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

DECEMBER 31, 2011



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### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

**DECEMBER 31, 2011** 

# SCURA PALEY SECURITIES, LLC (A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Managing Member Scura Paley Securities, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Scura Paley Securities, LLC (the "Company") at December 31, 2011. 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 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 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 Scura Paley Securities, LLC at December 31, 2011 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

 $\pm U.(()$ PUSTORINO, PUGLISI & CO.

New York, New York February 28, 2012

# SCURA PALEY SECURITIES, LLC STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2011

# <u>ASSETS</u>

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ASSETS	\$ 61,898	
Cash and cash equivalents	25,000	
Fee receivable	25,805	
Fixed assets, net		
Other assets	50,000	
Security deposit	86,459	-
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 249,162	_
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# LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

LIABILITIES Deferred rent and other liabilities	\$ 29,384
MEMBER'S EQUITY	 219,778
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	\$ 249,162

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

#### Note 1 - Organization

Scura Paley Securities, LLC (the "Company") is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"), formerly the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. ("NASD"). On December 22, 2011, the Company changed its name from Scura Partners Securities, LLC to its current name. The Company was founded in December 2001 under the laws of the State of Delaware. The Company provides investment banking and related financial advisory services to institutional clients. It operates out of one office in New York City, NY.

The Company is wholly owned by Scura Paley & Company, LLC (the "Parent"), a New York City investment banking firm.

## Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### **Basis of Presentation**

The Company keeps its books and prepares its financial statements on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

The Company records fees as they are earned based on the services provided or the closing of certain securities transactions.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

#### Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lease term.

### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd.)

#### Income Taxes

The Company consolidates its taxable income with its Parent, which files a partnership return for federal, state and city purposes. As a result, no federal or New York State income taxes are provided as they are the responsibility of the individual members. The Company records its allocable share of New York City Unincorporated Business Tax.

The Company has adopted the uncertainty in income tax accounting standard. This standard provides applicable measurement and disclosure guidance related to uncertain tax positions. Adoption of this standard has had no effect on the Company's financial statements.

The Company's Parent files income tax returns in the U.S. in both federal and state jurisdictions. With few exceptions, the Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state or local tax examinations by taxing authorities for years before 2008. The years 2008 to 2011 remain subject to examination by taxing authorities.

#### Use of 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 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.

#### Note 3 - Concentrations

The Company maintains all of its cash in several major banks, which cash balances, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not subject to any significant credit risk on cash.

During 2011, the Company provided services to three major customers constituting approximately 55%, 16% and 14%, respectively, of total revenues.

#### Note 4 - Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1) which requires the maintenance of a minimum net capital, as defined, of the greater of \$5,000 or one-fifteenth of aggregate indebtedness, as defined. At December 31, 2011, the Company had net capital of \$32,514, which exceeded its requirement by \$27,514. Additionally, the Company must maintain a ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital of 15:1 or less. At December 31, 2011, this ratio was 0.90:1.

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 of the SEC since the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption pursuant to subsection k(2)(i) of the Rule.

### Note 5 - Fixed Assets

Fixed assets, net at December 31, 2011 are summarized as follows:

Furniture and fixtures	\$ 11,755
Leasehold improvements	 <u>16,545</u>
	 28,300
Less: Accumulated depreciation and amortization	 2,495
	\$ 25,805

Depreciation and amortization expense amounted to \$2,495 for the year ended December 31, 2011.

#### Note 6 - Commitments

The Company is obligated under a lease agreement for office space expiring January 31, 2016. The future rent commitment under this arrangement is as follows:

Years Ending December 31:		
2012	\$	265,320
2013		226,535
2014		278,752
2015		285,721
2016		23,859
	\$	1.080.187
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Total rent expense for the year ended December 31, 2011 was \$237,662.

## Note 6 - Subsequent Events

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For disclosure purposes in the financial statement, the Company has evaluated subsequent events through February 28, 2012, the date the financial statement was available to be issued.

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