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

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A	REGISTRANT IDENTIFICA	ATION				
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: BRUDERMAN BROTHERS, INC.			FIRM I.D. NO.			
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE O	: No.)					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip	(Zip Code)			
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER MATTHEW BRUDERMA			RT (516) 609-0291 rea Code – Telephone Numbe			
В	ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFIC	ATION				
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNT	ANT whose opinion is contained in MARCUM LLP (Name – if individual, state last, fire					
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I,	MATTHEW J. BRUDERMAN		, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my kno	wledge and belief the accompanying financial s	statemen	ent and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
	BRUDERMAN BROTHERS, I	NC.	, as
of	DECEMBER 31	_, 201	11 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
neither	the company nor any partner, proprietor, princ	ipal offic	ficer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
classifie	ed solely as that of a customer, except as follow	7s:	
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	Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity		
	Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordina	ted to Cl	Claims of Creditors.
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⊠ (1)	An Oath or Affirmation.		
\square (m)	A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.		
□ (n)	A report describing any material inadequacies for	ound to e	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).

BRUDERMAN BROTHERS, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Stockholder of **Bruderman Brothers, Inc.**

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Bruderman Brothers, Inc. (the "Company") as of December 31, 2011, that is filed 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 financial statement 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 also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement, 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 statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Bruderman Brothers, Inc. as of December 31, 2011, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

New York, NY February 27, 2012

Marcun LLP

MARCUMGROUP MEMBER

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2011

Assets Cash Marketable security Advisory and consulting fees receivable Other assets	\$	22,513 7,353 350,000 2,366	
Total Assets			\$ 382,232
Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity			
Liabilities Accrued expenses	\$	19,156	
Total Liabilities			\$ 19,156
Stockholder's Equity Common stock - par value \$0.01; 200 shares authorized; 100 shares issued and outstanding Additional paid-in capital Accumulated deficit	_	1 485,219 (122,144)	
Total Stockholder's Equity			 363,076
Total Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity			\$ 382,232

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DECEMBER 31, 2011

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

NATURE OF BUSINESS

Bruderman Brothers, Inc. (the "Company") was incorporated in New York State in January 1996. In February of 2000, the Company became a broker and dealer in securities registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). The Company is also a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") and the Securities Investor Protection Corp ("SIPC"). The Company is exempt from Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The Company assists its clients in the sale of their business and/or in debt and equity financings.

MARKETABLE SECURITY

The marketable security is valued based on its quoted closing market price on the last day of the year.

INCOME TAXES

The stockholder of the Company elected that the Company be taxed under the provisions of Subchapter "S" of the Internal Revenue Code and the appropriate sections of the New York State Franchise Tax Act. Under those provisions, the Company does not pay federal or state corporate income taxes. The stockholder is liable for individual federal and state income taxes on the Company's taxable income.

The Company evaluates its uncertain tax provisions under the provisions of ASC 740 "Income Taxes". ASC 740 prescribes a recognition threshold and a measurement attribute for the financial statement Recognition and measurement of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. For those benefits to be recognized, a tax position must be more-likely-than-not to be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. Differences between tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return and the benefit recognized and measured pursuant to the interpretation are referred to as "unrecognized benefits". A liability is recognized (or amount of net operating loss carry forward or amount of tax refundable is reduced) for an unrecognized tax benefit because it represents an enterprise's potential future obligation to the taxing authority for a tax position that was not recognized as a result of applying the provisions of ASC 740.

The Company's policy for recording interest and penalties is to record such items as a component of income before income taxes. Penalties are recorded as part of general and administrative expenses and interest paid or received is recorded in interest expense or interest income, respectively, in the statement of income. There were no amounts accrued for penalties or interest as of or during the year ended December 31, 2011.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DECEMBER 31, 2011

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

INCOME TAXES (CONTINUED)

The Company is no longer subject to income tax examinations by tax authorities for the years prior to 2008.

As of December 31, 2011, no liability for unrecognized tax benefits was required to be recorded.

USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statement 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 statement and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK AND MAJOR CLIENTS

The Company maintains checking account in one financial institution. Account at the bank is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC"). At times, the cash balances may be uninsured or in a deposit account that exceeds FDIC insurance limit.

Advisory and consulting fees receivable: The Company does not generally require collateral or other security to support advisory and consulting fees receivables. At December 31, 2011, the Company determined that no reserve against advisory and consulting fees receivable was required. While bad debt expense has historically been within management's expectations, the Company cannot guarantee that it will continue to experience the same credit loss rates that it has in the past. If the financial condition of clients was to deteriorate, resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, an allowance may be required. As of December 31, 2011, the receivable balance was from one client.

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company has evaluated subsequent events to determine if events or transactions occurring through February 27, 2012, the date the financial statement was available to be issued, require adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statement.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DECEMBER 31, 2011

NOTE 2 - MARKETABLE SECURITY

At December 31, 2011, the marketable security consisted entirely of 300 shares of common stock in The NASDAQ Stock Market, Inc. with a market value of \$7,353.

The Company recorded an increase in the market value of the marketable security of \$234 during the year ended December 31, 2011.

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. In determining fair value, the Company often utilizes certain assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risk and/or the risks inherent in the inputs to the valuation technique. These inputs can be readily observable, market corroborated, or developed by the Company. The fair value hierarchy ranks the quality and reliability of the information used to determine fair values. Financial assets and liabilities carried at fair value are classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

- Level 1 Valued based on quoted prices at the measurement date for identical assets or liabilities trading in active markets. Financial instruments in this category generally include actively traded equity securities. The types of investments included in Level 1 are \$7,353 of a marketable equity security held by the Company at December 31, 2011.
- Level 2 Valued based on (a) quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; (b) quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active; (c) inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; or (d) from market corroborated inputs. Financial instruments in this category include certain corporate equities that are not actively traded or are otherwise restricted. At December 31, 2011, the Company did not hold any level 2 investments.
- Level 3 Valued based on valuation techniques in which one or more significant inputs is not readily observable. Included in this category are certain corporate debt instruments, certain private equity investments, and certain commitments and guarantees. At December 31, 2011, the Company did not hold any level 3 investments.

Certain financial instruments are carried at cost on the balance sheet, which approximates fair value due to their short-term, highly liquid nature. These instruments include cash, Advisory and consulting fees receivable and accrued expenses.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DECEMBER 31, 2011

NOTE 4 - 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 and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2011, the Company's net capital amounted to \$9,607, which was \$4,607 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's net capital ratio was 1.99 to 1 at December 31, 2011.

NOTE 5 - LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As of December 31, 2011, the Company has a cash balance of \$22,513. Historically, cash requirements have been funded from operations and capital contributions from its stockholder. The Company believes that it will have sufficient resources to fund its future business activities in a similar manner.

The Company's shareholder contributed an aggregate of \$5,000 of capital to the Company during the year ended December 31, 2011.