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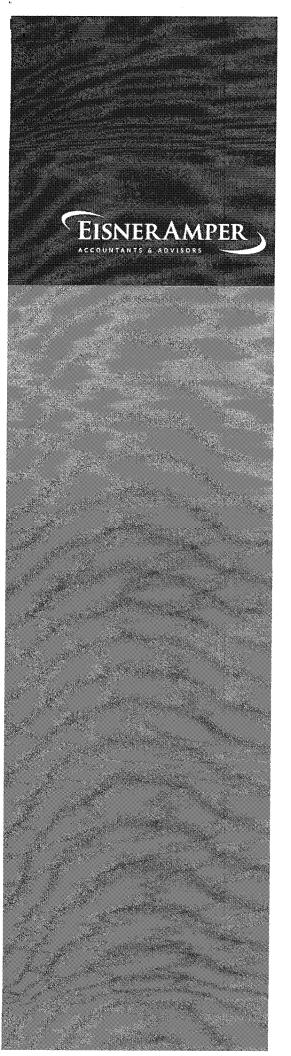
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# OATH OR AFFIRMATION

ny knowledge and belief the accompanying fina	incial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
Eulav Securities LLC	, as
4 :1 20	, 2012, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
lassified solely as that of a customer, except as	follows:
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(b) Statement of Financial Condition.	
(c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condi	HON.
(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' E	quity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subo	rdinated to Claims of Creditors.
(g) Computation of Net Capital.	
(h) Computation for Determination of Reserv	e Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
(i) Information Relating to the Possession or	Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
(i) A Reconciliation, including appropriate ex	xplanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
Computation for Determination of the Re	serve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
(k) A Reconciliation between the audited and	l unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
consolidation.	
(1) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
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<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).



STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION APRIL 30, 2012



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Member of EULAV Securities LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of EULAV Securities LLC (the "Company") as of April 30, 2012, 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, and 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 EULAV Securities LLC as of April 30, 2012, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

New York, New York June 22, 2012

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# Statement of Financial Condition April 30, 2012

#### **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents 12b-1 fees receivable from affiliates Prepaid expenses and other assets	\$ 1,211,787 292,200 35,030
	<u>\$ 1,539,017</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Total member's equity	\$ 389,373 
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Notes to the Statement of Financial Condition April 30, 2012

#### NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND TRANSACTIONS WITH AFFILIATES

EULAV Securities LLC (the "Company"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of EULAV Asset Management (the "Parent"), is a Delaware limited liability company formed on December 23, 2010. The Company is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority. It serves as the underwriter and distributor of shares of the Value Line mutual funds ("Value Line Funds"). On December 23, 2010, EULAV Securities, Inc. merged into the Company and the Company is considered to be the successor to EULAV Securities, Inc. under the rules of the SEC.

Each of the Value Line Funds has a distribution agreement with the Company pursuant to which the Company acts as principal underwriter and sole distributor of the Value Line Funds for the sale and distribution of their shares. The Company is eligible to receive service and distribution fees under Rule 12b-1 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 from Value Line Funds managed by the Parent. The Company and certain of the Value Line Funds have agreed to waive a portion of the fund's respective Rule 12b-1 fees. The fees received by the Company from the Value Line Funds are net of any contractual fee waivers as described in Note C. The results of the Company's operations may not be indicative of what the results of operations would be if it were a standalone entity.

The Company claims the exemption from the provisions of SEC Rule 15c3-3 under paragraph (k)(1).

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### [1] 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.

#### [2] Cash and cash equivalents:

The Company considers all cash held at banks and money market mutual funds to be cash and cash equivalents. As of April 30, 2012, cash equivalents consisted of \$190,892 invested in the Value Line U.S. Government Money Market Fund. The Company maintains cash and balances in a financial institution which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. In the event of a financial institution's insolvency, recovery of cash may be limited.

#### [3] Revenues:

Service and distribution fees are received solely from the Value Line Funds in accordance with service and distribution plans under Rule 12b-1 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. The plans are compensation plans, which means that the Company's fees under the plans are receivable without regard to actual expenses incurred by the Company. The Company may earn a profit under the plan. Service and distribution fees are received on a monthly basis and calculated on the average daily net assets of the month of the respective mutual fund in accordance with each fund prospectus. Expenses incurred by the Company include payments to securities dealers, banks, financial institutions and other organizations (including an allocation of the Parent's expenses), that provide distribution, marketing, and administrative services with respect to the distribution of the mutual funds' shares.

Notes to the Statement of Financial Condition April 30, 2012

# NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### [4] Income taxes:

The Company, as a single member limited liability company, is a disregarded entity for federal and state income tax purposes and, accordingly, is not subject to federal, state, or local income taxes.

The Company may recognize tax benefits from any uncertain positions only if it is more likely than not that the tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities, based on the technical merits of the position. The Company's policy is to recognize accrued interest and penalties in general and administration expense. The Company has not recognized in this financial statement any interest or penalties related to income taxes, and has no material unrecognized tax benefits. There are currently no income tax returns under examination.

Tax laws are complex and subject to different interpretations by the taxpayer and taxing authorities. Significant judgment is required when evaluating tax provisions and related uncertainties. Future events such as changes in tax legislation could require a provision for income taxes. Any such changes could significantly affect the amounts reported in the statement of income.

## [5] Fair value of financial instruments:

Authoritative accounting guidance defines fair value, establishes 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 are used to measure fair value. 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 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted market prices that are observable, either directly or indirectly, and reasonably available. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are developed based on market data obtained from independent sources.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs reflect the assumptions that the management develops based on available information about what market participants would use in valuing the asset or liability.

An asset's or liability's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Availability of observable inputs can vary and is affected by a variety of factors. The Company's management uses judgment in determining fair value of assets and liabilities and Level 3 assets and liabilities involve greater judgment than Level 1 or Level 2 assets and liabilities.

Money market funds are valued at the closing net asset value in an active market.

Notes to the Statement of Financial Condition April 30, 2012

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### [5] Fair value of financial instruments: (continued)

The following table presents information about the Company's assets measured at fair value as of April 30, 2012:

	Country	Fair Value	Fair Value Hierarchy
Assets: Cash Equivalent: Money Market	United States	\$ 190,892	Level 1

#### **NOTE C - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

The Parent allocated expenses to the Company for salaries and benefits, office facilities and other administrative expenses in accordance with an expense sharing agreement. The Company and the Parent incur trade receivables and payables throughout the year. Interest is not charged on intercompany balances. As of April 30, 2012, there were no intercompany balances outstanding.

The 12b-1 fees, as described in Note B, are received solely from related parties.

#### NOTE D - EMPLOYEES' PROFIT SHARING AND SAVINGS PLAN

The employees of the Company are eligible to be members of the Parent's 401(k) Plan and Profit Sharing Plan. In general, the Company matches 50% of the first 4% of each eligible employees salary for the 401(k) Plan and may at its discretion contribute to the Profit Sharing Plan. For the year ended April 30, 2012, the Company made no contributions to the Profit Sharing Plan.

#### NOTE E - NET CAPITAL

The Company is subject to the net capital provisions of Rule 15c3-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital of \$100,000 or one-fifteenth of aggregate indebtedness, if larger. At April 30, 2012, the Company's net capital, as defined, of \$818,596 exceeded required net capital by \$718,596 and the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 0.48 to 1.