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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 04/01/11 and ending 03/31/12

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A. REGIS	TRANT IDEN	TIFICATION		
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Krueger Brokerage, Inc.			Official Use Only Firm ID No.	
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE 406 Main Street (No. and Street)	OF BUSINESS	ا Do not use F (Do	P.O. Box No.):	
Keokuk (City)	IA (State)	52632 (Zip Code)		
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT: Daniel Krueger (319) 524-1240  (Area Code - Telephone No.)				
B. ACCOU	INTANT IDEN	ITIFICATION		
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNDEMARCO Sciaccotta Wilkens & Dun (Name – If Individual, state lest, first, middle name)  1211 West 22 <sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite 110 (No. and Street)	TANT whose o lleavy LLP	pinion is conta	ined in this Report*	
Oak Brook (Gity)	Illinois (State)	60523 (Zip Code)		
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<sup>\*</sup>Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report 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**

accom Kruege affirm) has ar	ry Krueger, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the panying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of er Brokerage, Inc., as of March 31, 2012, are true and correct. I further swear (or that neither the Company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director by proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, as follows:
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	DANIEL R. KRUEGER Title
	Commission Number 736245  My Commission Expires
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	Notary Public
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X (a)	Facing Page.
X (b)	Statement of Financial Condition.
X (c)	Statement of Income (Loss).
X (q)	Statement of Cash Flows.
X (e) ☐ (f)	Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital. Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
X (g)	Computation of Net Capital.
☐ (h)	Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c-3-3.
	Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c-3-3.
□0)	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 audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with
<b>V</b>	respect to methods of consolidation.
X (I) (m)	An Oath or Affirmation. A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
X (n)	A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed
	since the date of the previous audit.
	conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-
5(e)(3).	

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT PURSUANT TO RULE 17a-5

MARCH 31, 2012

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors Krueger Brokerage, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Krueger Brokerage, Inc. as of March 31, 2012 and the related statements of income, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements 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 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 also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, 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 statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Krueger Brokerage, Inc. as of March 31, 2012 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule included with this report is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

De Marco Sciaccotta Wilhers & Sunlewy LLP

Oak Brook, Illinois May 16, 2012

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# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

# MARCH 31, 2012

### **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents Receivable from broker/dealers Securities owned, at fair value Leasehold improvements, at cost (net of accumulated amortization of \$1,514)		14,989 50,248 51,186
		17,350
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1:</u>	33,773
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ :	15,484
SHAREHOLDERS' EOUITY		
Common stock, Par value \$1,000; shares		
authorized 100; shares issued 50;	,	
outstanding 41	\$ 5	50,000
Additional paid-in capital		1,649
Retained earnings		36,071
Less 9 shares of Treasury Stock, at cost	(:	19,431)
Total Shareholders' Equity	\$ 11	18,289
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	<u>\$ 13</u>	33 <u>,773</u>

## STATEMENT OF INCOME

## YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

REVENUE	
Commissions and concessions	\$ 224,787
Net dealer investment gains	3,200
Other	3,058
Total Revenue	\$ 231,045
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EXPENSES	
Commissions, other compensation	
and related benefits	\$ 161,693
Clearing and execution charges	26,221
Occupancy	6,000
Other expenses	38,606
Total Expenses	\$ 232,520
NET INCOME (LOSS)	<u>\$ (1,475)</u>

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

## YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

	Common Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Treasury Stock	Total Shareholders' Equity
Balance- Beginning of Period	\$50,000	\$ 1,649	\$ 87,546	\$(19,431)	\$ 119,764
Net Loss		<del></del> .	(1,475)		(1,475)
BALANCE-END OF PERIOD	<u>\$50,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,649</u>	<u>\$ 86,071</u>	<u>\$ (19,431</u> )	<u>\$ 118,289</u>

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

## YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Net Income	\$ (1,4)	75)
Adjustments:		
Amortization	4.9	96
Unrealized Loss	96	<b>6</b> 9
Realized Gain	(4,10	59)
Increase in receivable from		
broker/dealers	(11,83	36)
Increase in accounts payable	4,14	<u> 19</u>
Net Cash Flow Provided (Used) by		
Operating Activities	\$ (11,86	<u>66</u> )
Cash Flows from Investing Activities Proceeds from the sale of securities	\$ 14,29	99
Net Cash Flow Provided (Used) by Financing Activities	\$ -(	<u>) –</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,43	<u>33</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents Balance at March 31, 2011	\$ 12,55	<u> 6</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents Balance at March 31, 2012	\$ 14,98	39

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

#### NOTE 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization - Krueger Brokerage, Inc. (the "Company) was incorporated in the state of Iowa on November 8, 1985. The Company is registered 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 sale of securities.

Securities Transactions - Commission revenue and related expense arising from securities transactions are recorded on a trade date basis.

Securities Owned - Securities are recorded at fair value in accordance with FASB ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures.

Concentrations of Credit Risk - The Company is engaged in various trading and 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.

### **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

### YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

### NOTE 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

Subsequent Events - The Company evaluated all significant events or transactions that occurred through the audit report date, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

#### 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.)

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

### NOTE 2 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT - (Continued)

Level 1 inputs have been applied to value cash and certain assets included in receivable from broker/dealers on the statement of financial condition. In addition, Level 1 inputs have been used to value securities owned, which consist of investment securities as listed below.

	Owned
Equity securities	\$ 27,839
Securities registered under the	•
Investment Company Act of 1940	23,347
Total	<u>\$ 51,186</u>

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 historical values.

### NOTE 3 - CLEARING AGREEMENT WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK

The Company's customers enter into various transactions involving derivatives and other off-balance-sheet financial instruments, including exchange traded and over the counter options. These derivative financial instruments are subject to varying degrees of market and credit risk. However, since the Company enters into the aforementioned transactions solely for the benefit of its customers, the Company does not bear any of the credit or market risk of those customers, with the exception of the risk to the Company should its customers fail to honor their obligations related to these derivative and other off-balance sheet financial instruments, as mentioned below.

Clearing Agreement - To facilitate the aforementioned transactions, as well as other securities transactions on behalf of its customers, the Company has entered into an agreement with another broker/dealer (Clearing Broker/dealer) whereby the Company forwards (introduces) customer securities transactions to the Clearing Broker/dealer, fully disclosing the customer name and other information. The processing and, if applicable, any financing pertaining to the introduced transactions are performed by the Clearing Broker/dealer. The customer account is therefore maintained and recorded in the books and records of the Clearing Broker/dealer on the Company's behalf.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2012

### NOTE 3 - CLEARING AGREEMENT WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK - (Continued)

The Company is held responsible for any losses arising when the customers introduced by the Company to the Clearing Broker/dealer fail to meet their contractual commitments pertaining to the purchase, sale and possible financing of securities transactions. The Company may therefore be exposed to off-balance-sheet risk in the event the customer is unable to fulfill its contracted obligations and it is necessary for the Clearing Broker/dealer to purchase or sell the securities at a loss. The Company's exposure to risk would consist of the amount of the loss realized and any additional expenses incurred pertaining to the transaction or other customer activity.

The Company is required to maintain a \$25,000 deposit with the Clearing Broker/dealer to assure the Company's performance under the agreement. In addition, the Company is restricted from entering into similar agreements with other broker/dealers, except under certain circumstances.

On January 13, 2012 the Company entered into an agreement with another Clearing Broker/dealer. This Clearing Broker/dealer will replace the aforementioned Clearing Broker/dealer above. This new agreement has an initial 3 year term. Under the terms the Company is required to maintain a \$25,000 deposit with the Clearing Broker/dealer to assure the Company's performance and the Company is restricted from entering into agreements, for similar services, with other broker/dealers.

### **NOTE 4 - OCCUPANCY LEASE**

The Company is party to a noncancellable lease agreement for office space that expires January 31, 2013. The lessor is a related party to the Company. The total expenditure for office space for the year ended March 31, 2012 was \$6,000. Minimum annual lease payments related to this agreement are \$5,000 for the year ending March 31, 2013.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2011

### NOTE 5 - 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 (rule 15c3-1), 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 1500%. At March 31, 2012 the Company's net capital and required net capital were \$92,702 and \$50,000 respectively. The ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 17%.

### NOTE 6 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Through common ownership, the Company is affiliated with Geode, L.L.C. and the Company leases office space from this entity.

#### NOTE 7 - NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARD

The Company reports its income on a calendar year basis for federal income tax purposes. It currently has yet unused a net operating loss carryforward for federal income tax purposes of \$47,104 which expires on various dates beginning January 1, 2029.

The Company accounts for any potential interest or penalties related to possible future liabilities for unrecognized income tax benefits as interest/other expense. The Company is no longer subject to examination by tax authorities for federal, state or local income taxes for periods before 2008.

#### **NOTE 8 - RETIREMENT PLAN**

The Company maintains a Simplified Employee Pension Plan commonly referred to as a SEP IRA. Eligible employees are those that have completed 3 years of service, are at least 21 years of age and have earned at least a minimum level of compensation. The Company may make discretionary contributions on behalf of all the eligible employees. For the year period ended March 31, 2012, the Company has made contributions to this plan totaling \$13,908.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** 

NOTE: The Company is exempt from the provisions of SEC Rule 15c3-3 pursuant to the provisions of subparagraph (k)(2)(ii) and therefore the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3 and the Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements under Rule 15c3-3 have not been provided.

# COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL AND AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS

# MARCH 31, 2012

COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL	
Total shareholders' equity	\$ 118,289
Nonallowable assets	(17,350)
Haircuts	(8,237)
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NET CAPITAL	<u>\$ 92,702</u>
COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT Minimum net capital requirement (6 2/3%	
of total aggregate indebtedness)	<u>\$ 1,032</u>
Minimum dollar net capital requirement	<u>\$ 50,000</u>
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Net capital requirement	<u>\$ 50,000</u>
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COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS  Total liabilities from statement of financial condition	<u>\$ 15,484</u>
Percentage of Aggregate Indebtedness to Net Capital	17%

NOTE: There are no material differences between the computations above and the computations included in the Company's corresponding unaudited Form X-17A-5 Part IIA filing.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL



Board of Directors Krueger Brokerage, Inc.

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Krueger Brokerage, Inc., (the Company), as of and for the year ended March 31, 2012, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g), in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the company's financial statements will be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. However, our study and evaluation disclosed that a lack of segregation of functions exists. Although this condition may be considered to be a material weakness in internal control, it is a common condition in entities of this size. This condition was considered in determining the nature, timing, and extent of the procedures to be performed in our audit of the financial statements of Krueger Brokerage, Inc. for the year ended March 31, 2012 and this report does not affect our report thereon dated May 16, 2012.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at March 31, 2012, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority and other regulatory agencies which rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Oak Brook, Illinois May 16, 2012

De Marco Sciaccotta Wilher & Sunlawy LLP