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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/12 AND ENDING 12/31/12  
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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: CINS, LLC

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

400 Linden Avenue, Suite 1

(No. and Street)

Wilmette

IL

60091

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Richard Cagney

(847)256-4099

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*

FGMK, LLC

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

2801 Lakeside Dr., 3rd Floor

Bannockburn

IL

60015

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

CHECK ONE:

- Certified Public Accountant
- Public Accountant
- Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

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\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be 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)

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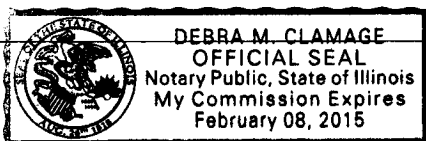
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## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Richard Cagney, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of CINS, LLC, as of December 31, 2012, 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:



Richard Cagney  
Signature

Managing Member

Title

Debra M. Clamage  
Notary Public

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

- (a) Facing Page.
- (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.
- (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.
- (l) 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.

\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Member  
CINS, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of CINS, LLC as of December 31, 2012 that is filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the related notes to the statement of financial condition.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statement

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this financial statement in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of a financial statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditor's Responsibility

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 from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of CINS, LLC as of December 31, 2012, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

*FGMK, LLC*

Bannockburn, Illinois  
February 20, 2013

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## CINS, LLC

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2012

## ASSETS

## CURRENT ASSETS

Cash	\$ 31,080
Receivables from clients	<u>20,048</u>
	<u>\$ 51,128</u>

## LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

## LIABILITIES

Accounts payable	\$ 16,800
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## MEMBER'S EQUITY

	<u>34,328</u>
	<u>\$ 51,128</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

## CINS, LLC

## NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

## NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

March 5, 2010. The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Cagney Research Group, Inc. (“CRG”). Effective October 29, 2010, the Company registered as a broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (“FINRA”) and various states; in this capacity, it provides investment related services such as consultation and research.

**Management Estimates and Assumptions.** The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“GAAP”) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Future events and their effects cannot be predicted with certainty; accordingly, accounting estimates require the exercise of judgment. Accounting estimates used in the preparation of these financial statements change as new events occur, as more experience is acquired, as additional information is obtained and as the operating environment changes.

**Receivables from Clients and Allowances for Uncollectible Accounts.** Receivables from clients are reported net of any estimated allowances for uncollectible accounts and contractual adjustments. All receivables are uncollateralized. To provide for receivables that could become uncollectible in the future, the Company may establish an allowance for uncollectible accounts to reduce the carrying amount of such receivables to their estimated net realizable value. The allowance for uncollectible accounts is based upon management’s assessment of historical and expected net collections, business and economic conditions, and other collection indicators. No allowance was deemed necessary by management as of December 31, 2012.

**Revenue Recognition.** Service income is based on a consulting agreement with Fidelity Management and Research Company to provide consultation and research services to clients. The service income is generally recognized quarterly in accordance with the terms of the executed agreement. Placement agent fees are earned by the Company for providing certain services such as billing or administration. This income is recognized in accordance with the terms of the related services agreement.

**Income Taxes.** The Company is a single-member LLC, and therefore is a disregarded entity for income tax purposes. CRG, as the sole member, is responsible for reporting the income of the Company on its tax return. Therefore, no provision for Federal income taxes has been included in the accompanying financial statements. The Company may be subject to various state and local income taxes.

GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Company and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Company has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the Internal Revenue Service or other tax authorities. Management has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Company, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2012, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statement. CRG is subject to routine audits by the Internal Revenue Service or other tax authorities, generally for three years after the tax returns are filed; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

## NOTE 2 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company has an Expense Sharing Agreement with CRG. CRG incurs certain administrative, rent, payroll and related expenses on behalf of the Company. During 2012, the Company reimbursed CRG \$12,014 for these expenses.

## NOTE 3 – CONCENTRATION OF CUSTOMERS

One customer accounts for 81% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2012. Three customers account for all of the accounts receivable as of December 31, 2012.

## CINS, LLC

**NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**  
(Concluded)**NOTE 4 – NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS**

As a registered broker-dealer and member of FINRA, 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 amount of \$5,000, and requires a 6 2/3% ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, not to exceed 15 to 1. Failure to maintain the minimum net capital amount could result in the loss of the Company's ability to act as a securities broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. As of December 31, 2012, the Company had net capital of \$20,328, which was \$15,328 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .83 to 1.

Management does not anticipate any material member distributions to be made during the six months after December 31, 2012.

**NOTE 5 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Management has evaluated all known subsequent events from December 31, 2012 through February 20, 2013, the date the accompanying financial statement was available to be issued, and is not aware of any material subsequent events occurring during this period.

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