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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 01/01/2015 (MM/DD/YY) AND ENDING 12/31/2015 (MM/DD/YY)

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Farina & Associates, Inc.

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FIRM I.D. NO.

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

C/O Accounting & Compliance International – 40 Wall Street, Suite 1704
(No. and Street)

New York	New York	10005
(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)

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

Gary Gettenberg (212)-668-8700
(Area Code – Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

Lerner & Sipkin, CPAs, LLP
(Name – *if individual, state last, first, middle name*)

132 Nassau Street, Suite 1023	New York	NY	10038
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)

CHECK ONE:

X 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)*

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, [illegible], swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of [illegible] & Associates, Inc., as of December 31, 2015, 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:

JAY GETTENBERG
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01GE6180376
Qualified in New York County
Commission Expires March 8, 2016

Signature

Pres / CEO

Title

Notary Public

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

- X (a) Facing Page.
- X (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- X (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- X (d) Statement of Cash Flows.
- X (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
- (f) 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 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.
- X (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- X (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).*

FARINA & ASSOCIATES, INC.
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Stockholders of
Farina & Associates, Inc.
c/o Accounting and Compliance International
40 Wall Street, 17th Floor
New York, NY 10005

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Farina & Associates, Inc. (the Company) as of **December 31, 2015**. 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.

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the statement of financial condition 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 the statement of financial condition that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). 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 examining, on test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes 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 statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Farina & Associates, Inc. as of **December 31, 2015** in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Lerner & Sipkin CPAs LLP
Lerner & Sipkin CPAs, LLP
Certified Public Accountants (NY)

New York, NY
January 24, 2016

FARINA & ASSOCIATES, INC.
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 2015

ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	$ 5,864
Due from broker	129,679
Commissions receivable	124,912
Other assets	12,668
Total assets	$ 273,123

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	$ 58,955
Total liabilities	58,955
Commitments and Contingencies (Notes 4 and 5)	
Stockholders' equity (Note 6)	
Common stock, no par value, 200 shares authorized, 10 shares issued and outstanding.	$ 30,000
Additional paid in capital	264,366
Retained earnings	(80,198)
Total stockholders' equity	214,168
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	$ 273,123

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement

FARINA & ASSOCIATES, INC.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

Note 1 - Nature of Business

Farina & Associates, Inc. (The "Company") is a New York corporation formed in 1989,for the purpose of conducting business on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). The Company is registered as a broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

The Company operates under the provisions of Paragraph (k)(2) (ii)of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission and, accordingly, is exempt from the remaining provisions of that rule. Essentially, the requirements of Paragraph (k)(2)(ii) provide that the Company clears all transactions on behalf of customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker/dealer, and promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker/dealer. The clearing broker/dealer carries all of the accounts of the customers and maintains and preserves all related books and records as are customarily kept by a clearing broker/dealer.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a) Revenue Recognition

Securities transactions (and the recognition of related income and expenses) are recorded on a trade date basis. Commission income and related income and expense are recorded on a settlement date basis. There is no material difference between settlement date and trade date.

b) Income Taxes

The Company has elected to be treated as an "S" Corporation under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and New York State tax regulations. Under the provisions, the Company does not pay federal or state corporate income taxes on its taxable income. Instead the stockholders are liable for individual income taxes on their respective shares of the Company's taxable income. The Company continues to pay New York City general corporation taxes.

c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers demand deposited money market funds to be cash equivalents. The Company maintains cash in bank account which, at times may exceed federally insured limits or where no insurance is provided. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and does not believe it is exposed to any significant credit risk on cash and cash equivalents.

d) Equipment

Equipment is carried at cost and is depreciated over a useful life of five years using accelerated methods.

FARINA & ASSOCIATES, INC.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

e) Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses.

f) Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated events and transactions that occurred between January 1, 2016 and January 24, 2016, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements.

Note 3 - Financial Statements with Off-Balance Sheet Credit Risk

As a securities broker, the Company is engaged in buying and selling securities for a diverse group of institutional and individual investors. The Company introduces these transactions for clearance to another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis. The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with non-performance of customers in fulfilling their contractual obligations pursuant to securities transactions can be directly impacted by volatile trading markets which may impair customers' ability to their obligations to the Company and the Company's ability to liquidate the collateral at an amount equal to the original contracted amount. The agreement between the Company and its clearing broker provides that the Company is obligated to assume any exposure related to such non-performance by its customers. The Company seeks to control the aforementioned risks by requiring customers to maintain margin collateral in compliance with various regulatory requirements and the clearing broker's internal guidelines. The Company monitors its customer activity by reviewing information it receives from its clearing broker on a daily basis, and requiring customers to deposit additional collateral, or reduce positions, when necessary.

Note 4 - Net Capital Requirement

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital 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 1500%. At December 31, 2015, the Company had Net Capital of $186,721 which was $181,721 in excess of its required net capital of $5,000. The Company's net capital ratio was 31.57%.

FARINA & ASSOCIATES, INC.

Schedule of the Determination of SIPC Net Operating Revenues and General Assessment

For the year ended December 31, 2015

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To the Board of Directors of
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c/o Accounting and Compliance International
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Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation ("SIPC") for the year ended December 31, 2015, which were agreed to by Farina & Associates Inc.("Company") and the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA") and SIPC., solely to assist you in evaluating the Company's compliance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4). The Company's management is responsible for the Company's compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures we performed are as follows:

1- Compared the listed assessment payments with respective cash disbursement records entries, noting no exceptions;
2- Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form X-17A-5 for the year ended December 31, 2015, with the amounts reported in the General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7) for the year ended December 31, 2015, noting no exceptions;
3- Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers, noting no exceptions;
4- Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments, noting no exceptions; and
5- Compared the amount of any overpayment applied with the Form SIPC-7 on which it was computed, noting no exceptions.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,
Lerner & Sipkin CPAs LLP
Lerner & Sipkin, CPAs, LLP (NY)
January 24, 2016

FARINA & ASSOCIATES INC.

Schedule of the Determination of SIPC Net Operating Revenues and General Assessment

For the year ended December 31, 2015

Determination of SIPC Net Operating Revenues:

Total Revenues (FOCUS line 12/ Part IIA line 9)	$ 1,252,407
Additions	-
Deductions	(36,949)
SIPC Net Operating Revenues	$ 1,215,458

Determination of General Assessment:

SIPC Net Operating Revenues:	$ 1,215,458
General Assessment @ .0025	3,039

Assessment Remittance:

Less: Payment made with Form SIPC-6 in July, 2015	(1,482)
Assessment Balance Due	$ 1,557

Reconciliation with the Company's Computation of SIPC Net Operating Revenues for the year ended December 31, 2015:

SIPC Net Operating Revenues as computed by the Company on Form SIPC-7	$ 1,215,458
SIPC Net Operating Revenues as computed above	1,215,458
Difference	$ -