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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF FIRM: LEDGER CAPITAL MARKETS, LLC

TYPE OF REGISTRANT (check all applicable boxes):

- Broker-dealer     Security-based swap dealer     Major security-based swap participant  
 Check here if respondent is also an OTC derivatives dealer

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use a P.O. box no.)

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(No. and Street)

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(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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(Area Code - Telephone Number)

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B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose reports are contained in this filing\*

WithumSmith+Brown, PC

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

506 Carnegie Center, Suite 400 Princeton

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(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

10/08/2003

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(Date of Registration with PCAOB)(if applicable)

(PCAOB Registration Number, if applicable)

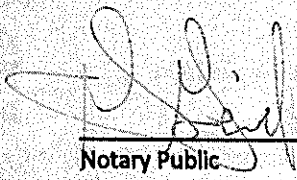
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Alexander Freiberg, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the financial report pertaining to the firm of LEDGER CAPITAL MARKETS, LLC, as of JUNE 30, 2023, is true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, officer, director, or equivalent person, as the case may be, has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer.

  
Notary Public

GINGER GILL  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK  
Registration No. 01GI6172952  
Qualified in New York County  
My Commission Expires 08/20/2027

Signature:   
Title: CEO

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

- (a) Statement of financial condition.
- (b) Notes to consolidated statement of financial condition.
- (c) Statement of income (loss) or, if there is other comprehensive income in the period(s) presented, a statement of comprehensive income (as defined in § 210.1-02 of Regulation S-X).
- (d) Statement of cash flows.
- (e) Statement of changes in stockholders' or partners' or sole proprietor's equity.
- (f) Statement of changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of creditors.
- (g) Notes to consolidated financial statements.
- (h) Computation of net capital under 17 CFR 240.15c3-1 or 17 CFR 240.18a-1, as applicable.
- (i) Computation of tangible net worth under 17 CFR 240.18a-2.
- (j) Computation for determination of customer reserve requirements pursuant to Exhibit A to 17 CFR 240.15c3-3.
- (k) Computation for determination of security-based swap reserve requirements pursuant to Exhibit B to 17 CFR 240.15c3-3 or Exhibit A to 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable.
- (l) Computation for Determination of PAB Requirements under Exhibit A to § 240.15c3-3.
- (m) Information relating to possession or control requirements for customers under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3.
- (n) Information relating to possession or control requirements for security-based swap customers under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3(p)(2) or 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable.
- (o) Reconciliations, including appropriate explanations, of the FOCUS Report with computation of net capital or tangible net worth under 17 CFR 240.15c3-1, 17 CFR 240.18a-1, or 17 CFR 240.18a-2, as applicable, and the reserve requirements under 17 CFR 240.15c3-3 or 17 CFR 240.18a-4, as applicable, if material differences exist, or a statement that no material differences exist.
- (p) Summary of financial data for subsidiaries not consolidated in the statement of financial condition.
- (q) Oath or affirmation in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5, 17 CFR 240.17a-12, or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- (r) Compliance report in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- (s) Exemption report in accordance with 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- (t) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of the statement of financial condition.
- (u) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of the financial report or financial statements under 17 CFR 240.17a-5, 17 CFR 240.18a-7, or 17 CFR 240.17a-12, as applicable.
- (v) Independent public accountant's report based on an examination of certain statements in the compliance report under 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- (w) Independent public accountant's report based on a review of the exemption report under 17 CFR 240.17a-5 or 17 CFR 240.18a-7, as applicable.
- (x) Supplemental reports on applying agreed-upon procedures, in accordance with 17 CFR 240.15c3-1e or 17 CFR 240.17a-12, as applicable.
- (y) Report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit, or a statement that no material inadequacies exist, under 17 CFR 240.17a-12(k).
- (z) Other: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*To request confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see 17 CFR 240.17a-5(e)(3) or 17 CFR 240.18a-7(d)(2), as applicable.

# **Ledger Capital Markets, LLC**

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**Report on Audit of Financial Statement  
and Supplemental Information**

**As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023**

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**Ledger Capital Markets, LLC**

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

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## REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Member and Management of  
Ledger Capital Markets, LLC

### Opinion on the Financial Statement

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Ledger Capital Markets, LLC (the “Company”) as of June 30, 2023, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the “financial statement”). In our opinion, the financial statement presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of June 30, 2023 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### Basis for Opinion

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 are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (“PCAOB”) and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audit included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. Our audit also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

*WithumSmith+Brown, PC*

We have served as the Company’s auditor since 2022.

September 27, 2023  
New York, New York

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**Ledger Capital Markets, LLC**

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Statement of Financial Condition  
June 30, 2023

**ASSETS:**

Cash	\$ 1,147,036
Contract assets	7,782,349
Accounts receivable	506,070
Other assets	65,028
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b><u>\$ 9,500,483</u></b>

**LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY**

**LIABILITIES:**

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	<u>\$ 651,098</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<u>651,098</u>

Member's equity	<u>8,849,385</u>
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<b>TOTAL MEMBER'S EQUITY</b>	<u>8,849,385</u>
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<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY</b>	<b><u>\$ 9,500,483</u></b>
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See accompanying notes to financial statement

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## Ledger Capital Markets, LLC

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Notes to Financial Statement  
For the year ended June 30, 2023

### 1. Organization and Nature of Business

Ledger Capital Markets, LLC (the "Company") is wholly owned by Ledger Investing, Inc. (the "Parent"). The Company, a single member limited liability company ("LLC"), is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA").

The Company offers advisory services associated with the structuring and placement of insurance-linked securities ("ILS Notes").

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"). Revenue is recognized when earned, while expenses and losses are recognized when incurred.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly liquid investments with original or remaining maturities of three months or less at the time of purchase that are not required to be segregated under federal or other regulations to be cash and equivalents. As of June 30, 2023, the Company had no cash equivalents.

#### Use of Estimates

The Company's financial statements are prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP, which require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and related notes for the period presented. Actual results could differ from management estimates. Certain significant accounting policies are critical because they are based on estimates and assumptions that require complex and subjective judgments by management. Changes in these estimates or assumptions could materially impact the Company's financial condition and results of operations. The material estimate in which management believes changes could reasonably occur include estimation of gross written premiums which serve as the basis for the advisory fee calculation associated with the Company's structuring and placement of ILS Notes.

#### Revenue Recognition

The Company recognizes revenue in conformity with the Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 606, "Revenue from Contracts with Customers." Revenues are recognized when: (i) a contract with a client has been identified, (ii) the performance obligations in the contract have been identified, (iii) the fee or other transaction price has been determined, (iv) the fee or other transaction price has been allocated to each performance obligation in the contract, and (v) the Company has satisfied the applicable performance obligation.

#### Concentration(s) of Cash Balances

The Company has significant cash balances at financial institutions which throughout the year regularly exceed the federally insured limit of \$250,000. Any loss incurred or a lack of access to such funds could have a significant adverse impact on the Company's financial condition, results of operations, and cash flows.

#### Risks and Uncertainties - Silicon Valley Bank Closure

In March 2023, Silicon Valley Bank became insolvent. State regulators closed the bank and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) was appointed as its receiver. The Company held deposits with this bank. As a result of the actions by the FDIC, the Company's insured and uninsured deposits have been restored.

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For the year ended June 30, 2023

The Company has agreements with third-party clients to provide advisory services related to the structuring and placement of ILS Notes that require the client pay a transaction fee to the Company based on the percentage of the quota share of gross written premiums received by the client under a reinsurance agreement. The Company's performance obligations are met and the Company is not entitled to compensation until the underlying reinsurance agreements are executed between the client and the ceding insurer, ILS Notes are placed, and an agreement is executed with the third-party client. Revenue for quota share agreements is based on estimated premium income provided by the ceding insurer. The estimated advisory fees recognized for quota share treaties is constrained to an amount that is probable to not have a significant negative adjustment. The estimated revenue and the constraint are evaluated as additional evidence of the ultimate amount of underlying risks to be covered is received over the 12 to 24 months following the effective date of the placement. For quota share treaties, advisory fees are billed as underlying insured risks attach to the reinsurance treaty, generally over 12 to 24 months. There was no revenue recognized for the period from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 from performance obligations satisfied in previous periods.

The expenses that are directly related to such transactions are recorded as incurred and presented within expenses when the Company is primarily responsible for fulfilling the promise of the arrangement. Revenues associated with the reimbursement of such expenses are recorded when the Company is contractually entitled to reimbursement and are recorded as reimbursed client expenses.

As of July 1, 2022 the Company had no receivables and contract assets of \$4,891,844. As of June 30, 2023 the Company had receivables of \$506,070 and contract assets of \$7,782,349. Receivables primarily relate to quota share reinsurance services for which the Company does not have the right to bill and collect until the underlying policies written by the ceding insurer attach to the treaty. There were no contract liabilities as of July 1, 2022 or as of June 30, 2023.

The Company applies the practical expedient and therefore does not disclose the value of unsatisfied performance obligations for (1) contracts with original contract terms of one year or less and (2) contracts where the Company has the right to invoice for services performed, which there was none for the year ended June 30, 2023. There are no unsatisfied or partially satisfied performance obligations as of June 30, 2023.

**Significant Judgments**

The recognition and measurement of revenue from contracts with customers is based on the assessment of individual contract terms. Significant judgment is required to determine whether performance obligations are satisfied at a point in time or over time; how to allocate transaction prices where multiple performance obligations are identified; when to recognize revenue based on the appropriate measure of the Company's progress under the contract; whether revenue should be presented gross or net of certain costs; and whether constraints on variable consideration should be applied due to uncertain future events.

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## Ledger Capital Markets, LLC

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Notes to Financial Statement  
For the year ended June 30, 2023

### Costs to Obtain and Fulfill a Contract

Under the revenue recognition accounting standard, certain costs to obtain or fulfill a contract that were previously expensed as incurred can be capitalized. There were no costs capitalized during the period from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023.

### Allowance for Credit Losses

The Company's policy for providing an allowance for credit losses on its accounts receivable and contract assets is based on management's best estimate of amounts that will be uncollectible primarily based on the Company's historical experience, consideration of current conditions, and reasonable and supportable forecasts of economic conditions. There was no allowance for credit losses as of June 30, 2023 associated with the Company's contract assets.

### Income Taxes

All federal and state taxes based on the Company's taxable income (or loss) are accrued and paid by the Parent. A single member LLC that is disregarded for tax purposes generally is not severally liable for the current and deferred income taxes of its taxable owner provided that it maintains its separate and distinct corporate existence. Accordingly, while recognizing an allocation of current and deferred income taxes in the separate financial statements of a single member LLC would be acceptable, the Company does not believe it is required.

In December 2019, the FASB amended the guidance to simplify the accounting for income taxes as part of its initiative to reduce complexity in accounting standards. The amendments remove certain exceptions to the general income tax accounting principles and provide for consistent application of and simplify U.S. GAAP for other areas by clarifying and amending existing guidance. The Company adopted the amended guidance on its effective date of January 1, 2021 and each amendment will be applied on either a retrospective basis, modified retrospective basis, or prospective basis as required in accordance with the new standard. The adoption did not have a material impact on the Company's results of operations, financial condition or cash flows.

ASC Topic 740-10, *Accounting for uncertainty in income taxes*, prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement attribute for financial statement recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Company believes that it has no significant uncertain tax positions at June 30, 2023.

### 3. Related Party Transactions

The Company and the Parent are party to a written Expense Services Agreement ("ESA") under which the Parent agrees to provide services to and pay certain expenses on behalf of the Company. Such services include provision of office space and related office and communications equipment, personnel services and related benefit and insurance and payroll tax expenses, regulatory filing fees, and professional fees. Total expenses paid to the Parent pursuant to the ESA for the period from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 were \$251,732 and are included in compensation and benefits expenses, rent and software expenses on the statement of operations. The majority of the advisory fee revenue during the period related to contracts placed in funds or vehicles advised by a related party, Ledger ILS Managers, LLC. The Parent also owns Ledger ILS Managers, LLC, an investment management entity which operates the fund vehicle as fiduciary. Due to the volume of related party transactions, the financials may not be indicative of the financial condition if the Company was operating autonomously. Approximately 73% of the advisory fee revenue during the period related to contracts placed in funds or vehicles advised by a related party, Ledger ILS Managers, LLC. The Parent also owns Ledger ILS Managers, LLC, an SEC registered investment advisor, which advises funds and separately managed accounts as a fiduciary.

#### **4. Net Capital Requirement**

The Company is subject to the Uniform Net Capital Rule (the Rule) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 administered by the SEC and FINRA, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital. The Company has elected to use the basic method permitted by the Rule, which requires that the Company maintain net capital equal to the greater of the minimum dollar net capital requirement of the reporting broker-dealer (\$5,000) or 6 2/3% of aggregate indebtedness. The Rule also requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, as those terms are defined in the Rule, shall not exceed 15 to 1.

At June 30, 2023 the Company had net capital of \$495,938 which was \$452,531 in excess of its required net capital of \$43,407, the amount required by the SEC's net capital rule. The Company had a ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital of approximately 131.29% as of June 30, 2023. Aggregate indebtedness as of June 30, 2023 was \$651,098.

#### **5. Exemptive Provisions**

The Company does not claim an exemption under paragraph (k) of 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3. The Company files an Exemption Report relying on Footnote 74 of the SEC Release No. 34-70073 adopting amendments to 17 C.F.R. § 240.17a-5 because the Company limits its business activities exclusively to advisory services associated with the structuring and placement of insurance-linked securities.

#### **6. Estimated Liabilities**

The securities industry is subject to extensive regulation under federal, state and applicable international laws. The Company is also subject to periodic regulatory examinations and inspections.

The Company reviews its lawsuits, regulatory inquiries and other legal proceedings, if any, on an ongoing basis and provides disclosure and records loss contingencies in accordance with the loss contingencies accounting guidance. The Company monitors these matters for developments that would affect the likelihood of a loss and the accrued amount, if any, and adjusts the amount as appropriate. There are no estimated liabilities or contingencies as of June 30, 2023.

#### **7. Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated events and transactions that occurred between July 1, 2023 and September 27, 2023, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements. On August 10, 2023, a distribution was made to the Parent in the amount of \$5,500,000.