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**ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT  
FORM X-17A-5  
PART III**

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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 01/01/2019 AND ENDING 12/31/2019  
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

**A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION**

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Aria Capital Advisors, LLC

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FIRM I.D. NO.

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)  
475 Central Ave Ste M1

(No. and Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)  
St. Petersburg FL 33701  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT  
John A. Zwack 727) 561-0900  
(Area Code - Telephone Number)

**B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**

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

Bogan Public Management Company, Bill Bogan, CPA, CGFO, CPFO (PCAOB #: 6408)  
(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

P.O. Box 13893 Tallahassee FL 32317  
(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)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, John A. Zwack, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of Aria Capital Advisors, LLC, as of December 31, 2019, 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:

N/A

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature

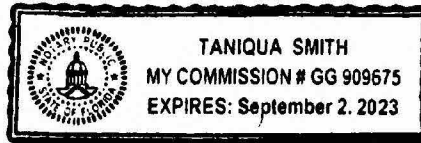
Managing Director

Title

[Handwritten Signature]

3.13.2020

Notary Public



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

- (a) Facing Page.
(b) 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 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).

Bogan Public Management Company  
Bill Bogan, CPA, CGFO, CPFO  
P.O. Box 13893  
Tallahassee, FL 32317  
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**REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

To the Board of Director and Managing Members  
of ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC

**Opinion on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the financial statements of ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC ("Company") which comprise the statement of financial condition as of December 31, 2019, and the related statements of operations, changes in members equity, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes and schedules (collectively referred to as the "financial statements". In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2019, 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.

**Basis for Opinion**

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's financial statements 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 statements are 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 statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. 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 statements. We believe that that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The information contained in the supplemental schedule listed in the accompanying index has been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of the Company's financial statements.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM  
(Continued)

**Supplemental Information**

The Computation of Net Capital has been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of the Company's financial statements. The supplemental information is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our audit procedures included determining whether the supplemental information reconciles to the financial statements or the underlying accounting and other records, as applicable, and performing procedures to test the completeness and accuracy of the information presented in the supplemental information. In forming our opinion on the supplemental information, we evaluated whether the supplemental information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with 17 C.F.R. §240.17a-S. In our opinion, the Computation of Net Capital is fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Sincerely,



Bill Bogan CPA, CGFO, CPFO  
Bogan Public Management

We have served as ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC's auditor since February 25, 2020.

March 11, 2020

**ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC**  
**STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**  
**AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019**

<b>ASSETS</b>	<b>For Year Ended December 31, 2019</b>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 33,201
Total current assets	<u>33,201</u>
Other assets	2,518
Furniture and equipment, less accumulated depreciation	9,314
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u>\$ 45,033</u>
<b>LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS EQUITY</b>	
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	
Accrued expense	\$ 711
Total current liabilities	<u>711</u>
<b>MEMBERS EQUITY</b>	
Undistributed earnings	<u>44,322</u>
<b>Total Members Equity</b>	<u>44,322</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS EQUITY</b>	<u>\$ 45,033</u>

See notes to financial statements and auditors' report.

**ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC****NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019

## Note 1

**Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies****Organization and Business**

ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC ("Company") is a registered broker-dealer headquartered in Tampa, Florida. The Company's services include advisory for mergers and acquisitions, and private placements. The Company was organized as a limited liability company on July 22, 2003, with a perpetual period of duration. It received approval as a broker-dealer from the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") effective August 25, 2004. The Company is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority.

**Rule 15c3-3 Exemption**

The Company, under Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(i), is exempt from the reserve and possession or control requirements of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company does not carry or clear customer accounts.

**Revenue Recognition**

The Company recognizes revenue in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 606 as services are rendered and the contract is identified as performance obligations have been satisfied. There were no unsatisfied performance obligations at December 31, 2019. The Company recognizes revenues at the time fees are earned in accordance with the terms of the service agreements with its clients.

**Cash, Equivalents**

The Company defines cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than 90 days, which are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

**Furniture and Equipment**

Furniture and equipment is stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the depreciable assets, which ranges from three to seven years.

**Income Taxes**

The Company is a single member limited liability company and is treated as a disregarded entity for federal income tax reporting purposes. The Internal Revenue Code (IRC) provides that any income or loss is passed through to the member for federal, state and certain local income taxes. Accordingly, the Company does not file separate income tax returns for federal, state or local purposes.

At December 31, 2019, management has determined that the Company had no uncertain tax positions that would require financial statement recognition. This determination will always be subject to ongoing reevaluation as facts and circumstances may require. The Company's open tax years (2014 through 2019) remain subject to income tax audits.

**Use of 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.

**ARIA CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019

**Note 2** *Financial Instruments and Concentration of Risk*

Financial instruments subject to risk concentration are cash and cash equivalents. The Company maintains depository cash and certificates of deposit with one banking institution. Depository accounts are insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC) to a maximum of \$250,000 per bank, per depositor. Total cash and cash equivalents for the Company exceeding the FDIC insured limit is \$0 as of December 31, 2019.

**Note 3** Equipment

**December 31, 2019**

Office equipment and software	\$ 62,038
Vehicles	49,805
Furniture and fixtures	<u>32,030</u>
Subtotal	143,873
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(134,559)</u>
Equipment (Net of accumulated depreciation)	<u>\$ 9,314</u>

**Note 4** Commitments and Contingencies

The Company has no commitments and contingencies.

**Note 5** Related Party Transactions

None

**Note 6** Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Uniform Net Capital Rule (15c3-1)(Rule), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital. The Rule prohibits the Company from engaging in securities transactions at any time the Company's net capital, as defined by the Rule, is less than \$5,000, or if the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, exceed 15 to 1 (and the rule of "applicable" exchange provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn, or cash dividends paid, if the resulting net capital ratio exceeds 12 to 1).

At December 31, 2019, the Company has net allowable capital of \$32,490 which exceeded the required net capital by \$27,490.

**Note 7** Regulatory Requirements

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as the Company does not hold customers' cash or securities.

**Note 8** Subsequent Events

The Company has performed an evaluation of subsequent events through the date the financial statements were issued. The evaluation did not result in any subsequent events that required disclosures and/or adjustments.

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**P.O. Box 13893**  
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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Board of Directors and Members of  
Aria Capital Advisors, LLC

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Form Custody exemption report, in which (1) Aria Capital Advisors, LLC (the "Company") identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 15c3-3(k) under which the Company claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. §240.15c3-3(2)(i) (the "exemption provisions") and (2) the Company stated that the Company met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception. The Company's management is responsible for compliance with the exemption provisions and its statements.

Our review was conducted in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) and, accordingly, included inquires and other required procedures to obtain evidence about the Company's compliance with the exemption provisions. A review is substantially less in scope than an examination, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on the management's statements. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to management's statements referred to above for them to be stated, in all material respects, based on the provisions set forth in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of Rule 15c3-3 under the securities Exchange Act of 1934.

*Bill Bogan*  
Bill Bogan, CPA, CGFO, CPFO  
Tallahassee, FL 32317

March 11, 2020



Via Email to: [jzwack@ariacapital.com](mailto:jzwack@ariacapital.com)

March 3, 2020

Mr. John Zwack  
Aria Capital Advisors, LLC  
475 Central Avenue, Suite M1  
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

RE: Aria Capital Advisors, LLC (CRD# 130891) - 2019 Annual Audit Report

Dear Mr. Zwack:

In reply to your letter dated February 26, 2020, please be advised that your request for an extension of time in which to file the required annual audited financial report as of December 31, 2019 pursuant to Securities Exchange Act Rule 17a-5, has been given due consideration and is hereby granted.

This extension of 10 business-days is granted based upon the representations made by your organization and by your outside independent auditors. If the information provided to us is no longer accurate, we expect to be notified immediately.

Please be aware that failure to file the annual audited financial report on or before March 16, 2020 could result in the assessment of a late filing fee of \$100 per day for up to ten days and may result in other regulatory or disciplinary action.

If you have any question, please feel free to contact me at 215-209-2817.

Regards,

Richard Harmon  
Principal Analyst, Risk Monitoring

cc: SEC Miami District Office (Miami@sec.gov)  
cc: Almira Musovic (Almira.Musovic@finra.org)