## **Regulatory Circular RG95-13**

**Date: January 27, 1995** 

To: SIPC Members

From: Kimberly Clady-Morris - SIPC Coordinator

Re: <u>SIPC Year-End Filing Requirements</u>

As a reminder, any individual registered as a broker/dealer is a SIPC member (Securities Investor Protection Corporation). Responsibilities of being a SIPC member include filing proper forms and paying all assessments, whether or not any revenue is derived from the securities business.

SIPC requires a year-end filing of form SIPC-7 (assessment reconciliation). All SIPC members must complete form SIPC-7 and remit any payment due by March 1, 1995. Please note SIPC-7 covers the period 1/1/94 through 12/31/94.

The 1994 general assessment was raised to .00073 from .00054 of "SIPC Net Operating Revenues" or \$150, whichever is greater. Any assessment due to SIPC should be reduced by the amount paid when form SIPC-6 was filed for the first half of 1994.

All SIPC members must file on a calendar year basis unless they are subject to an audit requirement under SEC Rule 17a-5, in which case a different due date would apply.

<u>Please note that SIPC filing requirements are in addition to FOCUS requirements. In most cases SIPC and FOCUS reports must be filed by March 1, 1995. Also, revenue/expense items should be consistent where applicable in your SIPC and FOCUS year-end reports.</u>

You should have received form SIPC-7 sent from SIPC's Washington office. Please call me if you have any questions or need additional forms. Assistance can be obtained by calling the following areas:

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
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