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Form 10-Q

May 13, 2010

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 10-Q  
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QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2010  
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Or

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OF 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Commission File No. 333-73996  
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MORGAN GROUP HOLDING CO.  
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(Exact name of small business issuing as specified in its charter)

Delaware

13-4196940

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(State or other jurisdiction of  
Incorporation of organization)

(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

401 Theodore Fremd Avenue, Rye, New York

10580

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(914) 921-1877

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.  Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer

Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer  (Do not check if a  
smaller reporting  
company)

Smaller reporting company

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

[X] Yes [ ] No

State the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common equity, as of the latest practical date.

Class	Outstanding at April 30, 2010
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	3,055,345

PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements.

Unaudited Financial Statements

Condensed Balance Sheets as of  
March 31, 2010, December 31, 2009 and March 31, 2009

Condensed Statements of Operations for the  
Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009

Condensed Statements of Cash Flows for the  
Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009

Notes to Condensed Financial  
Statements as of March 31, 2010

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Morgan Group Holding Co.  
Condensed Balance Sheets  
(Unaudited)

	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,
	2010	2009	2009
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$375,985	\$376,684	\$404,753
Prepaid expenses	--	7,000	--
Total current assets	375,985	383,684	404,753
Total assets	\$375,985	\$383,684	\$404,753
<b>LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
Accrued Liabilities	\$7,759	\$--	\$8,261
Total current liabilities	7,759	--	8,261

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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 1,000,000 shares authorized, none outstanding	--	--	--
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 10,000,000 shares authorized, 3,055,345 outstanding	30,553	30,553	30,553
Additional paid-in-capital	5,611,447	5,611,447	5,611,447
Accumulated deficit	(5,273,774)	(5,258,316)	(5,245,508)
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Shareholders' equity	368,226	383,684	396,492
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Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$375,985	\$383,684	\$404,753
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See accompanying notes to condensed financial statements

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Morgan Group Holding Co.  
Condensed Statements of Operations  
(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2010	2009
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Revenues	\$--	\$--
Administrative expenses	(15,509)	(16,286)
Other income - interest	51	402
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Net loss	\$ (15,458)	\$ (15,884)
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Basic and diluted net loss per share	\$(0.01)	\$(0.01)
Weighted average shares outstanding	3,055,345	3,055,345

See accompanying notes to condensed financial statements

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Morgan Group Holding Co.  
Condensed Statements of Cash Flows  
(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended	
	March 31,	
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	2010	2009
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Cash Flows from Operating activities:		
Interest received	\$51	\$402
Cash paid to suppliers	(750)	(525)
Net cash used in operating activities	(699)	(123)
Cash Flow from Investing Activities	--	--
Cash Flow from Financing Activities	--	--
Net decrease in cash	(699)	(123)
Cash, Beginning of Period	376,684	404,876
Cash, End of Period	\$375,985	\$404,753

Reconciliation of net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (15,458)	\$ (15,884)
Decrease in prepaid expenses	7,000	7,500
Increase in accrued liabilities	7,759	8261
Net cash used in operating activities	\$ (699)	\$ (123)

See accompanying notes to condensed financial statements

Morgan Group Holding Co.  
Notes to Financial Statements

Note 1. Basis of Presentation

Morgan Group Holding Co. ("Holding" or "the Company") was incorporated in November 2001 as a wholly-owned subsidiary of LICT Corporation ("LICT, formerly Lynch Interactive Corporation") to serve, among other business purposes, as a holding company for LICT's controlling interest in The Morgan Group, Inc. ("Morgan"). On January 24, 2002, LICT spun off 2,820,051 shares of Holding common stock through a pro rata distribution ("Spin-Off") to its stockholders and retained 235,294 shares.

On October 3, 2002, Morgan ceased its operations when its liability insurance expired and it was unable to secure replacement insurance. On October 18, 2002, Morgan and two of its operating subsidiaries filed voluntary petitions under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Indiana, South Bend Division for the purpose of conducting an orderly liquidation of Morgan's assets. On March 31, 2008, the bankruptcy proceeding was concluded and the bankruptcy court dismissed the proceeding. Holding received no value for its equity ownership from the bankruptcy proceeding.

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles

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generally accepted in the United States for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 8 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included. Operating results for the three months ended March 31, 2010 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending December 31, 2010. The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

### Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In August 2009, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") No. 2009-05 which amended ASC 820 as it relates to the measurement of liabilities at fair value, effective for interim reporting periods beginning after August 26, 2009. More specifically, this amendment provided clarification for liabilities in which a quoted price in an active market for an identical liability is not available. The Company adopted this amendment during the first quarter of the fiscal year 2010 and its adoption did not have a material effect on the Company's financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

The Company adopted the provisions of ASC 855, Subsequent Events ("ASC 855"), during the third quarter of the fiscal year 2009. ASC 855 establishes standards of accounting for and disclosure of transactions and events that occur after the balance sheet date but before the financial statements are issued and requires the disclosure, among other things, of the date through which an entity has evaluated subsequent events. In February 2010, the FASB issued ASU No. 2010-09 which amended ASC 855. This amendment, which was effective upon issuance, removed the requirement for SEC registrants to disclose the date through which such registrants have evaluated subsequent events.

### Note 2. Income Taxes

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The Company is a "C" corporation for Federal tax purposes, and has provided for deferred income taxes for temporary differences between the financial statement and tax bases of its assets and liabilities. The Company has recorded a full valuation allowance against its deferred tax asset of approximately \$1.7 million arising from its temporary basis differences and tax loss carryforward, as its realization is dependent upon the generation of future taxable income during the period when such losses would be deductible.

Pursuant to Sections 382 and 383 of the Internal Revenue Code, annual use of any of the Company's net operating loss carry forwards may be limited if cumulative changes in ownership of more than 50% occur during any three year period.

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### Note 3. Commitments and Contingencies

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On March 31, 2008, the bankruptcy court dismissed Morgan's bankruptcy proceeding. Holding had not guaranteed any of the obligations of Morgan. Management believes that the Company has no commitment or obligation to fund any creditors of Morgan.

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### ITEM 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

#### Overview

On October 18, 2002, Morgan adopted the liquidation basis of accounting and accordingly, Morgan's assets and liabilities have been adjusted to estimate net realizable value. As the carrying value of Morgan's liabilities exceeded the fair value of its assets, the liabilities were reduced to equal the estimated net realizable value of the assets.

The Company currently has no operating businesses and will seek acquisitions as part of its strategic alternatives. Its only costs are the administrative expenses required to make the regulatory filings needed to maintain its public status. These costs are estimated at \$30,000 to \$40,000 per year.

#### Results of Operations

For the three months ended March 31, 2010, the Company incurred \$15,509 of expenses down slightly from \$16,286 of expenses in the three months ended March 31, 2009. Lower professional fees in 2010 caused the slight decrease in this quarter.

Investment income was \$51 in the three months ended March 31, 2010 as compared to \$402 in the three months ended March 31, 2009 as a result of the Company's investment in a United States Treasury money market fund. Lower interest rates were the primary cause of the decrease in 2010.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

As of March 31, 2010, the Company's only assets consisted of approximately \$375,985 in cash and a capital loss carry forward of about \$4.5 million which it expects will substantially expire in 2013. The ability to utilize this carry forward is dependent on the Company's ability to generate a capital gain prior to its expiration.

#### Off Balance Sheet Arrangements

None.

### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of Market Risk

As of March 31, 2010, the Company had no market sensitive assets or liabilities, and, as a result, management believes that the Company is minimally exposed to changes in market risk.

#### Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

For a discussion of accounting standards updates that have been adopted or will be adopted in the future, please read Note 1 of the Notes to Condensed Financial

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Statements included under Item 1.

### Item 4T. Controls and Procedures

#### a) Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

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Our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act")) as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based on that evaluation, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report were designed and were functioning effectively to provide reasonable assurance that the information required to be disclosed by the Company in reports filed under the Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company believes that a controls system, no matter how well designed and operated, cannot provide absolute assurance that the objectives of the controls system are met, and no evaluation of controls can provide absolute assurance that all control issues and instances of fraud, if any, within a company have been detected.

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#### (b) Changes in Internal Controls

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During the period covered by this report, there have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our financial statements.

#### Forward Looking Discussion

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This report contains a number of forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the prospective adequacy of the Company's liquidity and capital resources in the near term. From time to time, the Company may make other oral or written forward-looking statements regarding its anticipated operating revenues, costs and expenses, earnings and other matters affecting its operations and condition. Such forward-looking statements are subject to a number of material factors, which could cause the statements or projections contained therein, to be materially inaccurate. Such factors include the estimated administrative expenses of the Company on a go forward basis.

## PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

### Item 6. Exhibits and Reports on Form 10-Q

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|--------------|---|
| Exhibit 3.1  | Certificate of Incorporation of the Company*              |
| Exhibit 3.2  | By-laws of the Company*                                   |
| Exhibit 31.1 | Chief Executive Officer Rule 15d-14(a) Certification.     |
| Exhibit 31.2 | Principal Financial Officer Rule 15d-14(a) Certification. |
| Exhibit 32.1 | Chief Executive Officer Section 1350 Certification.       |

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Exhibit 32.2 Principal Financial Officer Section 1350 Certification.

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\* Incorporated by reference to the exhibits to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-73996).

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

MORGAN GROUP HOLDING CO.

By: /s/ Robert E. Dolan

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ROBERT E. DOLAN  
Chief Financial Officer

May 13, 2010

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