

# BrokerCheck Report MICHAEL JAMES RESCINITI CRD# 4006304

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#### About BrokerCheck®

BrokerCheck offers information on all current, and many former, registered securities brokers, and all current and former registered securities firms. FINRA strongly encourages investors to use BrokerCheck to check the background of securities brokers and brokerage firms before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

#### What is included in a BrokerCheck report?

BrokerCheck reports for individual brokers include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards. BrokerCheck reports for brokerage firms include information on a firm's profile, history, and operations, as well as many of the same disclosure events mentioned above.

Please note that the information contained in a BrokerCheck report may include pending actions or allegations that may be contested, unresolved or unproven. In the end, these actions or allegations may be resolved in favor of the broker or brokerage firm, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

Where did this information come from?

The information contained in BrokerCheck comes from FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD® and is a combination of:

- o information FINRA and/or the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) require brokers and brokerage firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
- o information that regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against firms or brokers.
- How current is this information?

Generally, active brokerage firms and brokers are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in CRD within 30 days. Under most circumstances, information reported by brokerage firms, brokers and regulators is available in BrokerCheck the next business day.

• What if I want to check the background of an investment adviser firm or investment adviser representative?

To check the background of an investment adviser firm or representative, you can search for the firm or individual in BrokerCheck. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure (IAPD) website at https://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov. In the alternative, you may search the IAPD website directly or contact your state securities regulator at http://www.finra.org/Investors/ToolsCalculators/BrokerCheck/P455414.

- Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?
  - FINRA recommends that you learn as much as possible about an investment professional before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research brokers and investment adviser representatives doing business in your state.

Thank you for using FINRA BrokerCheck.



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For additional information about the contents of this report, please refer to the User Guidance or www.finra.org/brokercheck. It provides a glossary of terms and a list of frequently asked questions, as well as additional resources. For more information about FINRA, visit www.finra.org.

# **MICHAEL J. RESCINITI**

### CRD# 4006304

Currently employed by and registered with the following Firm(s):

#### SPARTAN CAPITAL SECURITIES, LLC

595 STEWART AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR GARDEN CITY, NY 11530 CRD# 146251 Registered with this firm since: 07/14/2016

## **Report Summary for this Broker**



This report summary provides an overview of the broker's professional background and conduct. Additional information can be found in the detailed report.

### **Broker Qualifications**

#### This broker is registered with:

- 1 Self-Regulatory Organization
- 19 U.S. states and territories

#### This broker has passed:

- 0 Principal/Supervisory Exams
- I General Industry/Product Exam
- 1 State Securities Law Exam

### **Registration History**

This broker was previously registered with the following securities firm(s):

FIRST STANDARD FINANCIAL COMPANY LLC CRD# 168340 Garden City, NY 01/2016 - 07/2016

#### LAIDLAW & COMPANY (UK) LTD.

CRD# 119037 MELVILLE, NY 01/2015 - 02/2016

ROCKWELL GLOBAL CAPITAL LLC CRD# 142485

MELVILLE, NY 08/2009 - 01/2015

#### **Disclosure Events**

All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

Are there events disclosed about this broker? Yes

The following types of disclosures have been reported:

Туре	Count	
Regulatory Event	3	
Investigation	1	
Customer Dispute	5	
Termination	1	
Financial	1	
Judgment/Lien	1	

### **Broker Qualifications**

#### Registrations

This section provides the self-regulatory organizations (SROs) and U.S. states/territories the broker is currently registered and licensed with, the category of each license, and the date on which it became effective. This section also provides, for every brokerage firm with which the broker is currently employed, the address of each branch where the broker works.

This individual is currently registered with 1 SRO and is licensed in 19 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

#### **Employment 1 of 1**

Firm Name: SPARTAN CAPITAL SECURITIES, LLC Main Office Address: 45 BROADWAY 9TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10006

Firm CRD#: **146251** 

Minnesota

Mississippi

Nebraska

SRO		Categ	ory			Status	Date
FINRA		Genera	al Securities R	epresentative		APPROVED	07/14/2016
U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
Arizona	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016	Nevada	Agent	APPROVED	09/30/2016
California	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016	New York	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016
District of	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016	North Carolina	Agent	APPROVED	08/05/2016
Columbia				Oklahoma	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016
Florida	Agent	APPROVED	07/25/2016	Pennsylvania	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016
Georgia	Agent	APPROVED	07/29/2016	•	U U		
Indiana	Agont	APPROVED	08/04/2016	South Carolina	Agent	APPROVED	08/04/2016
Inulana	Agent	AFFROVED	00/04/2010	Texas	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016
lowa	Agent	APPROVED	08/04/2016		-		
Kansas	Agent	APPROVED	08/10/2016				
Louisiana	Agent	APPROVED	07/14/2016				

08/11/2016

07/14/2016

07/14/2016



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Agent

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**Branch Office Locations** 

**SPARTAN CAPITAL SECURITIES, LLC** 595 STEWART AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR GARDEN CITY, NY 11530

### **Broker Qualifications**



### Industry Exams this Broker has Passed

This section includes all securities industry exams that the broker has passed. Under limited circumstances, a broker may attain a registration after receiving an exam waiver based on exams the broker has passed and/or qualifying work experience. Any exam waivers that the broker has received are not included below.

This individual has passed 0 principal/supervisory exams, 1 general industry/product exam, and 1 state securities law exam.

### **Principal/Supervisory Exams**

Exam	Category	Date
No information reported.		
General Industry/Product Exams		
Exam	Category	Date
General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	11/20/2000
State Securities Law Exams		
Exam	Category	Date
Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	02/28/2001

Additional information about the above exams or other exams FINRA administers to brokers and other securities professionals can be found at www.finra.org/brokerqualifications/registeredrep/.

# **Registration and Employment History**

# **Registration History**

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

<b>Registration Dates</b>	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
01/2016 - 07/2016	FIRST STANDARD FINANCIAL COMPANY LLC	168340	Garden City, NY
01/2015 - 02/2016	LAIDLAW & COMPANY (UK) LTD.	119037	MELVILLE, NY
08/2009 - 01/2015	ROCKWELL GLOBAL CAPITAL LLC	142485	MELVILLE, NY
09/2008 - 08/2009	AURA FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	42822	EAST SETAUKET, NY
03/2008 - 10/2008	A&F FINANCIAL SECURITIES, INC.	44791	SYOSSET, NY
10/2006 - 03/2008	NEW CASTLE FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC	102380	MELVILLE, NY
07/2006 - 10/2006	J.P. TURNER & COMPANY, L.L.C.	43177	WESTBURY, NY
11/2005 - 06/2006	VISION SECURITIES INC.	35001	PORT WASHINGTON, NY
02/2005 - 12/2005	MILESTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	43295	BOHEMIA, NY
12/2004 - 03/2005	J.P. TURNER & COMPANY, L.L.C.	43177	ATLANTA, GA
08/2004 - 12/2004	LH ROSS & COMPANY, INC.	37920	BOCA RATON, FL
07/2004 - 08/2004	LH ROSS & COMPANY, INC.	37920	BOCA RATON, FL
01/2004 - 07/2004	GRANITE ASSOCIATES, INC	46682	DELRAY BEACH, FL
05/2003 - 01/2004	CONTINENTAL BROKER-DEALER CORP.	14048	CARLE PLACE, NY
12/2002 - 06/2003	GUNNALLEN FINANCIAL, INC	17609	TAMPA, FL
07/2001 - 12/2002	HARRISON SECURITIES, INC.	14103	PORT WASHINGTON, NY
05/2001 - 07/2001	GILFORD SECURITIES INCORPORATED	8076	NEW YORK, NY
11/2000 - 06/2001	GLOBAL CAPITAL SECURITIES CORPORATION	16184	ENGLEWOOD, CO

# **Employment History**



### **Registration and Employment History**

### **Employment History, continued**

This section provides up to 10 years of an individual broker's employment history as reported by the individual broker on the most recently filed Form U4.

Please note that the broker is required to provide this information only while registered with FINRA or a national securities exchange and the information is not updated via Form U4 after the broker ceases to be registered. Therefore, an employment end date of "Present" may not reflect the broker's current employment status.

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Employer Location
07/2016 - Present	Spartan Capital Securities, LLC	New York, NY
01/2016 - 07/2016	First Standard Financial Company	New York, NY
01/2015 - 01/2016	LAIDLAW AND COMPANY	MELVILLE, NY
08/2009 - 01/2015	ROCKWELL GLOBAL CAPITAL, LLC	EAST SETAUKET, NY
09/2008 - 08/2009	AURA FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	MELVILLE, NY
02/2008 - 09/2008	A&F FINANCIAL SECURITIES	WANTAGH, NY
10/2006 - 02/2008	NEW CASTLE FINANCIAL GROUP	MELVILLE, NY

### **Other Business Activities**

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the broker regarding other business activities the broker is currently engaged in either as a proprietor, partner, officer, director, employee, trustee, agent or otherwise. This section does not include non-investment related activity that is exclusively charitable, civic, religious or fraternal and is recognized as tax exempt.

No information reported.



### **Disclosure Events**



#### What you should know about reported disclosure events:

 All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

#### 2. Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to CRD, for example:

- o A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before a broker is required to disclose a particular criminal event.
- o A customer dispute must involve allegations that a broker engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.
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#### 3. Disclosure events in BrokerCheck reports come from different sources:

- o As mentioned at the beginning of this report, information contained in BrokerCheck comes from brokers, brokerage firms and regulators. When more than one of these sources reports information for the same disclosure event, all versions of the event will appear in the BrokerCheck report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.
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#### 4. There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- o A disclosure event may have a status of pending, on appeal, or final.
  - § A "pending" event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
  - § An event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
  - § A "final" event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- o A final event generally has a disposition of *adjudicated*, *settled* or *otherwise resolved*.
  - § An "adjudicated" matter includes a disposition by (1) a court of law in a criminal or civil matter, or (2) an administrative panel in an action brought by a regulator that is contested by the party charged with some alleged wrongdoing.
  - § A "settled" matter generally involves an agreement by the parties to resolve the matter. Please note that brokers and brokerage firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
  - § A "resolved" matter usually involves no payment to the customer and no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the individual broker. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

For your convenience, below is a matrix of the number and status of disclosure events involving this broker. Further information regarding these events can be found in the subsequent pages of this report. You also may wish to contact the broker to obtain further information regarding these events.

	Pending	Final	On Appeal
Regulatory Event	0	3	0



Customer Dispute	2	3	N/A
Investigation	1	N/A	N/A
Termination	N/A	1	N/A
Financial	0	1	N/A
Judgment/Lien	1	N/A	N/A



### **Disclosure Event Details**

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that a discloure event may be pending or involve allegations that are contested and have not been resolved or proven. The matter may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the broker, or concluded through a negotiated settlement for certain business reasons (e.g., to maintain customer relationships or to limit the litigation costs associated with disputing the allegations) with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to CRD and therefore some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided to CRD.

#### **Regulatory - Final**

This type of disclosure event may involves (1) a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, self-regulatory organization, federal regulatory such as the Securities and Exchange Commission, foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations; or (2) a revocation or suspension of a broker's authority to act as an attorney, accountant, or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 3	
Reporting Source:	Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	FINRA
Sanction(s) Sought:	Other: n/a
Date Initiated:	11/16/2017
Docket/Case Number:	2015046441601
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	Laidlaw & Company (UK) LTD.
Product Type:	Other: Unspecified Securities
Allegations:	Without admitting or denying the findings, Resciniti consented to the sanctions and to the entry of findings that he executed 31 unauthorized transactions in the accounts of two customers of his member firm.
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)



Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct?	No
Resolution Date:	11/16/2017
Sanctions Ordered:	Suspension Other: In light of Resciniti's financial status, no monetary sanction has been imposed.
If the regulator is the SEC, CFTC, or an SRO, did the action result in a finding of a willful violation or failure to supervise?	No
(1) willfully violated any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any of such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, or to have been unable to comply with any provision of such Act, rule or regulation?	

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(2) willfully aided, abetted, counseled, commanded, induced, or procured the violation by any person of any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the **Investment Company Act of** 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any of such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board? or

(3) failed reasonably to supervise another person subject to your supervision, with a view to preventing the violation by such person of any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the **Investment Company Act of** 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board?

#### Sanction 1 of 1

Sanction Type:	Suspension
Capacities Affected:	All capacities
Duration:	Seven months
Start Date:	12/18/2017
End Date:	07/17/2018



Disclosure 2 of 3	
Reporting Source:	Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	ILLINOIS
Sanction(s) Sought:	Revocation
Other Sanction(s) Sought:	
Date Initiated:	07/11/2007
Docket/Case Number:	0700262
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	CONTIENTAL BROKEN-DEALER CORP.
Product Type:	Other
Other Product Type(s):	
Allegations:	RESPONDENT'S REGISTRATION AS AN INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVE IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS IS REVOKED PURSUANT TO SECTION 8.E (1)(G) OF THE ILLINOIS SECURITIES LAW.
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Order
Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct?	No
Resolution Date:	01/11/2008
Sanctions Ordered:	
Other Sanctions Ordered:	
Sanction Details:	RESPONDENT'S REGISTRATION AS AN INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVE IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS IS REVOKED PURSUANT TO SECTION 8.E (1)(G) OF THE ILLINOIS SECURITIES LAW.
Regulator Statement	IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT MR. DANIEL TUNICK AT 312-793-4433.

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Reporting Source:	Broker
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	STATE OF ILLINOIS
Sanction(s) Sought:	Revocation
Other Sanction(s) Sought:	
Date Initiated:	07/11/2007
Docket/Case Number:	0700262
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	CONTINENTAL BROKER-DEALER CORP
Product Type:	Other
Other Product Type(s):	
Allegations:	RESPONENT'S REGISTRATION AS A SALESPERSON IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS IS SUBJECT TO REVOCATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 8.E(1)(J)OF THE ILLINOIS SECURITIES LAW.
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Decision
Resolution Date:	12/01/2007
Sanctions Ordered:	Revocation/Expulsion/Denial
Other Sanctions Ordered:	
Sanction Details:	LICENSE WAS REVOKED IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. NO OTHER FINE, OR SUSPENSION WAS ASSESSED.

Disclosure 3 of 3	
Reporting Source:	Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	NASD
Sanction(s) Sought:	
Date Initiated:	01/19/2007



Docket/Case Number:	ELI2003056201
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	CONTINENTAL BROKER-DEALER CORP.
Product Type:	
Allegations:	NASD RULE 2110 - RESPONDENT RESCINITI EFFECTED, OR CAUSED TO BE EFFECTED, A SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS IN THE ACCOUNT OF A PUBLIC CUSTOMER, WITHOUT THE CUSTOMER'S PRIOR KNOWLEDGE, AUTHORIZATION OR CONSENT.
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Decision & Order of Offer of Settlement
Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or deceptive conduct?	No
Resolution Date:	04/30/2007
Sanctions Ordered:	Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s) Restitution Suspension
Regulator Statement	WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE ALLEGATIONS, RESCINITI CONSENTED TO THE DESCRIBED SANCTIONS AND TO THE ENTRY OF FINDINGS, THEREFORE HE IS FINED \$5,000, SUSPENDED FROM ASSOCIATION WITH ANY NASD MEMBER IN ANY CAPACITY FOR 10 BUSINESS DAYS AND IS ORDERED TO PAY \$10,842.03, PLUS INTEREST, IN RESTITUTION TO A PUBLIC CUSTOMER. SATISFACTORY PROOF OF PAYMENT OF RESTITUTION OR OF REASONABLE AND DOCUMENTED EFFORTS UNDERTAKEN TO EFFECT RESTITUTION MUST BE PROVIDED TO NASD NO LATER THAN 120 DAYS AFTER ACCEPTANCE OF THIS OFFER OF SETTLEMENT. IF FOR ANY REASON THE RESPONDENT CANNOT LOCATE THE CUSTOMER AFTER REASONABLE AND DOCUMENTED EFFORTS WITHIN SUCH PERIOD, OR SUCH ADDITIONAL PERIOD AGREED TO BY NASD, THE RESPONDENT SHALL FORWARD ANY UNDISTRIBUTED RESTITUTION AND INTEREST TO THE APPROPRIATE ESCHEAT, UNCLAIMED PROPERTY, OR ABANDONED PROPERTY FUND FOR THE STATE IN WHICH THE CUSTOMER IS LAST KNOWN TO HAVE RESIDED. THE SUSPENSION IN ANY CAPACITY IS IN EFFECT FROM MAY 21, 2007 THROUGH JUNE 4, 2007. FINES PAID ON FEBRUARY 04, 2008.



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Reporting Source:FirmRegulatory Action Initiated By:NASDSanction(s) Sought:SuspensionOther Sanction(s) Sought:SuspensionOther Sanction(s) Sought:SuspensionDate Initiated:04/30/2007Date Initiated:CONTINENTALDocket/Case Number:ELI200330562-01Employing firm when activity cocurred which led to the regulatory action:Equity - OTCOther Product Type:Equity - OTCOther Product Type(s):DURING THE PERIOD FROM APPROXIMATELY 9/17/03 TO 9/29/03 RESPONDENT EFFECTED, OR CAUSED TO BE EFFECTED, A SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS IN THE ACCOUNT OF A CUSTOMER WITHOUT THE CUSTOMER'S PRIOR KNOWLEDGE, AUTHORIZATION, OR CONSENT.Current Status:FinalResolution Date:04/30/2007Sanctions Ordered:Disgorgement/Restitution Monetary/Fine \$5,000.00
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Suspension
Other Sanctions Ordered:
SUSPENDED FROM ASSOCIATING WITH ANY NASD MEMBER FIRM IN ANY CAPACITY FOR A PERIOD OF 10 BUSINESS DAYS; FINED \$5000.00 AND ORDERED TO PAY RESTITUTION IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$10,842.03 PLUS INTEREST.
Reporting Source: Broker   Regulatory Action Initiated NASD

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By:	
Sanction(s) Sought:	Restitution
Other Sanction(s) Sought:	NOT SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED
Date Initiated:	01/19/2007
Docket/Case Number:	ELI20030562-01
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	CONTINENTAL BROKER-DEALER CORP
Product Type:	Penny Stock(s)
Other Product Type(s):	
Allegations:	UNAUTHORIZED TRANSACTIONS; NASD RULE 2110 - RESPONDENT RESCINITI EFFECTED, OR CAUSED TO BE EFFECTED, A SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS IN THE ACCOUNT OF A PUBLIC CUSTOMER, WITHOUT THE CUSTOMER'SS PRIOR KNOWLEDGE, AUTHORIZATION OR CONSENT.
Current Status:	Final
Resolution:	Decision & Order of Offer of Settlement
Resolution Date:	04/30/2007
Sanctions Ordered:	Disgorgement/Restitution Monetary/Fine \$5,000.00 Suspension
Other Sanctions Ordered:	



**Sanction Details:** 

WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE ALLEGATIONS. RESCINITI CONSENTED TO THE DESCRIBED SANCTIONS AND TO THE ENTRY OF FINDINGS. THEREFORE HE IS FINED \$5,000. SUSPENDED FROM ASSOCIATION WITH ANY NASD MEMBER IN ANY CAPACITY FOR 10 BUSINESS DAYS AND IS ORDERED TO PAY \$10,842.03, PLUS INTEREST, IN RESTITUTION TO A PUBLIC CUSTOMER. SATISFACTORY PROOF OF PAYMENT OF RESTITUTION OR OF REASONABLE AND DOCUMENTED EFFORTS UNDERTAKEN TO EFFECT RESTITUTION MUST BE PROVIDED TO NASD NO LATER THAN 120 DAYS AFTERACCEPTANCE OF THIS OFFER OF SETTLEMENT. IF FOR ANY REASON THE RESPONDENT CANNOT LOCATE THE CUSTOMER AFTER REASONABLE AND DOCUMENTED EFFORTS WITHIN SUCH PERIOD. OR SUCH ADDITIONAL PERIOD AGREED TO BY NASD. THE RESPONDENT SHALL FORWARD ANY UNDISTRIBUTED RESTITUTION AND INTEREST TO THE APPROPRIATE ASCHEAT UNCLAIMED PROPERTY, OR ABANDONED PROPERTY FUND FOR THE STATE IN WHICH THE CUSTOMER IS LAST KNOWN TO HAVE RESIDED. THE SUSPENSION IN ANY CAPACITY IS IN EFFECT FROM MAY 21, 2007 THROUGH JUNE 4, 2007.



### Investigation

This type of disclosure event involves any ongoing formal investigation by an entity such as a grand jury state or federal agency, self-regulatory organization or foreign regulatory authority. Subpoenas, preliminary or routine regulatory inquiries, and general requests by a regulatory entity for information are not considered investigations and therefore are not included in a BrokerCheck report.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Initiated By:	FINRA
Notice Date:	03/13/2017
Details:	WHile Registered with Laidlaw & Company (UK) LTD it is alleged that Mr. Rescibiti made unauthorized trades in Violation of FINRA Rule 2010
Is Investigation pending?	Yes



### **Customer Dispute - Settled**

This type of disclosure event involves a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit containing allegations of sale practice violations against the broker that resulted in a monetary settlement to the customer.

customer.	
Disclosure 1 of 2	
Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	CONTINENTAL BROKER DEALER CORP
Allegations:	FAILURE TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS, ACTIVITY DATE 10/31/2003
Product Type:	Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
Alleged Damages:	\$20,000.00
Customer Complaint Info	rmation
Date Complaint Received:	11/14/2003
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Settled
Status Date:	03/12/2004
Settlement Amount:	\$2,500.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$0.00
	\$0.00 Broker
Amount:	
Amount: Reporting Source: Employing firm when activities occurred which led	Broker
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Amount: Reporting Source: Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: Allegations: Product Type: Alleged Damages:	Broker CONTINENTAL BROKER DEALER CORP FAILURE TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS, ACTIVITY DATE 10/31/2003 Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock) \$20,000.00



Status:	Settled
Status Date:	03/12/2004
Settlement Amount:	\$2,500.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$1,250.00
Broker Statement	COMMISSIONS WERE ADJUSTED BY \$2,500.00, OF WHICH HALF WAS DEDUCTED FROM MR. RESCINITI'S GROSS COMMISSIONS.
Disclosure 2 of 2	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	HARRISON SECURITIES INC.
Allegations:	EXCESSIVE COMMISSIONS
Product Type:	Equity - OTC

\$6,909.00

# **Customer Complaint Information**

Alleged Damages:

Date Complaint Received:	10/05/2002
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Settled
Status Date:	10/25/2002
Settlement Amount:	\$2,500.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$2,500.00



#### Customer Dispute - Closed-No Action / Withdrawn / Dismissed / Denied

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit containing allegations of sales practice violations against the individual broker that was dismissed, withdrawn, or denied; or (2) a consumer-initiated, investment-related written complaint containing allegations that the broker engaged in sales practice violations resulting in compensatory damages of at least \$5,000, forgery, theft, or misappropriation, or conversion of funds or securities, which was closed without action, withdrawn, or denied.

Firm
MILESTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
UNAUTHORIZED TRADING
Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
\$15,800.00
rmation
11/10/2005
No
Closed/No Action
11/10/2005
\$0.00
\$0.00
TRANSACTION IN QUESTION WAS CANCELLED IN CUSTOMER'S ACCOUNT
Broker
MILESTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC
UNAUTHORIZED TRADING
Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
\$15,800.00

#### **Customer Complaint Information**



Date Complaint Received:	11/10/2005
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Closed/No Action
Status Date:	11/10/2005
Settlement Amount:	\$0.00
Individual Contribution Amount:	\$0.00



#### Customer Dispute - Pending

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a pending consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit that contains allegations of sales practice violations against the broker; or (2) a pending, consumer-initiated, investment-related written complaint containing allegations that the broker engaged in, sales practice violations resulting in compensatory damages of at least \$5,000, forgery, theft, or misappropriation, or conversion of funds or securities.

Disclosure 1 of 2	
Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	ROCKWELL GLOBAL CAPITAL LLC
Allegations:	EXCESSIVE USE OF MARGIN
Product Type:	Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
Alleged Damages:	\$5,300.00
Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):	ACCORDING TO THE STATEMENTS THE CUSTOMER LOST APPROX. 5,300.00
Is this an oral complaint?	No
Is this a written complaint?	Yes
Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation?	No
<b>Customer Complaint Infor</b>	mation
Date Complaint Received:	03/03/2015
Complaint Pending?	Yes
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	ROCKWELL GLOBAL CAPITAL LLC

EXCESSIVE USE OF MARGIN

Allegations:



Product Type:	Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
Alleged Damages:	\$5,300.00
Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):	THE DAMAGED ALLEGED WERE DETERMINED BY THE EMPLOYING FIRM WHEN THE ACTIVITIES OCCURRED. I BELIEVE THE AMOUNT OF THE ACTUAL DAMAGES WERE 4300.
Is this an oral complaint?	No
Is this a written complaint?	Yes
Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation?	No
Customer Complaint Information	

Date Complaint Received:	03/03/2015
Complaint Pending?	Yes
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	
Broker Statement	IN MY OPINION, THERE WAS NO WRONGDOING IN THE ACCOUNT.

Disclosure 2 of 2	
Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	CONTINENTAL BROKER DEALER CORP
Allegations:	ALLEGATIONS OF UNAUTHORIZED TRADING, ACTIVITY DATE 09/26/2003
Product Type:	Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
Alleged Damages:	\$10,842.00
Customer Complaint Information	
Date Complaint Received:	12/15/2003
Complaint Pending?	Yes
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	

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Reporting Source:	Broker
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	CONTINENTAL BROKER DEALER CORP
Allegations:	ALLEGATIONS OF UNAUTHORIZED TRADING, ACTIVITY DATE 09/26/2003
Product Type:	Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)
Alleged Damages:	\$10,842.00
Customer Complaint Infor	mation
Date Complaint Received:	12/15/2003
Complaint Pending?	Yes
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	



#### **Employment Separation After Allegations**

This type of disclosure event involves a situation where the broker voluntarily resigned, was discharged, or was permitted to resign after being accused of (1) violating investment-related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct; (2) fraud or the wrongful taking of property; or (3) failure to supervise in connection with investment-related statutes, regulations, rules, or industry standards of conduct.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Employer Name:	GILFORD SECURITIES INC.
Termination Type:	Voluntary Resignation
Termination Date:	07/17/2001
Allegations:	A REVIEW WAS MADE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE BROKER SIGNED CUSTOMERS NAME TO AN ACAT FORM AND CASH ACCOUNT AGREEMENT.
Product Type:	No Product
Other Product Types:	
Broker Statement	AFTER THE NASD MADE AN INVESTIGATION OF THE ABOVE ALLEGATIONS, THEY HAVE CLOSED THEIR FILE.



### **Financial - Final**

This type of disclosure event involves a bankruptcy, compromise with one or more creditors, or Securities Investor Protection Corporation liquidation involving the broker or an organization/brokerage firm the broker controlled that occurred within the last 10 years.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Action Type:	Bankruptcy
Bankruptcy:	Chapter 7
Action Date:	02/23/2016
Organization Investment- Related?	
Type of Court:	Federal Court
Name of Court:	U.S. Bankruptcy Court
Location of Court:	Brooklyn, NY
Docket/Case #:	8-16-70669
Action Pending?	No
Disposition:	Discharged
Disposition Date:	06/16/2016
Broker Statement	Due to unforeseeable circumstances, including divorce and a child with special needs, I was forced to seek Chapter 7 bankruptcy protection.



# Judgment / Lien

This type of disclosure event involves an unsatisfied and outstanding judgments or liens against the broker.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Broker
Judgment/Lien Holder:	IRS
Judgment/Lien Amount:	\$115,276.00
Judgment/Lien Type:	Тах
Date Filed with Court:	07/06/2017
Date Individual Learned:	08/30/2017
Type of Court:	Suffolk County Clerk
Name of Court:	Suffolk County Clerk
Location of Court:	Suffolk County
Docket/Case #:	LFED0002604
Judgment/Lien Outstanding?	Yes
Broker Statement	Found out about the Lien when FINRA sent correspondence to the Firm. I was notified of the lien on Aug 30, 2017. I contacted the IRS on the same date to get more information. The agent is sending the information to my current address.



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