



IAPD Report

WILLIAM ANDREW WIMBERLY

CRD# 1157038

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IAPD Information About Representatives

IAPD offers information on all current-and many former representatives. Investors are strongly encouraged to use IAPD to check the background of representatives before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

What is included in a IAPD report?

IAPD reports for individual representatives include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards.

It is important to note that the information contained in an IAPD 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 representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

Where did this information come from?

The information contained in IAPD comes from the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) and FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD, (see more on CRD below) and is a combination of:

- information the states require representatives and firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
- information that state regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against representatives.

How current is this information?

Generally, representatives are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in IARD within 30 days.

Need help interpreting this report?

For help understanding how to read this report, please consult NASAA's IAPD Tips page <http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm>

What if I want to check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage Firm?

To check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage firm, you can search for the firm or individual in IAPD. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in FINRA's BrokerCheck website.

Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?

It is recommended that you learn as much as possible about an individual representative or Investment Adviser firm before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research individuals and certain firms doing business in your state. The contact information for state securities regulators can be found on the website of the North American Securities Administrators Association <http://www.nasaa.org>



Report Summary

WILLIAM ANDREW WIMBERLY (CRD# 1157038)

The report summary provides an overview of the representative's professional background and conduct. The information contained in this report has been provided by the representative, investment adviser and/or securities firms, and/or securities regulators as part of the states' investment adviser registration and licensing process. The information contained in this report was last updated by the representative, a previous employing firm, or a securities regulator on **01/03/2023**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	W.A. WIMBERLY & ASSOCIATES, INC.	CRD# 127377	07/06/2007

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **0** SRO(s) and **1** jurisdiction(s).

Is this representative currently Inactive or Suspended with any regulator? **No**

Note: Not all jurisdictions require IAR registration or may have an exemption from registration.

Additional information including this individual's qualification examinations and professional designations is available in the Detailed Report.

REGISTRATION HISTORY

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

	FIRM	CRD#	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DATES
B	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	6413	JACKSON, MS	11/14/2008 - 08/22/2018
B	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	6694	JACKSON, MS	09/26/1983 - 11/17/2008
IA	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES	6694	JACKSON, MS	04/30/2003 - 07/06/2007

For additional registration and employment history details as reported by the individual, refer to the Registration and Employment History section of the Detailed Report.

DISCLOSURE INFORMATION

Disclosure events include certain criminal charges and convictions, formal investigations and disciplinary actions initiated by regulators, customer disputes and arbitrations, and financial disclosures such as bankruptcies and unpaid judgments or liens.

Are there events disclosed about this representative? **Yes**

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Regulatory Event	1
Customer Dispute	1
Termination	1



Qualifications

REGISTRATIONS

This section provides the SRO, states and U.S. territories in which the representative is currently registered and licensed, the category of each registration, and the date on which the registration becomes effective. This section also provides, for each firm with which the representative is currently employed, the address of each location where the representative works. This individual is currently registered with **1** jurisdiction(s) and **0** SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **W.A. WIMBERLY & ASSOCIATES, INC.**
Main Address: MADISON, MS
Firm ID#: 127377

Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA Mississippi	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	07/06/2007

Branch Office Locations

W.A. WIMBERLY & ASSOCIATES, INC.
Madison, MS



Qualifications

PASSED INDUSTRY EXAMS

This section includes all industry exams that the representative has passed. Under limited circumstances, a representative may attain registration after receiving an exam waiver based on a combination of exams the representative has passed and qualifying work experience. Likewise a new exam requirement may be grandfathered based on a representative's specific qualifying work experience. Exam waivers and grandfathering are not included below.

This individual has passed 1 principal/supervisory exam, 2 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	General Securities Principal Examination (S24)	Series 24	03/13/1989

General Industry/Product Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	08/22/2018
	General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	09/17/1983

State Securities Law Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Uniform Combined State Law Examination (S66)	Series 66	04/28/2003
	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	08/06/1988

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

This section details that the representative has reported **0** professional designation(s).

No information reported.



Registration & Employment History

PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS

This representative held registrations with the following firms:

	Registration Dates	Firm Name	ID#	Branch Location
B	11/14/2008 - 08/22/2018	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	JACKSON, MS
B	09/26/1983 - 11/17/2008	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6694	JACKSON, MS
IA	04/30/2003 - 07/06/2007	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES	CRD# 6694	JACKSON, MS
B	05/03/1999 - 07/02/2004	PARK AVENUE SECURITIES LLC	CRD# 46173	NEW YORK, NY
B	01/06/1997 - 05/03/1999	GUARDIAN INVESTOR SERVICES CORPORATION	CRD# 6635	NEW YORK, NY

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Below is the representative's employment history for up to the last 10 years.

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
03/1972 - Present	Corporate Planning LTD DBA W. A. Wimberly and Associates	President	Y	Madison, MS, United States
11/2008 - 08/2018	LPL FINANCIAL, LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	JACKSON, MS, United States

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the representative regarding other business activities the representative 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.

1. W. A. Wimberly & Associates, Inc., investment related, 113 Sunset Lane, Madison, MS 39110, Insurance (Non-Variable) sales-Sales for FIXED LIFE INSURANCE, LONG TERM DISABILITY AND LTC./President-started in 1972-TIME SPENT appr. 40 hours/month and 40 hours/month during securities trading hours, mainly responsible for sales.



Disclosure Summary

Disclosure Information

What you should know about reported disclosure events:

(1) Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to IARD, for example:

- A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before an Investment Adviser Representative is required to report a particular criminal event.;
- A customer dispute must involve allegations that an Investment Adviser Representative engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.

(2) Disclosure events in IAPD reports come from different sources:

As mentioned in the "About IAPD" section on page 1 of this report, information contained in IAPD comes from Investment Adviser Representatives, 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 IAPD report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.

(3) There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- A disclosure event may have a status of *pending*, *on appeal*, or *final*.
 - A "pending" disclosure event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
 - A disclosure event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
 - A "final" disclosure event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- A final disclosure 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 represents a disposition wherein the parties involved in a dispute reach an agreement to resolve the matter. Please note that Investment Adviser Representatives and firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
 - A "resolved" matter usually includes a disposition wherein no payment is made to the customer or there is no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the Investment Adviser Representative. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

(4) You may wish to contact the Investment Adviser Representatives to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this IAPD report.



DISCLOSURE EVENT DETAILS

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that some items may involve pending actions or allegations that may be contested and have not been resolved or proven. The event may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the Investment Adviser Representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository. Some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided.

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Regulatory Event	1
Customer Dispute	1
Termination	1

Regulatory Event

This disclosure event may include a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, a federal regulator such as the Securities and Exchange Commission or the Commodities Futures Trading Commission, or a foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations. This disclosure event may also include a revocation or suspension of an Investment Adviser Representative's authority to act as an attorney, accountant or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source:	Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated By:	FINRA
Sanction(s) Sought:	Other: N/A
Date Initiated:	04/10/2020
Docket/Case Number:	2018060317901
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:	LPL Financial LLC
Product Type:	Promissory Note
Allegations:	Without admitting or denying the findings, Wimberly consented to the sanctions and to the entry of findings that he engaged in an outside business activity without providing prior written notice to his member firm. The findings stated that Wimberly and a friend created a limited liability company (LLC) to invest in a technology company. Wimberly served as an officer and director of the LLC and contributed \$50,000 to it. The findings also stated that Wimberly participated in private securities transactions through the LLC without providing prior written notice to the firm when the LLC purchased a convertible promissory note from the technology company. Later, Wimberly contributed an additional \$20,000 to the LLC and thereafter purchased additional shares of the technology company on behalf of the LLC. In addition, Wimberly signed and submitted to the firm annual compliance questionnaires in which he failed to disclose the LLC and the transactions.
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:	04/10/2020
Sanctions Ordered:	Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s) Suspension
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?	
(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: Three months
Start Date: 04/20/2020
End Date: 07/19/2020

Monetary Sanction 1 of 1

Monetary Related Sanction: Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)
Total Amount: \$5,000.00
Portion Levied against individual: \$5,000.00
Payment Plan: Deferred
Is Payment Plan Current:
Date Paid by individual:
Was any portion of penalty waived? No

Amount Waived:

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Reporting Source: Individual
Regulatory Action Initiated By: FINRA
Sanction(s) Sought: Suspension
Date Initiated: 09/07/2018
Docket/Case Number: 2018060317901
Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action: W. A. Wimberly & Associates



Product Type:	No Product
Allegations:	Non disclosure of outside business activity
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:	04/10/2020
Sanctions Ordered:	Suspension Other: Fine of \$5,000 payable upon reassociation with a member firm.
Sanction 1 of 1	
Sanction Type:	Suspension
Capacities Affected:	All Capacities
Duration:	3 months
Start Date:	
End Date:	
Monetary Sanction 1 of 1	
Monetary Related Sanction:	Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)
Total Amount:	\$5,000.00
Portion Levied against individual:	\$5,000.00
Payment Plan:	None
Is Payment Plan Current:	
Date Paid by individual:	
Was any portion of penalty waived?	Yes
Amount Waived:	\$5,000.00
Broker Statement	I was terminated by LPL Financial for nondisclosure of an outside business activity. This was the reason for responding to 14E (2) (4) as "Yes".



Customer Dispute

This section provides information regarding a customer dispute that was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) by the Investment Adviser Representative (IAR), an investment adviser and/or securities firm, and/or a securities regulator. The event may include a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit that contains allegations of sales practice violations against the individual.

The customer dispute may be pending or may have resulted in a civil judgment, arbitration award, monetary settlement, closure without action, withdrawal, dismissal, denial, or other outcome.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: GUARDIAN INVESTOR SERVICES CORPORATION & RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES

Allegations: CUSTOMER CLAIMED THAT HE WAS CHARGED \$12,000.00 PER YEAR FOR ADMINISTRATION WORK THAT WAS NEVER COMPLETED. HE CLAIMED HE WAS WRONGFULLY SOLD AN INSURANCE POLICY THAT USED UP \$30,000.00 (HE CANCELLED POLICY) INSURANCE WAS SOLD THROUGH THE GUARDIAN LIFE INS. CO. HE CLAIMED THAT HIS MONEY WAS INVESTED IN TOO MANY DIFFERENT MUTUAL FUNDS THAT COST HIM TOO MUCH IN COMMISSION. MUTUAL FUNDS WERE SOLD THROUGH INVESTMENT, MANAGEMENT & RESEARCH.

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): INSURANCE AND MUTUAL FUNDS

Alleged Damages: \$30,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 05/26/1998

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Closed/No Action

Status Date: 05/14/1999

Settlement Amount: \$0.00

Individual Contribution Amount: \$0.00

Broker Statement NOT PROVIDED. CUSTOMER NEVER PAID \$12,000.00 PER YEAR FOR ADMINISTRATION WORK ON HIS PLAN. TOTAL PAID BY CUSTOMER \$6675.00. ANY WORK NOT COMPLETED WAS DUE TO LACK OF COOPERATION BY HIS OFFICE NOT PROVIDING NECESSARY INFORMATION. THE LIFE INSURANCE POLICY WAS EXPLAINED THOROUGHLY TO HIM. SUBSTANTIAL SAVINGS IN INCOME & ESTATE TAX WOULD HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED BY KEEPING POLICY IN FORCE. TO PROPERLY DIVERSIFY CUSTOMER'S PORTFOLIO, NOT ONLY BETWEEN ASSET CLASSES, BUT ALSO WITH DIFFERENT INVESTMENT STYLES, SEVERAL DIFFERENT MUTUAL FUNDS WERE NEEDED. WE CHOSE FUNDS BASED ON CERTAIN CRITERIA & NOT ALL ARE GOING TO BE IN SOME FAMILY OF FUNDS. THIS COMPLAINT IS NO LONGER REPORTABLE.



Termination

This disclosure event involves a situation where the Investment Adviser Representative voluntarily resigned, was discharged or was permitted to resign after allegations were made that accused the Investment Adviser Representative of violating investment-related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct; fraud or the wrongful taking of property; or failure to supervise in connection with investment-related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Firm
Firm Name: LPL Financial LLC
Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 08/14/2018
Allegations: Violation of LPL policies regarding disclosure and conduct of outside business activities.
Product Type: No Product

Reporting Source: Individual
Firm Name: LPL Financial
Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 08/14/2018
Allegations: NONDISCLOSURE OF OUTSIDE BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND PRIVATE SECURITY TRANSACTION
Product Type: No Product

Broker Statement I CREATED AN LLC WITH ONE FRIEND TO BE ABLE TO BUY STOCK IN ADARA. I NEGLECTED TO GET PERMISSION FROM LPL. WHEN I LATER DISCLOSED IT THEY APPROVED IT AND FINED US BUT TERMINATED US ANYWAY.



End of Report

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