



IAPD Report

JOHN FELTS CONNELLY JR

CRD# 2049291

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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

JOHN FELTS CONNELLY JR (CRD# 2049291)

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 **07/18/2024**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
B	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	07/19/2024
IA	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	07/23/2024

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **1** 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
IA	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC	149018	BRENTWOOD, TN	02/27/2012 - 05/31/2024
B	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	6694	BRENTWOOD, TN	02/24/2012 - 05/31/2024
B	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	7691	NASHVILLE, TN	09/26/2003 - 02/28/2012

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
Criminal	1
Customer Dispute	1
Termination	1



Report Summary



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 1 SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

Employment 1 of 1

Firm Name: **LPL FINANCIAL LLC**
Main Address: 1055 LPL WAY
FORT MILL, SC 29715
Firm ID#: 6413

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	07/19/2024
B	Tennessee	Agent	Approved	07/23/2024
IA	Tennessee	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	07/23/2024

Branch Office Locations

LPL FINANCIAL LLC
112 WESTWOOD PL, STE 211
BRENTWOOD, TN 37027



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 0 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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No information reported.

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
Futures Managed Funds Examination (S31)	Series 31	08/24/1995
General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	06/16/1990

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	07/26/1990
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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
IA	02/27/2012 - 05/31/2024	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC	CRD# 149018	BRENTWOOD, TN
B	02/24/2012 - 05/31/2024	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6694	BRENTWOOD, TN
B	09/26/2003 - 02/28/2012	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	CRD# 7691	NASHVILLE, TN
IA	09/26/2003 - 02/28/2012	MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED	CRD# 7691	NASHVILLE, TN
B	07/01/2003 - 10/07/2003	WACHOVIA SECURITIES, LLC	CRD# 19616	ST. LOUIS, MO
IA	07/01/2003 - 10/07/2003	WACHOVIA SECURITIES, LLC	CRD# 19616	BRENTWOOD, TN
IA	08/03/2000 - 07/01/2003	PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED	CRD# 7471	BRENTWOOD, TN
B	08/01/2000 - 07/01/2003	PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED	CRD# 7471	NEW YORK, NY
B	06/22/1990 - 07/11/2000	DEAN WITTER REYNOLDS INC.	CRD# 7556	PURCHASE, 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
07/2024 - Present	LPL	Registered Associate	Y	Brentwood, TN, United States
10/2012 - Present	CVWM LLC/COVA Wealth Management	Other	N	Brentwood, TN, United States
02/2012 - Present	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS INC.	INVESTMENT ADVISER REP	Y	BRENTWOOD, TN, United States
02/2012 - Present	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Y	BRENTWOOD, TN, United States



Registration & Employment History



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. 06/11/2024- COVA Wealth Management- DBA for LPL Business (entity for LPL business)- Inv Rel- At Reported Business Location (s)



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
Criminal	1
Customer Dispute	1
Termination	1

Criminal

This disclosure event involves a criminal charge against the Investment Adviser Representative that has resulted in a dismissal, plea, acquittal or conviction. The criminal matter may relate to any felony or certain misdemeanor offenses (e.g., bribery, perjury, forgery, counterfeiting, extortion, fraud, wrongful taking of property).

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source:	Individual
Court Details:	SUPERIOR COURT OF WALKER COUNTY GEORGIA
Charge Date:	09/09/1975
Charge Details:	ONE COUNT OF POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA IN VIOLATION OF GEORGIA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT
Felony?	Yes
Current Status:	Final
Status Date:	02/23/1977
Disposition Details:	CHARGES DISMISSED FOLLOWING REVERSAL OF CONVICTION BY THE U.S. SUPREME COURT
Broker Statement	CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA ON 09/09/1975. U.S. SUPREME COURT REVERSED THE CHARGES AND DISMISSED THE CASE ON 02/23/1977



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: Firm

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: PSI

Allegations: CUSTOMER CLAIMS THAT FA FAILED TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS BY NOT TRANSFERRING HIS INVESTMENTS INTO MONEY MARKET

Product Type: Mutual Fund(s)

Alleged Damages: \$35,897.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 01/09/2003

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Closed/No Action

Status Date: 09/30/2003

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Firm Statement THE MATTER HAS BEEN CLOSED AS A FAILURE TO PURSUE

Reporting Source: Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: PSI

Allegations: CUSTOMER CLAIMS THAT FA FAILED TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS BY NOT TRANSFERRING HIS INVESTMENTS INTO MONEY MARKET.

Product Type: Mutual Fund(s)

Alleged Damages: \$35,897.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 01/09/2003

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Closed/No Action

Status Date: 09/30/2003

Settlement Amount:



**Individual Contribution
Amount:**

Broker Statement

THE MATTER HAS BEEN CLOSED AS A FAILURE TO PURSUE.



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: RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 05/03/2024
Allegations: Individual alleged to have engaged in conduct inconsistent with firm policies on private securities transactions.
Product Type: Other: Private Placements

Reporting Source: Individual
Firm Name: RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 05/03/2024
Allegations: Individual alleged to have engaged in conduct inconsistent with firm policies on private securities transactions.
Product Type: Other: Private Placements

Broker Statement
None of my actions involved allegations of wrongdoing or mishandling of client accounts. The sole allegation has to do with conduct inconsistent with Raymond James firm policy. Specifically, it stems from my lack of diligence in disclosing and renewing my disclosures of my outside business activities (OBAs). The majority of my OBAs were private, passive investments in commercial real estate. Three of my private investments were in private securities where I was also a passive investor. I had reported some of my private investments to Raymond James, there were some that I had reported that I had not renewed or kept current, and there were some that I had not reported. After this was brought to my attention I immediately disclosed and updated all of my private, passive investments to Raymond James.



End of Report

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