



IAPD Report

FRANCIS JOHN GIRARD III

CRD# 2837816

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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

FRANCIS JOHN GIRARD III (CRD# 2837816)

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 **04/01/2026**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
B	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6694	05/29/2019
IA	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC	CRD# 149018	05/29/2019

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **1** SRO(s) and **39** 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	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	6363	BOHEMIA, NY	10/04/2006 - 05/31/2019
B	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	6363	BOHEMIA, NY	01/22/1998 - 05/31/2019
B	IDS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	6321	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	01/22/1998 - 07/03/2006

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
Customer Dispute	4



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 **39** jurisdiction(s) and 1 SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name: **RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.**

Main Address: 880 CARILLON PARKWAY
ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716

Firm ID#: 6694

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	05/29/2019
	Arizona	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Arkansas	Agent	Approved	09/16/2020
	California	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Colorado	Agent	Approved	06/19/2019
	Connecticut	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Delaware	Agent	Approved	07/09/2019
	District of Columbia	Agent	Approved	06/17/2019
	Florida	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Georgia	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Illinois	Agent	Approved	09/02/2020
	Indiana	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
	Kansas	Agent	Approved	04/01/2026



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	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B	Kentucky	Agent	Approved	09/17/2020
B	Louisiana	Agent	Approved	01/25/2021
B	Maine	Agent	Approved	05/30/2019
B	Maryland	Agent	Approved	09/02/2020
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	06/04/2019
B	Michigan	Agent	Approved	12/01/2021
B	Mississippi	Agent	Approved	09/02/2020
B	Missouri	Agent	Approved	08/02/2022
B	Nevada	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	New Hampshire	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	New Jersey	Agent	Approved	06/17/2019
B	New Mexico	Agent	Approved	06/17/2019
B	New York	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	North Carolina	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	Ohio	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	Oregon	Agent	Approved	02/02/2022
B	Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	Puerto Rico	Agent	Approved	06/07/2022
B	Rhode Island	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019



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	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	06/19/2019
B	South Dakota	Agent	Approved	07/26/2023
B	Tennessee	Agent	Approved	02/03/2022
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	07/06/2019
B	Vermont	Agent	Approved	05/18/2021
B	Virginia	Agent	Approved	06/18/2019
B	Washington	Agent	Approved	05/29/2019
B	West Virginia	Agent	Approved	02/17/2021

Branch Office Locations

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES

376 Mark Tree Rd
East Setauket, NY 11733

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES

445 Broad Hollow Road
Suite 25
Melville, NY 11747

Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: **RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC**
Main Address: 880 CARILLON PARKWAY
SAINT PETERSBURG, FL 33716
Firm ID#: 149018

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
IA	New York	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/14/2021
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	05/29/2019

Branch Office Locations

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC

376 Mark Tree Rd
East Setauket, NY 11733



Qualifications



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, 2 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
B Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
B General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	01/04/1997

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
B Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	01/14/1997



PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

This section details that the representative has reported **2** professional designation(s).

Certified Financial Planner

Chartered Financial Consultant

Only professional designations listed in Question 8 of the Form U4 will appear in this section if the appropriate box is checked and verified by the issuing organization at the time of the filing. Learn more about eligible designations at [IARD](#) and [NASAA](#).



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	10/04/2006 - 05/31/2019	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6363	BOHEMIA, NY
B	01/22/1998 - 05/31/2019	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6363	BOHEMIA, NY
B	01/22/1998 - 07/03/2006	IDS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	CRD# 6321	MINNEAPOLIS, MN
B	01/06/1997 - 02/03/1998	CONTINENTAL BROKER-DEALER CORP.	CRD# 14048	CARLE PLACE, 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
05/2019 - Present	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES ADVISORS, INC.	INVESTMENT ADVISER	Y	EAST SETAUKET, NY, United States
05/2019 - Present	RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Y	EAST SETAUKET, NY, United States
03/1998 - 05/2019	Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc.	FINANCIAL ADVISOR	Y	EAST SETAUKET, NY, 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)Name of Business: 376 Mark Tree Rd LLC Address: 40 Cobbler Lane, East Setauket, NY, 11733, United States Activity Type: Rental Real Estate Position/Title: Owner/Proprietor Investment Related: Yes Start Date: 11/11/2019 Hours per month devoted to this business: 0-1 Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 0-1 Description of duties: Landlord

(2)Name of Business: 8 Pheasant Court LLC Address: 40 Cobbler Lane, East Setauket , NY, 11733, United States Activity Type: Rental Real Estate Position/Title: Owner/Proprietor Investment Related: Yes Start Date: 11/11/2019 Hours per month devoted to this business: 0-1 Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 0-1 Description of duties: Landlord

(3)Name of Business: Rack Lane LLC Address: 40 Cobbler Lane, East Setauket , NY, 11733, United States Activity Type: Business Owner Position/Title: Other Investment Related: No Start Date: 06/02/2025 Hours per month devoted to this business: 2-10 Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 2-10 Description of duties: Member

(4)Name of Business: Viceroy Place LLC Address: 40 cobbler Lane , East Setauket, NY, 11733, United States Activity Type: Business Owner Position/Title: Other Investment Related: No Start Date: 06/03/2025 Hours per month devoted to this business: 2-10 Hours per month devoted to this business during trading hours: 2-10 Description of duties: Member



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
Customer Dispute	4

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 4

Reporting Source:	Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES INC
Allegations:	THE CLIENT ALLEGED SHE REQUESTED TO HAVE THE ACCOUNT IN A CONSERVATIVE MANNER SHOULD THE STOCK MARKET VALUE DECLINE. THE ADVISOR DID NOT FOLLOW HER DIRECTION AS REQUESTED.
Product Type:	Annuity-Variable
Alleged Damages:	\$7,491.52
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:	02/16/2010
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Denied
Status Date:	04/28/2010
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	

**Broker Statement**

THE FIRM'S REVIEW FOUND THAT THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE ADVISOR APPEARED TO MEET THE CLIENT'S PROFILE OF MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE INVESTMENTS. IN ADDITION IT WAS CONFIRMED THAT THE DEATH BENEFIT AMOUNT ON THE ACCOUNT WAS CORRECT.

Disclosure 2 of 4**Reporting Source:**

Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:

AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES INC

Allegations:

THE CLIENT ALLEGED MARKET LOSSES OF \$6,000 ON THE PURCHASE OF TWO STOCKS PURCHASED IN AUGUST OF 2008.

Product Type:

Equity Listed (Common & Preferred Stock)

Alleged Damages:

\$6,000.00

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:**

02/02/2009

Complaint Pending?

No

Status:

Denied

Status Date:

05/26/2009

Settlement Amount:**Individual Contribution Amount:****Broker Statement**

WHILE THE POSITIONS DECLINED IN VALUE, OUR REVIEW INDICATED THE RECOMMENDATIONS WERE CONSISTENT WITH THE CLIENT'S TRADING HISTORY.

Disclosure 3 of 4**Reporting Source:**

Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:

AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

Allegations:

CLIENT ALLEGED HER INVESTMENTS WERE SUITABLE FROM MAY 2008-NOVEMBER 2008.

Product Type:

Mutual Fund(s)

Other Product Type(s):

BROKERAGE

Alleged Damages:

\$5,000.00

Customer Complaint Information**Date Complaint Received:**

09/13/2008



Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Denied
Status Date:	04/16/2009
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	
Broker Statement	THE FIRM FOUND THE INVESTMENTS APPEARED SUITABLE BASED ON THE CLIENT'S GOALS AND INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AS INDICATED ON SIGNED APPLICATIONS.

Disclosure 4 of 4

Reporting Source:	Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
Allegations:	THE CLIENTS ALLEGED PURCHASES MADE IN OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER 2007 WERE NOT AUTHORIZED AND RESULTED IN A LOSS OF \$10,760.00.
Product Type:	Mutual Fund(s)
Other Product Type(s):	BROKERAGE
Alleged Damages:	\$10,760.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:	05/01/2008
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Denied
Status Date:	05/23/2008
Settlement Amount:	
Individual Contribution Amount:	
Broker Statement	OUR REVIEW FOUND THE PURCHASES WERE DISCUSSED WITH THE CLIENT'S PRIOR TO THE TRANSACTION AND APPEARED TO BE SUITABLE FOR THEIR INCOME GOAL.



End of Report

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