



IAPD Report

CHARLES J VEENEMAN

CRD# 5337065

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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

CHARLES J VEENEMAN (CRD# 5337065)

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 **12/15/2020**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
IA	BEST INVESTMENT OPTIONS, LLC	CRD# 307743	04/07/2021

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
IA	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH ADVISORS, INC.	134139	PEWEE VALLEY, KY	09/04/2014 - 12/31/2019
B	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.	39543	FAIRFIELD, IA	11/21/2007 - 12/31/2019

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




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: **BEST INVESTMENT OPTIONS, LLC**
Main Address: 2527 NELSON MILLER PARKWAY
SUITE 205
LOUISVILLE, KY 40223
Firm ID#: 307743

Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
 Kentucky	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved - Pending IAR CE	01/01/2026

Branch Office Locations

BEST INVESTMENT OPTIONS, LLC
2527 NELSON MILLER PARKWAY
SUITE 205
LOUISVILLE, KY 40223



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
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Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
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General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	11/20/2007
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State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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Uniform Combined State Law Examination (S66)	Series 66	01/30/2014
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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	09/04/2014 - 12/31/2019	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH ADVISORS, INC.	CRD# 134139	PEWEE VALLEY, KY
B	11/21/2007 - 12/31/2019	CAMBRIDGE INVESTMENT RESEARCH, INC.	CRD# 39543	FAIRFIELD, IA

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
12/2019 - Present	Best Investment Options, LLC	President/Managing Member	Y	Louisville, KY, United States
02/1991 - Present	Office Administrators, Inc.	PRESIDENT	N	Louisville, KY, United States
01/1991 - Present	CHARLES J. VEENEMAN, CPA, PSC	PRESIDENT	N	LOUISVILLE, KY, United States
11/2007 - 12/2019	Cambridge Investment Research Advisors, Inc.	Registered Representative	Y	Fairfield, IA, United States
11/2007 - 12/2019	Cambridge Investment Research, Inc.	Contractor	Y	Fairfield, IA, 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.CHARLES J. VEENEMAN, CPA, PSC, 2527 NELSON MILLER PKWY, STE 205, LOUISVILLE, KY. The business is not investment-related. Mr. Veeneman is President and sole owner of Charles J. Veeneman, CPA, PSC since January 1991. Mr. Veeneman devotes approximately 150 HR per month and 140 HR during trading hours per month to the business. Charles J. Veeneman, CPA, PSC is a CPA firm that prepares taxes, performs audits of small cities, and provides professional tax consultation services. Mr. Veeneman's duties include providing all the aforementioned services and supervising all the work of the business.

2.OFFICE ADMINISTRATORS, INC., 2527 NELSON MILLER PKWY, STE 205, LOUISVILLE KY. The business is not investment related. Mr. Veeneman is President and sole owner of Office Administrators, Inc. since February 1991. Mr. Veeneman devotes approximately 20 HR per month, all during trading hours to the business. Office Administrators, Inc. is a firm that provides bookkeeping services for other business. Mr. Veeneman's duties include providing supervision of professional services offered.

3.TREASURER FOR CITY OF NORTHFIELD, KY. 2527 NELSON MILLER PKWY, STE 205, LOUISVILLE, KY The role is not investment related. Mr. Veeneman is the treasurer for the city of Northfield, KY since July 2011. Mr. Veeneman devotes approximately 12 HR per month and 6 HR during trading hours per month to the role. Mr. Veeneman's duties include managing



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OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

the cash flows of the city.



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

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: Individual

Regulatory Action Initiated By: KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Sanction(s) Sought: Denial

Date Initiated: 10/09/2009

Docket/Case Number: No. 697240

Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action: NO FIRM (DENIED AS AN INDIVIDUAL)

Product Type: Insurance

Allegations: IN OCTOBER OF 2009, MR. VEENEMAN TOOK A PREPARATORY EDUCATION COURSE AND PLANNED TO TAKE THE INSURANCE EXAM AND APPLY FOR AN INSURANCE LICENSE. HE CHANGED HIS MIND AND DID NOT APPLY, AND WAS THEREFORE ADMINISTRATIVELY DENIED BY THE KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.

Current Status: Final

Resolution: N/A

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: 10/09/2009



Sanctions Ordered:

Denial
Other: ADMINISTRATIVE DENIAL

Broker Statement

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