

BrokerCheck Report

SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC.

CRD# 739

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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:
 - 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.
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SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC.

CRD# 739

SEC# 8-13470

Main Office Location

777 108TH AVE NE, SUITE 1200 BELLEVUE, WA 98004-5135 Regulated by FINRA Denver Office

Mailing Address

777 108TH AVE NE, SUITE 1200 BELLEVUE, WA 98004-5135

Business Telephone Number

800-796-3872

Report Summary for this Firm



This report summary provides an overview of the brokerage firm. Additional information for this firm can be found in the detailed report.

Firm Profile

This firm is classified as a corporation.

This firm was formed in Washington on 08/24/1967. Its fiscal year ends in December.

Firm History

Information relating to the brokerage firm's history such as other business names and successions (e.g., mergers, acquisitions) can be found in the detailed report.

Firm Operations

This firm is registered with:

- the SEC
- 1 Self-Regulatory Organization
- 51 U.S. states and territories

Is this brokerage firm currently suspended with any regulator? **No**

This firm conducts 2 types of businesses.

This firm is affiliated with financial or investment institutions.

This firm does not have referral or financial arrangements with other brokers or dealers.

Disclosure Events

Brokerage firms are required to disclose certain criminal matters, regulatory actions, civil judicial proceedings and financial matters in which the firm or one of its control affiliates has been involved.

Are there events disclosed about this firm?

Yes

The following types of disclosures have been reported:

Type Count Regulatory Event 3

The number of disclosures from non-registered control affiliates is 15

This firm is classified as a corporation.

This firm was formed in Washington on 08/24/1967.

Its fiscal year ends in December.

Firm Names and Locations

This section provides the brokerage firm's full legal name, "Doing Business As" name, business and mailing addresses, telephone number, and any alternate name by which the firm conducts business and where such name is used.

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Other Names of this Firm

Name	Where is it used
SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC.	AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, DE, FL, GA, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, PR, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, VT, WA, WI, WV, WY
	VVV, VVY



This section provides information relating to all direct owners and executive officers of the brokerage firm.



Direct Owners and Executive Officers

Legal Name & CRD# (if any): SYMETRA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Domestic Entity

Position OWNER

Position Start Date 08/2004

Percentage of Ownership 75% or more

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting company?

Yes

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

BALKOVETZ, CHANTEL LEE

2490011

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

DIRECTOR

Position Start Date

05/2020

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any): DIMITRI, DAVID MICHAEL

4806001

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position SECRETARY

Position Start Date 05/2024

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Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of No

the firm?

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

DOW, SHANEN LYNN

7676848

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

ASSISTANT TREASURER

Position Start Date

12/2022

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the

management or policies of

the firm?

Nο

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

ELLIS, COURTNEY LYNN

5460601

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

Position Start Date

05/2019

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of

Yes

the firm?

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

FARRELL, ANDREW MICHAEL

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Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

4463467

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position PRESIDENT, DIRECTOR

Position Start Date 01/2013

Percentage of Ownership Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any): HANSON, COLLEEN

7271134

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT, FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONS PRINCIPAL

Position Start Date 05/2025

Percentage of Ownership Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any): MURPHY, COLLEEN MARY

4842602

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position DIRECTOR

Position Start Date 09/2013

Percentage of Ownership Less than 5%

Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

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Is this a public reporting company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

NORBERG, KRISTIN ROUST

7033021

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

VICE PRESIDENT

Position Start Date

09/2018

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of

Nο

Is this a public reporting

company?

the firm?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

OBERDECK, ANDREW A

8015633

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Position Start Date

11/2024

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

No

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

OTTO, JOSEPHINE R

8015301

User Guidance

Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Position Start Date

11/2024

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of

No

the firm?

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

RABIN, KEVIN WILLIAM

7033042

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

DIRECTOR

Position Start Date

09/2018

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Does this owner direct the management or policies of

the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting

company?

No

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):

SANDERS, BARBARA ANN

2206030

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Individual

Position

CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Position Start Date

10/2018

Percentage of Ownership

Less than 5%

Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

No

Is this a public reporting

No

company?



This section provides information relating to any indirect owners of the brokerage firm.



Indirect Owners

Legal Name & CRD# (if any): SUMITOMO LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?

Foreign Entity

Company through which indirect ownership is established

SYMETRA FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Relationship to Direct Owner

SHAREHOLDER

Relationship Established

02/2016

Percentage of Ownership

75% or more

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?

Yes

Is this a public reporting

No

company?

Firm History

This section provides information relating to any successions (e.g., mergers, acquisitions) involving the firm.

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No information reported.





This section provides information about the regulators (Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), self-regulatory organizations (SROs), and U.S. states and territories) with which the brokerage firm is currently registered and licensed, the date the license became effective, and certain information about the firm's SEC registration.

This firm is currently registered with the SEC, 1 SRO and 51 U.S. states and territories.

Federal Regulator	Status	Date Effective
SEC	Approved	10/14/1967

SEC Registration Questions

This firm is registered with the SEC as:

A broker-dealer: Yes

A broker-dealer and government securities broker or dealer: No

A government securities broker or dealer only: No

This firm has ceased activity as a government securities broker or dealer: Yes

Self-Regulatory Organization	Status	Date Effective
FINRA	Approved	10/18/1967





U.S. States & Territories	Status	Date Effective
Alabama	Approved	10/24/1981
Alaska	Approved	08/28/1986
Arizona	Approved	04/12/1968
Arkansas	Approved	09/20/1968
California	Approved	01/01/1970
Colorado	Approved	02/01/1983
Connecticut	Approved	03/12/1969
Delaware	Approved	05/23/1997
District of Columbia	Approved	10/01/1988
Florida	Approved	04/27/1983
Georgia	Approved	09/22/1981
Hawaii	Approved	06/05/1997
Idaho	Approved	01/01/1968
Illinois	Approved	05/16/1968
Indiana	Approved	10/21/1981
lowa	Approved	07/14/1983
Kansas	Approved	06/28/1995
Kentucky	Approved	07/16/1982
Louisiana	Approved	04/20/1983
Maine	Approved	01/02/1996
Maryland	Approved	10/03/1981
Massachusetts	Approved	11/25/1986
Michigan	Approved	05/11/1995
Minnesota	Approved	09/09/1986
Mississippi	Approved	10/14/1981
Missouri	Approved	07/18/1983
Montana	Approved	04/20/1983
Nebraska	Limited	10/08/1981
Nevada	Approved	07/19/1983
New Hampshire	Approved	09/15/1994
New Jersey	Approved	07/15/1983
New Mexico	Approved	10/07/1981
New York	Approved	03/30/1984

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Types of Business

This section provides the types of business, including non-securities business, the brokerage firm is engaged in or expects to be engaged in.

This firm currently conducts 2 types of businesses.

Types of Business

Mutual fund retailer

Other - SYMETRA SECURITIES SERVES AS THE UNDERWRITER FOR SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S VARIABLE INSURANCE PRODUCTS AND REGISTERED INDEXED ANNUITY PRODUCTS.

Other Types of Business

This firm does not effect transactions in commodities, commodity futures, or commodity options.

This firm does not engage in other non-securities business.

Non-Securities Business Description:





Clearing Arrangements

This firm does not hold or maintain funds or securities or provide clearing services for other broker-dealer(s).

Introducing Arrangements

This firm does not refer or introduce customers to other brokers and dealers.

Industry Arrangements



This firm does have books or records maintained by a third party.

Name: REGED, INC.

Business Address: 2100 GATEWAY CENTRE BLVD

MORRISVILLE, NC 27560

Effective Date: 07/29/2025

Description: REGED, INC.'S ADVERTISING REVIEW APPLICATION CAPTURES AND

ARCHIVES ADVERTISING AND MARKETING DOCUMENTS FOR

REGISTERED PRODUCTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW.

Name: WIPRO, LLC

Business Address: 2 TOWER CENTER BOULEVARD

SUITE 2200

EAST BRUNSWICK, NJ 08816

Effective Date: 04/07/2023

Description: WIPRO STORES HISTORICAL RECORDS RELATED TO PRODUCTS NO

LONGER OFFERED BY THE FIRM FOR WHICH LIMITED ADMINISTRATIVE

SERVICES ARE PROVIDED.

Name: SMARSH, INC.

Business Address: 921 SW WASHINGTON STREET

SUITE 540

PORTLAND, OR 97205

Effective Date: 09/20/2013

Description: SMARSH CAPTURES AND ARCHIVE E-MAILS, TEXT MESSAGES FROM

OUR INTERNAL SYSTEM (MICROSOFT TEAMS) AND LINKEDIN POSTS.

SMARSH WAS INITIALLY REPORTED UNDER STANDARD 6:

COMMUNICATIONS AND OPERATIONAL SYSTEMS, ITEM 2 OF THE CONTINUING MEMBER APPLICATION SUBMITTED ON SEPTEMBER 20,

2013.

This firm does not have accounts, funds, or securities maintained by a third party.

This firm does not have customer accounts, funds, or securities maintained by a third party.

Control Persons/Financing

This firm does not have individuals who control its management or policies through agreement.

This firm does not have individuals who wholly or partly finance the firm's business.

Industry Arrangements (continued)



Organization Affiliates

This section provides information on control relationships the firm has with other firms in the securities, investment advisory, or banking business.



This firm is, directly or indirectly:

- · in control of
- · controlled by
- · or under common control with

the following partnerships, corporations, or other organizations engaged in the securities or investment advisory business.

SYMETRA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COMPANY is under common control with the firm.

CRD #: 312176

Business Address: 308 FARMINGTON AVENUE

3RD FLOOR

FARMINGTON, CT 06032

Effective Date: 04/01/2021

Foreign Entity: No

Country:

Securities Activities: No

Investment Advisory

Activities:

Yes

Description: SYMETRA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COMPANY AND THE APPLICANT

ARE UNDER COMMON CONTROL OF SYMETRA FINANCIAL CORPORATION.

This firm is not directly or indirectly, controlled by the following:

- bank holding company
- national bank
- state member bank of the Federal Reserve System
- state non-member bank
- savings bank or association
- · credit union
- · or foreign bank

Disclosure Events



All firms registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose regulatory actions, criminal or civil judicial proceedings, and certain financial matters in which the firm or one of its control affiliates has been involved. For your convenience, below is a matrix of the number and status of disclosure events involving this brokerage firm or one of its control affiliates. Further information regarding these events can be found in the subsequent pages of this report.

	Pending	Final	On Appeal
Regulatory Event	0	3	0



Disclosure Event Details

What you should know about reported disclosure events:

- BrokerCheck provides details for any disclosure event that was reported in CRD. It also includes summary information regarding FINRA arbitration awards in cases where the brokerage firm was named as a respondent.
- 2. Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to CRD, for example:
 - A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before a brokerage firm is required to disclose a particular criminal event.
- 3. Disclosure events in BrokerCheck reports come from different sources:
 - Disclosure events for this brokerage firm were reported by the firm and/or regulators. When the firm and a regulator report information for the same event, both 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.
- 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 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.
- 5. You may wish to contact the brokerage firm to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this BrokerCheck report.

Regulatory - Final

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

Disclosure 1 of 3

Reporting Source: Firm

Current Status: Final



Allegations: AS NOTED IN THE CERTIFICATE OF REVOCATION OF AUTHORITY OF

FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN ILLINOIS, SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC. "HAS FAILED TO FILE AN ANNUAL REPORT AND PAY AN

ANNUAL FRANCHISE TAX." TO SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC.'S

KNOWLEDGE, THE ANNUAL REPORT REFERENCED IS THE ILLINOIS FORM

BCA 14.05 FOREIGN CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT UNDER THE

BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT.

Initiated By: STATE OF ILLINOIS OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Date Initiated: 03/18/2019

Docket/Case Number:

Principal Product Type: Annuity(ies) - Variable

Other Product Type(s): INSURANCE, INDEX-LINKED ANNUITIES.

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Revocation

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Other

Resolution Date: 04/18/2019

Firm Statement ON APRIL 18, 2019, SYMETRA SECURITIES, INC.'S STATUS AS A FOREIGN

CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS WAS REINSTATED RETROACTIVE

TO THE REVOCATION DATE.

Disclosure 2 of 3

Reporting Source: Regulator

Current Status: Final

Allegations: NASD CONDUCT RULE 2110 AND SEC RULE 15C3-1 - RESPONDENT

MEMBER USED THE INSTRUMENTALITIES OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE TO

EFFECT TRANSACTIONS IN SECURITIES WHILE FAILING TO MAINTAIN

REQUIRED NET CAPITAL.

Initiated By: NASD

Date Initiated: 09/07/2004

Docket/Case Number: C3B040025

Principal Product Type: No Product

Other Product Type(s):



Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)

No

Resolution Date: 09/07/2004

Does the order constitute a final order based on violations of any laws or regulations that prohibit fraudulent, manipulative, or

deceptive conduct?

Sanctions Ordered: Censure

Monetary/Fine \$12,500.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE ALLEGATIONS, RESPONDENT Sanction Details:

> MEMBER CONSENTED TO THE DESCRIBED SANCTIONS AND TO THE ENTRY OF FINDINGS, THEREFORE, THE FIRM IS CENSURED AND FINED

\$12,500.

Reporting Source: Firm **Current Status:** Final

Allegations: FAILURE TO MAINTAIN REQUIRED MINIMUM NET CAPITAL

Initiated By: NASD

Date Initiated: 10/02/2003

Docket/Case Number: C3B040025

Principal Product Type: No Product

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief Censure

Sought:

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

FINE

Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC) Resolution:

Resolution Date: 09/07/2004



Sanctions Ordered: Censure

Monetary/Fine \$12,500.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: SAFECO SECURITIES, INC. WAS CENSURED AND FINED \$12,500. THE FINE

WAS PAID IN FULL ON 09/22/2004

Firm Statement ON 12/31/99, 12/31/01, 1/31/02, 6/28/02, 7/31/02, 8/30/02, 9/30/02, 10/31/02,

11/29/02, 12/31/02, 1/31/03, 2/28/03, 3/31/03, 5/30/03, 6/30/03, 7/31/03, 08/29/03, AND 9/30/03 SAFECO SECURITIES FALIED TO COMPLY WITH SEC 15C3-1 IN THAT IT USED INSTRUMENTALITIES OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE TO EFFECT TRANSACTIONS IN SECURITIES WHILE FAILING TO MAINTAIN

REQUIRED NET CAPITAL OF NOT LESS THAN \$5000.

Disclosure 3 of 3

Reporting Source: Regulator

Current Status: Final

Allegations: DEFENDANT BROKER-DEALER FAILED TO FILE ITS

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH VIRGINIA CODE

SECTION 13.1-518.1 FOR THE SECOND YEAR.

Initiated By: VIRGINIA - STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

DIVISION OF SECURITIES

Date Initiated: 08/23/1996

Docket/Case Number: SEC960075

URL for Regulatory Action:

Principal Product Type:
Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date:

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$500.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: DEFENDANT BROKER-DEALER WITHOUT ADMITTING OR



DENYING THE ALLEGATIONS, AGREES TO REFRAIN FROM ANY CONDUCT WHICH WOULD CONSTITUTE A VIOLATION OF VIRGINIA CODE SECTION 13.1-518.1 AS LONG AS IT IS REGISTERED AND PAY A PENALTY OF

\$500.00.

Final

Regulator Statement CONTACT: HALL JONES, BROKER-DEALER EXAMINER,

804-371-9016.

Reporting Source: Firm **Current Status:**

Allegations: FAILURE TO FILE DECEMBER 31, 1995 ANNUAL REPORT WITHIN THE TEN-

DAY TIME LIMIT

Initiated By: STATE OF VIRGINIA, STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

Date Initiated: 06/03/1996

Docket/Case Number: SEC 960075

Principal Product Type: Mutual Fund(s)

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Settled

Resolution Date: 08/23/1996

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$500.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: NO SANCTIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING, SETTLED 08/23/1996 Firm Statement

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Disclosure Events for Non-Registered Control Affiliates



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Regulatory Event	0	15	0



Disclosure Event Details

Regulatory - Final

Disclosure 1 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE STATE OF

DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S ("SLIC"), PRACTICES AND

PROCEDURES WERE FOUND TO NOT COMPLY WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE DELAWARE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RELATED TO: AGENCY

SERVICES LICENSING, APPOINTMENTS AND TERMINATIONS,

REPLACEMENTS, ILLUSTRATIONS, AND NEW BUSINESS PROCESSING.

Initiated By: STATE OF DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Date Initiated: 01/17/2025

Docket/Case Number: 5568

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 01/23/2025

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$99,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY OF \$99,000 WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). PENALTY WAS

PAID ON 1/23/2025. NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE STATE OF

DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES

WERE FOUND TO NOT COMPLY WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE

DELAWARE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION AND



CONSENT ORDER, SLIC PAID THE DEPARTMENT AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$99.000.00.

Disclosure 2 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS ALLEGED TO HAVE VIOLATED

MARYLAND INSURANCE ARTICLE SECTION 27-202(1): MAKE, ISSUE, CIRCULATE, OR CAUSE TO BE MADE, ISSUED, OR CIRCULATED AN

ESTIMATE, CIRCULAR, OR STATEMENT THAT MISREPRESENTS THE TERMS OF A POLICY TO BE ISSUED, THE BENEFITS OR ADVANTAGES PROMISED BY THE POLICY, OR THE DIVIDENDS OR SHARE OF THE SURPLUS TO BE

RECEIVED ON THE POLICY.

Initiated By: MARYLAND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION

Date Initiated: 04/16/2021

Docket/Case Number: MIA-2021-04-026

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER LEVYING AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 04/27/2021

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$7,600.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT

OF \$7,600.00. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). THE FINE WAS PAID ON

4/27/2021, NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement SYMETRA LIFE INSRUANCE COMPANY WAS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED

MARYLAND INSURANCE ARTICLE SECTION 27-202(1): MAKE, ISSUE, CIRCULATE. OR CAUSE TO BE MADE. ISSUED. OR CIRCULATED AN

ESTIMATE, CIRCULAR, OR STATEMENT THAT MISREPRESENTS THE TERMS



OF A POLICY TO BE ISSUED, THE BENEFITS OR ADVANTAGES PROMISED BY THE POLICY, OR THE DIVIDENDS OR SHARE OF THE SURPLUS TO BE RECEIVED ON THE POLICY. PURSUANT TO THE CONSENT ORDER,

SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY PAID AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,600.00.

Disclosure 3 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED

WASHINGTON INSURANCE CODES RCW 48.19.010(2) ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICIES USING RATES OTHER THAN FILED AND APPROVED RATES; RCW 48.21.015(3) BY ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICY THAT DID NOT INCLUDE AN AGGREGATE ATTACHMENT POINT; AND RCW 48.21.015(4) BY ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICY THAT INCLUDED INDIVIDUAL ATTACHMENT POINTS BELOW

THE REQUIRED MINIMUM.

Initiated By: STATE OF WASHINGTON OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Date Initiated: 03/31/2021

Docket/Case Number: ORDER NO. 21-0123

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER LEVYING A FINE

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 04/02/2021

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$5,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS A FINE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,000.00. THE

ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE

COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). THE FINE WAS PAID ON 4/2/2021, NO

AMOUNT OF THE FINE WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED



WASHINGTON INSURANCE CODES RCW 48.19.010(2) ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICIES USING RATES OTHER THAN FILED AND APPROVED RATES; RCW 48.21.015(3) BY ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICY THAT DID NOT INCLUDE AN AGGREGATE ATTACHMENT POINT; AND RCW 48.21.015(4) BY ISSUING STOP LOSS POLICY THAT INCLUDED INDIVIDUAL ATTACHMENT POINTS BELOW THE REQUIRED MINIMUM. PURSUANT TO THE CONSENT ORDER, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY PAID A FINE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,000.00.

Disclosure 4 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

Current Status: Final

AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE NEW YORK

STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES ("THE DEPARTMENT"), COVERING THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2011 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2015, THE DEPARTMENT FOUND CERTAIN VIOLATIONS OF THE NEW YORK INSURANCE LAW AND/OR REGULATIONS BY FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY). THESE ITEMS RELATED TO AGENT APPOINTMENTS, COMPENSATION, TERMINATION CERTIFICATES, IMPORTANT NOTICE AND DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS AND

REPLACEMENTS.

Initiated By: NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Date Initiated: 09/15/2020

Docket/Case Number: 2020-0279-S

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 09/15/2020

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$6,200.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:



Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT OF FINE WAS \$6,200.00, THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED

AGAINST FSNLICNY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 09/17/2020.

NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE NEW YORK

> STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES ("THE DEPARTMENT"), COVERING THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2011 THROUGH DECEMBER 31,

2015, THE DEPARTMENT FOUND VIOLATIONS RELATED TO CERTAIN SECTIONS OF INSURANCE REGULATION 60 (SECOND AMENDMENT), INSURANCE REGULATION 152, AND NEW YORK INSURANCE LAW

SECTIONS 2112(B), 2114(A)(1), AND 2112(D).

THESE ITEMS RELATED TO AGENT APPOINTMENTS, COMPENSATION, TERMINATION CERTIFICATES, IMPORTANT NOTICE AND DISCLOSURE

STATEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS.

FSNLICONY AND THE DEPARTMENT AGREED TO RESOLVE THE MATTER BY EXECUTING A CONSENT ORDER DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 2020 PURSUANT

TO WHICH FSNLICONY PAID A \$6,200,00 FINE.

Disclosure 5 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE STATE OF

> CONNECTICUT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT COVERING THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2018 - DECEMBER 31, 2018, THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER ALLEGED THAT SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC") FAILED TO FOLLOW PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS RESULTING IN TWO PRODUCERS ACTING AS AGENTS OF SLIC WITHOUT REQUIRED APPOINTMENT IN VIOLATION OF

CONNECTICUT LAW.

Initiated By: STATE OF CONNECTICUT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Date Initiated: 07/10/2020

Docket/Case Number: DOCKET MC 20-62

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other



Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 07/10/2020

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$3,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT OF FINE WAS \$3,000.00; THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED

> AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 07/10/2020: NO PORTION OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement

AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION FROM MAY 12, 2020

THROUGH JUNE 1, 2020 BY THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT INSURANCE

DEPARTMENT COVERING THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2018 -DECEMBER 31, 2018, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC") ADMITTED TO FAILING TO FOLLOW PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS RESULTING IN TWO PRODUCERS ACTING AS AGENTS OF SLIC WITHOUT REQUIRED APPOINTMENT IN VIOLATION OF §38A-702M OF THE CONNECTICUT

GENERAL STATUTES. SLIC AND THE DEPARTMENT AGREED TO RESOLVE THE MATTER BY EXECUTING A STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER DATED

JULY 10, 2020 PURSUANT TO WHICH SLIC PAID A \$3,000 FINE.

Disclosure 6 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AN INVESTIGATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

> OF FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2008 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010 REVEALED CERTAIN VIOLATIONS OF THE INSURANCE LAW AND/OR REGULATIONS, INCLUDING SECTION 51.6 OF REGULATION NO. 60.

> RELATED TO DISCLOSURE STATEMENT USED IN THE SALE OF A POLICY.

Initiated By: NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Date Initiated: 04/14/2016

Docket/Case Number: 2016-0067-S

Principal Product Type: Insurance



Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 04/14/2018

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$5,700.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS A CIVIL PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5700.00.

THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY)(THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 4/14/2016, NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS

WAIVED.

Firm Statement AN INVESTIGATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

OF FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2008 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010 REVEALED CERTAIN VIOLATIONS OF THE INSURANCE LAW

AND/OR REGULATIONS, INCLUDING SECTION 51.6 OF REGULATION NO. 60, RELATED TO DISCLOSURE STATEMENT USED IN THE SALE OF A POLICY. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION, FSNLICNY PAID A CIVIL PENALTY IN THE

AMOUNT OF \$5700.00.

Disclosure 7 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AN INVESTIGATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL

SERVICES OF FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) REVEALED CERTAIN VIOLATIONS OF THE INSURANCE LAW AND/OR REGULATIONS, INCLUDING SECTIONS 3201, 3220, 3204, 403 AND SECTION 41.5 OF REGULATION 143 RELATED TO

POLICY FORMS.

Initiated By: STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

 Date Initiated:
 08/15/2016

 Docket/Case Number:
 2016-0115-S



Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 08/15/2016

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$249,580.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS A CIVIL PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF

\$249,580.00. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST FSNLICNY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 8/16/2016, NO AMOUNT OF THE

PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AN INVESTIGATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL

SERVICES OF FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) REVEALED CERTAIN VIOLATIONS OF THE INSURANCE LAW AND/OR REGULATIONS, INCLUDING SECTIONS 3201, 3220, 3204, 403 AND SECTION 41.5 OF REGULATION 143 RELATED TO POLICY FORMS. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION. FSNLICNY PAID A CIVIL

PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$249,580.00.

Disclosure 8 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

Current Status: Final

AS A RESULT OF A FINANCIAL EXAMINATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES, FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) FAILED TO

DEMONSTRATE THAT PRICING WAS PERFORMED PRIOR TO THE DATE THE STATEMENT OF SELF-SUPPORT WAS SIGNED IN CONTRAVENTION TO NEW

YORK INSURANCE LAW SECTION 4228(H).

Initiated By: NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

 Date Initiated:
 04/23/2018

 Docket/Case Number:
 2018-0068-S



Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 04/23/2018

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$30,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS AN CIVIL PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF

\$30,000.00. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST FSNLICNY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 4/2018, NO AMOUNT OF THE

PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A FINANCIAL EXAMINATION BY THE NEW YORK STATE

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES, FIRST SYMETRA NATIONAL LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK (FSNLICNY) FAILED TO

DEMONSTRATE THAT PRICING WAS PERFORMED PRIOR TO THE DATE THE STATEMENT OF SELF-SUPPORT WAS SIGNED IN CONTRAVENTION TO NEW YORK INSURANCE LAW SECTION 4228(H). PURSUANT TO A CONSENT ORDER, FSNLICNY PAID A CIVIL PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$30,000.00.

Disclosure 9 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION CONDUCTED BY THE

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, IT WAS DETERMINED SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH ILLINOIS

INSURANCE CODE (215 ILCS 5/1 ET SEQ.) AND DEPARTMENT

REGULATIONS (50 ILL. ADM. CODE 101 ET SEQ.).

Initiated By: ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Date Initiated: 04/22/2010

Docket/Case Number: N/A



Principal Product Type:

Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 04/22/2010

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$21,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC") WAS REQUIRED TO

> INSTITUTE AND MAINTAIN PROCEDURES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE ILLINOIS INSURANCE CODE AND DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS AS NOTED IN THE STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER. ADDITIONALLY, SLIC WAS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PROOF OF COMPLIANCE

WITH THE ORDERS WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE EXECUTION OF THE ORDER.

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS AN CIVIL FORFEITURE IN THE AMOUNT OF

> \$21,000.00. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID APRIL

2010, NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION CONDUCTED BY THE

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, IT WAS DETERMINED SYMETRA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH ILLINOIS

INSURANCE CODE (215 ILCS 5/1 ET SEQ.) AND DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS (50 ILL. ADM. CODE 101 ET SEQ.). SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC") WAS REQUIRED TO INSTITUTE AND MAINTAIN PROCEDURES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE ILLINOIS INSURANCE CODE AND DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS AS NOTED IN THE STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER. ADDITIONALLY, SLIC WAS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT PROOF OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE ORDERS

WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE EXECUTION OF THE ORDER.

Disclosure 10 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OFFERED A STOP LOSS POLICY TO

2 TRUSTS WITHOUT FILING INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRUSTS WITH THE



DIRECTOR PURSUANT TO ORS 743.526(3) AND THEREFORE THE DIRECTOR DID NOT DETERMINE THAT THE TRUSTS SATISFIED THE APPLICABLE

REQUIREMENTS.

Initiated By: STATE OF OREGON DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS

SERVICES INSURANCE DIVISION

Date Initiated: 07/11/2011

Docket/Case Number: CASE NO. INS 11-03-015

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION AND FINAL ORDER

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 07/11/2011

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$10,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS A CIVIL PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000.00.

THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 06/20/2011, NO

AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING BY THE STATE OF

OREGON DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS SERVICES INSURANCE DIVISION, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC")

OFFERED A STOP LOSS POLICY TO 2 TRUSTS WITHOUT FILING

INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRUSTS WITH THE DIRECTOR PURSUANT TO ORS 743.526(3) AND THEREFORE THE DIRECTOR DID NOT DETERMINE THAT THE TRUSTS SATISFIED THE APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION AND FINAL ORDER, SLIC PAID A CIVIL

PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000.00.

Disclosure 11 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final



Allegations: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WAS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED

SECTION 626.8817 (3) OF THE FLORIDA INSURANCE CODE: IN CASES

WHERE AN ADMINISTRATOR ADMINISTERS BENEFITS FOR MORE THAN 100 CERTIFICATE HOLDERS ON BEHALF OF AN INSURER, THE INSURER SHALL, AT LEAST SEMIANNUALLY, CONDUCT A REVIEW OF THE OPERATIONS OF

THE ADMINISTRATOR.

Initiated By: OFFICE OF INSURANCE REGULATION- STATE OF FLORIDA

Date Initiated: 03/13/2012

Docket/Case Number: 116140-11

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 03/28/2012

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$9,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT PAID WAS AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT

OF \$6,000.00 AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF \$3,000.00. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 03/28/2012, NO AMOUNT OF

THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF AN INVESTIGATION BY THE FLORIDA OFFICE OF

INSURANCE REGULATION, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SLIC") WAS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED SECTION 626.8817 (3) OF THE FLORIDA INSURANCE CODE: IN CASES WHERE AN ADMINISTRATOR ADMINISTERS BENEFITS FOR MORE THAN 100 CERTIFICATE HOLDERS ON BEHALF OF AN INSURER, THE INSURER SHALL, AT LEAST SEMIANNUALLY, CONDUCT A REVIEW OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE ADMINISTRATOR. PURSUANT TO A

CONSENT ORDER, SLIC PAID AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$6,000.00 AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF \$3,000.00.

Disclosure 12 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm



Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE

> CONNECTICUT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE TIME PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2010 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY VIOLATED §38A-702M OF THE CONNECTICUT GENERAL STATUES BECAUSE 4 PRODUCERS ACTED AS

AGENTS WITHOUT THE REQUIRED APPOINTMENT.

Initiated By: STATE OF CONNECTICUT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Date Initiated: 08/22/2012

Docket/Case Number: MC 12-87

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 08/22/2012

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$6,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT OF FINE WAS \$6,000.00, THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED

> AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 8/22/2012, NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE

> CONNECTICUT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE TIME PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2010 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY("SLIC") VIOLATED §38A-702M OF THE CONNECTICUT GENERAL STATUTES BECAUSE 4 PRODUCERS ACTED AS AGENTS WITHOUT THE REQUIRED APPOINTMENT. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER, SLIC PAID A FINE IN THE

> AMOUNT OF \$6,000.00 AND WAS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WITH A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN TO COMPLY WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE MARKET CONDUCT REPORT WITHIN 90

DAYS OF THE FINAL ORDER.



Disclosure 13 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: AS A RESULT OF SELF-REPORTING BY SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE

COMPANY ("SLIC"), THE MARYLAND INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
DETERMINED THAT SLIC HAD SOLD POLICIES THAT HAD NOT BEEN
APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION, A VIOLATION OF §11-603(A) AND 12-

203(B) OF THE INSURANCE ARTICLE.

Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)

Initiated By: MARYLAND INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Date Initiated: 03/23/2015

Docket/Case Number: MIA-2015-03-026

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Order

Resolution Date: 03/23/2015

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$35,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY WAS \$35,000.00, THE

ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE). FINE WAS PAID 3/23/2015, NO

AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF SELF-REPORTING BY SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE

COMPANY ("SLIC"), THE MARYLAND INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
DETERMINED THAT SLIC HAD SOLD POLICIES THAT HAD NOT BEEN
APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION, A VIOLATION OF §11-603(A) AND 12203(B) OF THE INSURANCE ARTICLE. PURSUANT TO A CONSENT ORDER
EXECUTED ON MARCH 23, 2015, SLIC PAID AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,000.00.



Disclosure 14 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

AS A RESULT OF A TARGET MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE

DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE OF AFFAIRS AND PRACTICES AS

OF DECEMBER 31, 2016, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES DID NOT COMPLY WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE DELAWARE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RELATED TO: REPLACEMENT OF LIFE INSURANCE, DUTIES OF INSURERS THAT USE AGENTS OR BROKERS, APPOINTMENTS, DELIVERY OF ILLUSTRATION AND

RECORDS RETENTION AND FILING, APPROVAL OF FORMS.

Initiated By: DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Date Initiated: 08/10/2018

Docket/Case Number: 3865.2018

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Resolution: Stipulation and Consent

Resolution Date: 08/10/2018

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$13,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: TOTAL AMOUNT OF FINE \$13,000.00, THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED

AGAINST SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (THE CONTROL AFFILIATE).

FINE WAS PAID AUGUST 20, 2018, NO AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY WAS

WAIVED.

Firm Statement AS A RESULT OF A TARGET MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATION BY THE

DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE OF AFFAIRS AND PRACTICES AS

OF DECEMBER 31, 2016, SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S (SLIC)

PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES DID NOT COMPLY WITH CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE DELAWARE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RELATED TO:

REPLACEMENT OF LIFE INSURANCE, DUTIES OF INSURERS THAT USE



AGENTS OR BROKERS, APPOINTMENTS, DELIVERY OF ILLUSTRATION AND RECORDS RETENTION AND FILING, APPROVAL OF FORMS. PURSUANT TO A STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER SLIC PAID THE DEPARTMENT AN ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$13,000.00.

Disclosure 15 of 15

Reporting Source: Firm

Affiliate: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Current Status: Final

Allegations: SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (SLIC) RECEIVED A NOTIFICATION

OF INVESTIGATION ON 9/07/18 FROM THE WASHINGTON STATE OFFICE OF

THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER (OIC) AS A RESULT OF THE OIC'S RECEIPT OF A FORMAL COMPLAINT ALLEGING THAT SLIC PROVIDED EXPERIENCE REFUNDS TO STOP LOSS INSURANCE POLICYHOLDERS IN

VIOLATION OF WASHINGTON INSURANCE LAW.

Initiated By: STATE OF WASHINGTON OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Date Initiated: 08/30/2019

Docket/Case Number: ORDER NO. 19-0320

Principal Product Type: Insurance

Other Product Type(s):

Principal Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

Other

Other Sanction(s)/Relief

Sought:

CONSENT ORDER LEVYING A FINE

Resolution: Order

Resolution Date: 08/30/2019

Sanctions Ordered: Monetary/Fine \$80,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: FINE OF \$80,000.00, THE ENTIRE AMOUNT WAS LEVIED AGAINST SYMETRA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY AND WAS PAID ON 08/28/2019. NO PORTION

OF THE PENALTY WAS WAIVED.

Firm Statement SYMETRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (SLIC) RECEIVED A NOTIFICATION

OF INVESTIGATION ON 9/07/18 FROM THE WASHINGTON STATE OFFICE OF

THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER (OIC) AS A RESULT OF THE OIC'S RECEIPT OF A FORMAL COMPLAINT ALLEGING THAT SLIC PROVIDED



EXPERIENCE REFUNDS TO STOP LOSS INSURANCE POLICYHOLDERS IN VIOLATION OF WASHINGTON INSURANCE LAW. SLIC RESPONDED, DISPUTING THE ALLEGATIONS AND PROVIDING REQUESTED INFORMATION. BY LETTER DATED 7/22/2019, THE OIC PROPOSED RESOLVING THIS MATTER WITH A CONSENT ORDER AND PAYMENT OF A FINE. AFTER SEVERAL DISCUSSIONS, SLIC AND THE OIC ENTERED INTO A CONSENT ORDER DATED AUGUST 30, 2019, RESOLVING THIS MATTER AND SLIC PAID AN \$80,000 FINE.

End of Report



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