

## **BrokerCheck Report**

## **IRENE MARGARET SULLIVAN**

CRD# 1271612

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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:
  - o 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.
- What if I want to check the background of an investment adviser firm or investment adviser representative?
- To check the background of an investment adviser firm or representative, you can search for the firm or individual in BrokerCheck. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure (IAPD) website at https://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov. In the alternative, you may search the IAPD website directly or contact your state securities regulator at http://www.finra.org/Investors/ToolsCalculators/BrokerCheck/P455414.
- Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?
- FINRA recommends that you learn as much as possible about an investment professional before deciding
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  representatives doing business in your state.

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## **IRENE M. SULLIVAN**

CRD# 1271612

# Currently employed by and registered with the following Firm(s):

Registered with this firm since: 12/11/2013

B R. F. LAFFERTY & CO., INC. 40 WALL STREET SUITE 3602 NEW YORK, NY 10005 CRD# 2498

## **Report Summary for this Broker**



This report summary provides an overview of the broker's professional background and conduct. Additional information can be found in the detailed report.

#### **Broker Qualifications**

#### This broker is registered with:

- 2 Self-Regulatory Organizations
- 7 U.S. states and territories

## This broker has passed:

- 3 Principal/Supervisory Exams
- 3 General Industry/Product Exams
- 1 State Securities Law Exam

## **Registration History**

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

- B KERN, SUSLOW SECURITIES, INC. CRD# 24755 NEW YORK, NY 03/1999 - 12/2013
- B CHRISTOPHER STREET FINANCIAL, INC. CRD# 10250 NEW YORK, NY 01/1993 - 11/1998
- B FIRST AMERICA EQUITIES CORP. CRD# 7652 02/1989 - 08/1990

#### **Disclosure Events**

All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

Are there events disclosed about this broker? Yes

## The following types of disclosures have been reported:

Туре	Count
Criminal	1
Termination	1
Judgment/Lien	7

## **Broker Qualifications**



## Registrations

This section provides the self-regulatory organizations (SROs) and U.S. states/territories the broker is currently registered and licensed with, the category of each license, and the date on which it became effective. This section also provides, for every brokerage firm with which the broker is currently employed, the address of each branch where the broker works.

This individual is currently registered with 2 SROs and is licensed in 7 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

## **Employment 1 of 1**

Firm Name: R. F. LAFFERTY & CO., INC.

Main Office Address: 40 WALL STREET

**SUITE 3602** 

NEW YORK, NY 10005

Firm CRD#: **2498** 

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Principal	Approved	12/11/2013
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	12/11/2013
B	FINRA	Municipal Securities Principal	Approved	12/11/2013
B	FINRA	Municipal Securities Representative	Approved	12/11/2013
B	Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Principal	Approved	12/11/2013
B	Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Representative	Approved	12/11/2013
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
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B	California	Agent	Approved	01/08/2014
B B	California  District of Columbia	Agent Agent	Approved Approved	01/08/2014 02/27/2015
B	District of Columbia	Agent	Approved	02/27/2015
B	District of Columbia Florida	Agent Agent	Approved Approved	02/27/2015
B B	District of Columbia Florida Massachusetts	Agent Agent Agent	Approved Approved	02/27/2015 03/27/2015 02/26/2014
B B B	District of Columbia Florida Massachusetts New Jersey	Agent Agent Agent Agent	Approved Approved Approved	02/27/2015 03/27/2015 02/26/2014 01/08/2014

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## **Broker Qualifications**



## **Employment 1 of 1, continued**

**Branch Office Locations** 

R. F. LAFFERTY & CO., INC. 40 WALL STREET SUITE 3602 NEW YORK, NY 10005

## **Broker Qualifications**



## **Industry Exams this Broker has Passed**

This section includes all securities industry exams that the broker has passed. Under limited circumstances, a broker may attain a registration after receiving an exam waiver based on exams the broker has passed and/or qualifying work experience. Any exam waivers that the broker has received are not included below. A passed exam or exam waiver does not permit a broker to do business without an active SRO or state registration.

This individual has passed 3 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.

## **Principal/Supervisory Exams**

Exam		Category	Date
В	General Securities Principal Examination	Series 24	09/22/1997
В	Municipal Securities Principal Examination	Series 53	01/07/1997
В	Registered Options Principal Examination	Series 4	04/01/1986

## **General Industry/Product Exams**

Exam		Category	Date
B	Municipal Securities Representative Examination	Series 52TO	01/02/2023
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	05/19/1984

## **State Securities Law Exams**

Exam	ı	Category	Date
В	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	07/23/1984

Additional information about the above exams or other exams FINRA administers to brokers and other securities professionals can be found at www.finra.org/brokerqualifications/registeredrep/.

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## **Broker Qualifications**

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## **Professional Designations**

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

No information reported.

## **Registration and Employment History**



## **Registration History**

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
B	03/1999 - 12/2013	KERN, SUSLOW SECURITIES, INC.	24755	NEW YORK, NY
B	01/1993 - 11/1998	CHRISTOPHER STREET FINANCIAL, INC.	10250	NEW YORK, NY
B	02/1989 - 08/1990	FIRST AMERICA EQUITIES CORP.	7652	
B	01/1988 - 01/1989	FSC SECURITIES CORPORATION	7461	
B	03/1986 - 07/1987	CORNWALL SECURITIES, INC.	8334	
B	01/1985 - 02/1986	GRUNTAL & CO. INCORPORATED	372	
B	06/1984 - 01/1985	E. F. HUTTON & COMPANY INC	235	
B	05/1984 - 06/1984	BEAR, STEARNS & CO.	79	

## **Employment History**

This section provides up to 10 years of an individual broker's employment history as reported by the individual broker on the most recently filed Form U4.

Please note that the broker is required to provide this information only while registered with FINRA or a national securities exchange and the information is not updated via Form U4 after the broker ceases to be registered. Therefore, an employment end date of "Present" may not reflect the broker's current employment status.

<b>Employment</b>	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	<b>Employer Location</b>
12/1998 - Present	KERN, SUSLOW SECURITIES, INC.	NOT PROVIDED	Υ	NY, NY, United States

## **Other Business Activities**

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

No information reported.

#### **Disclosure Events**



#### What you should know about reported disclosure events:

1. All individuals registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose customer complaints and arbitrations, regulatory actions, employment terminations, bankruptcy filings, and criminal or civil judicial proceedings.

#### 2. Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to CRD, for example:

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

## 3. Disclosure events in BrokerCheck reports come from different sources:

 As mentioned at the beginning of this report, information contained in BrokerCheck comes from brokers, brokerage 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 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 brokers and brokerage 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.

For your convenience, below is a matrix of the number and status of disclosure events involving this broker. Further information regarding these events can be found in the subsequent pages of this report. You also may wish to contact the broker to obtain further information regarding these events.

	Pending	Final	On Appeal
Criminal	0	1	0
Termination	N/A	1	N/A
Judgment/Lien	7	N/A	N/A



#### **Disclosure Event Details**

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that a discloure event may be pending or involve allegations that are contested and have not been resolved or proven. The matter may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the broker, or concluded through a negotiated settlement for certain business reasons (e.g., to maintain customer relationships or to limit the litigation costs associated with disputing the allegations) with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to CRD and therefore some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided to CRD.

## **Criminal - Final Disposition**

This type of disclosure event involves a criminal charge against the broker that has resulted in a conviction, acquittal, dismissal, or plea. The criminal matter may pertain to any felony or certain misdemeanor offenses, including bribery, perjury, forgery, counterfeiting, extortion, fraud, and wrongful taking of property.

Disclosure 1 of 1

**Reporting Source:** Broker

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK **Court Details:** 

INDICTMENT #6373-84. SUPREME COURT OF NEW

YORK.

**Charge Date:** 09/27/1984

**Charge Details:** 1) LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN INCIDENT WITHOUT

REPORTING (VTL600(2).) 2) OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE UNDER

THE INFLUENCE OF ALCHOHOL VTL1192(2).

Yes Felony? **Current Status:** Final

Status Date: 04/24/1985

**Disposition Details:** I, DEFENDENT, WAS SENTENCED BY HON. P.K. UVILLER

> TO A FIVE YEAR PERIOD OF PROBATION AND TO PAY A FINE OF \$350.00 AND AN ASSESSMENT OF \$75.00 BY 8-24-85. MY DRIVERS LICENSE WAS REVOKED FOR 5 YRS AND I WAS ORDERED TO PERFORM 100 HOURS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE UNDER SUPERVISION OF PROBATION DEBT.

**Broker Statement** Not Provided



## **Employment Separation After Allegations**

This type of disclosure event involves a situation where the broker voluntarily resigned, was discharged, or was permitted to resign after being accused of (1) violating investment-related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct; (2) fraud or the wrongful taking of property; or (3) failure to supervise in connection with investment-related statutes, regulations, rules, or industry standards of conduct.

Disclosure 1 of 1

**Reporting Source:** Broker

Employer Name: CORNWALL SECURITIES, INC

Termination Type: Discharged

**Termination Date:** 06/30/1987

Allegations: Not Provided

ACCUSED OF DIRECTING THE UNAUTHORIZED SALE OF

SECURITIES IN A CUSTOMER'S ACCOUNT AND TRANSFERRING THE PROCEEDS OF THE SALE TO THE ACCOUNT OF A COMPANY THAT I

OWNED,

USING THE PROCEEDS FOR MY BENEFIT.

**Product Type:** 

**Other Product Types:** 

Broker Statement NO ACTION TAKEN, FILE CLOSED.

THE ATTACHED LETTER, WRITTEN BY THE CUSTOMER IN

QUESTION TO THE NASD, ATTESTS TO MY ABSOLUTE INNOCENSE. SUBSEQUENT TO THIS INCIDENT MR. RADACK AND I CONTINUED TO

**ENJOY** 

A CLOSE AND PROFITABLE RELATIONSHIP UNTIL I CLOSED MY COMPANY TO PURSUE OTHER BUSINESS INTERERSTS. THE WHOLE MATTER WAS A GROSS MISUNDERSTANDING AND BOTH CORNWALL SECURITIES AND MR. RADACK REGRET THE DAMAGE TO MY REPUTATION WHICH RESULTED.

MY

RELATIONSIP WITH MR. RADACK AND WITH CORNWALL SECURITIES CONTINUED TO BE PROFESSIONAL AND AMICABLE DESPITE THE REGULATORY NUISSANCE THIS CIRCUMSTANCE TRIGGERED.



## Judgment / Lien

This type of disclosure event involves an unsatisfied and outstanding judgments or liens against the broker.

Disclosure 1 of 7

**Reporting Source:** Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS-Federal

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$141,514.41

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

**Date Filed with Court:** 08/13/2021

Date Individual Learned: 09/24/2021

Type of Court: Federal Court

Name of Court: Federal Internal Revenue Service

Location of Court: New York NY

**Docket/Case #:** 2021000318735

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Disclosure 2 of 7

Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$81,397.02

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

Date Filed with Court: 06/02/2017

**Date Individual Learned:** 04/05/2019

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: Register's Office

Location of Court: Kings County NY

**Docket/Case #:** 2017052600034006

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

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Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: IRS

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$41,757.74

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

Date Filed with Court: 06/12/2018

Date Individual Learned: 04/05/2019

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: Register's Office
Location of Court: Kings County NY

**Docket/Case #:** 2018060600145007

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

#### Disclosure 4 of 7

Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$50,485.48

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

Date Filed with Court: 10/30/2014

Date Individual Learned: 11/14/2014

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: REGISTER'S OFFICE KING COUNTY

Location of Court: KING COUNTY

Docket/Case #: 2014000377000

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

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Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$260,965.00



Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

Date Filed with Court:09/15/2010Date Individual Learned:10/07/2010

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: NEW YORK COUNTY REG

Location of Court: NEW YORK

**Docket/Case #:** 2010091000191

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

Broker Statement CORRECTION OF AMOUNT OF TAX LIEN FROM 287,614 TO 260,965 -

DOCKET # 0219017427

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Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$287,614.00

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

Date Filed with Court:07/22/2010Date Individual Learned:07/30/2010

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: NEW YORK COUNTY REG

Location of Court: NEW YORK

**Docket/Case #:** 2010071400267

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

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Reporting Source: Broker

Judgment/Lien Holder: NY STATE TAX DEPT

Judgment/Lien Amount: \$28,943.36

Judgment/Lien Type: Tax

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Date Filed with Court: 02/10/2015

**Date Individual Learned:** 02/28/2015

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: KINGS COUNTY

Location of Court: KINGS COUNTY

**Docket/Case #:** E-014807018-W017-1

Judgment/Lien Outstanding? Yes

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