

BrokerCheck Report

DAVID ALLEN WALTERS

CRD# 1436760

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About BrokerCheck®



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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DAVID A. WALTERS

CRD# 1436760

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

B MOODY CAPITAL SOLUTIONS, INC 2458 DUNKERRIN LANE Atlanta, GA 30360 CRD# 15989 Registered with this firm since: 02/20/2024

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:

- 1 Self-Regulatory Organization
- 2 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

B R. F. LAFFERTY & CO., INC. CRD# 2498

NEW YORK, NY 10/2023 - 01/2024

NMS CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC.

CRD# 140356 Laguna Beach, CA 03/2019 - 09/2019

ADVISORY GROUP EQUITY SERVICES LTD.

CRD# 15427 Laguna Beach, CA 06/2017 - 11/2018

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
Regulatory Event	1
Customer Dispute	1
Termination	1

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 1 SRO and is licensed in 2 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

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Firm Name: MOODY CAPITAL SOLUTIONS, INC

Main Office Address: 2458 DUNKERRIN LANE

ATLANTA, GA 30360

Firm CRD#: **15989**

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	02/20/2024
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	California	Agent	Approved	02/20/2024
B	New York	Agent	Approved	03/11/2024

Branch Office Locations

This individual does not have any registered Branch Office where the individual is located.

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.

This individual has passed 2 principal/supervisory exams, 5 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam		Category	Date
B	Introducing Broker/Dealer Financial Operations Principal Examination	Series 28	12/06/2006
В	General Securities Principal Examination	Series 24	05/05/1993

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam		Category	Date
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/17/2023
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7TO	07/20/2023
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	02/15/1986
В	Foreign Currency Options Examination	Series 15	12/18/1985
В	Interest Rate Options Examination	Series 5	12/09/1985

State Securities Law Exams

Exam	ı	Category	Date
B	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	08/03/2023

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



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	10/2023 - 01/2024	R. F. LAFFERTY & CO., INC.	2498	NEW YORK, NY
B	03/2019 - 09/2019	NMS CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC.	140356	Laguna Beach, CA
B	06/2017 - 11/2018	ADVISORY GROUP EQUITY SERVICES LTD.	15427	Laguna Beach, CA
В	06/2015 - 07/2017	DETWILER FENTON & CO.	1794	BOSTON, MA
В	12/2014 - 05/2015	DETWILER FENTON WEALTH MANAGEMENT INC	16063	BOSTON, MA
B	01/2007 - 11/2014	MONARCH BAY SECURITIES, LLC	141391	NEWPORT BEACH, CA
B	01/2001 - 02/2007	DOHERTY & COMPANY, LLC	47984	LOS ANGELES, CA
IA	09/2003 - 12/2005	AMARA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC	120180	ALISO VIEJO, CA
B	12/1992 - 09/2000	ROTH CAPITAL PARTNERS, INC.	15407	NEWPORT BEACH, CA
B	05/1989 - 03/1991	DONALDSON, LUFKIN & JENRETTE SECURITIES CORPORATION	7560	JERSEY CITY, NJ
B	12/1985 - 06/1989	DREXEL BURNHAM LAMBERT INCORPORATED	7323	

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.

Employment	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
02/2024 - Present	Moody Capital Solutions, Inc.	Registered Representative	Υ	Atlanta, GA, United States
06/2016 - Present	Leading Edge Power Solutions	CEO	N	Laguna Beach, CA, United States

Registration and Employment History



Employment History, continued

Employment	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
04/2023 - 12/2023	R. F. Lafferty & Co., Inc.	Registered Rep	Υ	New York, NY, United States
03/2019 - 09/2019	NMS Capital Advisors, LLC	CEO	Υ	Los Angeles, CA, United States
06/2017 - 11/2018	Advisory Group Equity Services Ltd	Registered Representative	Υ	Woburn, MA, United States
05/2015 - 06/2017	DETWILER FENTON & CO.	CONSULTANT	Υ	LAGUNA BEACH, CA, United States
12/2014 - 05/2015	DETWILER FENTON WEALTH MANAGEMENT, INC.	CONSULTANT	Υ	BOSTON, MA, United States
09/2013 - 12/2014	MONARCH BAY ADVISORS, LLC	INDIRECT OWNER/ NO CONTROL	Υ	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
03/2006 - 12/2014	CARDIFF PARTNERS, LLC	MEMBER	N	SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, CA, United States
09/2000 - 12/2014	MONARCH BAY CAPITAL GROUP, LLC	MEMBER & 100% OWNER	N	LAGUNA NIGUEL, CA, United States
03/2006 - 11/2014	MONARCH BAY SECURITIES, LLC	CONSULTANT	Υ	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
01/2014 - 05/2014	CROSSBOX, INC	DIRECTOR & INDIRECT OWNER	N	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
01/2014 - 05/2014	CROSSBOX, LLC	MEMBER	N	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
01/2014 - 05/2014	CROWD VELOCITY, INC	OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OWNER	Υ	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
10/2013 - 05/2014	LMMW, LLC	MEMBER	Υ	NEWPORT BEACH, CA, United States
07/2012 - 05/2014	CAMINO PARTNERS, LLC	MEMBER	N	SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, CA, United States
08/2006 - 05/2014	PRECISION AEROSPACE COMPONENTS, INC.	DIRECTOR	N	STATEN ISLAND, 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.

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Other Business Activities, continued

BackBay Advisory, LLC. 4343 Von Karman, Newport Beach, CA 92660. Not investment related. Management Consulting. Managing Member. Started July 2023. 10 hrs/mo, 2 during business hours. Provide Business advice, structuring, business development.

Leading Edge Power Solutions, 4343 Von Karman, Newport Beach, CA 92660. Not investment related. Distributed energy developer & operated. We installed own generators and sell electricity. CEO & Director. Started June 2017. 30 hrs/week, 4 during business hours. Management.

Laguna Advisory Partners, LLC. 1278 Glenneyre Street, #275, Laguna Beach, CA 92651. Not investment related. Consulting/government related. Business and political advisory services. Managing member. Started June 2000. 1 hr/mo, during business hours.

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
Regulatory Event	0	1	0
Customer Dispute	0	1	N/A
Termination	N/A	1	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.

Regulatory - Final

This type of disclosure event may involve (1) a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, self-regulatory organization, federal regulatory such as the Securities and Exchange Commission, foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations; or (2) a revocation or suspension of a broker's authority to act as an attorney, accountant, or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Regulator
Regulatory Action Initiated FINRA

Regulatory Action Initiated By:

Sanction(s) Sought:

Date Initiated: 10/27/2020

Docket/Case Number: 2018060587101

Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:

Advisory Group Equity Services Ltd.

Product Type: Other: Unspecified Securities

Allegations: Without admitting or denying the findings, Walters consented to the sanctions and

to the entry of findings that he participated in private securities transactions without providing prior written notice to his member firm. The findings stated that Walters participated in four private securities transactions, in which individuals invested a total of \$450,000 in exchange for Series A Preferred Units of a company for which

Walters served as executive chairman. Walters did not receive selling

compensation, and none of the four investors was a customer of the firm. Walters' participation in the private securities transactions was outside the regular course and scope of his employment with the firm. While Walters disclosed the company to his firm as an outside business activity, he told the firm that the source of its

capital would be personal assets rather than investments by third parties.



Current Status: Final

Resolution: Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)

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: 10/27/2020

Sanctions Ordered: Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)

Suspension

If the regulator is the SEC, CFTC, or an SRO, did the action result in a finding of a willful violation or failure to supervise? No

(1) willfully violated any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any of such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, or to have been unable to comply with any provision of such Act, rule or regulation?



(2) willfully aided, abetted, counseled, commanded, induced, or procured the violation by any person of any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the **Securities Exchange Act of** 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the **Investment Company Act of** 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any of such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board? or

(3) failed reasonably to supervise another person subject to your supervision, with a view to preventing the violation by such person of any provision of the Securities Act of 1933, the **Securities Exchange Act of** 1934, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, the **Investment Company Act of** 1940, the Commodity Exchange Act, or any rule or regulation under any such Acts, or any of the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board?

Sanction 1 of 1

Sanction Type: Suspension

Capacities Affected: All capacities

Duration: 4 months

Start Date: 11/02/2020

End Date: 03/01/2021



Monetary Sanction 1 of 1

Monetary Related Sanction: Civil and Administrative Penalty(ies)/Fine(s)

Total Amount: \$5,000.00

Portion Levied against

individual:

\$5,000.00

Payment Plan: deferred

Is Payment Plan Current:

Date Paid by individual: 11/15/2023

Was any portion of penalty

waived?

No

Amount Waived:

Reporting Source: Broker

Regulatory Action Initiated

By:

Financial Industry Regulatory Authority

Sanction(s) Sought: Suspension

Date Initiated: 10/27/2020

Docket/Case Number: 2018060587101

Employing firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action:

Advisory Group Equity Services Ltd.

Product Type: No Product

Allegations: From October 2017 to June 2018, and while he was registered through AGES,

Walters participated in four private securities transactions without providing prior

written notice to AGES.

Current Status: Final

Resolution: Acceptance, Waiver & Consent(AWC)



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: 10/27/2020

Sanctions Ordered: Suspension

Sanction 1 of 1

Sanction Type: Suspension

Capacities Affected: All capacities.

Duration: Four Month

Start Date:

End Date:



Customer Dispute - Settled

This type of disclosure event involves a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit containing allegations of sale practice violations against the broker that resulted in a monetary settlement to the customer.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source:

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

Product Type:

Alleged Damages:

Alleged Damages Amount

Explanation (if amount not

exact):

Broker

SYSTEMS EVOLUTION, INC.

SYSTEMS EVOLUTION ALLEGES MR. WALTERS ACTING AS AN OFFICER OF

SYSTEMS EVOLUTION ENGAGED IN A SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS THAT RESULTED IN SYSTEMS EVOLUTION HAVING A HIGH LEVEL OF DEBT.

Debt-Corporate

\$0.00

THE COMPLAINT DOES NOT SPECIFY THE AMOUNT COMPENSATORY DAMAGES BEING SOUGHT.

Civil Litigation Information

Type of Court: State Court

Name of Court: SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Location of Court: NEW YORK Docket/Case #: 600893/10

Date Notice/Process Served: 03/18/2011

Litigation Pending? No

Disposition: Settled

Disposition Date: 01/24/2013

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$0.00

Individual Contribution

Amount:

\$0.00



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: Firm

Employer Name: Advisory Group Equity Services, Ltd

Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 11/19/2018

Allegations: David Walters registered an Outside Business Activity (OBA), Leading Edge Power

Solutions (LEPS) with the Firm. The OBA was approved on November 1, 2017 as it was not in conflict with the member's business and was self funded by the Partners in the OBA-LEPS. It came to the Firm's attention through a employment action, Filed on 10/31/2018, against Mr. Walters and LEPS that funds had been raised in the amount of \$450,000 from three investors. The Member was not informed nor did it approve of this activity. The activity of raising funds outside of the Firm is against the Firm's Written Supervisory Procedures and potentially

FINRA Rules 3270 and 3280

Product Type: No Product

Reporting Source: Broker

Employer Name: Advisory Group Equity Services, Ldt.

Termination Type: Discharged
Termination Date: 11/19/2018

Allegations: Rep registered an OBA, Leading Edge Power Solutions (LEPS) with the firm. OBA

was approved 11/1/17. Came to firm's attention through an employment action filed on 10/31/18 against Mr. Walters and LEPS that funds had been raised in the amount of \$450,000 from 3 investors. The firm was not informed or approve of the activity. The activity of raising funds outside of the firm was against the firm's

WSPs and potentially FINRA rules 3270 and 3280.

Product Type: No Product

End of Report



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