

BrokerCheck Report

KENNETH EDWARD BOLDA

CRD# 1969099

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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
 to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research brokers and investment adviser
 representatives doing business in your state.

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This broker is not currently registered.

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 not currently registered.

This broker has passed:

- 0 Principal/Supervisory Exams
- 3 General Industry/Product Exams
- 2 State Securities Law Exams

Registration History

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

- B AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. CRD# 6363 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 08/2014 - 05/2019
- B UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. CRD# 8174 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 05/2003 - 09/2014
- PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED CRD# 7471
 NEW YORK, NY
 02/1999 06/2003

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 | |
|------------------|-------|--|
| Customer Dispute | 4 | |
| Termination | 1 | |

Investment Adviser Representative Information

The information below represents the individual's record as a broker. For details on this individual's record as an investment adviser representative, visit the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure website at

https://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov

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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 broker is not currently registered.

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 0 principal/supervisory exams, 3 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|------|--------------------------|----------|------|
| | No information reported. | | |

General Industry/Product Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|------|---|-----------|------------|
| В | Securities Industry Essentials Examination | SIE | 10/01/2018 |
| В | Futures Managed Funds Examination | Series 31 | 01/24/2005 |
| В | General Securities Representative Examination | Series 7 | 03/22/1993 |

State Securities Law Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|------|--|-----------|------------|
| IA | Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination | Series 65 | 04/22/1993 |
| B | Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination | Series 63 | 03/26/1993 |

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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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:

| Regi | istration Dates | Firm Name | CRD# | Branch Location |
|------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|------|----------------------|
| B | 08/2014 - 05/2019 | AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. | 6363 | FARMINGTON HILLS, MI |
| B | 05/2003 - 09/2014 | UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. | 8174 | FARMINGTON HILLS, MI |
| B | 02/1999 - 06/2003 | PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED | 7471 | NEW YORK, NY |
| B | 01/1998 - 02/1999 | MCDONALD INVESTMENTS INC. | 566 | CLEVELAND, OH |
| B | 03/1993 - 12/1997 | PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED | 7471 | NEW YORK, NY |

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 |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| 08/2014 - Present | Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc. | Registered Rep | Υ | Livonia, MI, 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 |
|------------------|---------|-------|-----------|
| Customer Dispute | 0 | 4 | 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.

Customer Dispute - Award / Judgment

This type of disclosure event involves a final, consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit containing allegations of sales practice violations against the broker that resulted in an arbitration award or civil judgment for the customer.

Disclosure 1 of 2

Reporting Source: Regulator

Employing firm when

activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES, INC., N/K/A PRUDENTIAL EQUITY GROUP LLC

BREACH OF CONTRACT, COMMON LAW FRAUD, NEGLIGENCE,

MALPRACTICE, BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY, FAILURE TO DISCLOSE

MATERIAL FACTS.

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): **BONDS**

Alleged Damages: \$98.000.00

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim filed with and Docket/Case

NASD - CASE #05-03517

No.:

Date Notice/Process Served: 07/11/2005

Arbitration Pending? Nο

Disposition: Award

Disposition Date: 09/18/2006

Disposition Detail: RESPONDENT BOLDA IS SOLELY LIABLE FOR AND SHALL PAY TO THE

CLAIMANTS THE SUM OF \$86,666.67 IN COMPENSATORY DAMAGES.



Reporting Source: Firm

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED

to the complaint:

Allegations: CLAIMANTS ALLEGE THAT, COMMENCING SOMETIME AFTER 2001, THEIR

ACCOUNT WAS SUBJECTED TO UNSUITABLE INVESTMENT

RECOMMENDATIONS

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): BONDS

Alleged Damages: \$98,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Arbitration/Reparation

Status Date: 07/19/2005

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim

NASD CASE NO. 05-03517

filed with and Docket/Case No.:

Date Notice/Process Served: 07/19/2005

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Award to Customer

Disposition Date: 09/18/2006

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$43,333.33

Individual Contribution \$0.00

Amount:



Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES INCORPORATED

to the complaint:

Allegations: CLAIMANTS ALLEGE THAT, COMMENCING SOMETIME AFTER 2001, THEIR

ACCOUNT WAS SUBJECTED TO UNSUITABLE INVESTMENT

RECOMMENDATIONS.

NASD CASE NO. 05-03517

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): **BONDS**

Alleged Damages: \$98,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:

Complaint Pending?

Status: Arbitration/Reparation

Status Date:

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim

filed with and Docket/Case

No.:

Date Notice/Process Served:

Arbitration Pending? Nο

Disposition: Award to Customer

Disposition Date: 09/18/2006

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$43,333.33

07/19/2005

Individual Contribution

\$0.00

Amount:

Broker Statement NO RECOMMENDATIONS WERE MADE, OR PURCHASES MADE AFTER 2001

AS CLAIMANTS ALLEGE. THE MATTER IS CURRENTLY UNRESOLVED.



Disclosure 2 of 2

Reporting Source: Regulator

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

PRUDENTIAL

to the complaint:

Allegations: CLAIMANT, A CUSTOMER, ALLEGES RESPONDENT MADE UNSUITABLE

INVESTMENTS AND CHARGED EXCESSIVE FEES CAUSING LOSSES TO

CLAIMANT'S ACCOUNT.

NYSE - CASE #2003-014902

Product Type: Other

Alleged Damages: \$24,268.00

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim

filed with and Docket/Case

No.:

Date Notice/Process Served: 01/19/2004

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Award

Disposition Date: 08/19/2004

Disposition Detail: RESPONDENT SHALL PAY TO CLAIMANT THE AMOUNT OF \$14,490.00,

REPRESENTING \$14,390.00 AS AN AWARD ON THE CLAIM AND \$100 AS A RETURN OF THE HEARING DEPOSIT. THE FORUM FEES IN THE AMOUNT OF

\$100 ARE ASSESSED AGAINST THE RESPONDENT.

Reporting Source: Firm

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

CLAIMANT ALLEGES UNSUITABLE INVESTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): FIXED-INCOME:BONDS

PSI

Alleged Damages: \$24,268.00



Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 06/05/2002

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Arbitration/Reparation

Status Date: 02/24/2004

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim

filed with and Docket/Case

No.:

Date Notice/Process Served: 02/24/2004

Arbitration Pending?

Disposition: Award to Customer

Disposition Date: 10/04/2004

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$14,390.00

No

Individual Contribution

\$0.00

Amount:

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when

activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

PRUDENTIAL EQUITY GROUP, LLC

NYSE DOCKET #2003-014902

CLAIMANT ALLEGES UNSUITABLE INVESTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Product Type: Other

Other Product Type(s): FIXED-INCOME:BONDS

Alleged Damages: \$24,268.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 06/05/2002

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Complaint Pending? No

Arbitration/Reparation Status:

Status Date: 02/24/2004

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim

filed with and Docket/Case

No.:

Date Notice/Process Served: 02/24/2004

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Award to Customer

Disposition Date: 10/04/2004

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$14,390.00

NYSE DOCKET # 2003-014902

Individual Contribution

Amount:

\$0.00



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 2

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led **UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC**

to the complaint:

CLAIMANTS ALLEGE THAT UBS FAILED TO DISCLOSE THE RISK OF

STRUCTURED NOTES. TIME FRAME: JAN - APRIL 2008

Product Type:

Allegations:

Other: STRUCTURED NOTES

Alleged Damages:

\$255,000.00

Is this an oral complaint?

No

Is this a written complaint?

No

Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation? Yes

Arbitration/Reparation forum

or court name and location:

FINRA

Docket/Case #:

11-04327

Filing date of

arbitration/CFTC reparation

or civil litigation:

12/05/2011

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 12/05/2011

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Settled

Status Date: 06/18/2013

Settlement Amount: \$89,000.00

Individual Contribution

\$0.00

Amount:

Disclosure 2 of 2



Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.

to the complaint:

Allegations: HUSBAND AND WIFE TRUSTEES ALLEGE THAT ING ANNUITY WAS

UNSUITABLE IN 2003 AND IN 2006.

Product Type: Annuity(ies) - Fixed

Alleged Damages: \$25,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:

Complaint Pending?

Status: Litigation

Status Date:

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution

Amount:

Civil Litigation Information

Court Details: CIRCUIT COURT OF MICHIGAN; DOCKET# 07-081152-NZ

Date Notice/Process Served: 03/02/2007

Litigation Pending? No

Disposition: Settled

Disposition Date: 02/04/2008

Monetary Compensation

\$30,246.34

Amount:

Individual Contribution \$0.00

Amount:

Broker Statement THE ANNUITY PURCHASE IN 2003 WAS ONE PART OF A COMPLETE

RETIREMENT PROGRAM THAT PERFORMED AS EXPECTED AND GREW IN VALUE. THE ALLEGED ANNUITY PURCHASE IN 2006 NEVER OCCURRED.



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: PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES, INC.

Termination Type: Permitted to Resign

Termination Date: 11/21/1997

Allegations: N/A

THE ALLEGATION WAS THAT I COMPLETED A

CONTINUING EDUCATION QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ANOTHER EMPLOYEE.

THERE

WERE NO CLAIMS OR DAMAGES.

Product Type:

Other Product Types:

Broker Statement PERMITTED TO RESIGN AFTER COMPLETING QUESTIONS

ON A FIRM CONTINUING EDUCATION EXAMINATION FOR A FELLOW

EMPLOYEE.

THE EMPLOYEE WHO WAS SUPPOSED TO COMPLETE THE

QUESTIONNAIRE WAS NOT TOLD HE ALONE WAS TO COMPLETE IT. NOR

WAS

HE INFORMED ABOUT WHAT IT WAS. HE DOES NOT KNOW HOW TO USE A COMPUTER (THE QUESTIONNAIRE WAS ON A CD-ROM.) AS IN THE PAST, HIS SON-IN-LAW HANDLED THE PROJECT AND WAS ASKED TO RESIGN. AS

OF DECEMBER 19, 1997, THE PERSON WHO WAS SUPPOSED TO

COMPLETE

THE QUESTIONNAIRE HAS NOT DONE SO, EVEN THOUGH THE DEADLINE

WAS

NOVEMBER 30, 1997

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