

BrokerCheck Report

GARY ALLEN WARNER

CRD# 2784883

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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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User Guidance

GARY A. WARNER

CRD# 2784883

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

LPL FINANCIAL LLC 7447 N 1ST ST, #203 FRESNO, CA 93720 CRD# 6413 Registered with this firm since: 04/30/2025

MARINER ADVISOR NETWORK
7447 North First Street
#203
Fresno, CA 93720
CRD# 283824
Registered with this firm since: 11/23/2016

B LPL FINANCIAL LLC
7447 N 1ST ST, #203
FRESNO, CA 93720
CRD# 6413
Registered with this firm since: 11/22/2016

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
- 31 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

(A) CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. CRD# 8408 MINOT, ND 06/2006 - 11/2016

- B CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. CRD# 8408 FRESNO, CA 06/2003 - 11/2016
- B ARM SECURITIES CORPORATION CRD# 932 MINOT, ND 11/2000 - 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:

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Customer Dispute	1



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 31 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name: LPL FINANCIAL LLC

Main Office Address: 1055 LPL WAY

FORT MILL, SC 29715

Firm CRD#: **6413**

	SRO	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	11/22/2016
B	FINRA	General Securities Principal	Approved	01/29/2018
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Alabama	Agent	Approved	11/20/2020
B	Arizona	Agent	Approved	02/23/2017
B	California	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
IA	California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	04/30/2025
B	Colorado	Agent	Approved	05/09/2018
B	District of Columbia	Agent	Approved	10/01/2020
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	11/23/2020
B	Georgia	Agent	Approved	05/30/2023
B	Hawaii	Agent	Approved	08/29/2018
B	Idaho	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	Illinois	Agent	Approved	12/03/2020



Employment 1 of 2, continued

	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	lowa	Agent	Approved	11/23/2020
B	Kansas	Agent	Approved	11/30/2020
B	Louisiana	Agent	Approved	07/06/2018
B	Maryland	Agent	Approved	11/23/2020
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	06/03/2019
B	Michigan	Agent	Approved	03/25/2021
B	Minnesota	Agent	Approved	07/09/2018
B	Missouri	Agent	Approved	11/24/2016
B	Nebraska	Agent	Approved	02/17/2017
B	Nevada	Agent	Approved	08/02/2022
B	New Mexico	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	New York	Agent	Approved	01/09/2021
B	North Carolina	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	Ohio	Agent	Approved	09/23/2020
B	Oregon	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	12/02/2020
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	Utah	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	Virginia	Agent	Approved	07/05/2018
B	Washington	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016
B	Wyoming	Agent	Approved	11/22/2016



Employment 1 of 2, continued

Branch Office Locations

LPL FINANCIAL LLC 7447 N 1ST ST, #203 FRESNO, CA 93720

Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: MARINER ADVISOR NETWORK

Main Office Address: 5700 W 112TH STREET

SUITE 500

OVERLAND PARK, KS 66211

Firm CRD#: **283824**

U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
California	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	11/23/2016

Branch Office Locations

7447 North First Street #203 Fresno, CA 93720



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 1 principal/supervisory exam, 2 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	1	Category	Date
B	General Securities Principal Examination	Series 24	01/29/2018

General Industry/Product Exams

Exam		Category	Date
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
В	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	09/09/1996

State Securities Law Exams

Exam		Category	Date
IA	Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination	Series 65	07/11/2006
В	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	10/07/1996

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 1 professional designation(s).

Certified Financial Planner

This representative holds or did hold **1** professional designation(s) that may have been used to qualify as an Investment Advisor representative. Please check with the appropriate designation authority for verification that the designation is still in effect. The contact information for these professional designation authorities can be found on the website for the North American Securities Administrators Association at http://www.nasaa.org

Registration and Employment History



Registration History

The broker previously was registered with the following firms:

Reg	istration Dates	Firm Name	CRD#	Branch Location
IA	07/2018 - 10/2020	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	6413	FRESNO, CA
IA	06/2006 - 11/2016	CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	8408	FRESNO, CA
B	06/2003 - 11/2016	CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	8408	FRESNO, CA
B	11/2000 - 06/2003	ARM SECURITIES CORPORATION	932	MINOT, ND
B	10/1996 - 11/2000	BRECEK & YOUNG ADVISORS, INC.	40395	FOLSOM, CA

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
11/2016 - Present	LPL FINANCIAL, LLC	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Υ	FRESNO, CA, United States
11/2016 - Present	Strategic Wealth Advisors Group	Investment Adviser Representative	Υ	San Mateo, CA, United States
06/2003 - 11/2016	CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Υ	MINOT, ND, 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.

1. 11/22/2016 - WARNER WEALTH STRATEGIES/ DBA FOR LPL BUSINESS (ENTITY FOR LPL BUSINESS)/ 100%/ FRESNO, CA
2. 05/19/2023 - Mariner Independent Advisor Network - Investment Related - At Reported Business Location(s) - Registered Investment Advisor Hybrid - Start Date 03/31/2023 - 160 Hours Per Month/ 160 Hours During Securities Trading - Time Spent 100% - I provide investment advisory services through Mariner Independent Advisor Network LLC an independent investment advisor firm. I started this business activity in 5/2023. I expect to spend approximately 160 hours per month on this activity. Please see the advisory firm's Form ADV for more information about its

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Registration and Employment History



Other Business Activities, continued

address, nature of its business, its owners and its services at http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov/IAPD. This firm is separate and independent of LPL Financial

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	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 - 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: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

activities occurred which le

to the complaint:

CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC

Allegations: BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY, SUITABILITY, FAILURE TO DIVERSIFY,

MISREPRESENTATIONS AND FAILURE TO DISCLOSE AND FAILURE TO

CONDUCT APPROPRIATE DUE DILIGENCE

Product Type: Other: PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Alleged Damages: \$790,000.00

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/CFTC reparation claim filed with (FINRA, AAA,

CFTC, etc.):

Docket/Case #:

FINRA

13-02091

Date Notice/Process Served: 07/29/2013

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Settled

Disposition Date: 08/07/2015

Monetary Compensation

Amount:

\$215,000.00

Individual Contribution \$12,500.00



Amount:

Broker Statement

"WE DENY ALL ALLEGATIONS OF WRONGDOING AND IMPROPRIETY MADE BY THE CLAIMANT. IN FACT WE HAVE AN AFFIDAVIT SIGNED BY THE SPOUSE OF CLAIMANT, AND JOINT OWNER OF THE INVESTMENTS, STATING THAT ALL THE RISKS RELATED TO THESE INVESTMENTS WERE FULLY EXPLAINED, THE CLAIMANT UNDERSTOOD THE RISK THAT HE WAS TAKING, AND THE CLAIMANT REFUSED OTHER INVESTMENTS OPTIONS THAT WERE PRESENTED TO HIM AS HE DESIRED THE HIGHER INCOME OPPORTUNITIES THAT THESE PRIVATE PLACEMENT INVESTMENTS OFFERED. IN ADDITION TO SIGNING THE AFFIDAVIT THE CLAIMANT'S SPOUSE REFUSED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CLAIM AND WAS WILLING TO TESTIFY ON OUR BEHALF. EVEN THOUGH WE WERE FULLY PREPARED TO DEFEND OUR POSITION DURING THE ARBITRATION WE AGREED TO PARTICIPATE IN A SETTLEMENT ONLY TO AVOID ANY FURTHER LEGAL COST AND LIMIT OUR EXPOSURE, DUE TO THE SIZE OF THIS CASE, AS OUR E&O INSURANCE REFUSED TO COVER THE CLAIM."

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End of Report



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