

BrokerCheck Report

Billy N. Stone

CRD# 2842207

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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

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CRD# 2842207

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

EDWARD JONES

2050 TERRY STREET SUITE 201 LONGMONT, CO 80501 CRD# 250 Registered with this firm since: 01/26/2007

EDWARD JONES
2050 TERRY STREET SUITE 201
LONGMONT, CO 80501
CRD# 250
Registered with this firm since: 02/20/1997

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:

- 4 Self-Regulatory Organizations
- 36 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

No information reported.

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:

Type Count
Customer Dispute 1



Date

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.

Status

This individual is currently registered with 4 SROs and is licensed in 36 U.S. states and territories through his or her employer.

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Firm Name: **EDWARD JONES**

Main Office Address: 12555 MANCHESTER ROAD

ST. LOUIS, MO 63131-3710

Category

Firm CRD#: **250**

SRO

	SKU	Category	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	02/20/1997
B	NYSE American LLC	General Securities Representative	Approved	09/13/2011
B	Nasdaq Stock Market	General Securities Representative	Approved	07/12/2006
B	New York Stock Exchange	General Securities Representative	Approved	04/01/1997
	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Alabama	Agent	Approved	03/23/2023
B	Alaska	Agent	Approved	03/06/2009
B	Arizona	Agent	Approved	01/23/2004
B	Arkansas	Agent	Approved	03/12/2025
B	California	Agent	Approved	06/20/2007
B	Colorado	Agent	Approved	03/31/1997
IA	Colorado	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	01/26/2007
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	11/22/2006
В	Georgia	Agent	Approved	08/24/2001



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	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Hawaii	Agent	Approved	03/25/2024
В	Idaho	Agent	Approved	02/11/2022
В	Illinois	Agent	Approved	09/24/2015
В	Kansas	Agent	Approved	05/12/2003
B	Kentucky	Agent	Approved	02/11/2022
В	Maryland	Agent	Approved	09/12/2017
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	06/10/2024
В	Michigan	Agent	Approved	01/09/2006
В	Minnesota	Agent	Approved	08/11/2005
B	Missouri	Agent	Approved	04/25/2006
В	Montana	Agent	Approved	01/17/2008
B	Nebraska	Agent	Approved	01/07/2005
B	Nevada	Agent	Approved	02/13/2007
B	New Mexico	Agent	Approved	04/24/1997
B	North Carolina	Agent	Approved	01/19/2010
B	North Dakota	Agent	Approved	10/07/2014
B	Oklahoma	Agent	Approved	04/24/1997
B	Oregon	Agent	Approved	03/29/2023
В	South Carolina	Agent	Approved	05/11/2015
B	South Dakota	Agent	Approved	02/27/2020
B	Tennessee	Agent	Approved	04/05/1999



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	U.S. State/ Territory	Category	Status	Date
B	Texas	Agent	Approved	04/24/1997
IA	Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Restricted Approval	08/21/2014
B	Utah	Agent	Approved	12/08/2005
B	Virgin Islands	Agent	Approved	01/05/2017
B	Virginia	Agent	Approved	06/22/2007
B	Washington	Agent	Approved	07/07/2005
B	Wisconsin	Agent	Approved	05/01/2000
B	Wyoming	Agent	Approved	08/08/2017

Branch Office Locations

EDWARD JONES
2050 TERRY STREET SUITE 201
LONGMONT, CO 80501



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, 2 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
B	Securities Industry Essentials Examination	SIE	10/01/2018
B	General Securities Representative Examination	Series 7	02/19/1997

State Securities Law Exams

Exam		Category	Date
BIA	Uniform Combined State Law Examination	Series 66	01/19/2007
В	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination	Series 63	02/21/1997

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 2 professional designation(s).

Certified Financial Planner

Chartered Financial Consultant

This representative holds or did hold **2** 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:

Registration Dates Firm Name CRD# Branch Location

No information reported.

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
12/1996 - Present	EDWARD D. JONES & CO., L.P.	NOT PROVIDED	Υ	LONGMONT, CO, 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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TYPE OF BUSINESS: CAR CLUB

LONGMONT, CO

START DATE: 1/1/2011

CLUB MEMBER

HOURS PER WEEK: 0

HOURS DURING TRADING: 0

ATTEND CLUB MEETINGS/EVENTS, BOARD MEMBER CURRENT VICE PRES - LEAD MEETINGS FOR ABSENTEE PRESIDENT.

Skyline Kiwanis Club

Type of business: Service Club

Longmont, CO

Start date: 10/1/2013

member

Hours per week: 0 Hours during trading: 0

Attend meetings and functions.

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Other Business Activities, continued

Skyline Kiwanis Foundation
Type of business: 501(c)3 non-profit

Longmont, CO
Start date: 9/1/2015
Board Member
Hours per week: 0
Hours during trading: 0

Attend and participate in Board Meetings

Stone Enterprise

Type of business: Real Estate

Berthoud, CO

Start date: 11/30/2022

Owner

Hours per week: 0 Hours during trading: 0

Manage the lease of real estate

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 - Closed-No Action / Withdrawn / Dismissed / Denied

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a consumer-initiated, investment-related arbitration or civil suit containing allegations of sales practice violations against the individual broker that was dismissed, withdrawn, or denied; or (2) a consumer-initiated, investment-related written complaint containing allegations that the broker engaged in sales practice violations resulting in compensatory damages of at least \$5,000, forgery, theft, or misappropriation, or conversion of funds or securities, which was closed without action, withdrawn, or denied.

Disclosure 1 of 1

Reporting Source: Broker

Employing firm when activities occurred which led

to the complaint:

Allegations:

EDWARD JONES

CLIENT INDICATES THE IR PURCHASED TWO INSURANCE POLICIES IN

MARCH 2000 AFTER THE CLIENT ADVISED HIM SHE ALREADY OWNED TWO

OTHER INSURANCE POLICIES AND HAD NO NEED FOR ADDITIONAL

INSURANCE. THE CLIENT CLAIMS THE PURPOSE OF THE INVESTMENTS IS "QUESTIONABLE AND CONFUSING" AND ALSO CLAIMS THAT THE IR DID

NOT DISCLOSE THAT FUNDS HAD BEEN INVESTED IN INSURANCE

POLICIES. CLIENT REQUESTS ALL LOSSES BE RETURNED TO "MAKE HER

WHOLE".

Product Type: Insurance

Alleged Damages: \$5,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 07/11/2005

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 07/29/2005

Settlement Amount:



Individual Contribution Amount:

Broker Statement

AS THE CLIENT HAS PROVIDED LITTLE INFORMATION RELATED TO THE POLICIES IN QUESTION, OUR INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN SOMEWHAT LIMITED. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THE POLICY PROCURED THROUGH THE IR WAS A COVA SINGLE PREMIUM VARIABLE LIFE POLICY (#550-1923) THAT WAS PURCHASED IN 2000. THE IR HAS INDICATED THAT, AT THE TIME OF PURCHASE. THE CLIENT INFORMED HIM INCOME WAS NOT NEEDED AND SHE DID NOT ANTICIPATE SPENDING ANY OF THE FUNDS. THE IR HAS FURTHER INDICATED HE SUGGESTED THE POLICY AS A MEANS TO INCREASE THE INHERITANCE THE CLIENT'S CHILDREN WOULD RECEIVE WITHOUT INCURRING TAX CONSEQUENCES. ACCORDING TO THE IR, THE CLIENT'S CHILDREN BEGAN QUESTIONING HER ACCOUNTS WITH HIM IN 2003. HE HAS INDICATED. AT THAT TIME. HE WAS INFORMED THE CLIENT DID NOT WANT INSURANCE AND HER OBJECTIVES HAD CHANGED. THE IR HAS STATED, WITH THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF THE CLIENT'S CHILDREN, THE POLICY WAS SURRENDERED IN JULY 2003. OUR RECORDS REFLECT AN APPLICATION WAS COMPLETED AT THE TIME OF THE PURCHASE: THEREFORE, IT WOULD APPEAR THE CLIENT, IN FACT, AWARE SHE WAS PURCHASING INSURANCE. THE IR HAS STATED, HE WAS NOT AWARE OF THE CLIENT OWNING ANY ADDITIONAL INSURANCE POLICIES; HOWEVER, HE UNDERSTOOD SHE DID OWN FIXED ANNUITIES. FURTHERMORE, WE WERE UNABLE TO LOCATE ANY OTHER POLICIES REGISTERED IN THE CLIENT'S NAME WITH COVA (WHICH IS NOW METLIFE). AS SUCH, IT WOULD APPEAR THE ADDITIONAL POLICY NUMBERS REFERENCED IN THE CLEINT'S CORRESPONDENCE (568-0532-1-8 AND 550-1915) ARE NOT PLACED WITH METLIFE. AT THIS TIME. WE ARE RESPECTFULLY DENYING THE CLIENT'S REQUEST FOR COMPENSATION IN THIS MATTER. ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THE CLIENT WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE REGARDING THE POLICIES IN QUESTION CAN BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW AFTER WHICH IT WILL BE DETERMINED IF FURTHER ACTION BY THE FIRM IS WARRANTED.

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