

BrokerCheck Report

JOHN PETER CALAMOS SR.

CRD# 38210

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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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www.finra.org/brokercheck User Guidance

JOHN P. CALAMOS SR.

CRD# 38210

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

(A) CALAMOS WEALTH MANAGEMENT

2020 CALAMOS COURT NAPERVILLE, IL 60563 CRD# 143490

Registered with this firm since: 01/23/2015

CALAMOS ADVISORS LLC
2020 CALAMOS COURT
NAPERVILLE, IL 60563
CRD# 105758
Registered with this firm since: 01/06/2015

B CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC
2020 CALAMOS COURT
NAPERVILLE, IL 60563
CRD# 19850
Registered with this firm since: 07/15/1987

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
- 44 U.S. states and territories

This broker has passed:

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

Registration History

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

(A) CALAMOS ADVISORS LLC

CRD# 105758 NAPERVILLE, IL 03/1993 - 01/2015

B NODDINGS, CALAMOS AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

CRD# 7411 06/1977 - 09/1987

B WOOLARD & COMPANY INCORPORATED CRD# 906 06/1976 - 07/1977

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 | |



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

Employment 1 of 3

Firm Name: CALAMOS ADVISORS LLC
Main Office Address: 2020 CALAMOS COURT

NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-2787

Firm CRD#: **105758**

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| IA | Illinois | Investment Adviser Representative | Approved | 01/06/2015 |

Branch Office Locations

2020 CALAMOS COURT NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-2787

Employment 2 of 3

Firm Name: CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC

Main Office Address: 2020 CALAMOS COURT

NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-2787

Firm CRD#: **19850**

| | SRO | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-------|------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| B | FINRA | Financial and Operations Principal | Approved | 07/15/1987 |
| B | FINRA | General Securities Principal | Approved | 07/15/1987 |
| B | FINRA | General Securities Representative | Approved | 07/15/1987 |
| B | FINRA | Municipal Securities Principal | Approved | 07/15/1987 |
| B | FINRA | Registered Options Principal | Approved | 07/15/1987 |



| Employment 2 | of 3, | continued |
|---------------------|-------|-----------|
| | | |

| | SRO | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| B | FINRA | Municipal Securities Representative | Approved | 12/15/1993 |
| B | FINRA | Operations Professional | Approved | 12/19/2011 |
| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
| B | Arizona | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Arkansas | Agent | Approved | 08/18/2000 |
| B | California | Agent | Approved | 08/06/1987 |
| B | Colorado | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | Connecticut | Agent | Approved | 01/15/1988 |
| B | Delaware | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | District of Columbia | Agent | Approved | 07/19/1993 |
| B | Florida | Agent | Approved | 08/07/1987 |
| B | Georgia | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | Hawaii | Agent | Approved | 07/16/1993 |
| B | Idaho | Agent | Approved | 07/15/1993 |
| B | Illinois | Agent | Approved | 07/07/1987 |
| B | Indiana | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | lowa | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Kansas | Agent | Approved | 03/29/1993 |
| B | Kentucky | Agent | Approved | 07/15/1993 |
| B | Louisiana | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Maine | Agent | Approved | 01/07/1994 |



Employment 2 of 3, continued

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| B | Maryland | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | Massachusetts | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | Michigan | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| В | Minnesota | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Mississippi | Agent | Approved | 01/10/1994 |
| B | Missouri | Agent | Approved | 07/14/1993 |
| B | Montana | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| В | Nebraska | Agent | Approved | 03/29/1993 |
| В | Nevada | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | New Hampshire | Agent | Approved | 01/22/1998 |
| B | New Jersey | Agent | Approved | 02/22/1988 |
| B | New Mexico | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | New York | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | North Carolina | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Ohio | Agent | Approved | 01/01/1988 |
| B | Oklahoma | Agent | Approved | 07/13/1993 |
| B | Oregon | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | Pennsylvania | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| В | Rhode Island | Agent | Approved | 07/30/1993 |
| B | South Carolina | Agent | Approved | 07/12/1993 |
| B | South Dakota | Agent | Approved | 04/25/1995 |
| | | | | |



Employment 2 of 3, continued

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| В | Texas | Agent | Approved | 08/05/1987 |
| В | Utah | Agent | Approved | 10/21/1993 |
| B | Virginia | Agent | Approved | 07/26/1993 |
| В | Washington | Agent | Approved | 03/29/1993 |
| В | Wisconsin | Agent | Approved | 01/29/1988 |

Branch Office Locations

CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC

2020 CALAMOS COURT NAPERVILLE, IL 60563

Employment 3 of 3

Firm Name: CALAMOS WEALTH MANAGEMENT LLC

Main Office Address: 2020 CALAMOS COURT

NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-2787

Firm CRD#: **143490**

| | U.S. State/ Territory | Category | Status | Date |
|----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| IA | Illinois | Investment Adviser Representative | Approved | 01/23/2015 |

Branch Office Locations

2020 CALAMOS COURT NAPERVILLE, IL 60563-2787



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 6 principal/supervisory exams, 5 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.

Principal/Supervisory Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|------|--|-----------|------------|
| В | Financial and Operations Principal Examination | Series 27 | 01/02/2023 |
| В | Municipal Securities Principal Examination | Series 53 | 01/02/2023 |
| В | General Securities Principal Examination | Series 24 | 01/02/2023 |
| В | Registered Options Principal Examination | Series 4 | 09/13/1977 |
| В | Financial Principal Examination | F04 | 04/06/1977 |
| В | Registered Principal Examination | Series 40 | 12/29/1976 |

General Industry/Product Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|---------|---|-------------|------------|
| B Oper | ations Professional Examination | Series 99TO | 01/02/2023 |
| B Gene | eral Securities Representative Examination | Series 7TO | 01/02/2023 |
| B Muni | cipal Securities Representative Examination | Series 52TO | 01/02/2023 |
| B Secu | rities Industry Essentials Examination | SIE | 10/01/2018 |
| B Regis | stered Representative Examination | Series 1 | 11/19/1971 |

State Securities Law Exams

| Exam | | Category | Date |
|------|--|-----------|------------|
| IA | Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination | Series 65 | 01/07/1993 |
| В | Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination | Series 63 | 01/07/1993 |

Broker Qualifications



Industry Exams this Broker has Passed, continued

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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User Guidance

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:

| Registration Dates | | Firm Name | CRD# | Branch Location |
|--------------------|-------------------|---|---------|-----------------|
| IA | 03/1993 - 01/2015 | CALAMOS ADVISORS LLC | 105758 | NAPERVILLE, IL |
| B | 06/1977 - 09/1987 | NODDINGS, CALAMOS AND ASSOCIATES, INC. | 7411 | |
| B | 06/1976 - 07/1977 | WOOLARD & COMPANY INCORPORATED | 906 | |
| B | 10/1975 - 07/1976 | HORNBLOWER & WEEKS - HEMPHILL, NOYES INCORPORATED | 412 | |
| B | 12/1971 - 04/1976 | DUPONT GLORE FORGAN INCORPORATED | 325 | |
| B | 10/1974 - 10/1975 | BACHE & CO INCORPORATED | 7058 | |
| B | 03/1974 - 11/1974 | LOEB RHOADES & CO | 1000003 | |
| B | 07/1973 - 05/1974 | DUPONT WALSTON, INCORPORATED | 870 | |

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 |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| 01/1993 - Present | CALAMOS ADVISORS LLC | FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN AND GLOBAL CIO | Υ | NAPERVILLE, IL, United States |
| 01/1993 - Present | CALAMOS WEALTH MANAGEMENT LLC | FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN AND GLOBAL CIO | Υ | NAPERVILLE, IL, United States |
| 04/1987 - Present | CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC | FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN AND GLOBAL CIO | Υ | NAPERVILLE, IL, United States |

Registration and Employment History



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.

Illinois Institute of Technology, 10 West 35th Street Chicago, IL 60616-3793. Illinois Institute of Technology is a private, technology-focused, research university offering undergraduate and graduate degrees in engineering, science, architecture, business, design, human sciences, applied technology, and law. This is not investment related. As a Member of the Board of Trustees my duties include attending board meetings to serve and manage the affairs of Illinois Institute of Technology. I have been associated with Illinois Institute of Technology since 01/2014. I anticipate spending 1 hour per month on this activity and zero hours per month during trading hours. I am not compensated for this activity.

The FAITH Endowment: An Endowment for Orthodoxy and Hellenism. 499 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10022. I am a member of the Investment Committee since January 2013, and this activity is investment related. I anticipate spending 1 hour per month on this activity and 1 during trading hours. My duties include participating in monthly remote investment committee meetings to review the Endowment's investment strategy and policy, oversee portfolio performance, and monitor investment risk levels. I am not compensated for this activity.

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 |



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 S

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

By:

Sanction(s) Sought:

Other Sanction(s) Sought:

Date Initiated: 10/16/1996

Docket/Case Number:

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

Product Type:

Other Product Type(s):

Allegations:

Current Status: Final

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 10/16/1996

Sanctions Ordered: Cease and Desist/Injunction



Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details:

Regulator Statement

10-18-96, SEC NEWS DIGEST ISSUE NO. 96-198, DATED OCTOBER 17, 1996, ENFORCEMENT PROCEEDINGS DISCLOSE: "CALAMOS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC. ORDERED TO CEASE AND DESIST AND FINED"; THE COMMISSION ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT IT ISSUED AN ORDER INSTITUTING

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST CALAMOS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC. (CALAMOS) AND JOHN P. CALAMOS (J. CALAMOS) PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 20(e) AND 203(k) OF THE INVESTMENT ADVISERS ACT, MAKING FINDINGS, IMPOSING REMEDIAL SANCTIONS AND ORDERING RESPONDENTS TO CEASE AND DESIST (ORDER). CALAMOS, A REGISTERED INVESTMENT ADVISER, AND ITS PRESIDENT, J. CALAMOS, CONSENTED TO THE ENTRY OF THE ORDER WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE COMMISSION'S FINDINGS, EXCEPT AS TO JURISDICTION, WHICH WAS ADMITTED. THE ORDER FINDS THAT DURING 1993 AND 1994, CALAMOS, AT THE DIRECTION OF J. CALAMOS, EXECUTED APPROXIMATELY

1,600 PRINCIPAL TRANSACTIONS WITH ITS ADVISORY CLIENTS THROUGH A BROKER-DEALER UNDER COMMON CONTROL WITH IT WITHOUT

DISCLOSING

THE CAPACITY IN WHICH IT WAS ACTING AND WITHOUT OBTAINING SUCH CLIENTS' CONSENT PRIOR TO THE TRANSACTIONS. CALAMOS ALSO FAILED

TO DISCLOSE ON ITS 1993 AND 1994 AMENDMENTS TO FORM ADV THAT THE PRINCIPAL TRANSACTIONS WERE BEING EXECUTED THROUGH A BROKER-DEALER UNDER COMMON CONTROL WITH IT. AS A RESULT, CALAMOS WILLFULLY VIOLATED SECTIONS 206(3) AND 207 OF THE ADVISERS ACT, AND J. CALAMOS CAUSED CALAMOS' VIOLATIONS OF SECTIONS 206(3) AND 207 OF THE ADVISERS ACT. THE ORDER REQUIRES CALAMOS AND J. CALAMOS TO CEASE-AND-DESIST VIOLATING AND

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\$25,000 CIVIL PENALTY AND ORDERS CALAMOS TO COMPLY WITH CERTAIN REMEDIAL UNDERTAKINGS. (REL. IA-1594)

12-30-96, 63 SEC DOCKET 0104, DATED NOVEMBER 12, 1996 DISCLOSES: CEASE & DESIST ORDER IS DATED OCTOBER 16, 1996.

Reporting Source: Broker

Regulatory Action Initiated

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

By:



Sanction(s) Sought: Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)

Other Sanction(s) Sought:

Date Initiated: 10/16/1996

Docket/Case Number: 3-9166

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

CALAMOS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC.

Product Type: No Product

Other Product Type(s):

Allegations: THAT CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC'S (CFS)

TRADING PRACTICES INVOLVED PRINCIPAL TRADES WITHOUT OBTAINING THE CLIENT'S CONSENT PRIOR TO THE TRANSACTIONS. JOHN CALAMOS WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE. THE CLIENTS SUFFERED NO

ACTUAL OR ALLEGED FINANCIAL DAMAGES.

Current Status: Final

Resolution: Consent

Resolution Date: 10/16/1996

Sanctions Ordered: Cease and Desist/Injunction

Monetary/Fine \$25,000.00

Other Sanctions Ordered:

Sanction Details: JOHN P. CALAMOS AND CALAMOS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC (CAM)

PAID A \$25,000 CIVIL PENALTY AND AGREED NOT TO VIOLATE FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS. IN ADDITION, CALAMOS INITIATED A REVIEW OF

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES AND HIRED A DIRECTOR OF COMPLIANCE TO

ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH ALL SEC RULES.

Broker Statement THE TRADES IN QUESTION RESULTED FROM BUNCHING ORDERS FOR 17

BROKER DEALER CLIENTS FOR WHICH CALAMOS WAS ALSO THE INVESTMENT ADVISER. CFS USED AN AVERAGE PRICE ACCOUNT TO CONSOLIDATE THESE TRADES. IN THE COURSE OF CONSOLIDATION, THESE TRADES WERE TEMPORARILY HELD IN AN ACCOUNT BEARING CFS'

NAME. THE SEC CLAIMED THAT EVEN TEMPORARILY HOLDING THE SECURITIES IN CFS' ACCOUNT VIOLATED SECURITES LAWS. UPON NOTIFICATION CFS IMMEDIATELY CORRECTED THE PROCEDURE. THE TRADES DID NOT IMPOSE ANY FINANCIAL ADVERSITY ON THE CLIENTS. PRINCIPAL TRADE MARK UPS AND MARK DOWNS WERE EQUIVALENT



COMMISSIONS BEING CHARGED ON AN AGENCY BASIS.



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 to the complaint:

CALAMOS WEALTH MANAGEMENT

Allegations:

CLAIMANT ALLEGES THAT SHE COMPLAINED TO MR. CALAMOS ABOUT A FIRM EMPLOYEE WHO ALLEDGEDLY FAILED TO FOLLOW HER ORAL INSTRUCTION TO SELL MUTUAL FUNDS IN 2008, AND THAT MR. CALAMOS FAILED TO RESPOND TO HER COMPLAINT AS PROMISED. MR. CALAMOS DENIES THAT CLAIMANT MADE SUCH A COMPLAINT TO HIM, OR THAT SHE MADE ANY COMPLAINT OTHER THAN THAT SHE HAD NOT RECEIVED A TAX

REPORT. MR. CALAMOS DENIES ANY WRONGDOING.

Product Type: Mutual Fund
Alleged Damages: \$2,700,000.00

Arbitration Information

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

FINRA

CFTC, etc.):

Docket/Case #: ARBITRATION # 10-02858

Date Notice/Process Served: 06/28/2010

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Withdrawn

Disposition Date: 03/28/2011

Monetary Compensation Amount:

\$1,350,000.00

Individual Contribution

\$0.00

Amount:

Broker Statement CLAIMANT WITHDREW AND VOLUNTARILY DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST JOHN P. CALAMOS, SR. CLAIMANT SETTLED ALL CLAIMS AGAINST CALAMOS FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC ("CFS") IN EXCHANGE FOR A PAYMENT BY CFS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,350,000, REPRESENTING 50% OF HER CLAIM. JOHN P. CALAMOS, SR. DID NOT



CONTRIBUTE TO THE SETTLEMENT.

End of Report



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