

UNIFORM APPLICATION FOR INVESTMENT ADVISER REGISTRATION AND REPORT BY EXEMPT REPORTING ADVISERS

WARNING: Complete this form truthfully. False statements or omissions may result in denial of your application, revocation of your registration, or criminal prosecution. You must keep this form updated by filing periodic amendments. See Form ADV General Instruction 4.

Responses to this Item tell us who you are, where you are doing business, and how we can contact you. If you are filing an *umbrella registration*, the information in Item 1 should be provided for the *filing adviser* only. General Instruction 5 provides information to assist you with filing an *umbrella registration*.

B. (1) Name under which you primarily conduct your advisory business, if different from Item 1.A.
FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES, INC.

(2) If you are using this Form ADV to register more than one investment adviser under an *umbrella registration*, check this box ☐

C. If this filing is reporting a change in your legal name (Item 1.A.) or primary business name (Item 1.B.(1)), enter the new name and specify whether the name change is of
☐ your legal name or ☐ your primary business name:

D. (1) If you are registered with the SEC as an investment adviser, your SEC file number: **801-57302**

(2) If you report to the SEC as an *exempt reporting adviser*, your SEC file number:

(3) If you have one or more Central Index Key numbers assigned by the SEC ("CIK Numbers"), all of your CIK numbers:

E. (1) If you have a number ("CRD Number") assigned by the *FINRA's* CRD system or by the IARD system, your CRD number: **44430**

(2) If you have additional CRD Numbers, your additional CRD numbers:

No Information Filed

(1) Address (do not use a P.O. Box):			
Number and Street 1:		Number and Street 2:	
8540 COLONNADE CENTER DRIVE			
City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
RALEIGH	North Carolina	United States	27615-3052

List on [Section 1.F. of Schedule D](#) any office, other than your principal office and place of business, at which you conduct investment advisory business. If you are applying for registration, or are registered, with one or more state securities authorities, you must list all of your offices in the state or states to which you are applying for registration or with whom you are registered. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are reporting to the SEC as an exempt reporting adviser, list the largest twenty-five offices in terms of numbers of employees as of the end of your most recently completed fiscal year.

Normal business hours at this location:
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

(3) Telephone number at this location:
800-229-0205

(4) Facsimile number at this location, if any:
919-716-2230

(5) What is the total number of offices, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business as of the end of your most recently completed fiscal year?

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G. Mailing address, if different from your *principal office and place of business* address:

Number and Street 1:
PO BOX 27131

City:
RALEIGH

State:
North Carolina

Number and Street 2:

Country:
United States

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27611

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

H. If you are a sole proprietor, state your full residence address, if different from your *principal office and place of business* address in Item 1.F.:

Number and Street 1:

City:

State:

Number and Street 2:

Country:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

Yes

No

I. Do you have one or more websites or accounts on publicly available social media platforms (including, but not limited to, Twitter, Facebook and LinkedIn)?

If "yes," list all firm website addresses and the address for each of the firm's accounts on publicly available social media platforms on [Section 1.I. of Schedule D](#). If a website address serves as a portal through which to access other information you have published on the web, you may list the portal without listing addresses for all of the other information. You may need to list more than one portal address. Do not provide the addresses of websites or accounts on publicly available social media platforms where you do not control the content. Do not provide the individual electronic mail (e-mail) addresses of employees or the addresses of employee accounts on publicly available social media platforms.

J. Chief Compliance Officer

(1) Provide the name and contact information of your Chief Compliance Officer. If you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, you must provide the contact information for your Chief Compliance Officer, if you have one. If not, you must complete Item 1.K. below.

Name:

Telephone number:

Number and Street 1:

City:

Other titles, if any:

Facsimile number, if any:

Number and Street 2:

Country:

State:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

Electronic mail (e-mail) address, if Chief Compliance Officer has one:

(2) If your Chief Compliance Officer is compensated or employed by any *person* other than you, a *related person* or an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 that you advise for providing chief compliance officer services to you, provide the *person's* name and IRS Employer Identification Number (if any):

Name:

IRS Employer Identification Number:

K. Additional Regulatory Contact Person: If a person other than the Chief Compliance Officer is authorized to receive information and respond to questions about this Form ADV, you may provide that information here.

Name:

Telephone number:

Number and Street 1:

City:

Titles:

Facsimile number, if any:

Number and Street 2:

Country:

State:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

Electronic mail (e-mail) address, if contact person has one:

Yes

No

L. Do you maintain some or all of the books and records you are required to keep under Section 204 of the Advisers Act, or similar state law, somewhere other than your *principal office and place of business*?

If "yes," complete [Section 1.L. of Schedule D](#).

M. Are you registered with a *foreign financial regulatory authority*?

Answer "no" if you are not registered with a foreign financial regulatory authority, even if you have an affiliate that is registered with a foreign financial regulatory authority. If "yes," complete [Section 1.M. of Schedule D](#).

N. Are you a public reporting company under Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934?

Yes

No

O. Did you have \$1 billion or more in assets on the last day of your most recent fiscal year?

If yes, what is the approximate amount of your assets:

☐\$1 billion to less than \$10 billion

☐\$10 billion to less than \$50 billion

☐\$50 billion or more

For purposes of Item 1.O. only, "assets" refers to your total assets, rather than the assets you manage on behalf of clients. Determine your total assets using the total assets shown on the balance sheet for your most recent fiscal year end.

P. Provide your *Legal Entity Identifier* if you have one:

254900AD3LRK7LR2H180

A *legal entity identifier* is a unique number that companies use to identify each other in the financial marketplace. You may not have a *legal entity identifier*.

SECTION 1.B. Other Business Names

List your other business names and the jurisdictions in which you use them. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.B. for each business name.

Name: FIRST CITIZENS WEALTH

Jurisdictions

☒ AL	☒ IL	☒ NE	☒ SC
☒ AK	☒ IN	☒ NV	☒ SD
☒ AZ	☒ IA	☒ NH	☒ TN
☒ AR	☒ KS	☒ NJ	☒ TX
☒ CA	☒ KY	☒ NM	☒ UT
☒ CO	☒ LA	☒ NY	☒ VT
☒ CT	☒ ME	☒ NC	☐ VI
☒ DE	☒ MD	☒ ND	☒ VA
☒ DC	☒ MA	☒ OH	☒ WA
☒ FL	☒ MI	☒ OK	☒ WV
☒ GA	☒ MN	☒ OR	☒ WI
☐ GU	☒ MS	☒ PA	☒ WY
☒ HI	☒ MO	☐ PR	☐ Other:
☒ ID	☒ MT	☒ RI	

SECTION 1.F. Other Offices

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:

520 WESTWOOD SHOPPING CENTER

City:

FAYETTEVILLE

State:

North Carolina

Country:

United States

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

28314

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:

910-307-9102

Facsimile Number, if any:

910-867-4319

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD Branch Number* here:

108835

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?

4

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

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Number and Street 1:
2405 STANTONSBURG ROAD

City:
GREENVILLE

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27834

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
(252) 321-6426

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
373426

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
8

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Number and Street 1:
11 WEST 42ND STREET

City:
NEW YORK

State:
New York

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
10036

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
202-277-9456

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
826646

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?

8

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Number and Street 1:
3580 CARMEL MOUNTAIN RD

City:
SAN DIEGO

State:
California

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:
SUITE 160

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
92130

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
858-332-3477

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
821291

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?

4

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Number and Street 1:
6555 NORTH FEDERAL HWY

City:
FT LAUDERDALE

State:
Florida

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
33308

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
954-771-6948

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
830645

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
6

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Number and Street 1:
4950 S 48TH ST

City:
PHOENIX

State:
Arizona

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
85040

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
602-341-0388

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
808220

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
3

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Number and Street 1:
2106 HENDERSONVILLE RD.

City:
ARDEN

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
28704

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:828-257-5752

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
371997

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
5

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Number and Street 1:
128 S. TRYON STREET

City:
CHARLOTTE

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
28202

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:704-338-4359

Facsimile Number, if any:704-338-3942

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
108847

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
99

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Number and Street 1:

Number and Street 2:

75 NORTH FAIR OAKS AVE.

City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
PASADENA	California	United States	91103

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:	Facsimile Number, if any:
626-535-5102	

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18

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Number and Street 1:	Number and Street 2:		
1414 W. NORTHWOOD ST.			
City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
GREENSBORO	North Carolina	United States	27408

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:	Facsimile Number, if any:
336-412-4206	

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
205674

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4

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Number and Street 1: 6800 PARAGON PLACE		Number and Street 2: SUITE 115	
City: RICHMOND	State: Virginia	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 23230

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 804-360-8968	Facsimile Number, if any:
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If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
725641

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
4

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Number and Street 1: 302-B WESTERN BLVD.		Number and Street 2:	
City: JACKSONVILLE	State: North Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 28546

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 877-487-5428	Facsimile Number, if any: 910-347-5820
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If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
108858

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2

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Number and Street 1: 440 SOUTH COLLEGE RD.		Number and Street 2:	
City: WILMINGTON	State: North Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 28403

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 910-792-6636	Facsimile Number, if any:
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313897

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
13

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Number and Street 1: 325 W. MCBEE AVENUE		Number and Street 2:	
City: GREENVILLE	State: South Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 29601

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 864-255-3717	Facsimile Number, if any:
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If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
634966

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
9

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm

☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1: 3300 CUMBERLAND BLVD SE		Number and Street 2:	
City: ATLANTA	State: Georgia	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 30339

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 678-419-5016	Facsimile Number, if any:
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If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
736128

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
10

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1: 539 N. MAIN ST.		Number and Street 2:	
City: HENDERSONVILLE	State: North Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 28792

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: (828) 696-7627	Facsimile Number, if any:
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If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
108837

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
7

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)

- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
2005 CLARK AVE.

City:
RALEIGH

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27605

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
919-835-3564

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
208665

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
4

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
5417 PAGE RD.

City:
DURHAM

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27709

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
919-382-8335

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
108832

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
4

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
222 2ND STREET

City:
SAN FRANCISCO

Number and Street 2:

State:
California

Country:
United States

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
94105

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
415-764-3100

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
825190

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
6

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
3001 TRENWEST DRIVE

City:
WINSTON-SALEM

Number and Street 2:

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27103

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
800-308-9620

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?

2

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
2770 SAND HILL RD

City:
MENLO PARK

State:
California

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
94025

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
408-888-3385

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
826559

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?

1

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

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Number and Street 1:
217 NORTH STERLING STREET

City:
MORGANTON

State:
North Carolina

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
28655

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
108839

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
2

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
2750 E. COTTONWOOD PARKWAY

City:
COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS

State:
Utah

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:
SUITE 420

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
84121

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
735-659-9189

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
825027

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
4

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
53 STATE ST

City:
BOSTON

State:
Massachusetts

Country:
United States

Number and Street 2:
28TH FLOOR

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
02109

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:617-750-4700

Facsimile Number, if any:

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
825032

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
22

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

Complete the following information for each office, other than your *principal office and place of business*, at which you conduct investment advisory business. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.F. for each location. If you are applying for SEC registration, if you are registered only with the SEC, or if you are an *exempt reporting adviser*, list only the largest twenty-five offices (in terms of numbers of *employees*).

Number and Street 1:
8540 COLONNADE CENTER DRIVE

City:
RALEIGH

State:
North Carolina

Number and Street 2:

Country:
United States

ZIP+4/Postal Code:
27615

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:919-716-2492

Facsimile Number, if any:
919-716-4090

If this office location is also required to be registered with FINRA or a *state securities authority* as a branch office location for a broker-dealer or investment adviser on the Uniform Branch Office Registration Form (Form BR), please provide the *CRD* Branch Number here:
294915

How many *employees* perform investment advisory functions from this office location?
50

Are other business activities conducted at this office location? (check all that apply)

- ☒ (1) Broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
- ☒ (2) Bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
- ☒ (3) Insurance broker or agent
- ☐ (4) Commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
- ☐ (5) Registered municipal advisor
- ☐ (6) Accountant or accounting firm
- ☐ (7) Lawyer or law firm

Describe any other *investment-related* business activities conducted from this office location:

SECTION 1.I. Website Addresses

List your website addresses, including addresses for accounts on publicly available social media platforms where you control the content (including, but not limited to, Twitter, Facebook and/or LinkedIn). You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 1.I. for each website or account on a publicly available social media platform.

Address of Website/Account on Publicly Available Social Media Platform: https://WWW.FIRSTCITIZENS.COM/wealth

Address of Website/Account on Publicly Available Social Media Platform: https://www.Linkedin.Com/First Citizens Investor Services, Inc.

SECTION 1.L. Location of Books and Records

Complete the following information for each location at which you keep your books and records, other than your *principal office and place of business*. You must complete a separate Schedule D, Section 1.L. for each location.

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
COMPLY

Number and Street 1: 136 MADISON AVE, 6TH FLOOR		Number and Street 2:	
City: NEW YORK	State: New York	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 10016

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
6467879370

Facsimile number, if any:

This is (check one):

- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
- ☐ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
- ☒ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
BOOKS AND RECORDS OF EMPLOYEE TRADING AND ATTESTATIONS

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
QUEST CE

Number and Street 1: 10100 W INNOVATIONS DR, STE 200		Number and Street 2:	
City: MILWAUKEE	State: Wisconsin	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 53226

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number:
877-593-3366

Facsimile number, if any:

This is (check one):

- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
- ☒ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
- ☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
HISTORICAL BOOKS AND RECORDS FOR ASSOCIATED PERSONS CONTINUING EDUCATION, COMPLAINTS, ADVERTISING AND MARKETING REVIEW, AND DISCLOSURES

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
ONBASE

Number and Street 1: 28105 CLEMONS RD		Number and Street 2:	
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City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
WESTLAKE	Ohio	United States	44145

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 440-788-5000

Facsimile number, if any:

This is (check one):

☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.

☒ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.

☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.

HISTORICAL ACCOUNT DOCUMENTATION IS MAINTAINED WITHIN THEIR IMAGING SYSTEM

Name of entity where books and records are kept:

OPTIMIZEZLY

Number and Street 1: 119 FIFTH AVE, 7TH FLOOR

Number and Street 2:

City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
NEW YORK	New York	United States	10003

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 603-594-0249

Facsimile number, if any:

This is (check one):

☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.

☒ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.

☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.

DOCUMENTATION FOR MARKETING AND ADVERTISING REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Name of entity where books and records are kept:

FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES

Number and Street 1: 8540 COLONNADE CENTER DRIVE

Number and Street 2:

City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
RALEIGH	North Carolina	United States	27615

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 800-229-0205

Facsimile number, if any:

This is (check one):

☒ one of your branch offices or affiliates.

☐ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.

☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.

CERTAIN CORPORATE RECORDS INCLUDING CORPORATION FORMATION DOCUMENTS, BOARD OF DIRECTORS MINUTES, ANDOTHER LEGAL DOCUMENTS ARE MAINTAINED BY THE APPLICANT'S CORPORATE SECRETARY.

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES

Number and Street 1: 4300 SIX FORKS ROAD		Number and Street 2:	
City: RALEIGH	State: North Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 27609

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 919-716-2492	Facsimile number, if any: 919-716-4040
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- This is (check one):
- ☒ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
 - ☐ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
 - ☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
CERTAIN CORPORATE RECORDS, INCLUDING CORPORATION FORMATION DOCUMENTS, BOARD OF DIRECTOR MINUTES, AND OTHER LEGAL DOCUMENTS, ARE MAINTAINED BY THE APPLICANT'S CORPORATE SECRETARY.

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
PROOFPOINT, INC.

Number and Street 1: 925 W MAUDE AVENUE		Number and Street 2:	
City: SUNNYVALE	State: California	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 94085

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 408-517-4710	Facsimile number, if any: 408-517-4711
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- This is (check one):
- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
 - ☒ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
 - ☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
EMAIL ARCHIVAL AND REVIEW

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
GLOBAL RELAY

Number and Street 1: 220 CAMBIE STREET		Number and Street 2: 2ND FLOOR	
City: VANCOUVER	State:	Country: Canada	ZIP+4/Postal Code: BC V6B 2M9

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: (866) 484-6630	Facsimile number, if any:
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- This is (check one):
- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
 - ☐ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
 - ☒ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
EMAIL REVIEW AND ARCHIVAL

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
REGED

Number and Street 1: 2100 GATEWAY CENTRE BLVD #200		Number and Street 2:	
City: MORRISVILLE	State: North Carolina	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 27560

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: 8003348322	Facsimile number, if any:
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- This is (check one):
- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
 - ☐ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
 - ☒ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
BOOKS AND RECORDS FOR ASSOCIATED PERSONS REGISTRATIONS, CONTINUING EDUCATION, ADVERTISING REVIEW, COMPLAINTS AND DISCLOSURES

Name of entity where books and records are kept:
PERSHING LLC

Number and Street 1: 34 EXCHANGE PL		Number and Street 2:	
City: JERSEY CITY	State: New Jersey	Country: United States	ZIP+4/Postal Code: 07302

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Telephone Number: (201) 333-5364	Facsimile number, if any:
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- This is (check one):
- ☐ one of your branch offices or affiliates.
 - ☒ a third-party unaffiliated recordkeeper.
 - ☐ other.

Briefly describe the books and records kept at this location.
ACCOUNT DOCUMENTATION IS MAINTAINED WITHIN THEIR IMAGING SYSTEM. CUSTODIAN OF THE ASSETS, ALL ASSET RECORDS ARE RETAINED AT PERSHING.

SECTION 1.M. Registration with Foreign Financial Regulatory Authorities

No Information Filed

Item 2 SEC Registration / Reporting

Responses to this Item help us (and you) determine whether you are eligible to register with the SEC. Complete this Item 2.A. only if you are applying for SEC registration or submitting an *annual updating amendment* to your SEC registration. If you are filing an *umbrella registration*, the information in Item 2 should be provided for the *filing adviser* only.

- A. To register (or remain registered) with the SEC, you must check **at least one** of the Items 2.A.(1) through 2.A.(12), below. If you are submitting an *annual updating amendment* to your SEC registration and you are no longer eligible to register with the SEC, check Item 2.A.(13). [Part 1A Instruction 2](#) provides information to help you determine whether you may affirmatively respond to each of these items.
- You (the adviser):

- ☒ (1) are a **large advisory firm** that either:

(a) has regulatory assets under management of \$100 million (in U.S. dollars) or more; or

(b) has regulatory assets under management of \$90 million (in U.S. dollars) or more at the time of filing its most recent *annual updating amendment* and is registered with the SEC;
- ☐ (2) are a **mid-sized advisory firm** that has regulatory assets under management of \$25 million (in U.S. dollars) or more but less than \$100 million (in U.S. dollars) and you are either:

(a) not required to be registered as an adviser with the *state securities authority* of the state where you maintain your *principal office and place of business*; or

(b) not subject to examination by the *state securities authority* of the state where you maintain your *principal office and place of business*;

Click [HERE](#) for a list of states in which an investment adviser, if registered, would not be subject to examination by the state securities authority.
- ☐ (3) Reserved
- ☐ (4) have your *principal office and place of business* **outside the United States**;
- ☐ (5) are an **investment adviser (or subadviser) to an investment company** registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940;
- ☐ (6) are an **investment adviser to a company which has elected to be a business development company** pursuant to section 54 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 and has not withdrawn the election, and you have at least \$25 million of regulatory assets under management;
- ☐ (7) are a **pension consultant** with respect to assets of plans having an aggregate value of at least \$200,000,000 that qualifies for the exemption in rule 203A-2(a);
- ☐ (8) are a **related adviser** under rule 203A-2(b) that *controls*, is *controlled* by, or is under common *control* with, an investment adviser that is registered with the SEC, and your *principal office and place of business* is the same as the registered adviser;

If you check this box, complete [Section 2.A.\(8\) of Schedule D](#).
- ☐ (9) are an **adviser** relying on rule 203A-2(c) because you **expect to be eligible for SEC registration within 120 days**;

If you check this box, complete [Section 2.A.\(9\) of Schedule D](#).
- ☐ (10) are a **multi-state adviser** that is required to register in 15 or more states and is relying on rule 203A-2(d);

If you check this box, complete [Section 2.A.\(10\) of Schedule D](#).
- ☐ (11) are an **Internet adviser** relying on rule 203A-2(e);

If you check this box, complete [Section 2.A.\(11\) of Schedule D](#).
- ☐ (12) have **received an SEC order** exempting you from the prohibition against registration with the SEC;

If you check this box, complete [Section 2.A.\(12\) of Schedule D](#).
- ☐ (13) are **no longer eligible** to remain registered with the SEC.

State Securities Authority Notice Filings and State Reporting by Exempt Reporting Advisers

C. Under state laws, SEC-registered advisers may be required to provide to *state securities authorities* a copy of the Form ADV and any amendments they file with the SEC. These are called *notice filings*. In addition, *exempt reporting advisers* may be required to provide *state securities authorities* with a copy of reports and any amendments they file with the SEC. If this is an initial application or report, check the box(es) next to the state(s) that you would like to receive notice of this and all subsequent filings or reports you submit to the SEC. If this is an amendment to direct your *notice filings* or reports to additional state(s), check the box(es) next to the state(s) that you would like to receive notice of this and all subsequent filings or reports you submit to the SEC. If this is an amendment to your registration to stop your *notice filings* or reports from going to state(s) that currently receive them, uncheck the box(es) next to those state(s).

Jurisdictions

☒ AL	☒ IL	☒ NE	☒ SC
☒ AK	☒ IN	☒ NV	☒ SD
☒ AZ	☒ IA	☒ NH	☒ TN
☒ AR	☒ KS	☒ NJ	☒ TX
☒ CA	☒ KY	☒ NM	☒ UT
☒ CO	☒ LA	☒ NY	☒ VT
☒ CT	☒ ME	☒ NC	☐ VI
☒ DE	☒ MD	☒ ND	☒ VA
☒ DC	☒ MA	☒ OH	☒ WA
☒ FL	☒ MI	☒ OK	☒ WV
☒ GA	☒ MN	☒ OR	☒ WI
☐ GU	☒ MS	☒ PA	☒ WY
☒ HI	☒ MO	☐ PR	
☒ ID	☒ MT	☒ RI	

If you are amending your registration to stop your notice filings or reports from going to a state that currently receives them and you do not want to pay that state's notice filing or report filing fee for the coming year, your amendment must be filed before the end of the year (December 31).

SECTION 2.A.(8) Related Adviser

If you are relying on the exemption in rule 203A-2(b) from the prohibition on registration because you *control*, are *controlled* by, or are under common *control* with an investment adviser that is registered with the SEC and your *principal office and place of business* is the same as that of the registered adviser, provide the following information:

Name of Registered Investment Adviser

CRD Number of Registered Investment Adviser

SEC Number of Registered Investment Adviser

SECTION 2.A.(9) Investment Adviser Expecting to be Eligible for Commission Registration within 120 Days

If you are relying on rule 203A-2(c), the exemption from the prohibition on registration available to an adviser that expects to be eligible for SEC registration within 120 days, you are required to make certain representations about your eligibility for SEC registration. By checking the appropriate boxes, you will be deemed to have made the required representations. You must make both of these representations:

- ☐ I am not registered or required to be registered with the SEC or a *state securities authority* and I have a reasonable expectation that I will be eligible to register with the SEC within 120 days after the date my registration with the SEC becomes effective.
- ☐ I undertake to withdraw from SEC registration if, on the 120th day after my registration with the SEC becomes effective, I would be prohibited by Section 203A(a) of the Advisers Act from registering with the SEC.

SECTION 2.A.(10) Multi-State Adviser

If you are relying on rule 203A-2(d), the multi-state adviser exemption from the prohibition on registration, you are required to make certain representations about your eligibility for SEC registration. By checking the appropriate boxes, you will be deemed to have made the required representations.

If you are applying for registration as an investment adviser with the SEC, you must make both of these representations:

- ☐ I have reviewed the applicable state and federal laws and have concluded that I am required by the laws of 15 or more states to register as an investment adviser with the *state securities authorities* in those states.
- ☐ I undertake to withdraw from SEC registration if I file an amendment to this registration indicating that I would be required by the laws of fewer than 15 states to register as an investment adviser with the *state securities authorities* of those states.

If you are submitting your *annual updating amendment*, you must make this representation:

- ☐ Within 90 days prior to the date of filing this amendment, I have reviewed the applicable state and federal laws and have concluded that I am required by the laws of at least 15 states to register as an investment adviser with the *state securities authorities* in those states.

SECTION 2.A.(11) Internet Adviser

If you are relying on rule 203A-2(e), the Internet adviser exemption from the prohibition on registration, you are required to make a representation about your eligibility for SEC registration. By checking the appropriate box, you will be deemed to have made the required representation.

If you are applying for registration as an investment adviser with the SEC or changing your existing Item 2 response regarding your eligibility for SEC registration, you must make this representation:

- ☐ I will provide investment advice on an ongoing basis to more than one client exclusively through an *operational interactive website*.

If you are filing an annual updating amendment to your existing registration and are continuing to rely on the Internet adviser exemption for SEC registration, you must make this representation:

- ☐ I have provided and will continue to provide investment advice on an ongoing basis to more than one client exclusively through an *operational interactive website*.

SECTION 2.A.(12) SEC Exemptive Order

If you are relying upon an SEC *order* exempting you from the prohibition on registration, provide the following information:

Application Number:
803-

Date of *order*:

Item 3 Form of Organization

If you are filing an *umbrella registration*, the information in Item 3 should be provided for the *filing adviser* only.

A. How are you organized?

☒ Corporation

☐ Sole Proprietorship

☐ Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)

☐ Partnership

☐ Limited Liability Company (LLC)

☐ Limited Partnership (LP)

☐ Other (specify):

If you are changing your response to this Item, see [Part 1A Instruction 4](#).

B. In what month does your fiscal year end each year?

DECEMBER

C. Under the laws of what state or country are you organized?

StateCountry

North CarolinaUnited States

If you are a partnership, provide the name of the state or country under whose laws your partnership was formed. If you are a sole proprietor, provide the name of the state or country where you reside.

If you are changing your response to this Item, see [Part 1A Instruction 4](#).

Item 4 Successions

YesNo

A. Are you, at the time of this filing, succeeding to the business of a registered investment adviser, including, for example, a change of your structure or legal status (e.g., form of organization or state of incorporation)?

☐☒

If "yes", complete Item 4.B. and [Section 4 of Schedule D](#).

B. Date of Succession: (MM/DD/YYYY)

If you have already reported this succession on a previous Form ADV filing, do not report the succession again. Instead, check "No." See [Part 1A Instruction 4](#).

SECTION 4 Successions

No Information Filed

Item 5 Information About Your Advisory Business - Employees, Clients, and Compensation

Responses to this Item help us understand your business, assist us in preparing for on-site examinations, and provide us with data we use when making regulatory policy. [Part 1A Instruction 5.a.](#) provides additional guidance to newly formed advisers for completing this Item 5.

Employees

If you are organized as a sole proprietorship, include yourself as an employee in your responses to Item 5.A. and Items 5.B.(1), (2), (3), (4), and (5). If an employee performs more than one function, you should count that employee in each of your responses to Items 5.B.(1), (2), (3), (4), and (5).

A. Approximately how many *employees* do you have? Include full- and part-time *employees* but do not include any clerical workers.

352

B. (1) Approximately how many of the *employees* reported in 5.A. perform investment advisory functions (including research)?

164

(2) Approximately how many of the *employees* reported in 5.A. are registered representatives of a broker-dealer?

351

(3) Approximately how many of the *employees* reported in 5.A. are registered with one or more *state securities authorities* as *investment adviser representatives*?

352

- (4)

Approximately how many of the *employees* reported in 5.A. are registered with one or more *state securities authorities* as *investment adviser representatives* for an investment adviser other than you?

49
- (5)

Approximately how many of the *employees* reported in 5.A. are licensed agents of an insurance company or agency?

301
- (6)

Approximately how many firms or other *persons* solicit advisory *clients* on your behalf?

0

In your response to Item 5.B.(6), do not count any of your employees and count a firm only once – do not count each of the firm's employees that solicit on your behalf.

Clients

In your responses to Items 5.C. and 5.D. do not include as "clients" the investors in a private fund you advise, unless you have a separate advisory relationship with those investors.

- C.

(1)

To approximately how many *clients* for whom you do not have regulatory assets under management did you provide investment advisory services during your most recently completed fiscal year?

0

(2)

Approximately what percentage of your *clients* are non-United States persons?

0%

- D.

For purposes of this Item 5.D., the category "individuals" includes trusts, estates, and 401(k) plans and IRAs of individuals and their family members, but does not include businesses organized as sole proprietorships.

The category "business development companies" consists of companies that have made an election pursuant to section 54 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. Unless you provide advisory services pursuant to an investment advisory contract to an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, do not answer (1)(d) or (3)(d) below.

Indicate the approximate number of your *clients* and amount of your total regulatory assets under management (reported in Item 5.F. below) attributable to each of the following type of *client*. If you have fewer than 5 *clients* in a particular category (other than (d), (e), and (f)) you may check Item 5.D.(2) rather than respond to Item 5.D.(1).

The aggregate amount of regulatory assets under management reported in Item 5.D.(3) should equal the total amount of regulatory assets under management reported in Item 5.F.(2)(c) below.

If a *client* fits into more than one category, select one category that most accurately represents the *client* to avoid double counting *clients* and assets. If you advise a registered investment company, business development company, or pooled investment vehicle, report those assets in categories (d), (e), and (f) as applicable.

Type of Client	(1) Number of Client(s)	(2) Fewer than 5 Clients	(3) Amount of Regulatory Assets under Management
(a) Individuals (other than <i>high net worth individuals</i>)	6918	☐	\$ 1,587,360,047
(b) <i>High net worth individuals</i>	645	☐	\$ 1,018,275,164
(c) Banking or thrift institutions		☐	\$
(d) Investment companies			\$
(e) Business development companies			\$
(f) Pooled investment vehicles (other than investment companies and business development companies)			\$
(g) Pension and profit sharing plans (but not the plan participants or government pension plans)		☐	\$
(h) Charitable organizations		☐	\$
(i) State or municipal <i>government entities</i> (including government pension plans)		☐	\$
(j) Other investment advisers		☐	\$
(k) Insurance companies		☐	\$
(l) Sovereign wealth funds and foreign official institutions		☐	\$
(m) Corporations or other businesses not listed above	82	☐	\$ 20,444,974
(n) Other:		☐	\$

Compensation Arrangements

- E.

You are compensated for your investment advisory services by (check all that apply):

☒

(1)

A percentage of assets under your management

☐

(2)

Hourly charges

☐

(3)

Subscription fees (for a newsletter or periodical)

- (b) portfolio manager for a *wrap fee program*?

\$ 0
- (c) *sponsor* to and portfolio manager for the same *wrap fee program*?

\$ 0

If you report an amount in Item 5.I.(2)(c), do not report that amount in Item 5.I.(2)(a) or Item 5.I.(2)(b).

If you are a portfolio manager for a wrap fee program, list the names of the programs, their sponsors and related information in [Section 5.I.\(2\) of Schedule D](#).

If your involvement in a wrap fee program is limited to recommending wrap fee programs to your clients, or you advise a mutual fund that is offered through a wrap fee program, do not check Item 5.I.(1) or enter any amounts in response to Item 5.I.(2).

		Yes	No
J.	(1) In response to Item 4.B. of Part 2A of Form ADV, do you indicate that you provide investment advice only with respect to limited types of investments?	☒	☐
	(2) Do you report <i>client</i> assets in Item 4.E. of Part 2A that are computed using a different method than the method used to compute your regulatory assets under management?	☐	☒

K. Separately Managed Account *Clients*

		Yes	No
	(1) Do you have regulatory assets under management attributable to <i>clients</i> other than those listed in Item 5.D.(3)(d)-(f) (separately managed account <i>clients</i>)?	☒	☐

If yes, complete [Section 5.K.\(1\) of Schedule D](#).

	(2) Do you engage in borrowing transactions on behalf of any of the separately managed account <i>clients</i> that you advise?	☐	☒
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If yes, complete [Section 5.K.\(2\) of Schedule D](#).

	(3) Do you engage in derivative transactions on behalf of any of the separately managed account <i>clients</i> that you advise?	☐	☒
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If yes, complete [Section 5.K.\(2\) of Schedule D](#).

	(4) After subtracting the amounts in Item 5.D.(3)(d)-(f) above from your total regulatory assets under management, does any custodian hold ten percent or more of this remaining amount of regulatory assets under management?	☒	☐
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If yes, complete [Section 5.K.\(3\) of Schedule D](#) for each custodian.

L. Marketing Activities

		Yes	No
	(1) Do any of your <i>advertisements</i> include:		
	(a) Performance results?	☐	☒
	(b) A reference to specific investment advice provided by you (as that phrase is used in rule 206(4)-1(a)(5))?	☐	☒
	(c) <i>Testimonials</i> (other than those that satisfy rule 206(4)-1(b)(4)(ii))?	☐	☒
	(d) <i>Endorsements</i> (other than those that satisfy rule 206(4)-1(b)(4)(ii))?	☐	☒
	(e) <i>Third-party ratings</i> ?	☐	☒
	(2) If you answer "yes" to L(1)(c), (d), or (e) above, do you pay or otherwise provide cash or non-cash compensation, directly or indirectly, in connection with the use of <i>testimonials</i> , <i>endorsements</i> , or <i>third-party ratings</i> ?	☐	☒
	(3) Do any of your <i>advertisements</i> include <i>hypothetical performance</i> ?	☐	☒
	(4) Do any of your <i>advertisements</i> include <i>predecessor performance</i> ?	☐	☒

SECTION 5.G.(3) Advisers to Registered Investment Companies and Business Development Companies

No Information Filed

SECTION 5.I.(2) *Wrap Fee Programs*

If you are a portfolio manager for one or more *wrap fee programs*, list the name of each program and its *sponsor*. You must complete a separate Schedule D Section 5.I.(2) for each *wrap fee program* for which you are a portfolio manager.

Name of *Wrap Fee Program*

WEALTH STRATEGIES

Name of *Sponsor*

FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES, INC.

Sponsor's SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-):

801 - 57302

Sponsor's CRD Number (if any):

44430

SECTION 5.K.(1) Separately Managed Accounts

After subtracting the amounts reported in Item 5.D.(3)(d)-(f) from your total regulatory assets under management, indicate the approximate percentage of this remaining amount attributable to each of the following categories of assets. If the remaining amount is at least \$10 billion in regulatory assets under management, complete Question (a). If the remaining amount is less than \$10 billion in regulatory assets under management, complete Question (b).

Any regulatory assets under management reported in Item 5.D.(3)(d), (e), and (f) should not be reported below.

If you are a subadviser to a separately managed account, you should only provide information with respect to the portion of the account that you subadvise.

End of year refers to the date used to calculate your regulatory assets under management for purposes of your *annual updating amendment* . Mid-year is the date six months before the end of year date. Each column should add up to 100% and numbers should be rounded to the nearest percent.

Investments in derivatives, registered investment companies, business development companies, and pooled investment vehicles should be reported in those categories. Do not report those investments based on related or underlying portfolio assets. Cash equivalents include bank deposits, certificates of deposit, bankers' acceptances and similar bank instruments.

Some assets could be classified into more than one category or require discretion about which category applies. You may use your own internal methodologies and the conventions of your service providers in determining how to categorize assets, so long as the methodologies or conventions are consistently applied and consistent with information you report internally and to current and prospective clients. However, you should not double count assets, and your responses must be consistent with any instructions or other guidance relating to this Section.

(a)

Asset Type	Mid-year	End of year
(i) Exchange-Traded Equity Securities	%	%
(ii) Non Exchange-Traded Equity Securities	%	%
(iii) U.S. Government/Agency Bonds	%	%
(iv) U.S. State and Local Bonds	%	%
(v) Sovereign Bonds	%	%
(vi) Investment Grade Corporate Bonds	%	%
(vii) Non-Investment Grade Corporate Bonds	%	%
(viii) Derivatives	%	%
(ix) Securities Issued by Registered Investment Companies or Business Development Companies	%	%
(x) Securities Issued by Pooled Investment Vehicles (other than Registered Investment Companies or Business Development Companies)	%	%
(xi) Cash and Cash Equivalents	%	%
(xii) Other	%	%

Generally describe any assets included in "Other"

(b)

Asset Type	End of year
(i) Exchange-Traded Equity Securities	79 %
(ii) Non Exchange-Traded Equity Securities	0 %
(iii) U.S. Government/Agency Bonds	0 %
(iv) U.S. State and Local Bonds	1 %
(v) Sovereign Bonds	0 %
(vi) Investment Grade Corporate Bonds	0 %
(vii) Non-Investment Grade Corporate Bonds	0 %

(viii) Derivatives	0 %
(ix) Securities Issued by Registered Investment Companies or Business Development Companies	20 %
(x) Securities Issued by Pooled Investment Vehicles (other than Registered Investment Companies or Business Development Companies)	0 %
(xi) Cash and Cash Equivalents	0 %
(xii) Other	0 %
Generally describe any assets included in "Other"	

SECTION 5.K.(2) Separately Managed Accounts - Use of *Borrowings* and Derivatives

☒ **No information is required to be reported in this Section 5.K.(2) per the instructions of this Section 5.K.(2)**

If your regulatory assets under management attributable to separately managed accounts are at least \$10 billion, you should complete Question (a). If your regulatory assets under management attributable to separately managed accounts are at least \$500 million but less than \$10 billion, you should complete Question (b).

(a) In the table below, provide the following information regarding the separately managed accounts you advise. If you are a subadviser to a separately managed account, you should only provide information with respect to the portion of the account that you subadvise. End of year refers to the date used to calculate your regulatory assets under management for purposes of your *annual updating amendment*. Mid-year is the date six months before the end of year date.

In column 1, indicate the regulatory assets under management attributable to separately managed accounts associated with each level of gross notional exposure. For purposes of this table, the gross notional exposure of an account is the percentage obtained by dividing (i) the sum of (a) the dollar amount of any *borrowings* and (b) the *gross notional value* of all derivatives, by (ii) the regulatory assets under management of the account.

In column 2, provide the dollar amount of *borrowings* for the accounts included in column 1.

In column 3, provide aggregate *gross notional value* of derivatives divided by the aggregate regulatory assets under management of the accounts included in column 1 with respect to each category of derivatives specified in 3(a) through (f).

You may, but are not required to, complete the table with respect to any separately managed account with regulatory assets under management of less than \$10,000,000.

Any regulatory assets under management reported in Item 5.D.(3)(d), (e), and (f) should not be reported below.

(i) Mid-Year

Gross Notional Exposure	(1) Regulatory Assets Under Management	(2) Borrowings	(3) Derivative Exposures					
			(a) Interest Rate Derivative	(b) Foreign Exchange Derivative	(c) Credit Derivative	(d) Equity Derivative	(e) Commodity Derivative	(f) Other Derivative
Less than 10 %	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%
10-149 %	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%
150 % or more	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%

Optional: Use the space below to provide a narrative description of the strategies and/or manner in which *borrowings* and derivatives are used in the management of the separately managed accounts that you advise.

(ii) End of Year

Gross Notional Exposure	(1) Regulatory Assets Under Management	(2) Borrowings	(3) Derivative Exposures					
			(a) Interest Rate Derivative	(b) Foreign Exchange Derivative	(c) Credit Derivative	(d) Equity Derivative	(e) Commodity Derivative	(f) Other Derivative
Less than 10 %	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%
10-149 %	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%
150 % or more	\$	\$	%	%	%	%	%	%

Optional: Use the space below to provide a narrative description of the strategies and/or manner in which *borrowings* and derivatives are used in the management of the separately managed accounts that you advise.

- A. You are actively engaged in business as a (check all that apply):
- ☒ (1) broker-dealer (registered or unregistered)
 - ☐ (2) registered representative of a broker-dealer
 - ☐ (3) commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
 - ☐ (4) futures commission merchant
 - ☐ (5) real estate broker, dealer, or agent
 - ☒ (6) insurance broker or agent
 - ☐ (7) bank (including a separately identifiable department or division of a bank)
 - ☐ (8) trust company
 - ☐ (9) registered municipal advisor
 - ☐ (10) registered security-based swap dealer
 - ☐ (11) major security-based swap participant
 - ☐ (12) accountant or accounting firm
 - ☐ (13) lawyer or law firm
 - ☐ (14) other financial product salesperson (specify):

If you engage in other business using a name that is different from the names reported in Items 1.A. or 1.B.(1), complete [Section 6.A. of Schedule D.](#)

Yes

No

B.

(1)

Are you actively engaged in any other business not listed in Item 6.A. (other than giving investment advice)?

(2)

If yes, is this other business your primary business?

If "yes," describe this other business on [Section 6.B.\(2\) of Schedule D](#), and if you engage in this business under a different name, provide that name.

(3)

Do you sell products or provide services other than investment advice to your advisory *clients*?

If "yes," describe this other business on [Section 6.B.\(3\) of Schedule D](#), and if you engage in this business under a different name, provide that name.

SECTION 6.A. Names of Your Other Businesses

No Information Filed

SECTION 6.B.(2) Description of Primary Business

Describe your primary business (not your investment advisory business):

If you engage in that business under a different name, provide that name:

SECTION 6.B.(3) Description of Other Products and Services

Describe other products or services you sell to your *client*. You may omit products and services that you listed in Section 6.B.(2) above.
ITEM 6 B. (3) FIRM IS ALSO A BROKER DEALER AND INSURANCE AGENCY AND MAY OFFER SECURITIES OR INSURANCE PRODUCTS TO ADVISORY CLIENTS.

If you engage in that business under a different name, provide that name:
THE FIRM SOMETIMES USES THE NAME FIRST CITIZENS WEALTH WHICH IS A MARKETING NAME.

Item 7 Financial Industry Affiliations

In this Item, we request information about your financial industry affiliations and activities. This information identifies areas in which conflicts of interest may occur between you and your *clients*.

A. This part of Item 7 requires you to provide information about you and your *related persons*, including foreign affiliates. Your *related persons* are all of your *advisory affiliates* and any *person* that is under common *control* with you.

You have a *related person* that is a (check all that apply):

☒ (1) broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer (registered or unregistered)

☒ (2) other investment adviser (including financial planners)

☐ (3) registered municipal advisor

☐ (4) registered security-based swap dealer

☐ (5) major security-based swap participant

☐ (6) commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)

☐ (7) futures commission merchant

☒ (8) banking or thrift institution

☐ (9) trust company

☐ (10) accountant or accounting firm

☐ (11) lawyer or law firm

☒ (12) insurance company or agency

☐ (13) pension consultant

☐ (14) real estate broker or dealer

☐ (15) sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles

☐ (16) sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles

Note that Item 7.A. should not be used to disclose that some of your employees perform investment advisory functions or are registered representatives of a broker-dealer. The number of your firm's employees who perform investment advisory functions should be disclosed under Item 5.B.(1). The number of your firm's employees who are registered representatives of a broker-dealer should be disclosed under Item 5.B.(2).

Note that if you are filing an umbrella registration, you should not check Item 7.A.(2) with respect to your relying advisers, and you do not have to complete Section 7.A. in Schedule D for your relying advisers. You should complete a Schedule R for each relying adviser.

For each related person, including foreign affiliates that may not be registered or required to be registered in the United States, complete [Section 7.A. of Schedule D](#).

You do not need to complete Section 7.A. of Schedule D for any related person if: (1) you have no business dealings with the related person in connection with advisory services you provide to your clients; (2) you do not conduct shared operations with the related person; (3) you do not refer clients or business to the related person, and the related person does not refer prospective clients or business to you; (4) you do not share supervised persons or premises with the

You must complete [Section 7.A. of Schedule D](#) for each related person acting as qualified custodian in connection with advisory services you provide to your clients (other than any mutual fund transfer agent pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(b)(1)), regardless of whether you have determined the related person to be operationally independent under rule 206(4)-2 of the Advisers Act.

You must complete [Section 7.A. of Schedule D](#) for each related person acting as qualified custodian in connection with advisory services you provide to your clients (other than any mutual fund transfer agent pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(b)(1)), regardless of whether you have determined the related person to be operationally independent under rule 206(4)-2 of the Advisers Act.

SECTION 7.A. Financial Industry Affiliations

Complete a separate Schedule D Section 7.A. for each *related person* listed in Item 7.A.

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|-----|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. | Legal Name of <i>Related Person</i> :
FIRST CITIZENS CAPITAL SECURITIES, LLC | | |
| 2. | Primary Business Name of <i>Related Person</i> :
FIRST CITIZENS CAPITAL SECURITIES, LLC | | |
| 3. | <i>Related Person's</i> SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)
8 - 49466
or
Other | | |
| 4. | <i>Related Person's</i>
(a) CRD Number (if any):
41504
(b) CIK Number(s) (if any):
<div style="text-align: center;">No Information Filed</div> | | |
| 5. | <i>Related Person</i> is: (check all that apply)
(a) ☒ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer
(b) ☐ other investment adviser (including financial planners)
(c) ☐ registered municipal advisor
(d) ☐ registered security-based swap dealer
(e) ☐ major security-based swap participant
(f) ☐ commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
(g) ☐ futures commission merchant
(h) ☐ banking or thrift institution
(i) ☐ trust company
(j) ☐ accountant or accounting firm
(k) ☐ lawyer or law firm
(l) ☐ insurance company or agency
(m) ☐ pension consultant
(n) ☐ real estate broker or dealer
(o) ☐ sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles
(p) ☐ sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles | | |
| 6. | Do you <i>control</i> or are you <i>controlled</i> by the <i>related person</i> ? | Yes ☐ | No ☒ |
| 7. | Are you and the <i>related person</i> under common <i>control</i> ? | Yes ☒ | No ☐ |
| 8. | (a) Does the <i>related person</i> act as a qualified custodian for your <i>clients</i> in connection with advisory services you provide to <i>clients</i> ?
<div style="text-align: center;">Yes ☐ No ☒</div> (b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the <i>related person</i> and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your <i>clients'</i> funds or securities that are maintained at the <i>related person</i> ?
<div style="text-align: center;">Yes ☐ No ☒</div> (c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the <i>related person's</i> office responsible for <i>custody</i> of your <i>clients'</i> assets:
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> Number and Street 1:
 City: _____ State: _____
 If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐ </div> <div> Number and Street 2:
 Country: _____ ZIP+4/Postal Code: _____ </div> </div> | | |
| 9. | (a) If the <i>related person</i> is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?
<div style="text-align: center;">Yes ☐ No ☒</div> (b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption? | | |
| 10. | (a) Is the <i>related person</i> registered with a <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> ?
<div style="text-align: center;">Yes ☐ No ☒</div> (b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> with which the <i>related person</i> is registered.
<div style="text-align: center;">No Information Filed</div> | | |
| 11. | Do you and the <i>related person</i> share any <i>supervised persons</i> ? | Yes ☐ | No ☒ |

○ ●

Yes No

2. Primary Business Name of *Related Person*:
FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES, INC.

3. *Related Person's* SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)
801 - 57302
or
Other

4. *Related Person's*
(a) *CRD* Number (if any):
44430
(b) CIK Number(s) (if any):

No Information Filed

5. *Related Person* is: (check all that apply)
(a) ☒ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer
(b) ☒ other investment adviser (including financial planners)
(c) ☐ registered municipal advisor
(d) ☐ registered security-based swap dealer
(e) ☐ major security-based swap participant
(f) ☐ commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
(g) ☐ futures commission merchant
(h) ☐ banking or thrift institution
(i) ☐ trust company
(j) ☐ accountant or accounting firm
(k) ☐ lawyer or law firm
(l) ☒ insurance company or agency
(m) ☐ pension consultant
(n) ☐ real estate broker or dealer
(o) ☐ sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles
(p) ☐ sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles

6. Do you *control* or are you *controlled* by the *related person*?

7. Are you and the *related person* under common *control*?

8. (a) Does the *related person* act as a qualified custodian for your *clients* in connection with advisory services you provide to *clients*?
(b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the *related person* and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your *clients'* funds or securities that are maintained at the *related person*?
(c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the *related person's* office responsible for *custody* of your *clients'* assets:
Number and Street 1: Number and Street 2:
City: State: Country: ZIP+4/Postal Code:
If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

9. (a) If the *related person* is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?
(b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption?

10. (a) Is the *related person* registered with a *foreign financial regulatory authority* ?
(b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each *foreign financial regulatory authority* with which the *related person* is registered.
No Information Filed

11. Do you and the *related person* share any *supervised persons*?

12. Do you and the *related person* share the same physical location?

1. Legal Name of *Related Person*:
NEUSE TITLE SERVICES

2. Primary Business Name of *Related Person*:
NEUSE TITLE SERVICES

3. *Related Person's* SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)
-

or

Other

4. Related Person's

(a) CRD Number (if any):

(b) CIK Number(s) (if any):

No Information Filed

5. Related Person is: (check all that apply)

(a) ☐ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer

(b) ☐ other investment adviser (including financial planners)

(c) ☐ registered municipal advisor

(d) ☐ registered security-based swap dealer

(e) ☐ major security-based swap participant

(f) ☐ commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)

(g) ☐ futures commission merchant

(h) ☐ banking or thrift institution

(i) ☐ trust company

(j) ☐ accountant or accounting firm

(k) ☐ lawyer or law firm

(l) ☒ insurance company or agency

(m) ☐ pension consultant

(n) ☐ real estate broker or dealer

(o) ☐ sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles

(p) ☐ sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles

Yes

No

6. Do you control or are you controlled by the related person?

7. Are you and the related person under common control?

8. (a) Does the related person act as a qualified custodian for your clients in connection with advisory services you provide to clients?

(b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the related person and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your clients' funds or securities that are maintained at the related person?

(c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the related person's office responsible for custody of your clients' assets:

Number and Street 1:

City:

State:

Number and Street 2:

Country:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

Yes

No

9. (a) If the related person is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?

(b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption?

10. (a) Is the related person registered with a foreign financial regulatory authority ?

(b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each foreign financial regulatory authority with which the related person is registered.

No Information Filed

11. Do you and the related person share any supervised persons?

12. Do you and the related person share the same physical location?

1. Legal Name of Related Person:

SVB WEALTH LLC

2. Primary Business Name of Related Person:

SVB WEALTH

3. Related Person's SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)

801 - 80480

or

Other

4. Related Person's

(a) CRD Number (if any):

172832

(b) CIK Number(s) (if any):

No Information Filed

5. *Related Person* is: (check all that apply)

(a) ☐ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer

(b) ☒ other investment adviser (including financial planners)

(c) ☐ registered municipal advisor

(d) ☐ registered security-based swap dealer

(e) ☐ major security-based swap participant

(f) ☐ commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)

(g) ☐ futures commission merchant

(h) ☐ banking or thrift institution

(i) ☐ trust company

(j) ☐ accountant or accounting firm

(k) ☐ lawyer or law firm

(l) ☐ insurance company or agency

(m) ☐ pension consultant

(n) ☐ real estate broker or dealer

(o) ☐ sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles

(p) ☐ sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles

6. Do you *control* or are you *controlled* by the *related person*?

Yes

No

7. Are you and the *related person* under common *control*?

Yes

No

8. (a) Does the *related person* act as a qualified custodian for your *clients* in connection with advisory services you provide to *clients*?

Yes

No

(b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the *related person* and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your *clients'* funds or securities that are maintained at the *related person*?

Yes

No

(c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the *related person's* office responsible for *custody* of your *clients'* assets:

Number and Street 1:

Number and Street 2:

City:

State:

Country:

ZIP+4/Postal Code:

If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐

9. (a) If the *related person* is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?

Yes

No

(b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption?

Yes

No

10. (a) Is the *related person* registered with a *foreign financial regulatory authority* ?

Yes

No

(b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each *foreign financial regulatory authority* with which the *related person* is registered.

No Information Filed

11. Do you and the *related person* share any *supervised persons*?

Yes

No

12. Do you and the *related person* share the same physical location?

Yes

No

1. Legal Name of *Related Person*:

FIRST CITIZENS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC

2. Primary Business Name of *Related Person*:

FIRST CITIZENS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC

3. *Related Person's* SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)

801 - 79917

or

Other

4. *Related Person's*

(a) CRD Number (if any):

140777

(b) CIK Number(s) (if any):

No Information Filed

5. *Related Person* is: (check all that apply)

(a) ☐ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer

- | | Yes | No |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 6. Do you <i>control</i> or are you <i>controlled</i> by the <i>related person</i> ? | ☐ | ☒ |
| 7. Are you and the <i>related person</i> under common <i>control</i> ? | ☒ | ☐ |
| 8. (a) Does the <i>related person</i> act as a qualified custodian for your <i>clients</i> in connection with advisory services you provide to <i>clients</i> ? | ☐ | ☒ |
| (b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the <i>related person</i> and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your <i>clients'</i> funds or securities that are maintained at the <i>related person</i> ? | ☐ | ☒ |
| (c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the <i>related person's</i> office responsible for <i>custody</i> of your <i>clients'</i> assets | | |
| Number and Street 1: | Number and Street 2: | |
| City: | State: | Country: |
| ZIP+4/Postal Code: | | |
| If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐ | | |
| 9. (a) If the <i>related person</i> is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration? | ☐ | ☒ |
| (b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption? | | |
| 10. (a) Is the <i>related person</i> registered with a <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> ? | ☐ | ☒ |
| (b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> with which the <i>related person</i> is registered. | | |
| No Information Filed | | |
| 11. Do you and the <i>related person</i> share any <i>supervised persons</i> ? | ☒ | ☐ |
| 12. Do you and the <i>related person</i> share the same physical location? | ☒ | ☐ |

1. Legal Name of *Related Person*:
SVB ASSET MANAGEMENT
2. Primary Business Name of *Related Person*:
SVB ASSET MANAGEMENT
3. *Related Person's* SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)
801 - 61674
or
Other
4. *Related Person's*
 - (a) CRD Number (if any):
124567
 - (b) CIK Number(s) (if any):

No Information Filed
5. *Related Person* is: (check all that apply)
 - (a) ☐ broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer
 - (b) ☒ other investment adviser (including financial planners)
 - (c) ☐ registered municipal advisor
 - (d) ☐ registered security-based swap dealer
 - (e) ☐ major security-based swap participant
 - (f) ☐ commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
 - (g) ☐ futures commission merchant

(h)	☐	banking or thrift institution		
(i)	☐	trust company		
(j)	☐	accountant or accounting firm		
(k)	☐	lawyer or law firm		
(l)	☐	insurance company or agency		
(m)	☐	pension consultant		
(n)	☐	real estate broker or dealer		
(o)	☐	sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles		
(p)	☐	sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles		
			Yes	No
6.	Do you <i>control</i> or are you <i>controlled</i> by the <i>related person</i> ?		☐	☒
7.	Are you and the <i>related person</i> under common <i>control</i> ?		☒	☐
8.	(a) Does the <i>related person</i> act as a qualified custodian for your <i>clients</i> in connection with advisory services you provide to <i>clients</i> ?		☐	☒
	(b) If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the <i>related person</i> and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your <i>clients'</i> funds or securities that are maintained at the <i>related person</i> ?		☐	☐
	(c) If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the <i>related person's</i> office responsible for <i>custody</i> of your <i>clients'</i> assets:			
	Number and Street 1:		Number and Street 2:	
	City:		State:	Country:
	ZIP+4/Postal Code:			
	If this address is a private residence, check this box: ☐			
			Yes	No
9.	(a) If the <i>related person</i> is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?		☐	☒
	(b) If the answer is yes, under what exemption?			
10.	(a) Is the <i>related person</i> registered with a <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> ?		☐	☒
	(b) If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> with which the <i>related person</i> is registered.			
	No Information Filed			
11.	Do you and the <i>related person</i> share any <i>supervised persons</i> ?		☐	☒
12.	Do you and the <i>related person</i> share the same physical location?		☐	☒

1.	Legal Name of <i>Related Person</i> :	FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY
2.	Primary Business Name of <i>Related Person</i> :	FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY
3.	<i>Related Person's</i> SEC File Number (if any) (e.g., 801-, 8-, 866-, 802-)	-
	or	
	Other	
4.	<i>Related Person's</i>	
	(a) <i>CRD</i> Number (if any):	
	(b) <i>CIK</i> Number(s) (if any):	No Information Filed
5.	<i>Related Person</i> is: (check all that apply)	
(a)	☐	broker-dealer, municipal securities dealer, or government securities broker or dealer
(b)	☐	other investment adviser (including financial planners)
(c)	☐	registered municipal advisor
(d)	☐	registered security-based swap dealer
(e)	☐	major security-based swap participant
(f)	☐	commodity pool operator or commodity trading advisor (whether registered or exempt from registration)
(g)	☐	futures commission merchant
(h)	☒	banking or thrift institution
(i)	☐	trust company
(j)	☐	accountant or accounting firm
(k)	☐	lawyer or law firm
(l)	☒	insurance company or agency
(m)	☐	pension consultant

(n)

real estate broker or dealer

(o)

sponsor or syndicator of limited partnerships (or equivalent), excluding pooled investment vehicles

(p)

sponsor, general partner, managing member (or equivalent) of pooled investment vehicles

Yes

No

6.

Do you *control* or are you *controlled* by the *related person*?

7.

Are you and the *related person* under common *control*?

8.

(a)

Does the *related person* act as a qualified custodian for your *clients* in connection with advisory services you provide to *clients*?

(b)

If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have answered "yes," to question 8.(a) above, have you overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the *related person* and thus are not required to obtain a surprise examination for your *clients'* funds or securities that are maintained at the *related person*?

(c)

If you have answered "yes" to question 8.(a) above, provide the location of the *related person's* office responsible for *custody* of your *clients'* assets:
Number and Street 1:Number and Street 2:
City:State:Country:ZIP+4/Postal Code:
If this address is a private residence, check this box:

Yes

No

9.

(a)

If the *related person* is an investment adviser, is it exempt from registration?

(b)

If the answer is yes, under what exemption?

10.

(a)

Is the *related person* registered with a *foreign financial regulatory authority* ?

(b)

If the answer is yes, list the name and country, in English of each *foreign financial regulatory authority* with which the *related person* is registered.
No Information Filed

11.

Do you and the *related person* share any *supervised persons*?

12.

Do you and the *related person* share the same physical location?

Item 7 Private Fund Reporting

Yes

No

B.

Are you an adviser to any *private fund*?

If "yes," then for each private fund that you advise, you must complete a [Section 7.B.\(1\) of Schedule D](#), except in certain circumstances described in the next sentence and in Instruction 6 of the [Instructions to Part 1A](#). If you are registered or applying for registration with the SEC or reporting as an SEC exempt reporting adviser, and another SEC-registered adviser or SEC exempt reporting adviser reports this information with respect to any such private fund in Section 7.B.(1) of Schedule D of its Form ADV (e.g., if you are a subadviser), do not complete Section 7.B.(1) of Schedule D with respect to that private fund. You must, instead, complete [Section 7.B.\(2\) of Schedule D](#).

If either case, if you seek to preserve the anonymity of a private fund client by maintaining its identity in your books and records in numerical or alphabetical code, or similar designation, pursuant to rule 204-2(d), you may identify the private fund in Section 7.B.(1) or 7.B.(2) of Schedule D using the same code or designation in place of the fund's name.

SECTION 7.B.(1) Private Fund Reporting

No Information Filed

SECTION 7.B.(2) Private Fund Reporting

No Information Filed

Item 8 Participation or Interest in Client Transactions

In this Item, we request information about your participation and interest in your *clients'* transactions. This information identifies additional areas in which conflicts of interest may occur between you and your *clients*. Newly-formed advisers should base responses to these questions on the types of participation and interest that you expect to engage in during the next year.

Like Item 7, Item 8 requires you to provide information about you and your *related persons*, including foreign affiliates.

Proprietary Interest in Client Transactions

Yes

No

A.

Do you or any *related person*:

(1)

buy securities for yourself from advisory *clients*, or sell securities you own to advisory *clients* (principal transactions)?

(2)

buy or sell for yourself securities (other than shares of mutual funds) that you also recommend to advisory *clients*?

(3) recommend securities (or other investment products) to advisory *clients* in which you or any *related person* has some other proprietary (ownership) interest (other than those mentioned in Items 8.A.(1) or (2))?

☒Yes☐No

Sales Interest in *Client* Transactions

- B. Do you or any *related person*:
- Yes

No
- (1) as a broker-dealer or registered representative of a broker-dealer, execute securities trades for brokerage customers in which advisory *client* securities are sold to or bought from the brokerage customer (agency cross transactions)?

☐Yes☒No
- (2) recommend to advisory *clients*, or act as a purchaser representative for advisory *clients* with respect to, the purchase of securities for which you or any *related person* serves as underwriter or general or managing partner?

☐Yes☒No
- (3) recommend purchase or sale of securities to advisory *clients* for which you or any *related person* has any other sales interest (other than the receipt of sales commissions as a broker or registered representative of a broker-dealer)?

☐Yes☒No

Investment or Brokerage Discretion

- C. Do you or any *related person* have *discretionary authority* to determine the:
- Yes

No
- (1) securities to be bought or sold for a *client's* account?

☒Yes☐No
- (2) amount of securities to be bought or sold for a *client's* account?

☒Yes☐No
- (3) broker or dealer to be used for a purchase or sale of securities for a *client's* account?

☒Yes☐No
- (4) commission rates to be paid to a broker or dealer for a *client's* securities transactions?

☐Yes☒No
- D. If you answer "yes" to C.(3) above, are any of the brokers or dealers *related persons*?
- ☒Yes☐No
- E. Do you or any *related person* recommend brokers or dealers to *clients*?
- ☒Yes☐No
- F. If you answer "yes" to E. above, are any of the brokers or dealers *related persons*?
- ☒Yes☐No
- G. (1) Do you or any *related person* receive research or other products or services other than execution from a broker-dealer or a third party ("soft dollar benefits") in connection with *client* securities transactions?
- ☐Yes☒No
- G. (2) If "yes" to G.(1) above, are all the "soft dollar benefits" you or any *related persons* receive eligible "research or brokerage services" under section 28(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934?
- ☐Yes☒No
- H. (1) Do you or any *related person*, directly or indirectly, compensate any *person* that is not an *employee* for *client* referrals?
- ☐Yes☒No
- H. (2) Do you or any *related person*, directly or indirectly, provide any *employee* compensation that is specifically related to obtaining *clients* for the firm (cash or non-cash compensation in addition to the *employee's* regular salary)?
- ☐Yes☒No
- I. Do you or any *related person*, including any *employee*, directly or indirectly, receive compensation from any *person* (other than you or any *related person*) for *client* referrals?
- ☐Yes☒No
- In your response to Item 8.I., do not include the regular salary you pay to an employee.

In responding to Items 8.H. and 8.I., consider all cash and non-cash compensation that you or a related person gave to (in answering Item 8.H.) or received from (in answering Item 8.I.) any person in exchange for client referrals, including any bonus that is based, at least in part, on the number or amount of client referrals.

Item 9 Custody

In this Item, we ask you whether you or a *related person* has *custody* of *client* (other than *clients* that are investment companies registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940) assets and about your custodial practices.

- A. (1) Do you have *custody* of any advisory *clients'*:
- Yes

No
- (a) cash or bank accounts?

☒Yes☐No
- (b) securities?

☒Yes☐No

If you are registering or registered with the SEC, answer "No" to Item 9.A.(1)(a) and (b) if you have custody solely because (i) you deduct your advisory fees directly from your clients' accounts, or (ii) a related person has custody of client assets in connection with advisory services you provide to clients, but you have overcome the presumption that you are not operationally independent (pursuant to Advisers Act rule 206(4)-2(d)(5)) from the related person.

- (2) If you checked "yes" to Item 9.A.(1)(a) or (b), what is the approximate amount of *client* funds and securities and total number of *clients* for which you have *custody*:
- U.S. Dollar Amount

Total Number of *Clients*

(a) \$ 158,512,020

(b) 194

If you are registering or registered with the SEC and you have custody solely because you deduct your advisory fees directly from your clients' accounts, do not include the amount of those assets and the number of those clients in your response to Item 9.A.(2). If your related person has custody of client assets in connection with advisory services you provide to clients, do not include the amount of those assets and number of those clients in your response to 9.A.(2). Instead, include that information in your response to Item 9.B.(2).

- (1) Name of the *independent public accountant*:
CHERRY BEKAERT

(2) The location of the *independent public accountant's* office responsible for the services provided:

Number and Street 1:		Number and Street 2:	
3800 GLENWOOD AVENUE, SUITE 200			
City:	State:	Country:	ZIP+4/Postal Code:
RALEIGH	North Carolina	United States	27612

(3) Is the *independent public accountant* registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board?

If "yes," Public Company Accounting Oversight Board-Assigned Number:
677

(4) If "yes" to (3) above, is the *independent public accountant* subject to regular inspection by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board in accordance with its rules?

(5) The *independent public accountant* is engaged to:

- A. ☐ audit a pooled investment vehicle
- B. ☒ perform a surprise examination of *clients'* assets
- C. ☒ prepare an internal control report
- (6) Since your last *annual updating amendment*, did all of the reports prepared by the *independent public accountant* that audited the pooled investment vehicle or that examined internal controls contain unqualified opinions?
- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Report Not Yet Received
- If you check "Report Not Yet Received", you must promptly file an amendment to your Form ADV to update your response when the accountant's report is available.*

Item 10 Control Persons	
In this Item, we ask you to identify every <i>person</i> that, directly or indirectly, <i>controls</i> you. If you are filing an <i>umbrella registration</i>, the information in Item 10 should be provided for the <i>filing adviser</i> only.	
If you are submitting an initial application or report, you must complete Schedule A and Schedule B. Schedule A asks for information about your direct owners and executive officers. Schedule B asks for information about your indirect owners. If this is an amendment and you are updating information you reported on either Schedule A or Schedule B (or both) that you filed with your initial application or report, you must complete Schedule C.	
	Yes No
A.	Does any <i>person</i> not named in Item 1.A. or Schedules A, B, or C, directly or indirectly, <i>control</i> your management or policies? ☐ ☒
<i>If yes, complete Section 10.A. of Schedule D.</i>	
B.	If any <i>person</i> named in Schedules A, B, or C or in Section 10.A. of Schedule D is a public reporting company under Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, please complete Section 10.B. of Schedule D.

SECTION 10.A. <i>Control Persons</i>	
No Information Filed	

SECTION 10.B. *Control Person Public Reporting Companies*

B. If any *person* named in Schedules A, B, or C, or in Section 10.A. of Schedule D is a public reporting company under Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, please provide the following information (you must complete a separate Schedule D Section 10.B. for each public reporting company):

(1) Full legal name of the public reporting company:	FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARES, INC.
(2) The public reporting company's CIK number (Central Index Key number that the SEC assigns to each reporting company):	798941

Item 11 Disclosure Information	
In this Item, we ask for information about your disciplinary history and the disciplinary history of all your <i>advisory affiliates</i>. We use this information to determine whether to grant your application for registration, to decide whether to revoke your registration or to place limitations on your activities as an investment adviser, and to identify potential problem areas to focus on during our on-site examinations. One event may result in "yes" answers to more than one of the questions below. In accordance with General Instruction 5 to Form ADV, "you" and "your" include the <i>filing adviser</i> and all <i>relying advisers</i> under an <i>umbrella registration</i>. Your <i>advisory affiliates</i> are: (1) all of your current <i>employees</i> (other than <i>employees</i> performing only clerical, administrative, support or similar functions); (2) all of your officers, partners, or directors (or any <i>person</i> performing similar functions); and (3) all <i>persons</i> directly or indirectly <i>controlling</i> you or <i>controlled</i> by you. If you are a "separately identifiable department or division" (SID) of a bank, see the Glossary of Terms to determine who your <i>advisory affiliates</i> are. <i>If you are registered or registering with the SEC or if you are an exempt reporting adviser, you may limit your disclosure of any event listed in Item 11 to ten years following the date of the event. If you are registered or registering with a state, you must respond to the questions as posed; you may, therefore, limit your disclosure to ten years following the date of an event only in responding to Items 11.A.(1), 11.A.(2), 11.B.(1), 11.B.(2), 11.D.(4), and 11.H.(1)(a). For purposes of calculating this ten-year period, the date of an event is the date the final order, judgment, or decree was entered, or the date any rights of appeal from preliminary orders, judgments, or decrees lapsed.</i> You must complete the appropriate Disclosure Reporting Page ("DRP") for "yes" answers to the questions in this Item 11.	
	Yes No
Do any of the events below involve you or any of your <i>supervised persons</i> ?	
For "yes" answers to the following questions, complete a Criminal Action DRP:	

A.	In the past ten years, have you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> :		Yes	No
	(1) been convicted of or pled guilty or nolo contendere ("no contest") in a domestic, foreign, or military court to any <i>felony</i> ?	☐	☒	
	(2) been <i>charged</i> with any <i>felony</i> ?	☐	☒	
<i>If you are registered or registering with the SEC, or if you are reporting as an exempt reporting adviser, you may limit your response to Item 11.A.(2) to charges that are currently pending.</i>				
B.	In the past ten years, have you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> :			
	(1) been convicted of or pled guilty or nolo contendere ("no contest") in a domestic, foreign, or military court to a <i>misdemeanor</i> involving: investments or an <i>investment-related</i> business, or any fraud, false statements, or omissions, wrongful taking of property, bribery, perjury, forgery, counterfeiting, extortion, or a conspiracy to commit any of these offenses?	☐	☒	
	(2) been <i>charged</i> with a <i>misdemeanor</i> listed in Item 11.B.(1)?	☐	☒	
<i>If you are registered or registering with the SEC, or if you are reporting as an exempt reporting adviser, you may limit your response to Item 11.B.(2) to charges that are currently pending.</i>				
For "yes" answers to the following questions, complete a Regulatory Action DRP:				
C.	Has the SEC or the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC) ever:		Yes	No
	(1) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have made a false statement or omission?	☒	☐	
	(2) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been <i>involved</i> in a violation of SEC or CFTC regulations or statutes?	☒	☐	
	(3) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been a cause of an <i>investment-related</i> business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended, revoked, or restricted?	☐	☒	
	(4) entered an <i>order</i> against you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> in connection with <i>investment-related</i> activity?	☒	☐	
	(5) imposed a civil money penalty on you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> , or <i>ordered</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to cease and desist from any activity?	☒	☐	
D.	Has any other federal regulatory agency, any state regulatory agency, or any <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> :			
	(1) ever <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have made a false statement or omission, or been dishonest, unfair, or unethical?	☐	☒	
	(2) ever <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been <i>involved</i> in a violation of <i>investment-related</i> regulations or statutes?	☒	☐	
	(3) ever <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been a cause of an <i>investment-related</i> business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended, revoked, or restricted?	☐	☒	
	(4) in the past ten years, entered an <i>order</i> against you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> in connection with an <i>investment-related</i> activity?	☐	☒	
	(5) ever denied, suspended, or revoked your or any <i>advisory affiliate's</i> registration or license, or otherwise prevented you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> , by <i>order</i> , from associating with an <i>investment-related</i> business or restricted your or any <i>advisory affiliate's</i> activity?	☐	☒	
E.	Has any <i>self-regulatory organization</i> or commodities exchange ever:			
	(1) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have made a false statement or omission?	☐	☒	
	(2) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been <i>involved</i> in a violation of its rules (other than a violation designated as a " <i>minor rule violation</i> " under a plan approved by the SEC)?	☐	☒	
	(3) <i>found</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> to have been the cause of an <i>investment-related</i> business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended, revoked, or restricted?	☐	☒	
	(4) disciplined you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> by expelling or suspending you or the <i>advisory affiliate</i> from membership, barring or suspending you or the <i>advisory affiliate</i> from association with other members, or otherwise restricting your or the <i>advisory affiliate's</i> activities?	☐	☒	
F.	Has an authorization to act as an attorney, accountant, or federal contractor granted to you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> ever been revoked or suspended?	☐	☒	
G.	Are you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> now the subject of any regulatory <i>proceeding</i> that could result in a "yes" answer to any part of Item 11.C., 11.D., or 11.E.?	☐	☒	
For "yes" answers to the following questions, complete a Civil Judicial Action DRP:				
H.	(1) Has any domestic or foreign court:		Yes	No
	(a) in the past ten years, <i>enjoined</i> you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> in connection with any <i>investment-related</i> activity?	☐	☒	
	(b) ever <i>found</i> that you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> were <i>involved</i> in a violation of <i>investment-related</i> statutes or regulations?	☐	☒	
	(c) ever dismissed, pursuant to a settlement agreement, an <i>investment-related</i> civil action brought against you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> by a state or <i>foreign financial regulatory authority</i> ?	☐	☒	
	(2) Are you or any <i>advisory affiliate</i> now the subject of any civil <i>proceeding</i> that could result in a "yes" answer to any part of Item 11.H.(1)?	☐	☒	

Item 12 Small Businesses

The SEC is required by the Regulatory Flexibility Act to consider the effect of its regulations on small entities. In order to do this, we need to determine whether you meet the definition of "small business" or "small organization" under rule 0-7.

Answer this Item 12 only if you are registered or registering with the SEC **and** you indicated in response to Item 5.F.(2)(c) that you have regulatory assets under management of less than \$25 million. You are not required to answer this Item 12 if you are filing for initial registration as a state adviser, amending a current state registration, or switching from SEC to state registration.

For purposes of this Item 12 only:

- Total Assets refers to the total assets of a firm, rather than the assets managed on behalf of *clients*. In determining your or another *person's* total assets, you may use the total assets shown on a current balance sheet (but use total assets reported on a consolidated balance sheet with subsidiaries included, if that amount is larger).
- *Control* means the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of a *person*, whether through ownership of securities, by contract, or otherwise. Any *person* that directly or indirectly has the right to vote 25 percent or more of the voting securities, or is entitled to 25 percent or more of the profits, of another *person* is presumed to *control* the other *person*.

YesNo

A. Did you have total assets of \$5 million or more on the last day of your most recent fiscal year?

If "yes," you do not need to answer Items 12.B. and 12.C.

B. Do you:

(1) control another investment adviser that had regulatory assets under management (calculated in response to Item 5.F.(2)(c) of Form ADV) of \$25 million or more on the last day of its most recent fiscal year?

(2) control another person (other than a natural person) that had total assets of \$5 million or more on the last day of its most recent fiscal year?

C. Are you:

(1) controlled by or under common control with another investment adviser that had regulatory assets under management (calculated in response to Item 5.F.(2)(c) of Form ADV) of \$25 million or more on the last day of its most recent fiscal year?

(2) controlled by or under common control with another person (other than a natural person) that had total assets of \$5 million or more on the last day of its most recent fiscal year?

Schedule A

Direct Owners and Executive Officers

1. Complete Schedule A only if you are submitting an initial application or report. Schedule A asks for information about your direct owners and executive officers. Use Schedule C to amend this information.

2. Direct Owners and Executive Officers. List below the names of:

(a) each Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operations Officer, Chief Legal Officer, Chief Compliance Officer(Chief Compliance Officer is required if you are registered or applying for registration and cannot be more than one individual), director, and any other individuals with similar status or functions;

(b) if you are organized as a corporation, each shareholder that is a direct owner of 5% or more of a class of your voting securities, unless you are a public reporting company (a company subject to Section 12 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act);

Direct owners include any person that owns, beneficially owns, has the right to vote, or has the power to sell or direct the sale of, 5% or more of a class of your voting securities. For purposes of this Schedule, a person beneficially owns any securities: (i) owned by his/her child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse, sibling, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law, sharing the same residence; or (ii) that he/she has the right to acquire, within 60 days, through the exercise of any option, warrant, or right to purchase the security.

(c) if you are organized as a partnership, all general partners and those limited and special partners that have the right to receive upon dissolution, or have contributed, 5% or more of your capital;

(d) in the case of a trust that directly owns 5% or more of a class of your voting securities, or that has the right to receive upon dissolution, or has contributed, 5% or more of your capital, the trust and each trustee; and

(e) if you are organized as a limited liability company ("LLC"), (i) those members that have the right to receive upon dissolution, or have contributed, 5% or more of your capital, and (ii) if managed by elected managers, all elected managers.

3. Do you have any indirect owners to be reported on Schedule B?

YesNo

4. In the DE/FE/I column below, enter "DE" if the owner is a domestic entity, "FE" if the owner is an entity incorporated or domiciled in a foreign country, or "I" if the owner or executive officer is an individual.

5. Complete the Title or Status column by entering board/management titles; status as partner, trustee, sole proprietor, elected manager, shareholder, or member; and for shareholders or members, the class of securities owned (if more than one is issued).

6. Ownership codes are:

NA - less than 5%

B - 10% but less than 25%

D - 50% but less than 75%

A - 5% but less than 10%

C - 25% but less than 50%

E - 75% or more

7. (a) In the Control Person column, enter "Yes" if the person has control as defined in the Glossary of Terms to Form ADV, and enter "No" if the person does not have control. Note that under this definition, most executive officers and all 25% owners, general partners, elected managers, and trustees are control persons.

(b) In the PR column, enter "PR" if the owner is a public reporting company under Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act.

(c) Complete each column.

FULL LEGAL NAME (Individuals: Last Name, First Name, Middle Name)	DE/FE/I	Title or Status	Date Title or Status Acquired MM / YYYY	Ownership Code	Control Person	PR	CRD No. If None: S.S. No. and Date of Birth, IRS Tax No. or Employer ID No.
FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY	DE	100% OWNER	01/1994	E	Y	N	
BILITER, DAVID LEE	I	DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT	12/2020	NA	Y	N	1690995
MCCALLUM, CHARLES FALCONER III	I	DIRECTOR, SENIOR DIRECTOR WEALTH RISK & GOVERNANCE	02/2024	NA	Y	N	2697260

LONGEST, MICHAEL LEE	I	DIRECTOR, SENIOR DIRECTOR WEALTH FINANCE & TECHNOLOGY	07/2024	NA	Y	N	6692593
WILSON, MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER	I	DIRECTOR, WEALTH MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE	02/2014	NA	Y	N	4301352
CECE, MARY	I	SECRETARY	04/2025	NA	Y	N	2135583
SHORES, SERINA M.	I	SENIOR DIRECTOR FCIS COMPLIANCE	05/2025	NA	Y	N	4076684
MEARS, JOHANNA MARIE	I	CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER	03/2026	NA	Y	N	5951329

Schedule B

Indirect Owners

1. Complete Schedule B only if you are submitting an initial application or report. Schedule B asks for information about your indirect owners; you must first complete Schedule A, which asks for information about your direct owners. Use Schedule C to amend this information.
2. Indirect Owners. With respect to each owner listed on Schedule A (except individual owners), list below:

(a) in the case of an owner that is a corporation, each of its shareholders that beneficially owns, has the right to vote, or has the power to sell or direct the sale of, 25% or more of a class of a voting security of that corporation;

For purposes of this Schedule, a *person* beneficially owns any securities: (i) owned by his/her child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse, sibling, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law, sharing the same residence; or (ii) that he/she has the right to acquire, within 60 days, through the exercise of any option, warrant, or right to purchase the security.

(b) in the case of an owner that is a partnership, all general partners and those limited and special partners that have the right to receive upon dissolution, or have contributed, 25% or more of the partnership's capital;

(c) in the case of an owner that is a trust, the trust and each trustee; and

(d) in the case of an owner that is a limited liability company ("LLC"), (i) those members that have the right to receive upon dissolution, or have contributed, 25% or more of the LLC's capital, and (ii) if managed by elected managers, all elected managers.
3. Continue up the chain of ownership listing all 25% owners at each level. Once a public reporting company (a company subject to Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act) is reached, no further ownership information need be given.
4. In the DE/FE/I column below, enter "DE" if the owner is a domestic entity, "FE" if the owner is an entity incorporated or domiciled in a foreign country, or "I" if the owner is an individual.
5. Complete the Status column by entering the owner's status as partner, trustee, elected manager, shareholder, or member; and for shareholders or members, the class of securities owned (if more than one is issued).
6. Ownership codes are: C - 25% but less than 50% E - 75% or more
 D - 50% but less than 75% F - Other (general partner, trustee, or elected manager)
7. (a) In the *Control Person* column, enter "Yes" if the *person* has *control* as defined in the Glossary of Terms to Form ADV, and enter "No" if the *person* does not have *control*. Note that under this definition, most executive officers and all 25% owners, general partners, elected managers, and trustees are *control persons*.

(b) In the PR column, enter "PR" if the owner is a public reporting company under Sections 12 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act.

(c) Complete each column.

FULL LEGAL NAME (Individuals: Last Name, First Name, Middle Name)	DE/FE/I	Entity in Which Interest is Owned	Status	Date Status Acquired MM/YYYY	Ownership Code	Control Person	PR	CRD No. If None: S.S. No. and Date of Birth, IRS Tax No. or Employer ID No.
FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARES, INC.	DE	FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY	OWNER	01/1994	E	Y	Y	

Schedule D - Miscellaneous

You may use the space below to explain a response to an Item or to provide any other information.

ITEM 1.L RECORDS ARE Maintained ELECTRONICALLY BY PERSHING, CLEARING FIRM, AND AT THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE. ITEM 5.I (2) FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES (FCIS) SPONSORED MUTUAL FUND WRAP PROGRAM. Section 6.A FCIS USING A FIRST CITIZENS WEALTH MANAGEMENT NAME WITH FCIS NAME ON SOME FORMS. FIRST CITIZENS WEALTH MANAGEMENT IS MARKETING MARK NOT AN ENTITY. SECTION 6.B.(3) FCIS IS AN RIA, BROKER DEALER AND AN INSURNACE AGENCY. CLIENTS MAY BE OFFERED BROKERAGE PRODUCTS UNDER THE BROKER DEALER OR INSURANCE PRODUCTS UNDER THE INSURANCE AGENCY. SECTION 10.B. FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARE IS A PUBLIC REPORTING COMPANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON SCHEDULE B. FIRST CITIZENS BANCSHARE IS THE PARENT COMPANY OF FIRST CITIZENS BANK & TRUST AND FIRST CITIZENS BANK & TRUST IS THE PARENT OF FCIS.

Schedule R

No Information Filed

DRP Pages

CRIMINAL DISCLOSURE REPORTING PAGE (ADV)

No Information Filed

REGULATORY ACTION DISCLOSURE REPORTING PAGE (ADV)

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

This Disclosure Reporting Page (DRP ADV) is an ☐ INITIAL **OR** ☒ AMENDED response used to report details for affirmative responses to Items 11.C., 11.D., 11.E., 11.F. or 11.G. of Form ADV.

Regulatory Action

Check item(s) being responded to:

- ☒ 11.C(1)
- ☒ 11.C(2)
- ☐ 11.C(3)
- ☒ 11.C(4)
- ☒ 11.C(5)
- ☐ 11.D(1)
- ☐ 11.D(2)
- ☐ 11.D(3)
- ☐ 11.D(4)
- ☐ 11.D(5)
- ☐ 11.E(1)
- ☐ 11.E(2)
- ☐ 11.E(3)
- ☐ 11.E(4)
- ☐ 11.F.
- ☐ 11.G.

Use a separate DRP for each event or *proceeding* . The same event or *proceeding* may be reported for more than one *person* or entity using one DRP. File with a completed Execution Page.

One event may result in more than one affirmative answer to Items 11.C., 11.D., 11.E., 11.F. or 11.G. Use only one DRP to report details related to the same event. If an event gives rise to actions by more than one regulator, provide details for each action on a separate DRP.

PART I

A. The *person(s)* or entity(ies) for whom this DRP is being filed is (are):

- ☒ You (the advisory firm)
- ☐ You and one or more of your *advisory affiliates*
- ☐ One or more of your *advisory affiliates*

If this DRP is being filed for an *advisory affiliate*, give the full name of the *advisory affiliate* below (for individuals, Last name, First name, Middle name). If the *advisory affiliate* has a *CRD* number, provide that number. If not, indicate "non-registered" by checking the appropriate box.

ADV DRP - ADVISORY AFFILIATE

No Information Filed

- ☐ This DRP should be removed from the ADV record because the *advisory affiliate(s)* is no longer associated with the adviser.
- ☐ This DRP should be removed from the ADV record because: (1) the event or *proceeding* occurred more than ten years ago or (2) the adviser is registered or applying for registration with the SEC or reporting as an *exempt reporting adviser* with the SEC and the event was resolved in the adviser's or *advisory affiliate's* favor.

If you are registered or registering with a *state securities authority* , you may remove a DRP for an event you reported only in response to Item 11.D(4), and only if that event occurred more than ten years ago. If you are registered or registering with the SEC, you may remove a DRP for any event listed in Item 11 that occurred more than ten years ago.

- ☐ This DRP should be removed from the ADV record because it was filed in error, such as due to a clerical or data-entry mistake. Explain the circumstances:

B. If the *advisory affiliate* is registered through the IARD system or *CRD* system, has the *advisory affiliate* submitted a DRP (with Form ADV, BD or U-4) to the IARD or *CRD* for the event? If the answer is "Yes," no other information on this DRP must be provided.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

NOTE: The completion of this form does not relieve the *advisory affiliate* of its obligation to update its IARD or *CRD* records.

PART II

1. Regulatory Action initiated by:

☒ SEC ☐ Other Federal ☐ State ☐ SRO ☐ Foreign

(Full name of regulator, *foreign financial regulatory authority*, federal, state, or *SRO*)

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

2. Principal Sanction:

Cease and Desist

Other Sanctions:

CENSURE, DISGORGEMENT, PREJUDGMENT INTEREST, AND UNDERTAKINGS.

3. Date Initiated (MM/DD/YYYY):
03/11/2019 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

4. Docket/Case Number:
FILE NO. 3-19027

5. *Advisory Affiliate* Employing Firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action (if applicable):

6. Principal Product Type:
Mutual Fund(s)
Other Product Types:

7. Describe the allegations related to this regulatory action (your response must fit within the space provided):
IN FEBRUARY 2018, THE U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION ("SEC") ANNOUNCED AN INDUSTRY-WIDE INITIATIVE TO IDENTIFY AND REMEDY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST THAT ARISE WHERE INVESTMENT ADVISERS FAILED TO MAKE REQUIRED DISCLOSURES RELATING TO THEIR SELECTION OF CERTAIN MUTUAL FUND SHARE CLASSES THAT PAID THE ADVISER (OR ITS RELATED ENTITIES) A FEE PURSUANT TO RULE 12B-1 UNDER THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940 ("12B-1 FEE") WHEN A LOWER-COST SHARE CLASS FOR THE SAME FUND WAS AVAILABLE TO CLIENTS. BASED ON INFORMATION THAT FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES, INC. ("FCIS") SELF-DISCLOSED, THE SEC ISSUED AN ORDER INSTITUTING ADMINISTRATIVE AND CEASE-AND-DESIST PROCEEDINGS AGAINST FCIS ON MARCH 11, 2019 (THE "ORDER"). THE SEC DETERMINED THAT, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2014 TO JULY 20, 2018, FCIS PURCHASED, RECOMMENDED OR HELD FOR ADVISORY CLIENTS MUTUAL FUND SHARE CLASSES THAT PAID 12B-1 FEES TO FCIS INSTEAD OF LOWER-COST SHARE CLASSES FOR THE SAME FUNDS FOR WHICH THE CLIENTS WERE ELIGIBLE. THE SEC DETERMINED THAT FCIS DID NOT ADEQUATELY DISCLOSE: (A) ITS RECEIPT OF 12B-1 FEES, AND/OR (B) ITS SELECTION OF MUTUAL FUND SHARE CLASSES THAT PAY SUCH FEES. THE SEC FOUND THAT THIS CONDUCT VIOLATED SECTIONS 206(2) AND 207 OF THE INVESTMENT ADVISERS ACT OF 1940 (THE "ADVISERS ACT"). FCIS CONSENTED TO THE ORDER WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE SEC'S FINDINGS.

8. Current Status? ☐ Pending ☐ On Appeal ☒ Final

9. If on appeal, regulatory action appealed to (SEC, SRO, Federal or State Court) and Date Appeal Filed:

If Final or On Appeal, complete all items below. For Pending Actions, complete Item 13 only.

10. How was matter resolved:
Decision & Order of Offer of Settlement

11. Resolution Date (MM/DD/YYYY):
03/11/2019 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

12. Resolution Detail:

A. Were any of the following Sanctions *Ordered* (check all appropriate items)?

☐ Monetary/Fine Amount: \$
☐ Revocation/Expulsion/Denial
☒ Censure
☐ Bar

☒ Disgorgement/Restitution
☒ Cease and Desist/Injunction
☐ Suspension

B. Other Sanctions *Ordered*:
PREJUDGMENT INTEREST AND, WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE ORDER: (A) REVISE, AS NECESSARY, DISCLOSURE DOCUMENTS CONCERNING MUTUAL FUND SHARE CLASS SELECTION AND 12B-1 FEES; (B) MOVE CLIENTS TO A LOWER-COST SHARE CLASS, AS NECESSARY; (C) REVISE, AS NECESSARY, POLICIES AND PROCEDURES RELATED TO MUTUAL FUND SHARE CLASS SELECTION DISCLOSURES; AND (D) NOTIFY AFFECTED INVESTORS OF THE TERMS OF THE ORDER.
Sanction detail: if suspended, *enjoined* or barred, provide duration including start date and capacities affected (General Securities Principal, Financial Operations Principal, etc.). If requalification by exam/retraining was a condition of the sanction, provide length of time given to requalify/retrain, type of exam required and whether condition has been satisfied. If disposition resulted in a fine, penalty, restitution, disgorgement or monetary compensation, provide total amount, portion levied against you or an *advisory affiliate*, date paid and if any portion of penalty was waived:
THE SEC CENSURED AND ORDERED FCIS TO CEASE AND DESIST FROM COMMITTING OR CAUSING ANY VIOLATIONS AND ANY FUTURE VIOLATIONS OF SECTIONS 206(2) AND 207 OF THE ADVISERS ACT. THE SEC ALSO ORDERED FCIS TO PAY \$359,872.11 IN DISGORGEMENT AND \$42,793.07 IN PREJUDGMENT INTEREST TO FCIS INVESTORS AFFECTED BY THE CONDUCT DESCRIBED IN THE ORDER, PURSUANT TO PROCEDURES OUTLINED THEREIN. THE SEC DID NOT ORDER A CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY OR FINE.

13. Provide a brief summary of details related to the action status and (or) disposition and include relevant terms, conditions and dates (your response must fit within the space provided).
ON MARCH 11, 2019, FCIS CONSENTED, WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING THE FINDINGS (EXCEPT AS TO JURISDICTION), TO THE ISSUANCE OF THE ORDER. (ON THE SAME DAY, THE SEC ISSUED SIMILAR ORDERS AGAINST 78 OTHER INVESTMENT ADVISERS.) THE SEC'S FINDINGS AGAINST FCIS ARE SUMMARIZED IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 7 ABOVE. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SEC'S ORDER, FCIS HAS DEPOSITED THE DISGORGEMENT AND

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

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Regulatory Action				
Check item(s) being responded to:				
☐ 11.C(1)	☐ 11.C(2)	☐ 11.C(3)	☐ 11.C(4)	☐ 11.C(5)
☐ 11.D(1)	☒ 11.D(2)	☐ 11.D(3)	☐ 11.D(4)	☐ 11.D(5)
☐ 11.E(1)	☐ 11.E(2)	☐ 11.E(3)	☐ 11.E(4)	
☐ 11.F.	☐ 11.G.			

Use a separate *DRP* for each event or *proceeding* . The same event or *proceeding* may be reported for more than one *person* or entity using one *DRP*. File with a completed Execution Page.

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PART I

A. The *person(s)* or entity(ies) for whom this *DRP* is being filed is (are):

- ☐ You (the advisory firm)
- ☒ You and one or more of your *advisory affiliates*
- ☐ One or more of your *advisory affiliates*

If this *DRP* is being filed for an *advisory affiliate*, give the full name of the *advisory affiliate* below (for individuals, Last name, First name, Middle name). If the *advisory affiliate* has a *CRD* number, provide that number. If not, indicate "non-registered" by checking the appropriate box.

ADV <i>DRP</i> - ADVISORY AFFILIATE	
<i>CRD</i> Number:	2088848
This <i>advisory affiliate</i> is ☐ a Firm ☒ an Individual	
Registered:	☒ Yes ☐ No
Name:	Shriver, Scott, Kirk (For individuals, Last, First, Middle)

- ☐ This *DRP* should be removed from the *ADV* record because the *advisory affiliate(s)* is no longer associated with the adviser.
- ☐ This *DRP* should be removed from the *ADV* record because: (1) the event or *proceeding* occurred more than ten years ago or (2) the adviser is registered or applying for registration with the SEC or reporting as an *exempt reporting adviser* with the SEC and the event was resolved in the adviser's or *advisory affiliate's* favor.

If you are registered or registering with a *state securities authority* , you may remove a *DRP* for an event you reported only in response to Item 11.D(4), and only if that event occurred more than ten years ago. If you are registered or registering with the SEC, you may remove a *DRP* for any event listed in Item 11 that occurred more than ten years ago.

- ☐ This *DRP* should be removed from the *ADV* record because it was filed in error, such as due to a clerical or data-entry mistake. Explain the circumstances:

B. If the *advisory affiliate* is registered through the *IARD* system or *CRD* system, has the *advisory affiliate* submitted a *DRP* (with Form *ADV*, *BD* or *U-4*) to the *IARD* or *CRD* for the event? If the answer is "Yes," no other information on this *DRP* must be provided.

- ☒ Yes ☐ No

NOTE: The completion of this form does not relieve the *advisory affiliate* of its obligation to update its *IARD* or *CRD* records.

PART II

- Regulatory Action initiated by:
 - ☐ SEC ☐ Other Federal ☒ State ☐ SRO ☐ Foreign
 - (Full name of regulator, *foreign financial regulatory authority*, federal, state, or *SRO*)
 - COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

2. Principal Sanction:
Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)
Other Sanctions:

3. Date Initiated (MM/DD/YYYY):
12/09/2021 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

4. Docket/Case Number:
INS-2021-00147

5. *Advisory Affiliate* Employing Firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action (if applicable):
FIRST CITIZENS INVESTOR SERVICES, INC.

6. Principal Product Type:
Annuity(ies) - Fixed
Other Product Types:

7. Describe the allegations related to this regulatory action (your response must fit within the space provided):
VA 38.2-502.1 MISREPRESENTATION OF THE BENEFITS, ADVANTAGES, CONDITIONS OR TERMS OF AN INSURANCE POLICY. A) ALLEGATION THAT THE SURRENDER SCHEDULE FOLLOWING THE INITIAL 3 YEAR TERM WAS NOT FULLY DISCLOSED TO THREE CLIENTS B) AGENT SHRIVER DID NOT PERSONALLY MEET WITH FOUR CLIENTS TO VERIFY IDENTITIES AND VERIFY SUITABILITY OF THE TRANSACTIONS. VA 38.2.2-512 MISREPRESENTATION IN INSURANCE DOCUMENTS OR COMMUNICATIONS. AGENT SHRIVER SIGNED APPLICATIONS WITHOUT PERSONALLY MEETING CLIENTS THOUGH THE CERTIFICATION INDICATED HE HAD.

8. Current Status? ☐ Pending ☐ On Appeal ☒ Final

9. If on appeal, regulatory action appealed to (SEC, SRO, Federal or State Court) and Date Appeal Filed:

If Final or On Appeal, complete all items below. For Pending Actions, complete Item 13 only.

10. How was matter resolved:
Settled

11. Resolution Date (MM/DD/YYYY):
01/25/2022 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

12. Resolution Detail:

A. Were any of the following Sanctions *Ordered* (check all appropriate items)?

☒ Monetary/Fine Amount: \$ 1,000.00

☐ Revocation/Expulsion/Denial

☐ Censure

☐ Bar

☐ Disgorgement/Restitution

☐ Cease and Desist/Injunction

☐ Suspension

B. Other Sanctions *Ordered*:

Sanction detail: if suspended, *enjoined* or barred, provide duration including start date and capacities affected (General Securities Principal, Financial Operations Principal, etc.). If requalification by exam/retraining was a condition of the sanction, provide length of time given to requalify/retrain, type of exam required and whether condition has been satisfied. If disposition resulted in a fine, penalty, restitution, disgorgement or monetary compensation, provide total amount, portion levied against you or an *advisory affiliate*, date paid and if any portion of penalty was waived:
\$1,000 SETTLEMENT PAID TO THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA BY THE AGENT ON OR AROUND JANUARY 25, 2022.

13. Provide a brief summary of details related to the action status and (or) disposition and include relevant terms, conditions and dates (your response must fit within the space provided).
ON JANUARY 25, 2022 THE INVESTIGATION WAS SETTLED WITHOUT ADMITTING OR DENYING ANY ALLEGATION. A MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF \$1,000.00 USD WAS PAID TO THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

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Regulatory Action

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☐ 11.E(1)	☐ 11.E(2)	☐ 11.E(3)	☐ 11.E(4)	
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PART I

A. The *person(s)* or entity(ies) for whom this DRP is being filed is (are):

- ☒ You (the advisory firm)
- ☐ You and one or more of your *advisory affiliates*
- ☐ One or more of your *advisory affiliates*

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ADV DRP - ADVISORY AFFILIATE

No Information Filed

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If you are registered or registering with a *state securities authority* , you may remove a DRP for an event you reported only in response to Item 11.D(4), and only if that event occurred more than ten years ago. If you are registered or registering with the SEC, you may remove a DRP for any event listed in Item 11 that occurred more than ten years ago.

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B. If the *advisory affiliate* is registered through the IARD system or *CRD* system, has the *advisory affiliate* submitted a DRP (with Form ADV, BD or U-4) to the IARD or *CRD* for the event? If the answer is "Yes," no other information on this DRP must be provided.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

NOTE: The completion of this form does not relieve the *advisory affiliate* of its obligation to update its IARD or *CRD* records.

PART II

1. Regulatory Action initiated by:

- ☐ SEC
- ☐ Other Federal
- ☒ State
- ☐ SRO
- ☐ Foreign

(Full name of regulator, *foreign financial regulatory authority*, federal, state, or *SRO*)
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

2. Principal Sanction:

Civil and Administrative Penalt(ies) /Fine(s)
Other Sanctions:

3. Date Initiated (MM/DD/YYYY):

11/06/2019 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

4. Docket/Case Number:

2019-15498-INS

5. *Advisory Affiliate* Employing Firm when activity occurred which led to the regulatory action (if applicable):

N/A

6. Principal Product Type:
Insurance
Other Product Types:

7. Describe the allegations related to this regulatory action (your response must fit within the space provided):
FAILURE TO TIMELY REPORT AN ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION IN VIOLATION OF LA.R.S. 22:1563A

8. Current Status? ☐ Pending ☐ On Appeal ☒ Final

9. If on appeal, regulatory action appealed to (SEC, SRO, Federal or State Court) and Date Appeal Filed:

If Final or On Appeal, complete all items below. For Pending Actions, complete Item 13 only.

10. How was matter resolved:
Consent

11. Resolution Date (MM/DD/YYYY):
01/29/2020 ☒ Exact ☐ Explanation
If not exact, provide explanation:

12. Resolution Detail:

A. Were any of the following Sanctions *Ordered* (check all appropriate items)?

☒ Monetary/Fine Amount: \$ 250.00

☐ Revocation/Expulsion/Denial

☐ Censure

☐ Bar

☐ Disgorgement/Restitution

☐ Cease and Desist/Injunction

☐ Suspension

B. Other Sanctions *Ordered*:

Sanction detail: if suspended, *enjoined* or barred, provide duration including start date and capacities affected (General Securities Principal, Financial Operations Principal, etc.). If requalification by exam/retraining was a condition of the sanction, provide length of time given to requalify/retrain, type of exam required and whether condition has been satisfied. If disposition resulted in a fine, penalty, restitution, disgorgement or monetary compensation, provide total amount, portion levied against you or an *advisory affiliate*, date paid and if any portion of penalty was waived:
FINE WAS PAID IN FULL TO THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE ON 01/29/2020.

13. Provide a brief summary of details related to the action status and (or) disposition and include relevant terms, conditions and dates (your response must fit within the space provided).
NOTE THE ACTION WAS APPEALED ON 12/04/2019 WITHIN THE 30 DAY ALLOWABLE TIMEFRAME. THE APPEAL WAS WITHDRAWN ON 01/24/2020.

CIVIL JUDICIAL ACTION DISCLOSURE REPORTING PAGE (ADV)

No Information Filed

Part 2

Exemption from brochure delivery requirements for SEC-registered advisers

SEC rules exempt SEC-registered advisers from delivering a firm brochure to some kinds of clients. If these exemptions excuse you from delivering a brochure to *all* of your advisory clients, you do not have to prepare a brochure.

Are you exempt from delivering a brochure to all of your clients under these rules?

Yes No

☐ ☒

If no, complete the ADV Part 2 filing below.

Amend, retire or file new brochures:

Part 3			
CRS	Type(s)	Affiliate Info	Retire

Execution Pages

DOMESTIC INVESTMENT ADVISER EXECUTION PAGE

You must complete the following Execution Page to Form ADV. This execution page must be signed and attached to your initial submission of Form ADV to the SEC and all amendments.

Appointment of Agent for Service of Process

By signing this Form ADV Execution Page, you, the undersigned adviser, irrevocably appoint the Secretary of State or other legally designated officer, of the state in which you maintain your *principal office and place of business* and any other state in which you are submitting a *notice filing*, as your agents to receive service, and agree that such *persons* may accept service on your behalf, of any notice, subpoena, summons, *order* instituting *proceedings*, demand for arbitration, or other process or papers, and you further agree that such service may be made by registered or certified mail, in any federal or state action, administrative *proceeding* or arbitration brought against you in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, if the action, *proceeding*, or arbitration (a) arises out of any activity in connection with your investment advisory business that is subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, and (b) is *founded*, directly or indirectly, upon the provisions of: (i) the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Investment Company Act of 1940, or the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, or any rule or regulation under any of these acts, or (ii) the laws of the state in which you maintain your *principal office and place of business* or of any state in which you are submitting a *notice filing*.

Signature

I, the undersigned, sign this Form ADV on behalf of, and with the authority of, the investment adviser. The investment adviser and I both certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the information and statements made in this ADV, including exhibits and any other information submitted, are true and correct, and that I am signing this Form ADV Execution Page as a free and voluntary act.

I certify that the adviser's books and records will be preserved and available for inspection as required by law. Finally, I authorize any *person* having *custody* or possession of these books and records to make them available to federal and state regulatory representatives.

Signature:	Date: MM/DD/YYYY
CARY BEACH	05/30/2026
Printed Name:	Title:
CARY BEACH	SR. COMPLIANCE OFFICER
Adviser <i>CRD</i> Number:	
44430	

NON-RESIDENT INVESTMENT ADVISER EXECUTION PAGE

You must complete the following Execution Page to Form ADV. This execution page must be signed and attached to your initial submission of Form ADV to the SEC and all amendments.

1. Appointment of Agent for Service of Process

By signing this Form ADV Execution Page, you, the undersigned adviser, irrevocably appoint each of the Secretary of the SEC, and the Secretary of State or other legally designated officer, of any other state in which you are submitting a *notice filing*, as your agents to receive service, and agree that such persons may accept service on your behalf, of any notice, subpoena, summons, *order* instituting *proceedings*, demand for arbitration, or other process or papers, and you further agree that such service may be made by registered or certified mail, in any federal or state action, administrative *proceeding* or arbitration brought against you in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, if the action, *proceeding* or arbitration (a) arises out of any activity in connection with your investment advisory business that is subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, and (b) is *founded*, directly or indirectly, upon the provisions of: (i) the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Investment Company Act of 1940, or the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, or any rule or regulation under any of these acts, or (ii) the laws of any state in which you are submitting a *notice filing*.

2. Appointment and Consent: Effect on Partnerships

If you are organized as a partnership, this irrevocable power of attorney and consent to service of process will continue in effect if any partner withdraws from or is admitted to the partnership, provided that the admission or withdrawal does not create a new partnership. If the partnership dissolves, this irrevocable power of attorney and consent shall be in effect for any action brought against you or any of your former partners.

3. *Non-Resident* Investment Adviser Undertaking Regarding Books and Records

By signing this Form ADV, you also agree to provide, at your own expense, to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission at its principal office in Washington D.C., at any Regional or District Office of the Commission, or at any one of its offices in the United States, as specified by the Commission, correct, current, and complete copies of any or all records that you are required to maintain under Rule 204-2 under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. This undertaking shall be binding upon you, your heirs, successors and assigns, and any *person* subject to your written irrevocable consents or powers of attorney or any of your general partners and *managing agents*.

Signature

I, the undersigned, sign this Form ADV on behalf of, and with the authority of, the *non-resident* investment adviser. The investment adviser and I both certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the information and statements made in this ADV, including exhibits and any other information submitted, are true and correct, and that I am signing this Form ADV Execution Page as a free and voluntary act.

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