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## Simple IRA Account Application

In order to open a retirement account at Cambria Capital:

- Fill out completely and sign the Account Application to set up a Simple IRA
- Read carefully and sign the 15G Disclosure Statements
- Complete and sign the Simple IRA Adoption Agreement
- If rolling over from a pre-existing account, attach most recent statement from the financial institution where account is currently held
- Complete and sign the attached IRS Form 5304-Simple or 5305-Simple (separate attachments to this PDF)
- Attach a photocopy of a government-issued photo ID for each authorized signer

\* Should you have any questions, please contact your Cambria Capital representative.

## Client Relationship Summary- April 30, 2024

### INTRODUCTION

Cambria Capital, LLC, doing business as Cambria Capital, LLC (“Cambria”), BANQ® and My IPO is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) as a broker-dealer. Brokerage and investment advisory services and fees differ, and it is important for you to understand the differences. Free and simple tools are available for investors to research firms and financial professionals at [Investor.gov/CRS](https://www.investor.gov/CRS). Here, you can also find educational materials about broker-dealers, investment advisers, and investing.

### WHAT INVESTMENT SERVICES AND ADVICE CAN YOU PROVIDE ME?

Cambria Capital, LLC (“Cambria”) offers brokerage services to retail investors. Cambria’s brokerage services include buying and selling securities, making recommendations on buying, selling and holding securities, selection of account types and securities offerings. There are no account minimums applicable to brokerage accounts. The available investments might be limited based on account size, account type and/or investment type. Cambria is not obligated to monitor your portfolio or investments on an ongoing basis.

BANQ® and My IPO offers brokerage services to retail investors. BANQ® and My IPO does not solicit trades or advise BANQ® and My IPO users of the suitability of any trade, or other securities offering. Investors who trade through the BANQ® and My IPO platforms make their own trading and investment decisions. Investors seeking the assistance of one of Cambria’s registered representatives will be required to provide additional investor profile information to assist Cambria in its determination of suitability. The additional investor Profile information is required prior a solicitation and/or execution of any security transaction. BANQ® and My IPO are not obligated to monitor your portfolio or investments on an ongoing basis.

**For additional information**, please refer to our Website ([www.cambriacapital.com](http://www.cambriacapital.com)) under Products and Services, Our Solutions and Investment Banking

**Conversation Starters.** Given my financial situation should I choose a brokerage service? Why or why not? How will you choose investments to recommend to me? What is your relevant experience, including your licenses, education, and other qualifications? What do these qualifications mean?

### WHAT FEES WILL I PAY

Cambria Capital, LLC - You will pay us a fee every time you buy or sell an investment. This fee, commonly referred to as a commission, is based on the specific transaction and not the value of your account. With stocks or exchange-traded funds this commission is usually recognized as a separate fee. With other investments, such as bonds, this fee might be part of the price you pay for the investment (called a “mark-up” or “mark down”). With mutual funds, this fee (typically called a “load”) reduces the value of your investment. Some investments (such as mutual funds and variable annuities) impose additional fees that will reduce the value of your investment over time. Also, with certain investments such as variable annuities, you may have to pay fees such as “surrender charges” to sell the investment. Cambria’s fees vary and are negotiable. The amount of fees you will pay are dependent upon the frequency of your transactions, type(s) of investments and the type of account. Additional fees for brokerage services account(s) include custodian fees, account maintenance fees and account inactivity fees.

BANQ® and My IPO - Sign up is free and there are no associated membership fees to maintain an account. You are not charged any fees when you purchase offers. BANQ® and My IPO are typically compensated directly by each company for whom we raise capital. The compensation brokerage firms receive is disclosed in each company offering document that can be found under “Browse Deals” on BANQ® and "Offering Documents" on My IPO. For publicly traded securities on My IPO there is a \$10 trade fee charged should you buy shares in the open market (outside of an offering) or sell shares in the future, plus we pass along regulatory fees such as SEC and TAF fees as part of the “Commission/Service Fees”. The SEC and TAF fees or “Service Fees” are determined by the regulatory bodies and are not marked up by BANQ, My IPO or Cambria.

The more transactions in your account, the more fees we charge you. We therefore have an incentive to encourage you to engage in transactions.” A transaction-based fee might be preferable for you if you do not plan to trade often or if you plan to buy and hold investments for longer periods of time.

The most common fees that might be applicable to brokerage accounts are account maintenance fees, mutual fund 12b-1 fees, minimum account balance fees and account service fees. Please discuss these fees with your representative when establishing a relationship with Cambria

**You will pay fees and costs whether you make or lose money on your investments. Fees and costs will reduce any amount of money you make on your investments over time. Please make sure you understand what fees and costs you are paying.**

**For additional information on Cambria Capital, LLC, BANQ and My IPO fees and costs, please contact us at [clientservices@cambriacapital.com](mailto:clientservices@cambriacapital.com).**

**Conversation Starter.** Help me understand how these fees and costs might affect my investments. If I give you \$10,000 to invest, how much will go to fees and costs, and how much will be invested for me?

## **WHAT ARE YOUR LEGAL OBLIGATIONS TO ME WHEN PROVIDING RECOMMENDATIONS? HOW ELSE DOES YOUR FIRM MAKE MONEY AND WHAT CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DO YOU HAVE?**

**When we provide you with a recommendation as your broker-dealer,** we have to act in your best interest and not put our interest ahead of yours. At the same time, the way we make money creates some conflicts with your interests. You should understand and ask us about these conflicts because they can affect the recommendations we provide you. Here are some examples to help you understand what this means.

- We have an affiliate relationship with Digital Offering, LLC who acts as the Broker-Dealer Manager of certain investments offered Cambria to our broker dealer customers. When Cambria acts as a selling group member a conflict exists due to Digital Offering, LLC receiving compensation from the issuers of the securities for investments sold by Cambria
- Some investment offerings, such as private placements, provide additional compensation to Cambria in the form of warrants or other non-cash compensation.
- Cambria Capital, LLC is registered with various states as an Investment Advisor. Brokerage and investment advisory services and fees differ, and it is important for you to understand the differences. Should you choose to become an Investment Advisory customer, Cambria could benefit from this relationship.

**Conversation Starter.** How might your conflicts of interest affect me, and how will you address them?

**For additional information,** please refer to our Website ([www.cambriacapital.com](http://www.cambriacapital.com)) under Products and Services, Our Solutions, and Investment Banking.

## **HOW DO YOUR FINANCIAL PROFESSIONALS MAKE MONEY?**

Cambria and its representatives are primarily compensated by commissions charged on the transactions in your account. Our representatives can receive higher levels of compensation based on the amount of commissions charged and the types of products sold. Some investment products involve compensation paid by the sponsor or issuer of the securities and might be higher than the commission for other investment products available to you.

BANQ® and My IPO and its representatives are primarily compensated by compensation paid by the sponsor or issuer of the securities. BANQ® and My IPO are compensated directly by each company for who we raise capital. Any sales compensation paid to BANQ, My IPO or their respective representatives is built into the price of the security being offered. The compensation brokerage firms receive is disclosed in each company offering document that can be found under "Browse Deals" on BANQ® and "Offering Documents" on My IPO. For publicly traded securities on My IPO there is a \$10 trade fee charged should you buy shares in the open market (outside of an offering) or sell shares in the future, plus we pass along regulatory fees such as SEC and TAF fees as part of the "Commission/Service Fees". The SEC and TAF fees or "Service Fees" are determined by the regulatory bodies and are not marked up by BANQ, My IPO or Cambria.

## **DO YOU OR YOUR FINANCIAL PROFESSIONALS HAVE LEGAL OR DISCIPLINARY HISTORY?**

Yes. You can visit [Investor.gov/CRS](http://Investor.gov/CRS) for a free and simple search tool to research our firm and financial professionals.

**Conversation Starter.** As a financial professional, do you have any disciplinary history? For what type of conduct?

**For additional information** about Cambria Capital, LLC's brokerage services or to request a copy of this relationship summary please visit [www.cambriacapital.com](http://www.cambriacapital.com). You may also call 877-226-0477 to request up to date information or a copy of this relationship summary.

**Conversation Starter.** Who is my primary contact person? Is he or she a representative of an investment adviser or broker-dealer? Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how this person is treating me?

# Account Application And Agreement

To open and fund your new investment account(s), please provide all the information requested. Be sure to initial any corrections, cross-outs and white-outs. Any corrections to the Tax ID or SSN will require the submission of a new W9.

**CLIENT RELATIONSHIP SUMMARY (FORM CRS)** – This form provided by your adviser or broker contains important information about its services, fees, and conflicts of interest. Initial to acknowledge receipt of the CRS:

CLIENT (INITIAL HERE) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ BROKER (INITIAL HERE) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

## STEP 1. ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Account Title (Name of this account)		
Account Number	Broker Rep Code	Open Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

TYPE OF ACCOUNT	ADDITIONAL REQUIRED PAPERWORK
<input type="radio"/> <b>Individual</b>	
<input type="radio"/> <b>Joint Tenant</b> Are the account holders married to each other? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No    Number of Tenants _____ Tenancy Clause <input type="radio"/> Community Property <input type="radio"/> Community Property with Rights of Survivorship <input type="radio"/> Tenants in Common <input type="radio"/> Tenants by Entirety <input type="radio"/> Joint Tenants with Rights of Survivorship                      P % _____ J% _____	
<input type="radio"/> <b>Custodial:</b> <input type="radio"/> UGMA <input type="radio"/> UTMA    State Code: _____	
<input type="radio"/> <b>Trust:</b> <input type="radio"/> Revocable <input type="radio"/> Irrevocable Additional Distinction: <input type="radio"/> Testamentary <input type="radio"/> Family <input type="radio"/> Charitable <input type="radio"/> Living	Copy of the Trust, Trust Certification
<input type="radio"/> <b>Sole Proprietor</b>	Sole Proprietor Certification
<input type="radio"/> <b>Corporation:</b> <input type="radio"/> C Corp <input type="radio"/> S Corp	Corporate Account Certification, Articles of Incorporation
<input type="radio"/> <b>LLC</b>	LLC Certification
<input type="radio"/> <b>Non-Profit Organization</b>	Formation documents/charter, Unincorporated Association Certification, proof of 501(c)(3) status, and other entity document that may be required
<input type="radio"/> <b>Partnership</b>	Partnership Certification
<input type="radio"/> <b>Estate</b> – Person or Entity appointed to act on behalf of the account: <input type="radio"/> Administrator <input type="radio"/> Personal Representative <input type="radio"/> Executor/Executrix Number appointed to act on account _____	Copy of Death Certificate, Affidavit of Domicile, Letter of Testamentary or Court Appointment, other documents may be required.
<input type="radio"/> <b>Axos Clearing LLC IRA</b> <input type="radio"/> Traditional <input type="radio"/> Inherited IRA <input type="radio"/> Rollover <input type="radio"/> Roth <input type="radio"/> Inherited Roth <input type="radio"/> SEP <input type="radio"/> SIMPLE <input type="radio"/> Coverdell	Adoption Agreement and Plan Documents, Additional items may be needed depending on type of IRA
<input type="radio"/> <b>Axos Clearing LLC Retirement Account</b> <input type="radio"/> Profit Sharing Plan <input type="radio"/> Money Purchase Plan <input type="radio"/> 403(b) <input type="radio"/> 401(k) <input type="radio"/> Individual (K)	QRP Disclosure Document, additional paperwork may be required.
<input type="radio"/> <b>Non-Axos Clearing LLC Retirement Account</b>	Trust Certification
<input type="radio"/> <b>Other:</b> _____	e.g., Prime Custody account, Investment Club

If the owner is a non-US Person, the appropriate IRS form W-8 must be provided from the non-US Owner.

Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 2. PRIMARY ACCOUNT HOLDER INFORMATION**

*NOTE: Primary account holder may include owner, minor, ward, executor or entity.*

*On a UGMA/UTMA account the minor is the primary account holder, the custodian is the secondary account holder.*

**Complete for Accounts Owned by Individuals only – Do not use for authorized parties on Entity accounts (see STEP 3)**

First Name		Middle Initial	Last Name		Social Security Number	
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Gender <input type="radio"/> M <input type="radio"/> F <input type="radio"/> No Answer		Marital Status	<input type="radio"/> Married <input type="radio"/> Single	Dependents	Home <input type="radio"/> Own <input type="radio"/> Rent
				<input type="radio"/> Divorced <input type="radio"/> Widowed		

**Complete for Accounts Owned by Entities only – Corporation, Estate, Trust, LLC, Partnership, Etc.**

Entity Name (if applicable)	Formation Date	Tax Identification Number
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**Complete for all Account Types**

**Contact Information**

Home or Mobile Phone	Business Phone	Foreign Phone	Email Address
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**Address(es)**

**Legal Address**  
(no PO Box)

Address 1		Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code	
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code	

**Mailing Address**  
(if different from Legal)

Address 1		Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code	
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code	

**Previous Legal Address**  
(if Legal is less than 6 months old)

Address 1		Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code	
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code	

**Citizenship**

Please check only one:  
*Proof of address is required for each non-US Person and US Citizens living abroad. Non-Resident Alien must provide a valid Government ID and a form W-8*

U.S.  U.S. Resident Alien  Non-Resident Alien

Country of legal and tax resident:  
 U.S  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**USA Patriot Act Information (Required by Federal Law)**

All applicants must provide the information below. Non-Resident aliens must also include a completed W-8.  
 Driver's License  Passport  State ID  Foreign Tax ID  Other Government-issued ID

Place/Country of Issuance	ID No:	Issue Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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**Employment and Industry Affiliations**

Employed  Self-Employed  Retired  Unemployed  Homemaker  Student  
*If Employed/Self-Employed is indicated, please complete all employment fields.*  
*If Retired or Unemployed is indicated, please indicate former Occupation.*

Employer Name	Years Employed	Phone Number	Occupation	Business Nature
Employer's Address		City	State	Zip Code
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code		

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Account Number:

**Industry and Other Affiliations**

Are you, your spouse, or any other immediate family members, including parents, in-laws, siblings or dependents:

Yes  No  
 IF CHECKED YES, OBTAIN AND ATTACH THE COMPLIANCE OFFICER'S LETTER OF APPROVAL

**Employed by or associated with the securities industry (for example, a sole proprietor, partner, officer, director, branch manager, registered representative or other associated person of a broker-dealer firm) or a financial services regulator?**  
 If yes, please specify entity below. If this entity requires its approval for you to open this account, please provide a copy of the required authorization letter (with this Application).  
 Broker-Dealer or Municipal Securities Dealer  Investment Adviser  
 FINRA or other Self-Regulatory Organization  State or Federal Securities Regulator  
 Name of Entity(ies): \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  
**An officer, director or 10% (or more) shareholder in a publicly-owned company?**  
**What is your title?**  10% shareholder  CEO  CFO  COO  Other Officer  
 Name of company and symbol: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  
**A senior military, governmental or political official in a non-US country?**  
 Name of country: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 3. SECONDARY ACCOUNT HOLDER INFORMATION**

NOTE: Secondary account holder may include additional account owners, custodian, conservator, guardian or Trustee/Officer.  
 On a UGMA/UTMA account the minor is the primary account holder, the custodian is the secondary account holder.

**Complete for Joint Account Holders, Custodians, Trustees, Authorized Parties**

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Social Security Number
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Gender <input type="radio"/> M <input type="radio"/> F <input type="radio"/> No Answer	Marital Status <input type="radio"/> Married <input type="radio"/> Single <input type="radio"/> Divorced <input type="radio"/> Widowed	Dependents Home <input type="radio"/> Own <input type="radio"/> Rent

**Complete for all Account Types**

**Contact Information**

Home or Mobile Phone	Business Phone	Foreign Phone	Email Address
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**Address(es)**

**Legal Address**  
(no PO Box)

Address 1	Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code

**Mailing Address**  
(if different from Legal)

Address 1	Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code

**Previous Legal Address**  
(if Legal is less than 6 months old)

Address 1	Address 2	
City	State	Zip Code
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code

**Citizenship**

Please check only one:  
*Proof of address is required for each non-US Person and US Citizens living abroad. Non-Resident Alien must provide a valid Government ID and a form W-8*

U.S.  U.S. Resident Alien  Non-Resident Alien

Country of legal and tax resident:  
 U.S.  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**USA Patriot Act Information (Required by Federal Law)**

All applicants must provide the information below. Non-Resident aliens must also include a completed W-8.  
 Driver's License  Passport  State ID  Foreign Tax ID  Other Government-issued ID

Place/Country of Issuance	ID No:	Issue Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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**Employment and Industry Affiliations**

Employed  Self-Employed  Retired  Unemployed  Homemaker  Student  
*If Employed/Self-Employed is indicated, please complete all employment fields.*  
*If Retired or Unemployed is indicated, please indicate former Occupation.*

Employer Name	Years Employed	Phone Number	Occupation	Business Nature
Employer's Address	City	State	Zip Code	
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code		

**Industry and Other Affiliations**

*Are you, your spouse, or any other immediate family members, including parents, in-laws, siblings or dependents:*

Yes  No  
 IF CHECKED YES, OBTAIN AND ATTACH THE COMPLIANCE OFFICER'S LETTER OF APPROVAL

**Employed by or associated with the securities industry (for example, a sole proprietor, partner, officer, director, branch manager, registered representative or other associated person of a broker-dealer firm) or a financial services regulator?**  
 If yes, please specify entity below. If this entity requires its approval for you to open this account, please provide a copy of the required authorization letter (with this Application).  
 Broker-Dealer or Municipal Securities Dealer  Investment Adviser  
 FINRA or other Self-Regulatory Organization  State or Federal Securities Regulator  
 Name of Entity(ies): \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  
**An officer, director or 10% (or more) shareholder in a publicly-owned company?**  
**What is your title?**  10% shareholder  CEO  CFO  COO  Other Officer  
 Name of company and symbol: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  
**A senior military, governmental or political official in a non-US country?**  
 Name of country: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 4. ACCOUNT FUNDING AND FEATURES**

**Initial Funding Source**

What is the **initial** source of funds for this account? If you are transferring assets from another financial institution, please indicate the origin of those investments.

Investments  Compensation  Retirement Assets  Gift  Donations  
 Insurance Payout  Inheritance  Social Security Benefits  Legal Settlement  Spouse/Parent  
 Lottery/Gaming  Business Revenue  Sale of Business or Property  Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Money Fund Instructions**

Axos Clearing Insured Deposit (DLD)  
 Do Not Sweep to Axos Clearing Insured Deposit (DLD) PRIMARY

**Disclaimer:** By initialing this document, I represent my consent and authorization to participate in the chosen Sweep Program. I acknowledge that I have read and understand the terms and conditions of the Sweep Program included in the Customer Agreement. **(INITIALS REQUIRED)**

**Dividend Standing Instructions**

Cash Options (select one)	Dividend Reinvestment (select one)
<input type="checkbox"/> Deposit into free credit balance	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash dividends – Opt-in for Reinvestment
<input type="checkbox"/> Dividends mailed <b>weekly</b> to client	<input type="checkbox"/> No Reinvestment
<input type="checkbox"/> Dividends mailed <b>semi-monthly</b> to client	<input type="checkbox"/> Reinvestment all – Opt-out for Cash dividends
<input type="checkbox"/> Dividends mailed <b>monthly</b> to client	

**Trading Privileges**

<input type="checkbox"/> Cash	
<input type="checkbox"/> Margin (not available for all account types)	I understand that margin privileges are granted by Axos Clearing LLC in its sole discretion under the Terms and Conditions of this Account Application and Agreement. A separate Margin Account Agreement is also required.
<input type="checkbox"/> Options (not available for all account types)	I understand that option privileges are granted by Axos Clearing LLC in its sole discretion under the Terms and Conditions of this Account Application and Agreement. A separate Option Account Agreement is also required.

Account Number:

**STEP 5. ACCOUNT INVESTMENT PROFILE**

Annual Income \$ _____	Net Worth \$ _____	Liquid Net Worth \$ _____	Risk Tolerance	Tax Bracket
<input type="radio"/> Under \$25,000 <input type="radio"/> \$25,001 - \$50,000 <input type="radio"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="radio"/> \$100,001 - \$200,000 <input type="radio"/> \$200,001 - \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million <input type="radio"/> Over \$1 million	<b>(excluding residence)</b> <input type="radio"/> Under \$50,000 <input type="radio"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="radio"/> \$100,001 - \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million <input type="radio"/> \$1,000,001 - \$3 million <input type="radio"/> Over \$3 million	<input type="radio"/> Under \$25,000 <input type="radio"/> \$25,001 - \$50,000 <input type="radio"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="radio"/> \$100,001 - \$200,000 <input type="radio"/> \$200,001 - \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million <input type="radio"/> \$1,000,001 - \$3 million <input type="radio"/> Over \$3 million	<input type="radio"/> Low <input type="radio"/> Moderate <input type="radio"/> Aggressive <input type="radio"/> Speculative	<input type="radio"/> 0% <input type="radio"/> 10% <input type="radio"/> 12% <input type="radio"/> 22% <input type="radio"/> 24% <input type="radio"/> 32% <input type="radio"/> 35% <input type="radio"/> 37%
Estimated Value of Investments	Liquidity Needs	Time Horizon	Annual Expenses	Special Expenses
<input type="radio"/> under \$10,000 <input type="radio"/> up to \$24,000 <input type="radio"/> up to \$50,000 <input type="radio"/> up to \$200,000 <input type="radio"/> under \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> over \$500,000	<input type="radio"/> less than 1 year <input type="radio"/> 1 – 5 years <input type="radio"/> 5 – 10 years <input type="radio"/> 10 – 15 years <input type="radio"/> Over 15 years <input type="radio"/> Not applicable	<input type="radio"/> Undefined <input type="radio"/> less than 1 year <input type="radio"/> 1 – 5 years <input type="radio"/> 5 – 10 years <input type="radio"/> 10 – 15 years <input type="radio"/> Over 15 years	<input type="radio"/> \$50,000 and under <input type="radio"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="radio"/> \$100,001 - \$250,000 <input type="radio"/> \$250,001 - \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> Over \$500,000 <b>Investment Knowledge</b> <input type="radio"/> Limited <input type="radio"/> Good <input type="radio"/> Excellent	<input type="radio"/> \$50,000 and under <input type="radio"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="radio"/> \$100,001 - \$250,000 <input type="radio"/> \$250,001 - \$500,000 <input type="radio"/> Over \$500,000 <b>Timeframe</b> <input type="radio"/> Within 2 years <input type="radio"/> 3 – 5 years <input type="radio"/> 6 – 10 years
<b>Investment Objective</b>				
<input type="radio"/> <b>Current Income (A)</b> - Preservation of capital with a primary consideration on current income <input type="radio"/> <b>Balanced (F)</b> - A balance between capital appreciation and current income with the primary consideration being current income <input type="radio"/> <b>Growth &amp; Income (G)</b> - A balance between capital appreciation and current income with the primary consideration being capital appreciation		<input type="radio"/> <b>Growth (H)</b> - Capital appreciation through quality equity investment and little or no income <input type="radio"/> <b>Maximum Growth (I)</b> - Maximum capital appreciation with higher risk and little to no income. <input type="radio"/> <b>Speculation (J)</b> - Maximum total return potential, involving a higher degree of risk through investment in a broad spectrum of securities.		

Investment Experience	Years of Experience			Transactions per year		
Mutual Funds/Exchange Traded Funds	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Individual Stocks	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Bonds	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Options	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Securities Futures	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Annuities	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Alternative (structured products, hedge funds, etc.)	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15
Margin	<input type="radio"/> 0	<input type="radio"/> 1 - 5	<input type="radio"/> Over 5	<input type="radio"/> 0 - 5	<input type="radio"/> 6 - 15	<input type="radio"/> Over 15

**STEP 6. TRUSTED CONTACT**

By choosing to provide information for a Trusted Contact Person ("TCP"), you authorize your Agent to contact and to disclose information about you and your account(s) to the TCP:

- Provide the TCP with information about you or your account(s), but does not provide the TCP with the ability to transact on your account(s)
- Inquire about your current contact information or health status
- Inquire if another person or entity has legal authority to act on your behalf (e.g. legal guardian or conservator, executor, trustee, or holder of a power of attorney)

The TCP must be at least 18 years old, must be someone other than an account owner and cannot be your Investment Advisor and or your Agent. The Agent may provide the TCP information about you or your account(s), but does not allow the TCP the ability to transact on your account(s).

I decline to identify a Trusted Contact at this time.

Name (First, Middle Initial, Last)	Relationship	
Primary Telephone Number	Email Address	
Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Country	Province	Foreign Postal Code



Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 7. W-9 CERTIFICATION**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct Social Security Number or Taxpayer Identification Number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a US citizen or other US person (defined below), and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Definition of a US Person**

For federal tax purposes, you are considered a US person if you are:

- An individual who is a US citizen or US resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company or association created or organized in the United State or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in IRS Regulations section 301.7701-7)

**Certification instructions.**

You must cross out Item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. If you are an exempt payee (if you are unsure, please consult your tax professional), enter your exempt payee code (if any) here: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are exempt from FATCA reporting (if you are unsure, please consult your tax professional), enter your exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) here: \_\_\_\_\_

The IRS does not require your consent to any provision of this document other than the certifications required to avoid backup withholding.

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SECURITIES NOT FULLY PAID FOR MAY BE LOANED TO AXOS CLEARING LLC OR LOANED OUT TO OTHERS.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS ACCOUNT APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT CONTAINS A PREDISPUTE ARBITRATION AGREEMENT IN THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS ACCOMPANYING THIS ACCOUNT APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT. YOU ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIVING A COPY OF THIS ACCOUNT APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT.

**STEP 8. SIGNATURES**

To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, federal laws require all financial organizations to obtain, verify and record information that identifies each person who opens an account. That means that Axos Clearing will ask for your name, address, date of birth and other information that will allow us to identify you. We may also require a copy of your driver's license or other government-issued identifying document.

By signing this Account Application and Agreement, you affirm that you are of full legal age in the state of jurisdiction in which you reside and have the capacity to enter into this Account Application and Agreement. You further affirm that you have read, understood and agree to the Terms and Conditions attached to this Account Application and Agreement.

**ACCOUNT HOLDER/TRUSTEE/CORPORATE OFFICER SIGNATURE**

Account Owner Signature ✘	Print Name	Date
Account Co-Owner Signature ✘	Print Name	Date

**APPROVALS**

Broker Signature ✘	Print Name	Date
General Principal Signature ✘	Print Name	Date

# SIMPLE IRA Adoption Agreement

This Adoption Agreement may only be used in conjunction with the SIMPLE IRA plan document stipulated by the Custodian. A New Account Application must accompany this form to establish a new IRA Account.

**ACCOUNT INFORMATION - REQUIRED**

Axos Clearing LLC, custodian for the SIMPLE IRA of:

<b>Account Title (Name of this account)</b>	<b>Account Number</b>
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<b>Employer Information: Attach a copy of your Employers Form 5304-SIMPLE or 5305-SIMPLE</b>		<b>FOR SPECIFIC BENEFICIARY PROVISIONS, PLEASE REFER TO THE APPLICABLE SECTIONS OF THE PLAN AGREEMENT AND THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT.</b>
Employer Name:	Effective Date:	

**DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY**

I designate that upon my death, the assets in this account be paid to the beneficiaries named below. The interest of any beneficiary that predeceases me terminates completely, and the percentage share of any remaining beneficiaries will be increased on a pro rata basis. If no beneficiaries are named, my estate will be my beneficiary.

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		RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS		

**SPOUSAL CONSENT**

Spousal consent must be completed if the spouse is not the sole primary beneficiary.

**CURRENT MARITAL STATUS (Required)**

**I Am Not Married** – I understand that if I become married in the future, I should review the requirements for spousal consent.

**I Am Married** – I understand that if I choose to designate primary beneficiary other than or in addition to my spouse, my spouse should sign below. *I am the spouse of the above-named IRA owner. I acknowledge that I have received a fair and reasonable disclosure of my spouse's property and financial obligations. Because of the important tax consequences of giving up my interest in this IRA, I have been advised to see a tax professional. I hereby give the IRA owner my interest in the assets or property deposited in this IRA and consent to the beneficiary designation indicated above. I assume full responsibility for any adverse consequences that may result.*

Signature of Spouse x	Print Name	Date
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**SIGNATURES – IMPORTANT PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING**

I understand the eligibility requirement for the type of SIMPLE IRA deposits I make and I state that I qualify to make the deposit. I have reviewed and understand the SIMPLE IRA 5305-SA Custodial Account Adoption Agreement and Disclosure Statement provided to me. I understand that the terms and conditions which apply to this SIMPLE IRA are contained in this Axos Clearing LLC Individual Retirement Custodial Account Adoption Agreement. I agree to be bound by those terms and conditions. If I elect to make a rollover contribution to this account, I hereby certify that I understand the rollover rules and conditions as they pertain to this IRA and I have met the requirements for making a rollover. Due to the important tax consequences of rolling over funds or property I have been advised to consult with a tax professional. All information provided by me is true and correct and may be relied upon by the Custodian. Within seven days from the date I open this SIMPLE IRA I may revoke it without penalty by mailing or delivering a written notice to the Introducing Broker Dealer and/or Axos Clearing Custodian.

- I assume full responsibility for
- Determining that I am eligible for an IRA each year I make a contribution
  - Ensuring that all contributions I make are within the limits set forth by the tax laws, and
  - The tax consequences of any contributions (including rollover contributions) and distributions.

Signature of IRA Owner x	Print Name	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
Signature of Custodian x	Print Name	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

# SIMPLE INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT CUSTODIAL ACCOUNT AGREEMENT

Form 5305-SA under section 408(p) of the Internal Revenue Code.

FORM (Rev. April 2017)

The participant named on the application is establishing a savings incentive match plan for employees of small employers individual retirement account (SIMPLE IRA) under sections 408(a) and 408(p) to provide for his or her retirement and for the support of his or her beneficiaries after death.

The custodian named on the application has given the participant the disclosure statement required by Regulations section 1.408-6.

The participant and the custodian make the following agreement:

## ARTICLE I

The custodian will accept cash contributions made on behalf of the participant by the participant's employer under the terms of a SIMPLE IRA plan described in section 408(p). In addition, the custodian will accept transfers or rollovers from other SIMPLE IRAs of the participant and, after the two-year period of participation defined in section 72(t)(6), transfers or rollovers from any eligible retirement plan (as defined in section 402(c)(8)(B)) other than a Roth IRA or a designated Roth account. No other contributions will be accepted by the custodian.

## ARTICLE II

The participant's interest in the balance in the custodial account is nonforfeitable.

## ARTICLE III

1. No part of the custodial account funds may be invested in life insurance contracts, nor may the assets of the custodial account be commingled with other property except in a common trust fund or common investment fund (within the meaning of section 408(a)(5)).
2. No part of the custodial account funds may be invested in collectibles (within the meaning of section 408(m)) except as otherwise permitted by section 408(m)(3), which provides an exception for certain gold, silver, and platinum coins, coins issued under the laws of any state, and certain bullion.

## ARTICLE IV

1. Notwithstanding any provision of this agreement to the contrary, the distribution of the participant's interest in the custodial account shall be made in accordance with the following requirements and shall otherwise comply with section 408(a)(6) and the regulations thereunder, the provisions of which are herein incorporated by reference.
2. The participant's entire interest in the custodial account must be, or begin to be, distributed not later than the participant's required beginning date, April 1 following the calendar year in which the participant reaches age 70½. By that date, the participant may elect, in a manner acceptable to the custodian, to have the balance in the custodial account distributed in:
  - (a) A single sum or
  - (b) Payments over a period not longer than the life of the participant or the joint lives of the participant and his or her designated beneficiary.
3. If the participant dies before his or her entire interest is distributed to him or her, the remaining interest will be distributed as follows:
  - (a) If the participant dies on or after the required beginning date and:
    - (i) the designated beneficiary is the participant's surviving spouse, the remaining interest will be distributed over the surviving spouse's life expectancy as determined each year until such spouse's death, or over the period in paragraph (a)(iii) below if longer. Any interest remaining after the spouse's death will be

distributed over such spouse's remaining life expectancy as determined in the year of the spouse's death and reduced by one for each subsequent year, or, if distributions are being made over the period in paragraph (a)(iii) below, over such period.

- (ii) the designated beneficiary is not the participant's surviving spouse, the remaining interest will be distributed over the beneficiary's remaining life expectancy as determined in the year following the death of the participant and reduced by one for each subsequent year, or over the period in paragraph (a)(iii) below if longer.
  - (iii) there is no designated beneficiary, the remaining interest will be distributed over the remaining life expectancy of the participant as determined in the year of the participant's death and reduced by one for each subsequent year.
- (b) If the participant dies before the required beginning date, the remaining interest will be distributed in accordance with paragraph (i) below or, if elected or there is no designated beneficiary, in accordance with paragraph (ii) below:
    - (i) the remaining interest will be distributed in accordance with paragraphs (a)(i) and (a)(ii) above (but not over the period in paragraph (a)(iii), even if longer), starting by the end of the calendar year following the year of the participant's death. If, however, the designated beneficiary is the participant's surviving spouse, then this distribution is not required to begin before the end of the calendar year in which the participant would have reached age 70½. But, in such case, if the participant's surviving spouse dies before distributions are required to begin, then the remaining interest will be distributed in accordance with paragraph (a)(ii) above (but not over the period in paragraph (a)(iii), even if longer), over such spouse's designated beneficiary's life expectancy, or in accordance with paragraph (ii) below if there is no such designated beneficiary.
    - (ii) the remaining interest will be distributed by the end of the calendar year containing the fifth anniversary of the participant's death.
4. If the participant dies before his or her entire interest has been distributed and if the designated beneficiary is not the participant's surviving spouse, no additional contributions may be accepted in the account.
  5. The minimum amount that must be distributed each year, beginning with the year containing the participant's required beginning date, is known as the "required minimum distribution" and is determined as follows:
    - (a) the required minimum distribution under paragraph 2(b) for any year, beginning with the year the participant reaches age 70½, is the participant's account value at the close of business on December 31 of the preceding year divided by the distribution period in the uniform lifetime table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9. However, if the participant's designated beneficiary is his or her surviving spouse, the required minimum distribution for a year shall not be more than the participant's account value at the close of business on December 31 of the preceding year divided by the number in the joint and last survivor table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9. The required minimum distribution for a year under this paragraph (a) is determined using the participant's (or, if applicable, the participant and spouse's) attained age (or ages) in the year.

- (b) the required minimum distribution under paragraphs 3(a) and 3(b)(i) for a year, beginning with the year following the year of the participant's death (or the year the participant would have reached age 70½, if applicable under paragraph 3(b)(i)) is the account value at the close of business on December 31 of the preceding year divided by the life expectancy (in the single life table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9) of the individual specified in such paragraphs 3(a) and 3(b)(i).
- (c) the required minimum distribution for the year the participant reaches age 70½ can be made as late as April 1 of the following year. The required minimum distribution for any other year must be made by the end of such year.
6. The owner of two or more IRAs (other than Roth IRAs) may satisfy the minimum distribution requirements described above by taking from one IRA the amount required to satisfy the requirement for another in accordance with the regulations under section 408(a)(6).

## ARTICLE V

1. The participant agrees to provide the custodian with all information necessary to prepare any reports required by sections 408(i) and 408(l)(2) and Regulations sections 1.408-5 and 1.408-6.
2. The custodian agrees to submit to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and participant the reports prescribed by the IRS.
3. The custodian also agrees to provide the participant's employer the summary description described in section 408(l)(2) unless this SIMPLE IRA is a transfer SIMPLE IRA.

## ARTICLE VI

Notwithstanding any other articles which may be added or incorporated, the provisions of Articles I through III and this sentence will be controlling. Any additional articles inconsistent with sections 408(a) and 408(p) and the related Regulations will be invalid.

## ARTICLE VII

This agreement will be amended as necessary to comply with the provisions of the Code and the related regulations. Other amendments may be made with the consent of the persons whose signatures appear on the application.

## ARTICLE VIII

- 8.01 **Definitions** – In this part of this agreement (Article VIII), the words “you” and “your” mean the participant. The words “we,” “us,” and “our” mean the custodian. The word “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code, and “regulations” means the Treasury regulations.
- 8.02 **Notices and Change of Address** – Any required notice regarding this SIMPLE IRA will be considered effective when we send it to the intended recipient at the last address that we have in our records. Any notice to be given to us will be considered effective when we actually receive it. You, or the intended recipient, must notify us of any change of address.
- 8.03 **Representations and Responsibilities** – You represent and warrant to us that any information you have given or will give us with respect to this agreement is complete and accurate. Further, you agree that any directions you give us or action you take will be proper under this agreement, and that we are entitled to rely upon any such information or directions. If we fail to receive directions from you regarding any transaction, if we receive ambiguous directions regarding any transaction, or if we, in good faith, believe that any transaction requested is in dispute, we reserve the right to take no action until further clarification acceptable to us is received from you or the appropriate government or judicial authority. We will not be responsible for losses of any kind that may result from your directions to us or

your actions or failures to act, and you agree to reimburse us for any loss we may incur as a result of such directions, actions, or failures to act. We will not be responsible for any penalties, taxes, judgments, or expenses you incur in connection with your SIMPLE IRA. We have no duty to determine whether your contributions or distributions comply with the Code, regulations, rulings, or this agreement.

We may permit you to appoint, through written notice acceptable to us, an authorized agent to act on your behalf with respect to this agreement (e.g., attorney-in-fact, executor, administrator, investment manager), but we have no duty to determine the validity of such appointment or any instrument appointing such authorized agent. We will not be responsible for losses of any kind that may result from directions, actions, or failures to act by your authorized agent, and you agree to reimburse us for any loss we may incur as a result of such directions, actions, or failures to act by your authorized agent.

You will have 60 days after you receive any documents, statements, or other information from us to notify us in writing of any errors or inaccuracies reflected in these documents, statements, or other information. If you do not notify us within 60 days, the documents, statements, or other information will be deemed correct and accurate, and we will have no further liability or obligation for such documents, statements, other information, or the transactions described therein.

By performing services under this agreement we are acting as your agent. You acknowledge and agree that nothing in this agreement will be construed as conferring fiduciary status upon us. We will not be required to perform any additional services unless specifically agreed to under the terms and conditions of this agreement, or as required under the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder with respect to SIMPLE IRAs. You agree to indemnify and hold us harmless for any and all claims, actions, proceedings, damages, judgments, liabilities, costs, and expenses, including attorney's fees arising from or in connection with this agreement.

To the extent written instructions or notices are required under this agreement, we may accept or provide such information in any other form permitted by the Code or applicable regulations including, but not limited to, electronic communication.

- 8.04 **Disclosure of Account Information** – We may use agents and/or subcontractors to assist in administering your SIMPLE IRA. We may release nonpublic personal information regarding your SIMPLE IRA to such providers as necessary to provide the products and services made available under this agreement, and to evaluate our business operations and analyze potential product, service, or process improvements.
- 8.05 **Service Fees** – We have the right to charge an annual service fee or other designated fees (e.g., a transfer, rollover, or termination fee) for maintaining your SIMPLE IRA. In addition, we have the right to be reimbursed for all reasonable expenses, including legal expenses, we incur in connection with the administration of your SIMPLE IRA. We may charge you separately for any fees or expenses, or we may deduct the amount of the fees or expenses from the assets in your SIMPLE IRA at our discretion. We reserve the right to charge any additional fee after giving you 30 days' notice. Fees such as subtransfer agent fees or commissions may be paid to us by third parties for assistance in performing certain transactions with respect to this SIMPLE IRA.

Any brokerage commissions attributable to the assets in your SIMPLE IRA will be charged to your SIMPLE IRA. You cannot reimburse your SIMPLE IRA for those commissions.

**8.06 Investment of Amounts in the SIMPLE IRA** – You have exclusive responsibility for and control over the investment of the assets of your SIMPLE IRA. All transactions will be subject to any and all restrictions or limitations, direct or indirect, that are imposed by our charter, articles of incorporation, or bylaws; any and all applicable federal and state laws and regulations; the rules, regulations, customs, and usages of any exchange, market, or clearing house where the transaction is executed; our policies and practices; and this agreement. After your death, your beneficiaries will have the right to direct the investment of your SIMPLE IRA assets, subject to the same conditions that applied to you during your lifetime under this agreement (including, without limitation, Section 8.03 of this article). We will have no discretion to direct any investment in your SIMPLE IRA. We assume no responsibility for rendering investment advice with respect to your SIMPLE IRA, nor will we offer any opinion or judgment to you on matters concerning the value or suitability of any investment or proposed investment for your SIMPLE IRA. In the absence of instructions from you, or if your instructions are not in a form acceptable to us, we will have the right to hold any uninvested amounts in cash, and we will have no responsibility to invest uninvested cash unless and until directed by you. We will not exercise the voting rights and other shareholder rights with respect to investments in your SIMPLE IRA unless you provide timely written directions acceptable to us.

You will select the investment for your SIMPLE IRA assets from those investments that we are authorized by our charter, articles of incorporation, or bylaws to offer and do in fact offer for SIMPLE IRAs (e.g., term share accounts, passbook accounts, certificates of deposit, money market accounts). We may in our sole discretion make available to you additional investment offerings, which will be limited to publicly traded securities, mutual funds, money market instruments, and other investments that are obtainable by us and that we are capable of holding in the ordinary course of our business.

**8.07 Beneficiaries** – If you die before you receive all of the amounts in your SIMPLE IRA, payments from your SIMPLE IRA will be made to your beneficiaries. We have no obligation to pay to your beneficiaries until such time we are notified of your death by receiving a valid death certificate.

You may designate one or more persons or entities as beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA. This designation can only be made on a form provided by or acceptable to us, and it will only be effective when it is filed with us during your lifetime. Each beneficiary designation you file with us will cancel all previous designations. The consent of your beneficiaries will not be required for you to revoke a beneficiary designation. If you have designated both primary and contingent beneficiaries and no primary beneficiary survives you, the contingent beneficiaries will acquire the designated share of your SIMPLE IRA. If you do not designate a beneficiary or if all of your primary and contingent beneficiaries predecease you, your estate will be the beneficiary.

A spouse beneficiary will have all rights as granted under the Code or applicable regulations to treat your SIMPLE IRA as his or her own.

We may allow, if permitted by state law, an original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary (the beneficiary who is entitled to receive distributions from an inherited SIMPLE IRA at the time of your death) to name successor beneficiaries for the inherited SIMPLE IRA. This designation can only be made on a form provided by or acceptable to us, and it will only be effective when it is filed with us during the original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary's lifetime. Each beneficiary designation form that the original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary files with us will cancel all previous designations. The consent of a successor beneficiary will not be required for the original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary to revoke a

successor beneficiary designation. If the original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary does not designate a successor beneficiary, his or her estate will be the successor beneficiary. In no event will the successor beneficiary be able to extend the distribution period beyond that required for the original SIMPLE IRA beneficiary.

If we so choose, for any reason (e.g., due to limitations of our charter or bylaws), we may require that a beneficiary of a deceased SIMPLE IRA owner take total distribution of all SIMPLE IRA assets by December 31 of the year following the year of death.

**8.08 Required Minimum Distributions** – Your required minimum distribution is calculated using the uniform lifetime table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9. However, if your spouse is your sole designated beneficiary and is more than 10 years younger than you, your required minimum distribution is calculated each year using the joint and last survivor table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9.

If you fail to request your required minimum distribution by your required beginning date we can, at our complete and sole discretion, do any one of the following.

- Make no distribution until you give us a proper withdrawal request
- Distribute your entire SIMPLE IRA to you in a single sum payment
- Determine your required minimum distribution from your SIMPLE IRA each year based on your life expectancy, calculated using the uniform lifetime table in Regulations section 1.401(a)(9)-9, and pay those distributions to you until you direct otherwise

We will not be liable for any penalties or taxes related to your failure to take a required minimum distribution.

**8.09 Termination of Agreement, Resignation, or Removal of Custodian** – Either party may terminate this agreement at any time by giving written notice to the other. We can resign as custodian at any time effective 30 days after we send written notice of our resignation to you. Upon receipt of that notice, you must make arrangements to transfer your SIMPLE IRA to another financial organization. If you do not complete a transfer of your SIMPLE IRA within 30 days from the date we send the notice to you, we have the right to transfer your SIMPLE IRA assets to a successor SIMPLE IRA trustee or custodian that we choose in our sole discretion, or we may pay your SIMPLE IRA to you in a single sum. We will not be liable for any actions or failures to act on the part of any successor trustee or custodian, nor for any tax consequences you may incur that result from the transfer or distribution of your assets pursuant to this section.

If this agreement is terminated, we may charge to your SIMPLE IRA a reasonable amount of money that we believe is necessary to cover any associated costs, including but not limited to one or more of the following.

- Any fees, expenses, or taxes chargeable against your SIMPLE IRA
- Any penalties or surrender charges associated with the early withdrawal of any savings instrument or other investment in your SIMPLE IRA

If we are a nonbank custodian required to comply with Regulations section 1.408-2(e) and we fail to do so or we are not keeping the records, making the returns, or sending the statements as are required by forms or regulations, the IRS may require us to substitute another trustee or custodian.

We may establish a policy requiring distribution of the entire balance of your SIMPLE IRA to you in cash or property if the balance of your SIMPLE IRA drops below the minimum balance required under the applicable investment or policy established.

- 8.10 **Successor Custodian** – If our organization changes its name, reorganizes, merges with another organization (or comes under the control of any federal or state agency), or if our entire organization (or any portion that includes your SIMPLE IRA) is bought by another organization, that organization (or agency) will automatically become the trustee or custodian of your SIMPLE IRA, but only if it is the type of organization authorized to serve as a SIMPLE IRA trustee or custodian.
- 8.11 **Amendments** – We have the right to amend this agreement at any time. Any amendment we make to comply with the Code and related regulations does not require your consent. You will be deemed to have consented to any other amendment unless, within 30 days from the date we send the amendment, you notify us in writing that you do not consent.
- 8.12 **Withdrawals or Transfers** – All requests for withdrawal or transfer will be in writing on a form provided by or acceptable to us. The method of distribution must be specified in writing or in any other method acceptable to us. The tax identification number of the recipient must be provided to us before we are obligated to make a distribution. Withdrawals will be subject to all applicable tax and other laws and regulations, including but not limited to possible early distribution penalty taxes, surrender charges, and withholding requirements.
- 8.13 **Transfers From Other Plans** – We can receive amounts transferred or rolled over to this SIMPLE IRA from the trustee or custodian of another SIMPLE IRA. We reserve the right not to accept any transfer or rollover.
- 8.14 **Liquidation of Assets** – We have the right to liquidate assets in your SIMPLE IRA if necessary to make distributions or to pay fees, expenses, taxes, penalties, or surrender charges properly chargeable against your SIMPLE IRA. If you fail to direct us as to which assets to liquidate, we will decide, in our complete and sole discretion, and you agree to not hold us liable for any adverse consequences that result from our decision.
- 8.15 **Restrictions on the Fund** – Neither you nor any beneficiary may sell, transfer, or pledge any interest in your SIMPLE IRA in any manner whatsoever, except as provided by law or this agreement.
- The assets in your SIMPLE IRA will not be responsible for the debts, contracts, or torts of any person entitled to distributions under this agreement.
- 8.16 **What Law Applies** – This agreement is subject to all applicable federal and state laws and regulations. If it is necessary to apply any state law to interpret and administer this agreement, the law of our domicile will govern.
- If any part of this agreement is held to be illegal or invalid, the remaining parts will not be affected. Neither your nor our failure to enforce at any time or for any period of time any of the provisions of this agreement will be construed as a waiver of such provisions, or your right or our right thereafter to enforce each and every such provision.
- 8.17 **Summary Description Requirements** – Notwithstanding Article V above, we will be deemed to have satisfied our summary description reporting requirements under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 408(l)(2) if either
- we provide a summary description directly to you, or
  - we provide our name, address and withdrawal procedures to you, and your employer provides you with all other required information.

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## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

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*Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.*

### PURPOSE OF FORM

Form 5305-SA is a model custodial account agreement that meets the requirements of sections 408(a) and 408(p). However, only Articles I through VII have been reviewed by the IRS. A SIMPLE individual retirement account (SIMPLE IRA) is established after the form is fully executed by both the individual (participant) and the custodian. This account must be created in the United States for the exclusive benefit of the participant and his or her beneficiaries.

**Do not** file Form 5305-SA with the IRS. Instead, keep it with your records.

For more information on SIMPLE IRAs, including the required disclosures the custodian must give the participant, see Pub. 590-A, *Contributions to Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*; Pub. 590-B, *Distributions from Traditional Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*; and Pub. 560, *Retirement Plans for Small Business (SEP, SIMPLE, and Qualified Plans)*.

### DEFINITIONS

**Participant** – The participant is the person who establishes the custodial account.

**Custodian** – The custodian must be a bank or savings and loan association, as defined in section 408(n), or any person who has the approval of the IRS to act as custodian.

### TRANSFER SIMPLE IRA

This SIMPLE IRA is a “transfer SIMPLE IRA” if it is not the original recipient of contributions under any SIMPLE IRA plan. The summary description requirements of section 408(l)(2) do not apply to transfer SIMPLE IRAs.

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## SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

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**Article IV** – Distributions made under this article may be made in a single sum, periodic payment, or a combination of both. The distribution option should be reviewed in the year the participant reaches age 70½ to ensure that the requirements of section 408(a)(6) have been met.

**Article VIII** – Article VIII and any that follow it may incorporate additional provisions that are agreed to by the participant and custodian to complete the agreement. They may include, for example, definitions, investment powers, voting rights, exculpatory provisions, amendment and termination, removal of the custodian, custodian’s fees, state law requirements, beginning date of distributions, accepting only cash, treatment of excess contributions, prohibited transactions with the participant, etc. Attach additional pages if necessary.

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# DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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## RIGHT TO REVOKE YOUR SIMPLE IRA

You have the right to revoke your SIMPLE IRA within seven (7) days of the receipt of the disclosure statement. If revoked, you are entitled to a full return of the contribution you made to your SIMPLE IRA. The amount returned to you would not include an adjustment for such items as sales commissions, administrative expenses, or fluctuation in market value. You may make this revocation only by mailing or delivering a written notice to the custodian at the address listed on the application.

If you send your notice by first class mail, your revocation will be deemed mailed as of the postmark date.

If you have any questions about the procedure for revoking your SIMPLE IRA, please call the custodian at the telephone number listed on the application.

## REQUIREMENTS OF A SIMPLE IRA

- A. **Cash Contributions** – Your contribution must be in cash, unless it is a rollover contribution.
- B. **Maximum Contribution** – The only contributions that may be made to your SIMPLE IRA are employee elective deferrals under a qualified salary reduction agreement, employer contributions, and other contributions allowed by the Code or related regulations, that are made under a SIMPLE IRA plan maintained by your employer. Employee elective deferrals may not exceed the lesser of 100 percent of your compensation for the calendar year or \$13,000 for 2019 and \$13,500 for 2020, with possible cost-of-living adjustments each year thereafter. Your employer may make additional contributions to your SIMPLE IRA within the limits prescribed in Internal Revenue Code Section (IRC Sec.) 408(p). Your employer is required to provide you with information that describes the terms of its SIMPLE IRA plan.
- C. **Catch-Up Contributions** – If you are age 50 or older by the close of the taxable year, you may make an additional contribution to your SIMPLE IRA. The maximum additional contribution is \$3,000 for 2019 and 2020, with possible cost-of-living adjustments each year thereafter.
- D. **Nonforfeitable** – Your interest in your SIMPLE IRA is nonforfeitable.
- E. **Eligible Custodians** – The custodian of your SIMPLE IRA must be a bank, savings and loan association, credit union, or a person or entity approved by the Secretary of the Treasury.
- F. **Commingling Assets** – The assets of your SIMPLE IRA cannot be commingled with other property except in a common trust fund or common investment fund.
- G. **Life Insurance** – No portion of your SIMPLE IRA may be invested in life insurance contracts.
- H. **Collectibles** – You may not invest the assets of your SIMPLE IRA in collectibles (within the meaning of IRC Sec. 408(m)). A collectible is defined as any work of art, rug or antique, metal or gem, stamp or coin, alcoholic beverage, or other tangible personal property specified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). However, specially minted United States gold and silver coins, and certain state-issued coins are permissible investments. Platinum coins and certain gold, silver, platinum or palladium bullion (as described in IRC Sec. 408(m)(3)) also are permitted as SIMPLE IRA investments.
- I. **Required Minimum Distributions** – You are required to take minimum distributions from your SIMPLE IRA at certain times in accordance with Treasury Regulation 1.408-8. Below is a summary of the SIMPLE IRA distribution rules.

1. If you were born before July 1, 1949, you are required to take a minimum distribution from your SIMPLE IRA for the year in which you reach age 70½ and for each year thereafter. You must take your first distribution by your required beginning date, which is April 1 of the year following the year you attain age 70½. If you were born on or after July 1, 1949, you are required to take a minimum distribution from your IRA for the year in which you reach age 72 and for each year thereafter. You must take your first distribution by your required beginning date, which is April 1 of the year following the year you attain age 72. The minimum distribution for any taxable year is equal to the amount obtained by dividing the account balance at the end of the prior year by the applicable divisor.
2. The applicable divisor generally is determined using the Uniform Lifetime Table provided by the IRS. If your spouse is your sole designated beneficiary for the entire calendar year, and is more than 10 years younger than you, the required minimum distribution is determined each year using the actual joint life expectancy of you and your spouse obtained from the Joint Life Expectancy Table provided by the IRS, rather than the life expectancy divisor from the Uniform Lifetime Table.

We reserve the right to do any one of the following by your required beginning date.

- (a) Make no distribution until you give us a proper withdrawal request
- (b) Distribute your entire SIMPLE IRA to you in a single sum payment
- (c) Determine your required minimum distribution each year based on your life expectancy calculated using the Uniform Lifetime Table, and pay those distributions to you until you direct otherwise

If you fail to remove a required minimum distribution, an additional penalty tax of 50 percent is imposed on the amount of the required minimum distribution that should have been taken but was not. You must file IRS Form 5329 along with your income tax return to report and remit any additional taxes to the IRS.

- J. **Beneficiary Distributions** – Upon your death, your beneficiaries are required to take distributions according to IRC Sec. 401(a)(9) and Treasury Regulation 1.408-8. These requirements are described below.
  1. **Death of SIMPLE IRA Owner Before January 1, 2020** – Your designated beneficiary is determined based on the beneficiaries designated as of the date of your death, who remain your beneficiaries as of September 30 of the year following the year of your death.

If you die on or after your required beginning date, distributions must be made to your beneficiaries over the longer of the single life expectancy of your designated beneficiaries, or your remaining life expectancy. If a beneficiary other than a person or qualified trust as defined in the Treasury Regulations is named, you will be treated as having no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA for purposes of determining the distribution period. If there is no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA, distributions will commence using your single life expectancy, reduced by one in each subsequent year.

If you die before your required beginning date, the entire amount remaining in your account will, at the election of your designated beneficiaries, either

- (a) be distributed by December 31 of the year containing the fifth anniversary of your death, or
- (b) be distributed over the remaining life expectancy of your designated beneficiaries.

If your spouse is your sole designated beneficiary, he or she must elect either option (a) or (b) by the earlier of December 31 of the year containing the fifth anniversary of your death, or December 31 of the year life expectancy payments would be required to begin. Your designated beneficiaries, other than a spouse who is the sole designated beneficiary, must elect either option (a) or (b) by December 31 of the year following the year of your death. If no election is made, distribution will be calculated in accordance with option (b). In the case of distributions under option (b), distributions must commence by December 31 of the year following the year of your death. Generally, if your spouse is the designated beneficiary, distributions need not commence until December 31 of the year you would have attained age 72 (age 70½ if you would have attained age 70½ before 2020), if later. If a beneficiary other than a person or qualified trust as defined in the Treasury Regulations is named, you will be treated as having no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA for purposes of determining the distribution period. If there is no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA, the entire SIMPLE IRA must be distributed by December 31 of the year containing the fifth anniversary of your death.

2. **Death of SIMPLE IRA Owner On or After January 1, 2020** – The entire amount remaining in your account will generally be distributed by December 31 of the year containing the tenth anniversary of your death unless you have an eligible designated beneficiary or you have no designated beneficiary for purposes of determining a distribution period. This requirement applies to beneficiaries regardless of whether you die before, on, or after your required beginning date.

If your beneficiary is an eligible designated beneficiary, the entire amount remaining in your account may be distributed (in accordance with the Treasury Regulations) over the remaining life expectancy of your eligible designated beneficiary (or over a period not extending beyond the life expectancy of such beneficiary).

An eligible designated beneficiary is any designated beneficiary who is

- your surviving spouse,
- your child who has not reached the age of majority,
- disabled (A physician must determine that your impairment can be expected to result in death or to be of long, continued, and indefinite duration.),
- an individual who is not more than 10 years younger than you, or
- chronically ill (A chronically ill individual is someone who (1) is unable to perform (without substantial assistance from another individual) at least two activities of daily living for an indefinite period due to a loss of functional capacity, (2) has a level of disability similar to the level of disability described above requiring assistance with daily living based on loss of functional capacity, or (3) requires substantial supervision to protect the individual from threats to health and safety due to severe cognitive impairment.)

Note that certain trust beneficiaries (e.g., certain trusts for disabled and chronically ill individuals) may take distribution of the entire amount remaining in your account over the remaining life expectancy of the trust beneficiary.

Generally, life expectancy distributions to an eligible designated beneficiary must commence by December 31 of the year following the year of your death. However, if your spouse is the eligible designated beneficiary, distributions need not commence until December 31 of the year you would have attained age 72, if later. If your eligible designated beneficiary is your minor child, life expectancy payments must begin by December 31 of the year following the year of your death and continue until the child reaches the age of majority. Once the age of majority is reached, the beneficiary will have 10 years to deplete the account.

If a beneficiary other than a person (e.g., your estate, a charity, or a certain type of trust) is named, you will be treated as having no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA for purposes of determining the distribution period. If you die before your required beginning date and there is no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA, the entire SIMPLE IRA must be distributed by December 31 of the year containing the fifth anniversary of your death. If you die on or after your required beginning date and there is no designated beneficiary of your SIMPLE IRA, distributions will commence using your single life expectancy, reduced by one in each subsequent year.

A spouse beneficiary will have all rights as granted under the Code or applicable Treasury Regulations to treat your SIMPLE IRA as his or her own.

If we so choose, for any reason (e.g., due to limitations of our charter or bylaws), we may require that a beneficiary of a deceased SIMPLE IRA owner take total distribution of all SIMPLE IRA assets by December 31 of the year following the year of death.

If your beneficiary fails to remove a required minimum distribution after your death, an additional penalty tax of 50 percent is imposed on the amount of the required minimum distribution that should have been taken but was not. Your beneficiary must file IRS Form 5329 along with his or her income tax return to report and remit any additional taxes to the IRS.

- K. **Qualifying Longevity Annuity Contracts and RMDs** – A qualifying longevity annuity contract (QLAC) is a deferred annuity contract that, among other requirements, must guarantee lifetime income starting no later than age 85. The total premiums paid to QLACs in your IRAs must not exceed 25 percent (up to \$125,000) of the combined value of your IRAs (excluding Roth IRAs). The \$125,000 limit is subject to cost-of-living adjustments each year.

When calculating your RMD, you may reduce the prior year end account value by the value of QLACs that your SIMPLE IRA holds as investments.

For more information on QLACs, you may wish to refer to the IRS website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

- L. **Waiver of 2020 RMD** – In spite of the general rules described above, if you are a SIMPLE IRA owner age 70½ or older, you are not required to remove an RMD for calendar year 2020. This RMD waiver also applies to SIMPLE IRA owners who attained age 70½ in 2019 but did not take their first RMD before January 1, 2020. In addition, no beneficiary life expectancy payments are required for calendar year 2020. If the five-year rule applies to a SIMPLE IRA with respect to any decedent, the five-year period is determined without regard to calendar year 2020. For example, if a SIMPLE IRA owner died in 2017, the beneficiary's five-year period ends in 2023 instead of 2022.

## **INCOME TAX CONSEQUENCES OF ESTABLISHING A SIMPLE IRA**

- A. **Deductibility for SIMPLE IRA Contributions** – You may not take a deduction for the amounts contributed to your SIMPLE IRA as either employee elective deferrals or employer contributions. However, employee elective deferrals to a SIMPLE IRA will reduce your taxable



income. Further, employer SIMPLE IRA contributions, including earnings, will not be taxable to you until you take a distribution from your SIMPLE IRA.

Participation in your employer's SIMPLE IRA plan renders you an active participant for purposes of determining whether or not you can deduct contributions to a Traditional IRA.

**B. Contribution Deadline** – SIMPLE IRA deferral contributions must be deposited into the SIMPLE IRA as soon as administratively possible, but in no event later than 30 days following the month in which you would have otherwise received the money. Employer matching or nonelective contributions must be deposited no later than the due date for filing the employer's tax return, including extensions.

**C. Tax Credit for Contributions** – You may be eligible to receive a tax credit for your SIMPLE IRA deferrals. This credit may not exceed \$1,000 in a given year. You may be eligible for this tax credit if you are

- age 18 or older as of the close of the taxable year,
- not a dependent of another taxpayer, and
- not a full-time student.

The credit is based upon your income (see chart below), and will range from 0 to 50 percent of eligible contributions. In order to determine the amount of your contributions, add all of the deferrals made to your SIMPLE IRA and reduce these contributions by any distributions that you may have taken during the testing period. The testing period begins two years prior to the year for which the credit is sought and ends on the tax return due date (including extensions) for the year for which the credit is sought. In order to determine your tax credit, multiply the applicable percentage from the chart below by the amount of your contributions that do not exceed \$2,000.

2019 Adjusted Gross Income*			Applicable Percentage
Joint Return	Head of a Household	All Other Cases	
\$1–38,500	\$1–28,875	\$1–19,250	50
\$38,501–41,500	\$28,876–31,125	\$19,251–20,750	20
\$41,501–64,000	\$31,126–48,000	\$20,751–32,000	10
Over \$64,000	Over \$48,000	Over \$32,000	0

2020 Adjusted Gross Income*			Applicable Percentage
Joint Return	Head of a Household	All Other Cases	
\$1–39,000	\$1–29,250	\$1–19,500	50
\$39,001–42,500	\$29,251–31,875	\$19,501–21,250	20
\$42,501–65,000	\$31,876–48,750	\$21,251–32,500	10
Over \$65,000	Over \$48,750	Over \$32,500	0

\*Adjusted gross income (AGI) includes foreign earned income and income from Guam, America Samoa, North Mariana Islands, and Puerto Rico. AGI limits are subject to cost-of-living adjustments each year.

**D. Tax-Deferred Earnings** – The investment earnings of your SIMPLE IRA are not subject to federal income tax until distributions are made (or, in certain instances, when distributions are deemed to be made).

**E. Excess Contributions** – If you defer more than the maximum allowable limit for the tax year, you have an excess deferral and must correct it. Excess deferrals, adjusted for earnings, must be distributed from your SIMPLE IRA.

If your employer mistakenly contributes too much to your SIMPLE IRA as an employer contribution, your employer may effect distribution of the employer excess amount, adjusted for earnings through the date of distribution. The amount distributed to the employer is not includible in your gross income.

**F. Income Tax Withholding** – Any withdrawal from your SIMPLE IRA is subject to federal income tax withholding. You may, however, elect not to have withholding apply to your SIMPLE IRA withdrawal. If withholding is applied to your withdrawal, not less than 10 percent of the amount withdrawn must be withheld.

**G. Early Distribution Penalty Tax** – If you receive a SIMPLE IRA distribution before you attain age 59½, an additional early distribution penalty tax of 10 percent (25 percent if less than two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer) will apply to the taxable amount of the distribution unless one of the following exceptions apply. **1) Death.** After your death, payments made to your beneficiary are not subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. **2) Disability.** If you are disabled at the time of distribution, you are not subject to the additional 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. In order to be disabled, a physician must determine that your impairment can be expected to result in death or to be of long, continued, and indefinite duration. **3) Substantially equal periodic payments.** You are not subject to the additional 10 percent early distribution penalty tax if you are taking a series of substantially equal periodic payments (at least annual payments) over your life expectancy or the joint life expectancy of you and your beneficiary. You must continue these payments for the longer of five years or until you reach age 59½. **4) Unreimbursed medical expenses.** If you take payments to pay for unreimbursed medical expenses that exceed a specified percentage of your adjusted gross income, you will not be subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. For further detailed information and effective dates you may obtain IRS Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, from the IRS. The medical expenses may be for you, your spouse, or any dependent listed on your tax return. **5) Health insurance premiums.** If you are unemployed and have received unemployment compensation for 12 consecutive weeks under a federal or state program, you may take payments from your SIMPLE IRA to pay for health insurance premiums without incurring the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. **6) Higher education expenses.** Payments taken for certain qualified higher education expenses for you, your spouse, or the children or grandchildren of you or your spouse, will not be subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. **7) First-time homebuyer.** You may take payments from your SIMPLE IRA to use toward qualified acquisition costs of buying or building a principal residence. The amount you may take for this reason may not exceed a lifetime maximum of \$10,000. The payment must be used for qualified acquisition costs within 120 days of receiving the distribution. **8) IRS levy.** Payments from your SIMPLE IRA made to the U.S. government in response to a federal tax levy are not subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. **9) Qualified reservist distributions.** If you are a qualified reservist member called to active duty for more than 179 days or an indefinite period, the payments you take from your SIMPLE IRA during the active duty period are not subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. **10) Qualified birth or adoption.** Payments from your SIMPLE IRA for the birth of your child or the adoption of an eligible adoptee will not be subject to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax if the distribution is taken during the one-year period beginning on the date of birth of your child or the date on which your legal adoption of an eligible adoptee is finalized. An eligible adoptee means any individual (other than your spouse's child) who has not attained age 18 or is physically or mentally incapable of self-support. The aggregate amount you may take for this reason may not exceed \$5,000 for each birth or adoption.

You must file IRS Form 5329 along with your income tax return to the IRS to report and remit any additional taxes or to claim a penalty tax exception.

**H. Rollovers and Conversions** – Your SIMPLE IRA may be rolled over to another SIMPLE IRA, Traditional IRA, or an eligible employer-sponsored retirement plan of yours, may receive rollover contributions, or may be converted to a Roth IRA, provided that all of the applicable rollover and conversion rules are followed. Rollover is a term used to describe a movement of cash or other property to your SIMPLE IRA from another SIMPLE IRA, Traditional IRA, or from your employer's qualified retirement plan, 403(a) annuity plan, 403(b) tax-sheltered annuity, or 457(b) eligible governmental deferred compensation plan provided a two-year period has been satisfied. The amount rolled over is not subject to taxation or the additional 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. Conversion is a term used to describe the movement of SIMPLE IRA assets to a Roth IRA. A conversion generally is a taxable event. The general rollover and conversion rules are summarized below. These transactions are often complex. If you have any questions regarding a rollover or conversion, please see a competent tax advisor.

**1. SIMPLE IRA-to-SIMPLE IRA Rollovers.** Assets distributed from your SIMPLE IRA may be rolled over to a SIMPLE IRA of yours if the requirements of IRC Sec. 408(d)(3) are met. A proper SIMPLE IRA-to-SIMPLE IRA rollover is completed if all or part of the distribution is rolled over not later than 60 days after the distribution is received. In the case of a distribution for a first-time homebuyer where there was a delay or cancellation of the purchase, the 60-day rollover period may be extended to 120 days.

You are permitted to roll over only one distribution from an IRA (Traditional, Roth, or SIMPLE) in a 12-month period, regardless of the number of IRAs you own. A distribution may be rolled over to the same IRA or to another IRA that is eligible to receive the rollover. For more information on rollover limitations, you may obtain IRS Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, from the IRS or refer to the IRS website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

**2. Traditional IRA-to-SIMPLE IRA Rollovers.** Assets distributed from your Traditional IRA may be rolled over to a SIMPLE IRA if the requirements of IRC Sec. 408(d)(3) are met and two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer. A proper Traditional IRA-to-SIMPLE IRA rollover is completed if all or part of the distribution is rolled over not later than 60 days after the distribution is received. In the case of a distribution for a first-time homebuyer where there was a delay or cancellation of the purchase, the 60-day rollover period may be extended to 120 days.

You are permitted to roll over only one distribution from an IRA (Traditional, Roth, or SIMPLE) in a 12-month period, regardless of the number of IRAs you own. A distribution may be rolled over to the same IRA or to another IRA that is eligible to receive the rollover. For more information on rollover limitations, you may wish to obtain IRS Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, from the IRS or refer to the IRS website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

**3. Employer-Sponsored Retirement Plan-to-SIMPLE IRA Rollovers.** You may roll over, directly or indirectly, any eligible rollover distribution from an eligible employer-sponsored retirement plan to a SIMPLE IRA provided two years have passed since you first participated in the SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer. An eligible rollover distribution is defined generally as any distribution from a qualified retirement plan, 403(a) annuity, 403(b) tax-sheltered annuity, 457(b) eligible governmental deferred compensation plan, or federal Thrift Savings Plan unless it is a required minimum distribution, hardship distribution, part of a certain series of substantially equal periodic payments, corrective distributions of excess contributions, excess deferrals, excess annual additions and any income allocable to the excess, deemed loan

distribution, dividends on employer securities, the cost of life insurance coverage, or a distribution of Roth elective deferrals from a 401(k), 403(b), governmental 457(b), or federal Thrift Savings Plan.

If you elect to receive your rollover distribution prior to placing it in a SIMPLE IRA, thereby conducting an indirect rollover, your plan administrator generally will be required to withhold 20 percent of your distribution as a payment of income taxes. When completing the rollover, you may make up out of pocket the amount withheld, and roll over the full amount distributed from your employer-sponsored retirement plan. To qualify as a rollover, your eligible rollover distribution generally must be rolled over to your SIMPLE IRA not later than 60 days after you receive the distribution. In the case of a plan loan offset due to plan termination or severance from employment, the deadline for completing the rollover is your tax return due date (including extensions) for the year in which the offset occurs. Alternatively, you may claim the withheld amount as income, and pay the applicable income tax, and if you are under age 59½, the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax (unless an exception to the penalty applies).

As an alternative to the indirect rollover, your employer generally must give you the option to directly roll over your employer-sponsored retirement plan balance to a SIMPLE IRA. If you elect the direct rollover option, your eligible rollover distribution will be paid directly to the SIMPLE IRA (or other eligible employer-sponsored retirement plan) that you designate. The 20 percent withholding requirements do not apply to direct rollovers.

**4. SIMPLE IRA-to-Traditional IRA Rollovers.** Assets distributed from your SIMPLE IRA may be rolled over to your Traditional IRA without IRS penalty tax, provided two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer. As with SIMPLE IRA-to-SIMPLE IRA rollovers, the requirements of IRC Sec. 408(d)(3) must be met. A proper SIMPLE IRA-to-Traditional IRA rollover is completed if all or part of the distribution is rolled over not later than 60 days after the distribution is received.

You are permitted to roll over only one distribution from an IRA (Traditional, Roth, or SIMPLE) in a 12-month period, regardless of the number of IRAs you own. A distribution may be rolled over to the same IRA or to another IRA that is eligible to receive the rollover. For more information on rollover limitations, you may wish to obtain IRS Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, from the IRS or refer to the IRS website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

**5. SIMPLE IRA-to-Employer-Sponsored Retirement Plan Rollovers.** You may roll over, directly or indirectly, any eligible rollover distribution from a SIMPLE IRA to an employer's qualified retirement plan, 403(a) annuity, 403(b) tax-sheltered annuity, or 457(b) eligible governmental deferred compensation plan, provided two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer. The employer-sponsored retirement plan, however, must allow for such rollover contributions.

**6. SIMPLE IRA-to-Roth IRA Conversions.** You are eligible to convert all or any portion of your existing SIMPLE IRA(s) into your Roth IRA(s), provided two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer. If you convert to a Roth IRA, the amount of the conversion from your SIMPLE IRA to your Roth IRA will be treated as a distribution for income tax purposes, and is includible in your gross income. Although the conversion amount generally is included in income, the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax will not apply to conversions from a SIMPLE IRA to a Roth IRA, regardless of whether you qualify for any exceptions to the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. If

you are required to take a required minimum distribution for the year, you must remove your required minimum distribution before converting your SIMPLE IRA.

7. **Rollover of IRS Levy.** If you receive a refund of eligible retirement plan assets that had been wrongfully levied, you may roll over the amount returned up until your tax return due date (not including extensions) for the year in which the money was returned.
8. **Repayment of Qualified Birth or Adoption Distribution.** If you have taken a qualified birth or adoption distribution, you may generally repay all or a portion of the aggregate amount of such distribution to a SIMPLE IRA, provided two years have passed since you first participated in a SIMPLE IRA plan sponsored by your employer, as permitted by the IRS. For further information, you may wish to obtain IRS Publication 590-A, *Contributions to Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, by visiting [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) on the Internet.
9. **Written Election.** At the time you make a rollover to a SIMPLE IRA, you must designate in writing to the custodian your election to treat that contribution as a rollover. Once made, the rollover election is irrevocable.
- I. **Recharacterizations** – You may not recharacterize a Roth IRA conversion back to a SIMPLE IRA.

## LIMITATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

- A. **Deduction of Rollovers and Transfers** – A deduction is not allowed for rollover or transfer contributions.
- B. **Gift Tax** – Transfers of your SIMPLE IRA assets to a beneficiary made during your life and at your request may be subject to federal gift tax under IRC Sec. 2501.
- C. **Special Tax Treatment** – Capital gains treatment and 10-year income averaging authorized by IRC Sec. 402 do not apply to SIMPLE IRA distributions.
- D. **Prohibited Transactions** – If you or your beneficiary engage in a prohibited transaction with your SIMPLE IRA, as described in IRC Sec. 4975, your SIMPLE IRA will lose its tax-deferred status, and you must include the value of your account in your gross income for that taxable year. The following transactions are examples of prohibited transactions with your SIMPLE IRA. (1) Taking a loan from your SIMPLE IRA (2) Buying property for personal use (present or future) with SIMPLE IRA assets (3) Receiving certain bonuses or premiums because of your SIMPLE IRA.
- E. **Pledging** – If you pledge any portion of your SIMPLE IRA as collateral for a loan, the amount so pledged will be treated as a distribution and will be included in your gross income for that year.

## OTHER

- A. **IRS Plan Approval** – Articles I through VII of the agreement used to establish this SIMPLE IRA have been approved by the IRS. The IRS approval is a determination only as to form. It is not an endorsement of the plan in operation or of the investments offered.
- B. **Additional Information** – For further information on SIMPLE IRAs, you may wish to obtain IRS Publication 590-A, *Contributions to Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, or Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, by calling 800-TAX-FORM, or by visiting [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) on the Internet.
- C. **Important Information About Procedures for Opening a New Account** – To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, federal law requires all financial organizations to obtain, verify, and record information that identifies each person who opens an account. Therefore, when you open a

SIMPLE IRA, you are required to provide your name, residential address, date of birth, and identification number. We may require other information that will allow us to identify you.

- D. **Qualified Reservist Distributions** – If you are an eligible qualified reservist who has taken penalty-free qualified reservist distributions from your SIMPLE IRA or retirement plan, you may recontribute those amounts to an IRA generally within a two-year period from your date of return.
- E. **Disaster Related Relief** – If you qualify (for example, you sustained an economic loss due to, or are otherwise considered affected by, certain disasters designated by Congress), you may be eligible for favorable tax treatment on distributions, rollovers, and other transactions involving your SIMPLE IRA. Qualified disaster relief may include penalty-tax free early distributions made during specified timeframes for each disaster, the ability to include distributions in your gross income ratably over multiple years, the ability to roll over distributions to an eligible retirement plan without regard to the 60-day rollover rule, and more. For additional information on specific disasters, including a complete listing of disaster areas, qualification requirements for relief, and allowable disaster-related SIMPLE IRA transactions, you may wish to obtain IRS Publication 590-B, *Distributions from Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)*, from the IRS or refer to the IRS website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).
- F. **Coronavirus-Related Distributions (CRDs)** – If you qualify, you may withdraw up to \$100,000 in aggregate from your IRAs and eligible retirement plans as a CRD, without paying the 10 percent early distribution penalty tax. You are a qualified individual if you (or your spouse or dependent) is diagnosed with the COVID-19 disease or the SARS-CoV-2 virus in an approved test; or if you have experienced adverse financial consequences as a result of being quarantined, being furloughed or laid off or having work hours reduced due to such virus or disease, being unable to work due to lack of child care due to such virus or disease, closing or reduced hours of a business owned or operated by you due to such virus or disease, or other factors as determined by the IRS. A CRD must be made on or after January 1, 2020, and before December 31, 2020.  
  
CRDs will be taxed ratably over a three-year period, unless you elect otherwise, and may be repaid over three years beginning with the day following the day a CRD is made. Repayments may be made to an eligible retirement plan or IRA.

An eligible retirement plan is defined as a qualified retirement plan, 403(a) annuity, 403(b) tax-sheltered annuity, 457(b) eligible governmental deferred compensation plan, or an IRA.

# IRA FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

The term IRA will be used below to mean Traditional IRA, Roth IRA, and SIMPLE IRA, unless otherwise specified.

The financial organization should complete the financial disclosure using Method I, Method II, or Method III. If the growth of the IRA can reasonably be projected, use either Method I or Method II. The account values projected using Method I or Method II must be reduced by all applicable fees and penalties. If annual fees are assessed, such as an annual service fee, use Method II. If no projection of growth of the IRA can reasonably be shown, use Method III.

## METHOD I Growth can be projected (Do not use Method I if an annual fee is charged. Instead, use Method II for financial projections.)

Your Age on Your Birth Date This Year \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Time Deposit (If applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

The charts below give projections of the value of your IRA by showing the amount available at the end of each year. These projections assume an interest rate of .25%, compounded annually. If you have invested your IRA in a time deposit, a loss-of-earnings penalty may be charged against a withdrawal before maturity. A transaction fee may also apply to your IRA.

The Regular Contribution chart assumes that an annual contribution of \$1,000 is made on the first day of each year. The Rollover, Transfer, or Conversion\* chart assumes that a one-time deposit of \$1,000 is made on the first day of the first year.

Indicate the projected account value for each of the years, taking into consideration any applicable loss of earnings penalty or other fees assessed if the IRA owner received a distribution at the end of the year for which the projection is being made. First, circle the year-end projected IRA value that is applicable for each of the first five years. Next, circle the applicable IRA value for the years in which the IRA owner will attain ages 60, 65, and 70.

REGULAR CONTRIBUTION						ROLLOVER, TRANSFER, OR CONVERSION*						ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE INFORMATION
FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS WITH .25% RATE OF INTEREST						FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS WITH .25% RATE OF INTEREST						
NO. YRS	ACCOUNT VALUE	1 MONTH PENALTY	3 MONTH PENALTY	6 MONTH PENALTY	AMT. AFTER FEES AND PENALTIES	NO. YRS	ACCOUNT VALUE	1 MONTH PENALTY	3 MONTH PENALTY	6 MONTH PENALTY	AMT. AFTER FEES AND PENALTIES	
1	\$1,002.50	\$1,002.29	\$1,001.87	\$1,001.25		1	\$1,002.50	\$1,002.29	\$1,001.87	\$1,001.25		
2	2,007.51	2,007.09	2,006.25	2,005.00		2	1,005.01	1,004.80	1,004.38	1,003.75		
3	3,015.03	3,014.40	3,013.14	3,011.26		3	1,007.52	1,007.31	1,006.89	1,006.26		
4	4,025.06	4,024.22	4,022.55	4,020.03		4	1,010.04	1,009.83	1,009.41	1,008.78		
5	5,037.63	5,036.58	5,034.48	5,031.33		5	1,012.56	1,012.35	1,011.93	1,011.30		
6	6,052.72	6,051.46	6,048.94	6,045.15		6	1,015.09	1,014.88	1,014.46	1,013.83		
7	7,070.35	7,068.88	7,065.93	7,061.51		7	1,017.63	1,017.42	1,017.00	1,016.36		
8	8,090.53	8,088.84	8,085.47	8,080.41		8	1,020.18	1,019.96	1,019.54	1,018.90		
9	9,113.25	9,111.35	9,107.56	9,101.86		9	1,022.73	1,022.51	1,022.09	1,021.45		
10	10,138.54	10,136.42	10,132.20	10,125.86		10	1,025.28	1,025.07	1,024.64	1,024.00		
11	11,166.38	11,164.06	11,159.40	11,152.42		11	1,027.85	1,027.63	1,027.20	1,026.56		
12	12,196.80	12,194.26	12,189.18	12,181.55		12	1,030.42	1,030.20	1,029.77	1,029.13		
13	13,229.79	13,227.03	13,221.52	13,213.25		13	1,032.99	1,032.78	1,032.35	1,031.70		
14	14,265.37	14,262.39	14,256.45	14,247.53		14	1,035.57	1,035.36	1,034.93	1,034.28		
15	15,303.53	15,300.34	15,293.96	15,284.40		15	1,038.16	1,037.95	1,037.51	1,036.87		
16	16,344.29	16,340.88	16,334.07	16,323.86		16	1,040.76	1,040.54	1,040.11	1,039.46		
17	17,387.65	17,384.03	17,376.78	17,365.91		17	1,043.36	1,043.14	1,042.71	1,042.06		
18	18,433.62	18,429.78	18,422.10	18,410.58		18	1,045.97	1,045.75	1,045.32	1,044.66		
19	19,482.20	19,478.14	19,470.02	19,457.85		19	1,048.58	1,048.37	1,047.93	1,047.27		
20	20,533.41	20,529.13	20,520.57	20,507.74		20	1,051.21	1,050.99	1,050.55	1,049.89		
21	21,587.24	21,582.74	21,573.75	21,560.26		21	1,053.83	1,053.61	1,053.17	1,052.52		
22	22,643.71	22,638.99	22,629.56	22,615.40		22	1,056.47	1,056.25	1,055.81	1,055.15		
23	23,702.82	23,697.88	23,688.00	23,673.19		23	1,059.11	1,058.89	1,058.45	1,057.79		
24	24,764.57	24,759.42	24,749.10	24,733.62		24	1,061.76	1,061.54	1,061.09	1,060.43		
25	25,828.99	25,823.61	25,812.84	25,796.70		25	1,064.41	1,064.19	1,063.75	1,063.08		
26	26,896.06	26,890.46	26,879.25	26,862.44		26	1,067.07	1,066.85	1,066.41	1,065.74		
27	27,965.80	27,959.97	27,948.32	27,930.84		27	1,069.74	1,069.52	1,069.07	1,068.40		
28	29,038.21	29,032.16	29,020.06	29,001.92		28	1,072.41	1,072.19	1,071.74	1,071.07		
29	30,113.31	30,107.04	30,094.49	30,075.67		29	1,075.10	1,074.87	1,074.42	1,073.75		
30	31,191.09	31,184.59	31,171.60	31,152.10		30	1,077.78	1,077.56	1,077.11	1,076.44		
31	32,271.57	32,264.85	32,251.40	32,231.23		31	1,080.48	1,080.25	1,079.80	1,079.13		
32	33,354.75	33,347.80	33,333.90	33,313.06		32	1,083.18	1,082.95	1,082.50	1,081.82		
33	34,440.64	34,433.46	34,419.11	34,397.58		33	1,085.89	1,085.66	1,085.21	1,084.53		
34	35,529.24	35,521.84	35,507.03	35,484.83		34	1,088.60	1,088.37	1,087.92	1,087.24		
35	36,620.56	36,612.93	36,597.67	36,574.78		35	1,091.32	1,091.10	1,090.64	1,089.96		
36	37,714.61	37,706.75	37,691.04	37,667.47		36	1,094.05	1,093.82	1,093.37	1,092.68		
37	38,811.40	38,803.31	38,787.14	38,762.88		37	1,096.79	1,096.56	1,096.10	1,095.42		
38	39,910.93	39,902.61	39,885.98	39,861.04		38	1,099.53	1,099.30	1,098.84	1,098.15		
39	41,013.20	41,004.66	40,987.57	40,963.94		39	1,102.28	1,102.05	1,101.59	1,100.90		
40	42,118.24	42,109.46	42,091.91	42,065.59		40	1,105.03	1,104.80	1,104.34	1,103.65		
41	43,226.03	43,217.03	43,199.02	43,172.00		41	1,107.80	1,107.56	1,107.10	1,106.41		
42	44,336.60	44,327.36	44,308.89	44,281.18		42	1,110.57	1,110.33	1,109.87	1,109.18		
43	45,449.94	45,440.47	45,421.53	45,393.13		43	1,113.34	1,113.11	1,112.65	1,111.95		
44	46,566.06	46,556.36	46,536.96	46,507.86		44	1,116.12	1,115.89	1,115.43	1,114.73		
45	47,684.98	47,675.04	47,655.18	47,625.37		45	1,118.92	1,118.68	1,118.22	1,117.52		
46	48,806.69	48,796.52	48,776.19	48,745.68		46	1,121.71	1,121.48	1,121.01	1,120.31		
47	49,931.21	49,920.81	49,900.00	49,868.79		47	1,124.52	1,124.28	1,123.81	1,123.11		
48	51,058.54	51,047.90	51,026.62	50,994.71		48	1,127.33	1,127.09	1,126.62	1,125.92		
49	52,188.68	52,177.81	52,156.06	52,123.45		49	1,130.15	1,129.91	1,129.44	1,128.73		
50	53,321.65	53,310.55	53,288.33	53,255.00		50	1,132.97	1,132.74	1,132.26	1,131.56		
51	54,457.46	54,446.11	54,423.42	54,389.39		51	1,135.80	1,135.57	1,135.09	1,134.38		
52	55,596.10	55,584.52	55,561.35	55,526.61		52	1,138.64	1,138.41	1,137.93	1,137.22		
53	56,737.59	56,725.77	56,702.13	56,666.67		53	1,141.49	1,141.25	1,140.78	1,140.06		
54	57,881.94	57,869.88	57,845.76	57,809.58		54	1,144.34	1,144.11	1,143.63	1,142.91		
55	59,029.14	59,016.84	58,992.25	58,955.35		55	1,147.20	1,146.97	1,146.49	1,145.77		
56	60,179.21	60,166.68	60,141.60	60,103.99		56	1,150.07	1,149.83	1,149.35	1,148.64		
57	61,332.16	61,319.38	61,293.83	61,255.50		57	1,152.95	1,152.71	1,152.23	1,151.51		
58	62,487.99	62,474.97	62,448.94	62,409.88		58	1,155.83	1,155.59	1,155.11	1,154.39		
59	63,646.71	63,633.45	63,606.93	63,567.15		59	1,158.72	1,158.48	1,158.00	1,157.27		
60	64,808.33	64,794.83	64,767.82	64,727.32		60	1,161.62	1,161.37	1,160.89	1,160.16		
61	65,972.85	65,959.11	65,931.62	65,890.38		61	1,164.52	1,164.28	1,163.79	1,163.07		
62	67,140.28	67,126.29	67,098.32	67,056.36		62	1,167.43	1,167.19	1,166.70	1,165.97		

The account values shown are projections based on many assumptions. They are not guaranteed, but depend upon many factors, including the interest rates and terms of future funding instruments.

We may charge you fees in connection with your IRA. If we do not charge these fees now, we may do so in the future after giving you notice. If you do not pay these fees separately, they may be paid from the assets of your IRA.

**CURRENT FEES**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Conversion applies to Roth IRAs only

**METHOD II Growth can be projected**

The financial projections below show the amount that would be available if you were to withdraw your IRA assets at the indicated times. These projections are based on the following assumptions.

**CONTRIBUTION** *(Select one)*

- Regular.** An annual \$1,000 deposit is made on the first day of each year.
- Rollover, Transfer, or Conversion.\*** A one-time \$1,000 deposit is made on the first day of the first year.

Your Age on Your Birth Date in Contribution Year \_\_\_\_\_

Investment Instrument \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Time Deposit \_\_\_\_\_

Rate of Interest \_\_\_\_\_ %

Compounding Method \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS**

Number of Years in IRA Program	Total Accumulation of IRA Dollars	Amount After Fees and Penalties
1 Year	\$ _____	\$ _____
2 Years	\$ _____	\$ _____
3 Years	\$ _____	\$ _____
4 Years	\$ _____	\$ _____
5 Years	\$ _____	\$ _____

End of the Year You Reach Age	Total Accumulation of IRA Dollars	Amount After Fees and Penalties
60	\$ _____	\$ _____
65	\$ _____	\$ _____
70	\$ _____	\$ _____

**ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE INFORMATION**

The account values shown are projections based on many assumptions. These projections have been reduced by any applicable fees. They are not guaranteed, but depend upon many factors, including the interest rates and terms of future funding instruments.

We may charge you an annual service fee or other fees in connection with your IRA. If we do not charge these fees now, we may do so in the future after giving you notice. If you do not pay these fees separately, they may be paid from the assets of your IRA.

**CURRENT FEES**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Conversion applies to Roth IRAs only

**METHOD III Growth cannot be projected**

The value of your IRA will be dependent solely upon the performance of any investment instrument used to fund your IRA. Therefore, no projection of the growth of your IRA can reasonably be shown or guaranteed.

Terms and conditions of the IRA that affect your investment are listed below.

**INVESTMENT OPTIONS**

You may direct the investment of your funds within this IRA into any investment instrument offered by or through the Custodian. The Custodian will not exercise any investment discretion regarding your IRA, as this is solely your responsibility.

**FEES**

There are certain fees and charges connected with your IRA investments. These fees and charges may include the following.

- Sales Commissions
- Investment Management Fees
- Distribution Fees
- Set Up Fees
- Annual Maintenance Fees
- Surrender or Termination Fees

To find out what fees apply, refer to the investment prospectus or contract.

There may be certain fees and charges connected with the IRA itself. *(Select and complete as applicable.)*

- Annual Service Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Transfer Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Rollover Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Termination Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Other *(Explain)* \_\_\_\_\_

We reserve the right to change any of the above fees after notice to you, as provided in your IRA agreement.

**EARNINGS**

The method for computing and allocating annual earnings (e.g., interest, dividends) on your IRA will differ based on the nature and issuer of the investments chosen. Refer to the investment prospectus or contract for the methods used for computing and allocating annual earnings.

**OTHER**

Other terms or conditions that apply to your IRA include the following.

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TAX EXEMPT AND  
GOVERNMENT ENTITIES  
DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20224

JUN 26 2019

Axos Clearing, LLC  
Attn.: Mr. Jeffrey N. Sime, President  
1200 Landmark Center, Suite 800  
Omaha, NE 68102

Re: Axos Clearing, LLC; EIN: 77-0616239  
Nonbank Trustee or Custodian Status

Dear Mr. Sime:

This letter responds to your letter dated March 25, 2019, concerning a change to your nonbank custodian application. Your nonbank custodian application was approved, pursuant to section 1.408-2(e) of the Income Tax Regulations (Regulations) on December 15, 2014. Our approval letter authorized COR Clearing, LLC (Applicant) to act as a passive or non-passive trustee or custodian of Archer MSAs established under section 220 of the Internal Revenue Code; health savings accounts described in section 223; plans qualified under section 401; section 403(b)(7) custodial accounts; individual retirement accounts (IRAs) established under sections 408, 408A, and 530; and eligible deferred compensation plans described in section 457(b).

Your March 25, 2019, letter and attached correspondence informed this office that the Applicant changed its name from COR Clearing, LLC to Axos Clearing, LLC. Your letter did not notify of us any other changes that would affect the continuing accuracy of your application.

We have updated our files and no further action will be taken. Please note that this letter does not constitute a determination as to whether the Applicant satisfies the requirements of section 1.408-2(e) of the Regulations.

Thank you for writing to us about this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Roz Ferber (Badge No. 1000221499) at (202) 317-8724.

Sincerely yours,

  
Ada M. Perry, Acting Manager  
Employee Plans Technical Group 1

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COR Clearing, LLC  
1200 Landmark, Suite 400  
Omaha, NE 68102

EIN: 77-0616239

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In a letter dated December 9, 2013, your authorized representative requested a written notice of approval that COR Clearing, LLC (Applicant) may act as a passive or non-passive nonbank trustee or nonbank custodian for medical savings accounts established under section 220 of the Internal Revenue Code (Code), nonbank trustee or custodian for health savings accounts established under section 223, a nonbank trustee or custodian for plans qualified under section 401 and accounts described in section 403(b)(7), nonbank trustee or custodian of individual retirement arrangements (IRAs) established under sections 408, 408A, and 530, and as a nonbank custodian of eligible deferred compensation plans described in section 457(b).

Section 220(d)(1)(B) of the Code (dealing with Archer MSA (medical savings accounts)) provides, in pertinent part, that the trustee of a medical savings account must be a bank (as defined in section 408(n)), an insurance company (as defined in section 816), or another person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which such person will administer the trust will be consistent with the requirements of this section. Q&A-10 of Notice 96-53, 1996-2 C.B. 219 provides, in pertinent part, that persons other than banks, insurance companies, or previously approved IRA trustees or custodians may request approval to be a trustee or custodian in accordance with the procedures set forth in section 1.408-2(e) of the Income Tax Regulations (Regulations).

Section 223(d)(1)(B) of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the trustee of a health savings account must be a bank (as defined in section 408(n)), an insurance company (as defined in section 816), or another person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which such person will administer the trust will be consistent with the requirements of this section. Section 223(d)(4)(E) provides, in general, that rules similar to section 408(h) (dealing with custodial accounts) also apply to health savings accounts.

Section 401(f)(1) of the Code provides that a custodial account shall be treated as a qualified trust under this section if such custodial account would, except for the fact it is not a trust, constitute a qualified trust under this section. Section 401(f)(2) provides that

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the custodian must be a bank (as defined in section 408(n)) or another person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which such other person will hold the assets will be consistent with the requirements of section 401 of the Code. Section 401(f) also provides that in the case of a custodial account treated as a qualified trust, the person holding the assets of such account shall be treated as the trustee thereof.

Section 403(b)(7)(A) of the Code requires, in part, that for amounts paid by an employer to a custodial account to be treated as amounts contributed to an annuity contract for his employee, the custodial account must satisfy the requirements of section 401(f)(2). That section also requires, in order for the amounts paid by an employer to be treated as amounts contributed to an annuity contract for his employee, that the amounts are to be invested in regulated investment company stock to be held in the custodial account, and under the custodial account no such amounts may be paid or made available to any distributee before the employee dies, attains age 59 ½, has a severance from employment, becomes disabled (within the meaning of section 72(m)(7)), or in the case of contributions made pursuant to a salary reduction agreement (within the meaning of section 3121(a)(5)(D)), encounters financial hardship.

Section 408(a)(2) of the Code requires that the trustee of an IRA be a bank (as defined in section 408(n)) or such other person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which such other person will administer the trust will be consistent with the requirements of section 408.

Section 408(h) of the Code provides that a custodial account shall be treated as a trust if the assets of such account are held by a bank (as defined in section 408(n)) or another person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which the person will administer the account will be consistent with the requirements of this section, and if the custodial account would, except for the fact that it is not a trust, constitute an IRA described in section 408(a). Section 408(h) also provides that, in the case of a custodial account treated as a trust by reason of the preceding sentence, the custodian of such account shall be treated as the trustee thereof.

Section 408A of the Code provides, in general, that a Roth IRA shall be treated in the same manner as an individual retirement plan. Section 7701(a)(37)(A) defines an individual retirement plan as an individual retirement account described in section 408(a).

Section 530(b)(1)(B) of the Code (dealing with Coverdell education savings accounts) requires that the trustee of such an account be a bank (as defined in section 408(n)) or another person who demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Secretary that the manner in which that person will administer the trust will be consistent with the requirements of this section or who has so demonstrated with respect to any individual retirement plan.



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Section 530(g) of the Code (dealing with Coverdell education savings accounts) provides that a custodial account shall be treated as a trust if the assets of such account are held by a bank (as defined in section 408(n)) or another person who demonstrates, to the satisfaction of the Secretary, that the manner in which he will administer the account will be consistent with the requirements of this section, and if the custodial account would, except for the fact that it is not a trust, constitute an account described in section 530(b)(1). For purposes of title 26, in the case of a custodial account treated as a trust by reason of the preceding sentence, the custodian of such account shall be treated as the trustee thereof.

Section 457(g) of the Code (dealing with eligible deferred compensation plans) provides, in relevant part, that plan assets and income must be held in trust. Section 457(g)(3) provides that custodial accounts and contracts described in section 401(f) shall be treated as trusts under rules similar to the rules under section 401(f). Section 1.457-8(a)(3) provides, in pertinent part, that for purposes of the trust requirements of section 457(g)(1), a custodial account will be treated as a trust if the custodian is a bank, as described in section 408(n), or a person who meets the nonbank trustee requirements of paragraph (a)(3)(ii)(B) of this section, and the account meets the requirements of paragraphs (a)(1) and (2) of this section, other than the requirement that it be a trust. Paragraph (a)(3)(ii)(B) provides that the custodian of a custodial account may be a person other than a bank only if the person demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Commissioner that the manner in which the person will administer the custodial account will be consistent with the requirements of sections 457(g)(1) and (3). To do so, the person must demonstrate that the requirements of section 1.408-2(e)(2)-(6) of the Regulations, relating to nonbank trustees, are met.

The Regulations at section 1.408-2(e) contain the requirements with which one must comply in order to act as a custodian, for purposes of sections 220, 223, 401(f), 403(b)(7), 408(a)(2), 408(h), 408A, 457(b) and 530 of the Code. Section 1.408-2(e)(1) requires a person to file a written application with the Commissioner demonstrating that it meets sections 1.408-2(e)(2) through (6) of the Regulations.

Based on all the information submitted to this office and all the representations made in the application, we have concluded that the Applicant meets the requirements of section 1.408-2(e) of the Regulations, and therefore, it is approved to act as a passive or non-passive nonbank trustee or nonbank custodian for medical savings accounts established under section 220 of the Code, nonbank trustee or custodian for health savings accounts established under section 223, a nonbank trustee or custodian for plans qualified under section 401 and accounts described in section 403(b)(7), nonbank trustee or custodian of individual retirement arrangements (IRAs) established under sections 408, 408A, and 530, and as a nonbank custodian of eligible deferred compensation plans described in section 457(b).

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This notice of approval authorizes the Applicant to act as a passive or non-passive custodian. When the Applicant acts as a passive nonbank custodian within the meaning of section 1.408-2(e)(6)(i) of the Regulations, that is, it is authorized only to acquire and hold particular investments specified by the custodial agreement. It may only act as a passive custodian if under the written custodial agreement/trust instrument, it has no discretion to direct investments of the trust (or custodial) funds or any other aspect of the business administration of the trust.

This notice of approval, while authorizing the Applicant to act as a passive or non-passive custodian, does not authorize it to pool accounts in a common investment fund (other than a mutual fund) within the meaning of section 1.408-2(e)(5)(vi) of the Regulations. Section 1.408-2(e)(6)(v) of the Regulations provides that the Applicant may only act as a custodian if it undertakes to act only under trust instruments or custodial agreements that contain a provision to the effect that the grantor is to substitute another trustee or custodian upon notification by the Commissioner that such substitution is required, because the Applicant has failed to comply with the requirements of section 1.408-2(e) of the Regulations or is not keeping such records, or making such returns or rendering such statements as are required by forms or Regulations. For example, one such form is Form 990-T for IRAs that have \$1000 or more of unrelated business taxable income that is subject to tax by section 511(b)(1) of the Code.

Section 1.408-2(e)(6)(iv) of the Regulations requires the Applicant to notify the Commissioner in writing of any change that affects the continuing accuracy of any representation made in its application. Further, the continued approval of the Applicant to act as a nonbank trustee as provided herein depends upon its continued satisfaction of the criteria set forth in section 1.408-2(e) of the Regulations.

This notice of approval is not transferable to any other entity. An entity that is a member of a controlled group of corporations, within the meaning of section 1563(a) of the Code, may not rely on an approval letter issued to another member of the same controlled group. Furthermore, any entity that goes through an acquisition, merger, consolidation or other type of reorganization may not necessarily be able to rely on the approval letter issued to such entity prior to the acquisition, merger, consolidation or other type of reorganization. Such entity may have to apply for a new notice of approval in accordance with section 1.408-2(e) of the Regulations.

This notice of approval constitutes a determination that the Applicant may act as a passive or non-passive custodian as described herein and does not bear upon its capacity to act as a trustee or custodian under any other applicable law. This is not an endorsement of any investment. The Internal Revenue Service does not review or approve investments.

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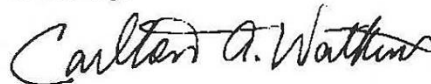
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EIN: 77-0616239

This notice of approval is effective as of the date of this letter and will remain in effect until withdrawn by the Applicant or revoked by the Service. Section 1.408-2(e)(7)(i) of the Regulations prohibits the acceptance of any fiduciary account prior to the effective date.

In accordance with the power of attorney on file in this office, a copy of this notice of approval is being sent to your authorized representative.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Danielle Norris (Badge No. 1002853909) at 202-317-8726. Please address all correspondence to SE:T:EP:RA:T1.

Sincerely,



Carlton A. Watkins, Manager  
Employee Plans Technical Group 1

cc: Barbara R. Van Zomeren, Esq.  
Ascensus  
415 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, NE  
Brainerd, MN 56401

## SCHEDULE 15G

### **Important Information on Penny Stocks**

The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) requires your broker to give this statement to you, and to obtain your signature to show that you have received it, before your first trade in a penny stock. This statement contains important information – and you should read it carefully before you sign it, and before you decide to purchase or sell a penny stock.

In addition to obtaining your signature, the SEC requires your broker to wait at least two business days after sending you this statement before executing your first trade to give you time to carefully consider your trade.

#### **Penny stocks can be very risky.**

Penny stocks are low-priced shares of small companies. Penny stocks may trade infrequently - which means that it may be difficult to sell penny stock shares once you have them. Because it may also be difficult to find quotations for penny stocks, they may be impossible to accurately price. Investors in penny stock should be prepared for the possibility that they may lose their whole investment.

While penny stocks generally trade over-the-counter, they may also trade on U.S. securities exchanges, facilities of U.S. exchanges, or foreign exchanges. You should learn about the market in which the penny stock trades to determine how much demand there is for this stock and how difficult it will be to sell. Be especially careful if your broker is offering to sell you newly issued penny stock that has no established trading market.

The securities you are considering have not been approved or disapproved by the SEC. Moreover, the SEC has not passed upon the fairness or the merits of this transaction nor upon the accuracy or adequacy of the information contained in any prospectus or any other information provided by an issuer or a broker or dealer.

#### **Information you should get.**

In addition to this statement, your broker is required to give you a statement of your financial situation and investment goals explaining why his or her firm has determined that penny stocks are a suitable investment for you. In addition, your broker is required to obtain your agreement to the proposed penny stock transaction.

***Before you buy penny stock***, federal law requires your salesperson to tell you the “offer” and the “bid” on the stock, and the “compensation” the salesperson and the firm receive for the trade. The firm also must send a confirmation of these prices to you after the trade. You will need this price information to determine what profit or loss, if any, you will have when you sell your stock.

The offer price is the wholesale price at which the dealer is willing to sell stock to other dealers. The bid price is the wholesale price at which the dealer is willing to buy the stock from other dealers. In its trade

with you, the dealer may add a retail charge to these wholesale prices as compensation (called a "markup" or "markdown").

The difference between the bid and the offer price is the dealer's "*spread*." A spread that is large compared with the purchase price can make a resale of a stock very costly. To be profitable when you sell, the bid price of your stock must rise above the amount of this spread *and* the compensation charged by both your selling and purchasing dealers. *Remember that if the dealer has no bid price, you may not be able to sell the stock after you buy it, and may lose your whole investment.*

*After you buy penny stock*, your brokerage firm must send you a monthly account statement that gives an estimate of the value of each penny stock in your account, if there is enough information to make an estimate. If the firm has not bought or sold any penny stocks for your account for six months, it can provide these statements every three months.

Additional information about low-priced securities - including penny stocks – is available on the SEC's Web site at <http://www.sec.gov/investor/pubs/microcapstock.htm>. In addition, your broker will send you a copy of this information upon request. The SEC encourages you to learn all you can before making this investment.

### **Brokers' duties and customer's rights and remedies.**

Remember that your salesperson is not an impartial advisor - he or she is being paid to sell you stock. Do not rely only on the salesperson, but seek outside advice before you buy any stock. You can get the disciplinary history of a salesperson or firm from NASD at 1-800-289-9999 or contact NASD via the Internet at [www.nasd.com](http://www.nasd.com). You can also get additional information from your state securities official. The North American Securities Administrators Association, Inc. can give you contact information for your state. You can reach NASAA at (202) 737-0900 or via the Internet at [www.nasaa.org](http://www.nasaa.org)

If you have problems with a salesperson, contact the firm's compliance officer. You can also contact the securities regulators listed above. Finally, if you are a victim of fraud, you may have rights and remedies under state and federal law. In addition to the regulators listed above, you also may contact the SEC with complaints at (800) SEC-0330 or via the Internet at [help@sec.gov](mailto:help@sec.gov).

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT – Schedule 15G**

Please acknowledge that you received and read the “**Schedule 15G - Important Information on Penny Stocks**”, which was set forth on the preceding 2 pages, by signing and dating this document in the space provided below and returning it BY MAIL TO:

Cambria Capital, LLC  
Attention: Compliance  
488 E. Winchester St., Suite 200  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84107  
Telephone (801) 320-9607

OR BY FAX TO:

Cambria Capital, LLC  
Attention: Compliance  
Fax No. (801) 320-9610

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print Name

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature (If Joint or Multiple Trustees)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print Name

Based upon the foregoing information which you have provided, Cambria Capital LLC has made the determination that transactions in “penny stocks” as that term is defined by section 3(a)(51) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (“Exchange Act”) are suitable for you and that you have sufficient knowledge and experience in financial matters to enable you to evaluate the risks of transactions in penny stocks. In this regard, you have informed us that you understand that there is risk in connection with investments in penny stocks which could involve the loss of your entire investment with respect to any particular penny stock. This suitability determination should therefore not be construed by you as an indication that Cambria Capital LLC believes any particular investment by you in a penny stock is a safe investment or an investment that will result in a gain to you and does not constitute a recommendation to purchase any security.

**THE FOREGOING STATEMENT IS REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED TO YOU BY RULE 15G-9 UNDER THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934. IN ADDITION, IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR CAMBRIA CAPITAL LLC TO EFFECT A TRANSACTION IN A PENNY STOCK SUBJECT TO EXCHANGE ACT RULE 15g-9(a)(12) UNLESS CAMBRIA CAPITAL LLC HAS RECEIVED, PRIOR TO THE TRANSACTION, A WRITTEN AGREEMENT TO THE TRANSACTION FROM YOU.**

**YOU SHOULD NOT SIGN AND RETURN THIS STATEMENT TO CAMBRIA CAPITAL LLC IF IT DOES NOT ACCURATELY REFLECT YOUR FINANCIAL SITUATION, INVESTMENT EXPERIENCE, AND INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES. YOU AGREE TO NOTIFY US IN WRITING IF ANY OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION CHANGES.**

By signing below you hereby acknowledge, understand, and agree with the foregoing suitability determination and that is solely based upon the information you have provided to us, the veracity of which you hereby warrant.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Customer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Customer

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Joint Subscriber (if any)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Joint Subscriber (if any)

Account approved for transactions in penny stocks: CAMBRIA CAPITAL LLC

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Duly Authorized Officer



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## **Cambria Capital Account Funding Options**

### **Checks**

Make Checks payable to “**Axos Clearing**”. Write your account number in the memo field of the check. Mail payment to:

Cambria Capital LLC  
488 E. Winchester St., Suite 200  
Salt Lake City, UT 84107

### **Wires**

Please fill in the exact name on your Cambria account and the account number on the following wiring instructions and give to your bank:

BMO Harris Bank  
111 West Monroe Street  
Chicago, IL 60690  
Tel: 312-461-2323  
ABA# 071000288  
Account# 3174109  
Account Name: Axos Clearing  
FBO Account #: \_\_\_\_\_  
FBO Account Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional info (if needed):  
Swift Code HATRUS44

### **ACH (Direct Deposit)**

If you have already set up ACH for your account, then please contact your representative to instruct them to move the funds from your bank account to your brokerage account.

To set up ACH, please download the “[Money Link Electronic Funds Transfer](#)” Form from our website and fill out completely, sign and attach a voided check.



# CUSTOMER AGREEMENT

This Customer Agreement (“Agreement”) sets forth the Terms and Conditions that govern Your brokerage account with Axos Clearing LLC, Member SIPC. Throughout this Agreement, the words, “You” and/or “Your” means Axos Clearing LLC (“Axos Clearing”) its successors and assigns and “I”, “Me”, “My”, or “Myself” means the beneficial owner(s) of the brokerage account.

**TO: My Introducing Broker Dealer and Axos Clearing:** In consideration of You opening and/or carrying one or more accounts on My behalf, I represent and agree with respect to all accounts, whether upon margin or cash, as follows:

- Representation as to Capacity.** If an individual, I am of legal age under the laws of the State where I reside and authorized to have a brokerage account carried by Axos Clearing, which is subject to the terms of this Agreement and, except as otherwise disclosed to You, I am not an employee of any exchange or FINRA and I am not an employee or associated person of a member firm of any exchange or of a member firm of FINRA. I will promptly notify You if I become so employed or associated. To the extent that I have not already disclosed to You the following, I will notify You in writing if I, My spouse or immediate family member living in My household becomes a director, 10% beneficial shareholder, or an affiliate of a publicly traded company. If an entity, I am duly formed, validly existing and in good standing in My state of organization, have full power and authority to open and/or have a brokerage account carried by Axos Clearing, which is subject to the terms of this Agreement, to abide by and fulfill My obligations under this Agreement, and the persons authorized on the account are fully authorized to act on My behalf. No person, except Me (or any person named in a separate agreement), has any interest in the account carried pursuant to this Agreement. I acknowledge that unless Axos Clearing receives written objection from Me, under SEC Rule 14B-1(c), Axos Clearing may provide My name, address, and security positions to requesting companies in which I hold securities.
- Authorization.** I appoint You as my agent for the purpose of carrying out My directions to You in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of My Agreement with You for My account and risk with respect to the purchase or sale of securities. To carry out Your duties, You are authorized to open or close brokerage accounts, place and withdraw orders and take such other steps as are reasonable to carry out My directions. Unless I give You discretion by written authorization, all transactions will be done only on My order or the order of My authorized delegate except as described in Section 8.
- Role and Responsibility of Clearing Broker.** I understand that Axos Clearing carries My account(s) as clearing broker pursuant to a carrying agreement, also referred to as a clearing agreement, between My Introducing Broker Dealer and Axos Clearing, and that Axos Clearing will clear all transactions under this Agreement pursuant to that carrying or clearing agreement. If My account has been introduced to Axos Clearing and is carried by Axos Clearing acting solely as a “clearing broker,” I agree that Axos Clearing is only responsible for the execution, clearing and bookkeeping of transactions made and is not otherwise responsible for the conduct of My Introducing Broker Dealer. I further understand that transactions may be executed by other broker-dealers, including My Introducing Broker Dealer as principal. I understand that Axos Clearing provides no investment advice in connection with this account nor does Axos Clearing give advice or offer any opinion with respect to the suitability of any transaction, security or order. Until receipt from Me of written notice to the contrary, Axos Clearing may accept from My Introducing Broker Dealer without inquiry or investigation, (i) orders for the purchase or sale of securities and other property on margin, if I have elected to have a margin account, or otherwise, and (ii) any other instructions concerning said accounts. Axos Clearing shall look solely to My Introducing Broker Dealer unless otherwise directed by My Introducing Broker Dealer, and not to Me with respect to any such orders or instructions. I understand that Axos Clearing will deliver confirmations, statements, and margin maintenance calls if applicable, with respect to My account directly to Me with copies to My Introducing Broker Dealer, and that Axos Clearing will look directly to Me or My Introducing Broker Dealer for delivery of margin, payment, or securities. I understand that My Introducing Broker Dealer is primarily responsible for other notifications to Me concerning My account, including without limitation trade and other service restrictions and changes in charges, pricing, and fees. I agree to hold Axos Clearing harmless from and against any losses, costs or expenses arising in connection with the delivery or receipt of any such communication(s), provided Axos Clearing has acted in accordance with the above. The foregoing shall be effective as to My account until written notice to the contrary is received from Me by Axos Clearing or My Introducing Broker Dealer. You will respond to inquiries I may make concerning My brokerage account and if any inquiry is in the form of a complaint regarding My Introducing Broker Dealer, Axos Clearing will be responsible for (i) promptly notifying My Introducing Broker Dealer about the complaint; (ii) providing Me with an acknowledgement that Axos Clearing has done this; and (iii) providing a copy of My complaint to My Introducing Broker Dealer’s designated examining authority.
- Effect of Reports and Statements.** I agree that reports of execution of orders and statements of My account shall be conclusive if not objected to within ten (10) days after transmittal to Me by mail or otherwise. Such objection may be oral or in writing, but any oral objection must be immediately confirmed in writing.
- Important Information About Procedures for Opening and/or Maintaining an Account.** To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, Federal law requires all financial institutions to obtain, verify, and record information that identifies each person who opens an account. What this means for Me: When I open or maintain an account carried by Axos Clearing, You will ask for My name, address, date of birth and other information that will allow You to identify Me. You may also ask to see My driver’s license or other identifying documents and subsequently make copies for the records.
- SIPC and Other Insurance Coverage.** I understand that Axos Clearing is a member of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC), which provides protection for accounts up to \$500,000 (including \$250,000 for claims of cash) per client as defined by SIPC rules. An explanatory brochure is available upon request or at [www.sipc.org](http://www.sipc.org) or via telephone at (202) 371-8300. I understand that Axos Clearing has acquired an additional \$24.5 million coverage through a third party insurance company. This brings the total protection to \$25 million with a limitation of \$1 million on claims for cash balances for each client (as defined by SIPC rules). I understand that such coverage does not include transactions or trading losses or declines in the value of securities.
- Telephone Recordings.** I understand and agree that any telephone conversation with You will or may be recorded for accuracy and I consent to such recording.
- Oral Authorization.** I agree that You shall be entitled to act upon any oral instructions given by Me so long as You reasonably believe such instruction was actually given by Me.
- Payment of Indebtedness.** In the event I become indebted to You in the course of operation of this account, I agree that I will repay such indebtedness upon demand. I agree that if after demand I fail to pay the indebtedness, You may close My account and liquidate any assets in My account at Your discretion in an amount sufficient to pay My indebtedness. As security for any and all liabilities arising in favor of You, I pledge to Axos Clearing a security interest in all property held by Axos Clearing in any account maintained by Axos Clearing for Me individually, jointly or in the name of another person or entity. Axos Clearing is hereby authorized to make whatever disposition of pledged property it may deem appropriate to realize the security afforded by this provision, and I will remain liable for any deficiency. I further agree that Axos Clearing shall be entitled to exercise the rights and remedies, with respect to the pledged property, generally afforded a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code. The reasonable costs of collection of any debit balance and any unpaid deficiency in My accounts, including attorney’s fees incurred by You shall be reimbursed by Me to You.
- Sell Orders; Deliveries and Settlements.** Unless otherwise specifically designated, any order directing the sale of Property shall be deemed to be a “long” sale, and in connection with any such order, I represent that I am the owner of the property subject of such order and agree to deliver the property to You in negotiable form on or before the settlement date. In the event that I fail to deliver the property to You by the close of business on the settlement date, You are authorized, in your discretion and without notice to Me, to (i) delay settlement, (ii) purchase comparable property to cover My position, or (iii) cancel the transaction. You may also charge any loss (including Interest), commission and fees to My account.
- Buy Orders; Settlements.** When I have directed that property be purchased, I agree to provide sufficient collected funds to cover such purchase on or before the settlement date. In the event that I fail to provide sufficient funds, You may, at your option and without notice to Me, (i) charge a reasonable rate of interest, (ii) liquidate the property subject of the buy order, or (iii) sell other property owned by Me and held in any account. You may also charge any consequential loss to My account.
- Distributions.** In the event that I sell a security prior to its ex-dividend/distribution date, and I receive the related cash/stock dividend or distribution in error, I direct You on My behalf to pay such dividend/distribution to the entitled purchaser of the securities I sold, and I guarantee to promptly reimburse You for, or deliver to You, said dividend or distribution.

13. **Restrictions on Trading.** I understand that You may, in Your sole discretion and without prior notice, prohibit or restrict the trading of securities, or the substitution of securities, in any of My accounts. I understand that You may execute all orders by Me on any exchange or market, unless I specifically instruct You to the contrary.
14. **Governing and Applicable Law.** This Agreement and all transactions made in My account shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York, (regardless of the choice of law rules thereof) except to the extent governed by federal securities law, the Federal Arbitration Act, and to the constitution, rules, regulations, customs and usage of the exchanges or market (and its clearing house) where executed.
15. **Ratification; Sub-Brokers and Agents; Extraordinary Events; Indemnification.** You may employ sub-brokers or other agents in connection with the execution of any order or the consummation of any other transaction hereunder, and You shall be responsible only for reasonable care in their selection. I understand that You shall not be liable for loss caused directly or indirectly by government restrictions, exchange or market rulings, suspension of trading, war, strikes, natural disasters or any other conditions or causes beyond Your control or anticipation, including, but not limited to, delays in the transmission of orders due to breakdown or failure of transmission or communication facilities. I agree to indemnify and hold You harmless from any loss, damage or liability arising out of any transaction in which You act, directly or indirectly, as My agent, absent any willful or grossly negligent conduct by You.
16. **Mutual Fund Transactions.** In the event that I purchase or hold a mutual fund, I agree to read and understand the terms of its prospectus. I understand that certain mutual funds reserve the right to change their purchasing, switching or redemption procedures and/or suspend or postpone redemptions under certain market conditions. I further understand that any mutual fund order entered with You is placed by You on a best efforts basis as prescribed and recognized by the individual fund, and that You are not responsible for unexecuted orders due to the failure of any communication system. I agree to be fully responsible for the information contained within the mutual fund prospectus and to hold You harmless for any deficiencies contained therein. I authorize You to act as My agent in the purchase and redemption of fund shares.
17. **Joint Account Authorization.** In consideration of Your carrying a joint account for the persons identified as the account holders, we jointly and severally agree to be fully and completely responsible and liable for this account and to pay on demand any balance due. Each of us, or any person authorized to act on behalf of the account under a separate agreement, has full power and authority to make purchases and sales, withdraw funds and securities from, or to do anything else with reference to the account. You are authorized and directed to act upon instructions received from any of us. Suitability information provided by us reflects the combined interests of all joint owners. We understand that tax reporting information is processed using the social security number of the person first named in the registration. Each of us agrees to hold You and Your employees and agents harmless from and indemnify them against any losses, causes of action, damages and expenses (including attorney's fees) arising from or as the result of You, Your employees or agents following the instructions of any of us. Axos Clearing in its sole discretion may at any time suspend all activity in the joint account pending instructions from a court of competent jurisdiction or require that instructions pertaining to the joint account or the property therein be in writing, signed by all of us. You may recover from the account or from any of us such costs as You may incur, including reasonable attorney's fees, as the result of any dispute among us relating to or arising from the account. Upon any event that causes a change in the ownership of the joint account (divorce, death, assignment, etc.), all remaining accountholders or survivors shall immediately notify You in writing. You may take such actions in the account as You deem advisable to protect against any tax, liability, penalty or loss under any present or future laws or otherwise. The estate of the decedent or departing accountholder shall be liable together with each of the remaining or surviving accountholders, jointly and severally, to You for any net debit balance or loss in the account in any way resulting from any transactions initiated prior to notification to You or incurred in the liquidation of the account or the adjustment of the interests of the respective parties. Notwithstanding the governing law provisions of this Agreement, the legal ownership of our accounts shall be governed by the internal laws of the state of residence.
18. **Liens.** I further agree, jointly and severally if this is a joint account, that all property including cash or securities You may at any time be holding or carrying for Me shall be subject to a lien in Your favor for the discharge of obligations of the account to You. Such lien is to be in addition to and not in substitution of the rights and remedies You otherwise would have.
19. **Definitions of the Word "Property."** For all purposes of this Agreement, the word "Property" means of all kinds, monies and all contracts, investments and options relating thereto, whether for present or future delivery, and all distributions, proceeds, products and accessions of all such property. This includes all such property held, maintained or carried by You in any manner for Me.
20. **Effect of Attachment or Sequestration of Accounts.** You shall not be liable for refusing to obey any orders given by or for Me with respect to any account(s) that has or have been subject to an attachment or sequestration in any legal proceeding against Me, and You shall be under no obligation to contest the validity of any such attachment or sequestration.
21. **Event of Death.** It is further agreed that in the event of My death or the death of one of the joint account holders, the representative of My estate or the survivor or survivors shall immediately give You written notice thereof, and You may, before or after receiving such notice, take such proceedings, require such papers and inheritance or estate tax waivers, retain such portion of and/or restrict transactions in the account as You may deem advisable to protect You against any tax, liability, penalty or loss under any present or future laws or otherwise. Notwithstanding the above, in the event of My death or the death of one of the joint Account Holders, all open orders shall be canceled, but You shall not be responsible for any action taken on such orders prior to the actual receipt of notice of death. Further, You may in your discretion close out any or all of My accounts without awaiting the appointment of a personal representative for My estate and without demand upon or notice to any such personal representative. The estate of any of the account holders who shall have died shall be liable and each survivor shall continue liable, jointly and severally, to You for any net debit balance or loss in said account in any way resulting from the completion of transactions initiated prior to the receipt by You of the written notice of the death of the decedent or incurred in the liquidation of the account or the adjustment of the interests of the respective parties. Such notice shall not affect Your rights under this Agreement to take any action that You could have taken if I had not died.
22. **Tax Reporting.** The proceeds of sales transactions and dividends paid will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service in accordance with applicable law.
23. **Information Accuracy.** I (a) certify that the information and representations contained in this Agreement and any other document or information that has been or will be furnished to You in connection with My account(s) is complete, true and correct, and acknowledge that knowingly giving false information for the purpose of inducing You to extend credit is a federal crime, (b) authorize You to contact any individual or firm noted herein or on the documents referred to in subsection (a) of this Section and any other normal sources of debit or credit information, (c) authorize anyone so contacted to furnish such information to You as You may request, and (d) agree that this Agreement and any other document or information I furnish in connection with My account is Your property, as the case may be. I shall promptly advise You of any changes to the information in such agreements, documents, or information. You may retain this Agreement and all other such documents or information and their respective records at Your sole discretion, whether or not credit is extended.
24. **Credit Information and Investigation.** I authorize You to obtain reports and provide information to others concerning My creditworthiness and business conduct. Upon My request, You agree to provide Me a copy of any report so obtained.
25. **Equity Orders and Payment for Order Flow.** Securities and Exchange Commission rules require all registered broker-dealers to disclose their policies regarding any "payment for order flow" arrangement in connection with the routing of customer orders. "Payment for order flow" includes, among other things, any monetary payment, service, property, or other benefit that results in remuneration, compensation, or consideration to a broker or dealer from any broker or dealer in return for directing orders. You transmit customer orders for execution to various exchanges or market centers based on a number of factors. These include: size of order, trading characteristics of the security, favorable execution prices (including the opportunity for price improvement) access to reliable market data, availability of efficient automated transaction processing and reduced execution costs through price concessions from the market centers. Certain of the market centers may execute orders at prices superior to the publicly quoted market in accordance with their rules or practices. While a customer may specify that an order be directed to a particular market center for execution, the order-routing policies, taking into consideration all of the factors listed above, are designed to result in favorable transaction processing for customers. The nature and source of any payments and/or credits received by You in connection with any specific transactions will be furnished upon written request.

26. **Free Credit Balances.** To the extent that I have elected to participate in the Axos Clearing Insured Deposit (DLD) program, I authorize You to invest the free credit balances in My account. I authorize You, without further notice, to redeem My funds from the DLD Program to the extent necessary to satisfy any debits arising in any of My accounts. I understand that I have the option of liquidating the balance of my DLD Program funds and either keeping them or returning the proceeds to My account. I have chosen this option in full understanding of the alternatives available to Me as well as the cost, benefits and risks of this selection and the alternatives.
27. **Fees and Charges.** I understand that there are charges for commissions and fees for executing buy and sell orders and for other services provided under this Agreement. I agree to pay such commissions and fees at the then prevailing rate. I acknowledge that the prevailing rate of commissions and fees may change and that change may occur without notice. I agree to be bound by such changes. I specifically agree to pay a reasonable rate of interest on the principal amount of any debit balance carried with respect to the account. Interest due on the account is payable on demand. In the case of any stock borrow I request, I understand and agree that Axos Clearing may charge Me borrow rates that it determines in its sole discretion and which Axos Clearing will disclose upon request to My Introducing Broker Dealer. I also agree to pay such expenses incurred by You in connection with collection of any unpaid balance due on My accounts, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees allowed by law.
28. **Prohibition on Freeriding.** In a cash account, a customer must pay for the purchase of a security before selling it. If a customer buys and sells a security before paying for it, the customer is engaging in an activity that is prohibited by federal regulations and which is called freeriding. Accordingly, I understand and agree that if I purchase securities in a cash account and sell them before payment is received by Axos Clearing, Axos Clearing will place that account on restricted status for a period of 90 calendar days following the trade date for a first offense, 180 days for a second offense, and 1 year for a third offense, or place other restrictions as required or permitted by law or regulation. During any period of restriction, unless My cash account contains funds in advance of the trade sufficient to pay for any new purchase in full, I agree that I will not be permitted to purchase or sell any new securities in that account. I agree that Axos Clearing will cancel or remove any trades from My cash account that are made in violation of these or any other legal or regulatory prohibitions on freeriding. Axos Clearing and I agree that nothing stated in this section constitutes a modification of any laws or regulations to which Axos Clearing and I are subject.
29. **Arbitration.**
- a. **The following general provisions apply to all arbitrations pursuant to this section:**
    - i. **All parties to this Agreement are giving up the right to sue each other in court, including the right to a trial by jury, except as provided by the rules of the arbitration forum in which a claim is filed.**
    - ii. **Arbitration awards are generally final and binding; a party's ability to have a court reverse or modify an arbitration award is very limited.**
    - iii. **Pre-arbitration discovery is generally more limited than and different from court proceedings. The ability of the parties to obtain documents, witness statements and other discovery is generally more limited in arbitration than in court proceedings.**
    - iv. **The arbitration award is not required to include factual findings or legal reasoning and any party's right to appeal or seek modification of rulings of the arbitrators is strictly limited. The arbitrators do not have to explain the reason(s) for their award.**
    - v. **The panel of arbitrators will typically include a minority of arbitrators who were or are affiliated with the securities industry.**
    - vi. **The rules of some arbitration forums may impose time limits for bringing a claim in arbitration. In some cases, a claim that is ineligible for arbitration may be brought in court.**
    - vii. **The rules of the arbitration forum in which the claim is filed, and any amendments thereto, shall be incorporated into this Agreement.**
  - b. **Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be settled by FINRA arbitration procedures then in effect. I agree that any judgment upon an award rendered by arbitration may be entered in any court having proper jurisdiction.**
  - c. **This Agreement to arbitrate constitutes a waiver of the right to seek a judicial forum unless such a waiver would be void under the federal securities laws.**
  - d. **No person shall bring a putative or certified class action to arbitration, nor seek to enforce any pre-dispute arbitration agreement against any person who has initiated in court a putative class action; or who is a member of a putative class who has not opted out of the class with respect to any claims encompassed by the putative class action until:**
    - i. **the class certification is denied; or**
    - ii. **the class is decertified; or**
    - iii. **the customer is excluded from the class by the court.**

**Such forbearance to enforce an agreement to arbitrate shall not constitute a waiver of any rights under this Agreement except to the extent stated herein.**
  - e. **The venue for all arbitration proceedings arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be Omaha, NE. By having an account subject to the terms of this Agreement, I acknowledge and accept Omaha as the arbitration hearing location.**
  - f. **This Agreement to arbitrate does not entitle Me to obtain arbitration of claims that would be barred by the relevant statute of limitations if such claims were brought in a competent jurisdiction.**
30. **Notice.** All communications, including margin calls, may be sent to Me at the mailing address for the account or E-mail address that I have given to You, to either E-mail address in the case of joint accounts where each account holder has given an E-mail address( notice to both E-mail addresses is not required) or at such other address as I may hereafter give You in writing or by E-mail at least ten (10) days prior to delivery, and all communications so sent, whether in writing or otherwise, shall be deemed given to me personally, whether actually received or not.
31. **Headings.** The heading of each provision hereof is for descriptive purposes only and shall not be (i) deemed to modify or qualify any of the rights or obligations set forth herein or (ii) used to construe or interpret any of the provisions hereunder.
32. **No Waiver; Cumulative Nature of Rights and Remedies.** Your failure to insist at any time upon strict compliance with any term contained in this Agreement, or any delay or failure on Your part to exercise any power or right given to You in this Agreement, or a continued course of such conduct on Your part, shall at no time operate as a waiver of such power or right, nor shall any single or partial exercise preclude any other further exercise. All rights and remedies given to You in this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive of any other rights or remedies to which You are entitled.
33. **Miscellaneous Provisions.** The following provisions shall also govern this Agreement:
- a. This Agreement and all documents incorporated by reference are governed by the laws of the State of New York.
  - b. I hereby ratify and confirm all transactions heretofore made and entered into with You.
  - c. This Agreement shall bind My heirs, assigns, executors, successors, conservators and administrators.
  - d. If any provision of this Agreement shall be determined to be invalid, the remainder hereof shall remain in full force and effect.
  - e. This Agreement may be terminated by either Me or You upon thirty (30) days written notice. I will remain liable to You for any charges due, whether arising before or after termination.
  - f. No provision of this Agreement may be altered, changed or revised except by a written instrument signed by Me and Axos Clearing.
  - g. I will notify You if any representation herein is or becomes materially inaccurate.
34. **Severability.** If any provisions or conditions of this Agreement become inconsistent with any present or future law, rule or regulation of any applicable government, regulatory or self-regulatory agency or body, or are deemed invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such provisions shall be deemed rescinded or modified, to the extent permitted by applicable law, to make this Agreement in compliance with such law, rule or regulation, or to be valid and enforceable, but in all other respects, this Agreement shall continue in full force or affect.

BY AGREEING TO OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH AXOS CLEARING AND/OR HAVE MY ACCOUNT CARRIED BY AXOS CLEARING, I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE RECEIVED, READ, UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE TERMS SET FORTH IN THE FOREGOING AGREEMENT, AND THAT THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS A PREDISPUTE ARBITRATION CLAUSE AT SECTION 29 OF PAGE 3.

# Axos Clearing Insured Deposit Program — Summary of Terms and Conditions

## Program Summary

The Axos Clearing Insured Deposit Program (“The Program”) provides a cash sweep capability for customers. Under The Program provided by Axos Clearing LLC (“Axos Clearing”, “The Firm”, “We”, or “Us”) and selected by your Introducing Broker Dealer and administered by a third party selected by the Firm (“Program Administrator”), your uninvested cash balances in eligible accounts will be automatically deposited into an interest-bearing Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (“FDIC”) insured deposit account at one or more of the banks or depository institutions participating in The Program, collectively called “Program Banks.”

Your uninvested cash balances are deposited with a network of Program Banks in a manner designed to provide you with a maximum deposit insurance potentially in excess of the current FDIC limits (The Firm’s current limits are available at [www.axosclearing.com](http://www.axosclearing.com)). A separate account for the benefit of Program participants will be established at each of The Program Banks for deposit in The Program (the “Deposit Accounts”). Once your funds in a Deposit Account at any of the individual Program Banks reach 95% of the applicable FDIC insurance limit, any additional funds will be deposited at another Program Bank. The Deposit Accounts will be insured by the FDIC within certain applicable limits. FDIC insurance will not cover amounts over the applicable maximum insurance limit that you have on deposit with any particular Program Bank.

All activity with respect to your accounts will appear on your periodic account statement, including the total of your opening and closing account balances in The Program and a breakdown of your bank deposit balance at each individual Program Bank at which you have deposits. If you maintain a separate account at a Program Bank outside of The Program, you are responsible for monitoring the total amount of deposits that you have with The Program Bank to determine the extent of deposit insurance coverage available to you. The total amount of FDIC insurance coverage may change at any time.

The Program is your default sweep option for available cash in your eligible accounts. By your participation in The Program, you acknowledge that you have received and carefully read these Terms and Conditions. If you have any questions about any of the provisions of these Terms and Conditions, please contact your Introducing Broker Dealer.

The Program should not be viewed as a long-term investment option. If you desire to maintain invested cash balances for other than a short-term period and/or are seeking the highest yields currently available in the market, please contact your Introducing Broker Dealer to discuss investment options that may be available outside of The Program to help maximize your return potential consistent with your investment objectives, risk tolerance and liquidity needs. Please keep in mind that such outside investment options may not be FDIC insured and may not include the automatic sweep features included in The Program.

As provided in your account agreement with your Introducing Broker Dealer and the Customer Agreement, The Firm is the carrier of your brokerage account as clearing broker pursuant to a clearing agreement with your Introducing Broker Dealer. As clearing broker, The Firm provides certain administrative services in connection with The Program. The services rendered by The Firm in connection with The Program are not intended to create a joint venture, partnership, or other form of business organization of any kind with any other party. The Firm shall not be responsible or liable for any acts or omissions of your Introducing Broker Dealer, any Program Bank, or their respective employees. The Firm provides no advice regarding The Program, nor does The Firm give advice or offer any opinion with respect to the suitability of any transaction or order in connection with your brokerage account. Neither your Introducing Broker Dealer nor any Program Bank is acting as the agent of The Firm. You agree that you will not hold The Firm, its affiliates, and its officers, directors, and agents liable in connection with any transactions related to The Program.

## Differences Between Axos Clearing Insured Deposit (DLD) Program and Holding Deposits in a Cash Account

The Program and cash balances are subject to differing risks and account protection. Cash balances are not bank accounts and not subject to FDIC insurance protection. The Program is covered by FDIC. Deposits in The Program equal to or less than the maximum FDIC deposit insurance limit are insured against the risk of a Program Bank’s failure.

## FDIC Coverage and Limitations

Upon deposit into The Program, your deposits are insured by the FDIC, an independent agency of the federal government backed with the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government, up to the current FDIC limit per depositor for each category of legal ownership. To provide potential additional coverage, The Program uses a network of Program Banks in a manner designed to provide you with a maximum deposit insurance limit in excess of the current FDIC limits per depositor for each category of legal ownership. If the amounts deposited in The Program exceed the maximum deposit insurance limit, the excess funds will be deposited at a Program Bank and not be insured by the FDIC. If you have or make deposits on your own with a Program Bank, neither Axos Clearing nor your Introducing Broker Dealer will be aware of these deposits and they may not be insured.

Additional FDIC insurance coverage may also apply to certain categories of legal ownership. For additional information and any other questions about FDIC Deposit Insurance coverage, you may wish to seek advice from your own legal advisor. You may also obtain information by contacting the FDIC, Division of Supervision and Consumer Protection, by letter (550 17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20429), by phone (877-275-3342, 800-925-4618 (TDD)), by e-mail ([dcainternet@fdic.gov](mailto:dcainternet@fdic.gov)), or by accessing the FDIC Web site at [www.fdic.gov](http://www.fdic.gov).

## Your Responsibility

You must monitor and determine the best sweep option for you under The Program. You may elect not to participate in The Program and instead periodically invest cash balances directly into investment options that may be available outside of The Program to help maximize your return potential consistent with your investment objectives, risk tolerance and liquidity needs.

You are responsible for monitoring the total amount of all deposits you have at each Program Bank for purposes of calculating your FDIC insurance coverage. Activity with respect to your funds in The Program, including The Program Banks in which your funds are invested and the interest rate paid to you, will appear on your periodic brokerage account statement. If your total funds on deposit at any individual Program Bank exceed the maximum deposit insurance limit, the FDIC will not insure your funds in excess of the limit.

## Interest

The Program Banks will pay interest on funds in The Program at a variable rate established periodically by The Firm based on prevailing market, economic and other business conditions. The Firm may change the interest rate at our discretion without notice to you. The Firm may establish a schedule of rates to be applied to accounts based on, among other things, the total value of household assets in your brokerage accounts. The asset tiers and interest rates may be changed by The Firm from time-to-time. Current interest rate information is available by contacting your Introducing Broker Dealer.

Interest on funds in The Program will accrue from the day funds are deposited by us into The Program up to, but not including, the day of withdrawal. The Program Banks will use the daily-balance method to calculate the interest on your account. This method applies a daily periodic rate to the principal in the account each day. Interest will be compounded monthly and will be credited to your account on or about the 25th day of each month (or preceding business day if the 25th day is not a business day). You will receive a 1099-INT form from The Firm indicating the amount of interest paid to you.

## Fees

No direct fees will be assessed to you or deducted from your brokerage account with respect to The Program. We may, without notice, refuse any deposit, close any account or impose a fee, if your actions become administratively burdensome.

## Program Compensation

No direct fees will be assessed to you or deducted from your specified rate of return. Instead fees are collected from The Program Banks. The fee of the Program Administrator will be collected from The Program Banks in the form of fees collected in addition to interest paid on The Program. The Firm will receive a fee from the Program Administrator that varies depending on the balance in your account, the service plan you may be on and other factors. Although the actual fees are subject to change and vary depending on the tier and other factors (please see our website at [www.axosclearing.com](http://www.axosclearing.com) for the applicable rate structure), this fee currently is expected to range from .5% to 6.0%. This fee is subject to change and we may waive all or part of this fee. Other than applicable fees charged by us on a brokerage account, there will be no charge, fee or commission charged to your account with respect to The Program.

## Eligibility

The Program is available to individuals, certain non-profit organizations and to certain fiduciaries and trusts, provided that the beneficiaries are individuals or otherwise eligible. Accounts in the name of business entities including corporations, limited liability companies and partnerships are also eligible for The Program. Excluded are all plans subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended. Please contact your Introducing Broker Dealer if you are unsure if your account(s) are eligible.

## Deposits

Because The Program is your default sweep option for cash balances in your eligible account, unless you elect out of The Program you will have cash balances in your eligible account(s) automatically deposited in Deposit Accounts at The Program Banks. These Deposit Accounts will receive FDIC coverage up to The Program's maximum deposit insurance limit. There is no minimum initial deposit. Funds will be deposited into a Deposit Account under the following circumstances: (i) in the case of available cash balances resulting from the proceeds of securities sales, on the settlement date of the securities sale; and (ii) in the case of available cash balances resulting from non-trade-related credits (e.g., the receipt of dividend or interest payments or a deposit in the brokerage account), on the business day after receipt into your brokerage account of the non-trade-related credit. Funds deposited into a Deposit Account will begin earning interest from the day that they are received by The Program Bank. Your deposit will be in book entry form and, therefore, you will not receive a passbook or a certificate. Your uninvested cash balances will be deposited into a Settlement Account, which will allocate your deposits to any eligible Program Bank according to an order of priority established from time-to-time. Once your funds in a Deposit Account at any of the individual Program Banks reach 95% of the applicable FDIC insurance limit, any additional funds will be deposited at another Program Bank. You may exclude any Program Bank from being able to receive your uninvested cash balance at any time. For example, you may want to exclude any Program Bank at which you maintain balances (e.g. Certificates of Deposit, checking account deposits) which, when added to amounts in the Deposit Account, might exceed the maximum deposit insurance limits. This exclusion may be accomplished at the time of your initial deposit into The Program, or at any other time by contacting your Introducing Broker Dealer and may impact the overall FDIC coverage available to you through The Program. The list of Program Banks participating in The Program is available from your Introducing Broker Dealer. In addition, The Program Banks in which your Program balances were invested will be listed on your periodic account statement.

Program Banks may be added or removed from The Program. It is your responsibility to monitor your Program deposits with each Program Bank in order for you to determine the extent of insurance coverage available to you.

Deposit Accounts are established on an omnibus basis at each Program Bank, with records of ownership in a manner consistent with FDIC rules governing "pass through" deposit insurance. The Program Administrator also serves as a finder assisting in locating and negotiating deposit arrangements with Program Banks. The Firm, may at any time select a different Program Administrator or finder or the role in The Program of the Program Administrator or finder may be eliminated altogether.

## Withdrawals

All withdrawals necessary to satisfy debits in your brokerage accounts will be made by us. A debit will be created, for example, when you purchase securities or request withdrawal of funds from your brokerage account, when you write a check, or use other withdrawal methods (such as through an ACH). Checks written on your brokerage account are not drawn directly against the amounts deposited for you at any of The Program Banks, but the money is transferred back from The Program Banks to an intermediary bank and then to us, and then used to satisfy your debit through The Program. Withdrawals may not be made directly from The Program Banks, except through The Firm.

The funds necessary to satisfy debits in your securities account will be drawn from your account in the following order: (i) free credit balances in your brokerage account (if any); (ii) balances in your money fund (if any); and (iii) amounts in The Program Account.

## Electronic Funds Transfers

The only items processed through The Program are deposits from the brokerage account to The Program Banks, transfers among The Program Banks, and transfers back to the brokerage account from The Program Banks.

The Program does not allow electronic funds transfers, ATM access, check-writing, deposit, point-of-sale terminal access, pre-authorized payments to third parties, access by credit or debit card or ACH transfers directly from The Program Bank Deposit Accounts.

## Program Deposit Account Error Resolution Notice

Please contact your Introducing Broker Dealer as soon as possible if you think The Program Deposit Account portion of your statement is wrong or if you need more information about a transfer listed on the statement. Your Introducing Broker Dealer must hear from you no later than fifteen (15) business days after the date of the statement on which the claimed problem or error first appeared. In making that contact you must:

- (1) Provide your name and account number (if any);
- (2) Describe the error or the transfer you are unsure about, and explain as clearly as you can why you believe it is an error or why you need more information; and
- (3) Provide the dollar amount of the suspected error.

If you provide this information orally, you may be required to send your complaint or question in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

It will be determined whether an error occurred within fifteen (15) business days after hearing from you and any actual error will be promptly corrected. If more time is needed, however, it may take up to forty-five (45) business days to investigate your complaint or question. In such case, it will be requested that The Program Bank credit your Program Deposit Account within fifteen (15) business days for the amount you think is in error, so that you will have the use of the money during the time it takes to complete the investigation. If you are asked to put your complaint or question in writing and your Introducing Broker Dealer does not receive it within fifteen (15) business days, The Program Bank may not credit your Program deposit account.

For errors involving new Program Deposit Accounts, it may take up to ninety (90) business days to investigate your complaint or question. For new Program Deposit Accounts, The Program Bank may take up to twenty (20) business days to credit your Program Deposit Account for the amount you think is in error.

Your Introducing Broker Dealer will contact you with the results within three (3) business days after a investigation is completed. If it is determined that there was no error, a written explanation will be provided. You may ask for copies of the documents used in the investigation.

**Account Information**

Activity with respect to your funds in The Program, including The Program Banks in which your funds are invested and the interest rate paid to you, will appear on your periodic brokerage account statement. For each statement period, your brokerage account statement will reflect: (i) all deposits to and withdrawals from your Program account; (ii) the opening and closing balances of your Program account; (iii) interest earned on your Program account balances; and (iv) the detail of balances held in your Program account at each Program Bank.

**Summary of Certain Relationships**

All Program Banks in The Program are depository institutions duly chartered under the laws of the United States or a State thereof, the deposits of which are insured by the FDIC. Your Introducing Broker Dealer and The Firm are broker-dealers registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"). Your Introducing Broker Dealer and The Firm are not banks. Deposit Accounts are held by the respective Program Banks.

Pursuant to the clearing agreement between Your Introducing Broker Dealer and The Firm and acting on the instructions of your Introducing Broker Dealer, The Firm will act as exclusive custodian and agent with respect to all transactions related to The Program. The Deposit Accounts established for The Program will be evidenced by a book entry on the account records of each such Program Bank. The Firm and its agents will maintain records of your interest in each Deposit Account. No evidence of ownership, such as a passbook or certificate, will be issued to you.

All questions regarding your funds in each Deposit Account should be directed to your Introducing Broker Dealer and not The Program Banks. No Program Bank will accept any instructions concerning your deposits in a Program Bank through The Program unless such instructions are transmitted by The Firm or an authorized agent on its behalf.

The Firm will assume the responsibility and the risk of loss for any of your funds transferred from The Program Banks that have been delivered by you to your Introducing Broker Dealer. Until the funds have been received in the Settlement Account maintained at a designated bank (the "Settlement Bank"), withdrawals will be deemed paid by a particular Program Bank when such funds are transmitted by the Program Bank to the Settlement Account. The Program Bank will be released from all liability for such withdrawn funds once the Program Bank delivers those funds to the Settlement Account. The Program Banks are not responsible for the actions of the Program Administrator or for the actions of your Introducing Broker Dealer or The Firm, with respect to The Program or otherwise. Each Program Bank deposit account is an obligation of The Program Bank and is not directly or indirectly an obligation of The Firm. Program Banks are selected by The Firm and Program Banks included in The Program are subject to change at any time. You can obtain publicly available financial information concerning any or all of The Program Banks at [www.FDIC.gov](http://www.FDIC.gov) or by contacting the FDIC Public Information Center by mail at 801 17th Street, N.W. Room 100, Washington DC 20434 or by phone at 800-276-6003.

The Firm does not guarantee in any way the financial condition of any Program Bank or the accuracy of any publicly available financial information concerning a Program Bank. You may exclude deposits of any Program Bank from inclusion in your brokerage account by contacting your Introducing Broker Dealer. By your continued use of The Program, you agree to the terms provided herein.

**Waiver of Confidentiality**

You expressly give consent for federal or state regulators to access your customer account information for audit and review purposes.

**Changes to the Program**

Your Introducing Broker Dealer or The Firm may modify or cancel The Program at any time, which may result in changing the sweep option for your account. If we make any change, there is no guarantee that such change will provide an equal or greater rate of return to you on your uninvested cash balances during any given period, and the rate of return may be lower. You will receive advance notice of any change that results in changing the sweep option for your account. Unless you object within the time period specified, we will transfer the balances from your prior sweep into any new sweep.

**Relationships and Your Privacy**

Although your Introducing Broker Dealer, The Firm, and The Program Banks may share certain information about you and your accounts, information shared with Program Banks will be handled in accordance with the privacy policies of The Firm and your Introducing Broker Dealer.

**Inactive Accounts**

The Firm may be required by law to turn over (escheat) funds in your Program Deposit accounts to a state, typically your state of residence, based on account inactivity for a certain time period established by applicable state law. If funds are remitted to the state, you may file a claim with the state to recover the funds within the time periods established by state law.

**Transferability**

Your Program Bank deposit accounts may not be transferred by you to another owner except by a change in ownership of your brokerage account. A transfer that occurs due to death, incompetence, marriage, divorce, attachment or otherwise by operation of law, shall not be binding until sufficient documentation has been received.

**Closing of Account**

If you close or The Firm closes your brokerage account, your associated Program Bank deposit accounts will also be closed and the funds in your Program Bank deposit accounts will be distributed out through your brokerage account.

**Right of Set-Off**

Under the terms of your Customer Agreement, funds in your Program Bank deposit accounts may be charged or set-off against indebtedness or obligations you have. For further information on such indebtedness or obligations, please review your Customer Agreement.



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## PRIVACY NOTICE

FACTS	WHAT DOES AXOS CLEARING LLC (“AXOS CLEARING”) DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?
<b>Who?</b>	As a clearing firm, Axos Clearing provides clearing services to your introducing broker dealer pursuant to a Fully Disclosed Clearing Agreement. Examples of these clearing services include, but are not limited to trade execution, trade reporting, and other back office operations. The nature of these services requires Axos Clearing to receive and retain nonpublic personal information.
<b>Why?</b>	Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Axos Clearing is committed to protecting the privacy of all nonpublic personal information that it receives. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. <b>Please read this notice carefully to understand what we do.</b>
<b>What?</b>	We collect your personal information from your introducing broker dealer in order to provide the services necessary to maintain your account. The types of personal information we collect and share may include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Personal information, such as Social Security number and date of birth</li> <li>• Financial information, such as account balances, positions and transactions, income, and net worth</li> <li>• Contact information, such as phone numbers and email addresses</li> <li>• Demographic information, such as gender, education, and occupation</li> </ul>
<b>How?</b>	All financial companies need to share customers’ personal information to run their everyday businesses. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies like Axos Clearing can share customers’ personal information, whether Axos Clearing generally shares, and whether you can limit this sharing. If you are no longer a customer of one of our introducing broker dealers, we may nevertheless continue to share your information as described in this notice.

Reasons We Can Share Your Personal Information	Does Axos Clearing share?	Can you limit this sharing?
<b>For our everyday business purposes</b> Such as to process your transactions, maintain your account(s), respond to court orders and legal investigations, or report to credit bureaus	Yes	No
<b>For our non-affiliates’ everyday business purposes</b> Axos Clearing may enter into contracts with certain nonaffiliated third parties to assist in servicing your account	Yes	No
<b>For our marketing purposes</b> To offer our products and service to your introducing broker dealer and/or you	Yes	Yes
<b>For our affiliates’ everyday business purposes</b> Information about your transactions and experiences	Yes	No
<b>For our affiliates’ everyday business purposes</b> Information about your creditworthiness	No	We Do Not Share
<b>For our affiliates to market to you</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Questions?</b>	To discuss your options to limit our sharing of your personal information, please call 866-774-0218 or email <a href="mailto:clientservices@AxosClearing.com">clientservices@AxosClearing.com</a> .	



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<b>Who We Are</b>	
Who is providing this notice?	Axos Clearing LLC; 1200 Landmark Center, Ste. 800; Omaha, NE 68102-1916
<b>What We Do</b>	
How Does Axos Clearing Protect My Personal Information?	To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, Axos Clearing maintains physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards in accordance with industry and legal standards.
How Does Axos Clearing Collect My Personal Information?	<p>Axos Clearing may collect information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Directly from you or your introducing broker dealer on applications or other forms;</li> <li>• About your account transactions with your introducing broker dealer, such as account balances, positions, and activity;</li> <li>• From consumer and credit reporting agencies;</li> <li>• Received from other sources with your consent or the consent of your introducing broker dealer.</li> </ul>
Why can't I Limit All Sharing?	<p>Federal law gives you the right to limit only:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your creditworthiness</li> <li>• Affiliates from using your information to market to you</li> <li>• Sharing for non-affiliates to market to you</li> </ul> <p>State laws and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing.</p>
<b>Definitions</b>	
Affiliates	<p>Companies related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies. Our affiliates include, but are not limited to;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Axos Bank, N.A. also known as UFB Direct;</li> <li>• Axos Invest, Inc.</li> <li>• Axos Invest LLC</li> </ul>
Non-Affiliates	Companies NOT related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.
Joint Marketing	A formal agreement between nonaffiliated financial companies that together market financial products or services to you. Our joint marketing partners include finance companies, mortgage companies, insurance companies and investment companies.



## **CAMBRIA CAPITAL LLC's Business Continuity Planning**

Cambria Capital, LLC has developed a Business Continuity Plan on how we will respond to events that significantly disrupt our business. Since the timing and impact of disasters and disruptions is unpredictable, we will have to be flexible in responding to actual events as they occur. With that in mind, we are providing you with this information on our business continuity plan.

**Contacting Us – If after a significant business disruption** you cannot contact us as you usually do at 801-320-9606 or at 877-226-0477, you should contact the clearing firm for your account for instructions on how it may obtain prompt access to customer funds and securities, enter and process orders and any other trade-related items.

Apex Clearing, LLC, at 214-765-1001 or [www.apexclearing.com](http://www.apexclearing.com)  
Axos Clearing, LLC, at 866-774-0218 or [www.axosclearing.com](http://www.axosclearing.com)  
Folio Investments, Inc, at 888-485-3456 or [www.folioinstitutional.com](http://www.folioinstitutional.com)  
Vison Financial Markets, LLC, at 877-836-3949 or [www.vfmarkets.com](http://www.vfmarkets.com)

**Our Business Continuity Plan** – We plan to quickly recover and resume business operations after a significant business disruption and respond by safeguarding our employees and property, making a financial and operational assessment, protecting the firm's books and records, and allowing our customers to transact business. In short, our business continuity plan is designed to permit our firm to resume operations as quickly as possible, given the scope and severity of the significant business disruption.

Our business continuity plan addresses: data back up and recovery; all mission critical systems; financial and operational assessments; alternative communications with customers, employees, and regulators; alternate physical location of employees; critical supplier, contractor, bank and counter-party impact; regulatory reporting; and assuring our customers prompt access to their funds and securities if we are unable to continue our business.

Our clearing firms, Apex Clearing, LLC, Axos Clearing, LLC, Folio Investments, Inc and Vision Financial Markets, LLC, back up our important records in a geographically separate area. While every emergency situation poses unique problems based on external factors, such as time of day and the severity of the disruption, our clearing firm has advised us that its objective is to restore its own operations and be able to complete existing transactions and accept new transactions and payments within 4 to 12 hours. Your orders and requests for funds and securities could be delayed during this period.

**Varying Disruptions** – Significant business disruptions can vary in their scope, such as only our firm, a single building housing our firm, the business district where our firm is located, the city where we are located, or the whole region. Within each of these areas, the severity of the disruption can also vary from minimal to severe. In a disruption to only our firm or a building housing our firm, we will transfer our operations to a local site when needed and expect to recover and resume business within 4 to 12 hours. In a disruption affecting our business district, city, or region, we will transfer our operations to a site outside of the affected area, and recover and resume business within 4 to 12 hours. In either situation, we plan to continue in business, and transfer operations to our clearing firm if necessary, and notify you through our customer emergency hotline as to how to contact us. If the significant business disruption is so severe that it prevents us from remaining in business, we will assure our customer's prompt access to their funds and securities.

**For more information** – If you have questions about our business continuity planning, you can contact us at 877-226-0477.

### **Anti-Money Laundering Requirements**

#### **The USA Patriot Act**

The USA Patriot Act, signed into law by President Bush on October 26, 2001, was formed in response to terrorist activities against the United States. In expanding the authority of American law enforcement for the stated purpose of fighting terrorism in the United States, the Act imposes new anti-money laundering requirements on brokerage firms and financial institutions. As of April 24, 2002, all brokerage firms are required to have comprehensive, compliant anti-money laundering programs. We make every effort to implement the USA Patriot Act. We would like to help you understand these efforts and to provide you with some information about money laundering and the implementation of the USA Patriot Act.

#### **Money laundering**

Money laundering is the practice of engaging in specific financial transactions in order to conceal the identity, source, and/or destination of money, often to make it appear that the funds come from legitimate activities. No longer exclusive to organized crime, money laundering occurs in connection with a wide variety of crimes, including drug trafficking, the sale of illegal arms, robbery, fraud, racketeering, and is a major concern in the battle against terrorists. Money laundering activities are a global dilemma, purported to reach up to \$1 trillion a year. The use of the U.S. financial system by criminals would taint our financial markets.

**How can we help to eliminate money laundering?**

To comply with the USA Patriot Act, our anti-money laundering program must designate a special compliance officer, conduct independent audits, set up employee training, and establish policies and procedures to detect and report suspicious transactions. It may therefore be necessary to ask you to provide certain documentation or other information before we can open an account or effect any transactions on your behalf. We thank you for your patience and hope that you will support us in our efforts to deny terrorist groups access to America's financial system.

## **NOTICE OF CAMBRIA CAPITAL, LLC PRIVACY POLICY**

**OUR COMMITMENT TO YOUR PRIVACY:** CAMBRIA CAPITAL, LLC (CAMBRIA) has a long-standing policy of protecting the confidentiality and security of information we collect about our customers. We will not share non public information about you (“Information”) with third parties without your consent, except for the specific purposes described below. This notice describes the Information we may gather and the circumstances under which we may share it.

**WHY WE COLLECT AND HOW WE USE INFORMATION:** We limit the collection and use of Information to the minimum we require to deliver superior service to you. Such service includes maintaining your accounts with us, processing transactions requested by you and administering our business.

**HOW WE GATHER INFORMATION:** We get most Information directly from you when you apply for, access and use financial products and services offered by CAMBRIA – whether in person, by telephone or electronically. We may verify this information or get additional information from consumer reporting agencies or public sources. This Information may relate to your finances, employment, avocations or other personal characteristics, as well as interactions with or through personnel of CAMBRIA or others.

**HOW WE PROTECT INFORMATION:** We may disclose any Information as directed by you or when we believe it necessary for the conduct of our business, or where law requires disclosure. For example, information may be disclosed for audit or research purposes, to attorneys or other professionals, or to law enforcement and regulatory agencies, to help us prevent fraud.

In addition, we may disclose Information to third party service providers (i) to enable them to provide business services for us, such as performing computer related or data maintenance or processing services for us (ii) to facilitate the processing of transactions requested by you, (iii), to assist us in offering products and services to you, (iv) for credit review and reporting purposes. Except in those specific, limited situations, without your consent, **we do not make disclosures** of Information to other companies who may want to sell their products or services to you. For example, **we do not sell customer lists** and **we will not sell your name** to a catalogue company. It is Cambria’s policy to require all third parties other than your broker, which are to receive any Information to sign strict confidentiality agreements.

**TO WHOM THIS POLICY APPLIES:** This Privacy Policy applies to financial products or services provided by CAMBRIA used primarily for personal, family or household purposes (not business purposes) by our customers.

**Access to and Correction of Information:** If you desire to review any file we may maintain for your personal Information, please contact your broker. If your broker or you notify us that any Information is incorrect, we will review it. If we agree, we will correct our records. If we do not agree, you may submit a short statement of dispute, which we will include in future disclosures of the disputed Information. Information collected in connection with, or in anticipation of, any claim or legal proceeding will not be made available.

**SHARING INFORMATION WITH OPTIONIQ, LLC and IQ CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC:** Cambria, OptionIQ, LLC and IQ Capital Management, LLC (the “Subject Parties”) have certain registered representatives in common and sometimes pool resources for account opening, administration and regulatory compliance purposes. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this policy, the Subject Parties may share any information that they collect from you for purposes of account opening, account administration and for regulatory compliance purposes.

**Further Information:** We reserve the right to change this Privacy Policy. The examples contained within this Privacy Policy are illustrations and they are not intended to be exclusive. This notice complies with a recently enacted Federal law and new SEC regulations regarding privacy. You may have additional rights under other foreign or domestic laws that may apply to you.