

QBE Specialty Insurance Company 88 Pine Street, Wall Street Plaza New York, New York 10005



WEALTH ADVISERS' PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY COVERAGE APPLICATION

CLAIMS MADE AND REPORTED COVERAGE - PLEASE READ ALL POLICY PROVISIONS

NOTICE: EXCEPT AS MAY BE OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN, THE COVERAGE OF THIS POLICY IS LIMITED TO LIABILITY FOR COVERED ACTS COMMITTED SUBSEQUENT TO THE RETROACTIVE DATE, IF APPLICABLE, FOR WHICH CLAIMS ARE FIRST MADE AGAINST YOU WHILE THE POLICY IS IN FORCE AND WHICH ARE REPORTED TO US NO LATER THAN SIXTY (60) DAYS AFTER THE TERMINATION OF THIS POLICY. THE COVERAGE OF THIS POLICY DOES NOT APPLY TO CLAIMS FIRST MADE AGAINST YOU AFTER THE TERMINATION OF THIS POLICY UNLESS, AND IN SUCH EVENT ONLY TO THE EXTENT, AN EXTENDED REPORTING PERIOD OPTION APPLIES

Please fully answer all questions in ink. Complete all sections, including the appropriate supplements. If space is inadequate to answer all questions in full, please provide details on a supplemental sheet of paper.

Throughout this application the words "you" and "your" refer to the applicant herein and any subsidiary, partner, officer, director, member, covered independent contractor or employee of the applicant. The words "we", "us" and "our", refer to the insurance company to which this application is made.

1.	Name of Applicant:	(attach a con	v of the	e firm's current le	etterhead)				
	Contact: Mailing Address:				´ _	nil Address:			
	Telephone #:				Fax #: _				
	URL:	http://			_ Date Establish	ned:			
	Individual: Co	orporation:	Pa	rtnership:	LLC/LLP: C	Other:			
	Parent Organization	(None):							
2.	List any subsidiary, predecessor, acquired or merged firms for which coverage is requested:								
	Name of firm:		Date of formation or <u>Transaction:</u>		# of professional staff that joined you :		% of firm annual billings assigned to you :		
3. List all investment advisers who are employed (W-2) and Independent Contractors (1099) that work solution the Named Applicant. Accounting firms should list only those that provide financial planning/investment services. Independent Contractors (1099) that provide services independent of the named applicant are under policy and require separate applications or, if requested, may be added as additional insureds.							estment a cant are r	dvisory	
	Name of All Emp Investment Adv	•	ars in actice	Professional Designations	NASD Series Licenses	NASD CRD Number	FI360	CFDD	Other Associations
4.	Are any of your inve] Yes □ No

If "yes", please provide the name of the Broker-Dealer and attach evidence or certificate of separate insurance coverage.

List the names of any independen	t contractors (non-employees)	giving investment	advice on your b	ehalf: None				
Do you want coverage for the liste	ed independent contractors?			☐ Yes ☐ N	No			
Provide gross annual revenues derived from financial planning, advisory activities, commissions and/or product sales. Do not include professional accounting services revenues unless you require coverage for tax preparation work.								
Year	Annual Total Gross Revenues (100%)	% Fee Only Revenues	% Commission Revenues	No. of Financ Advisors	ial			
Last Year 20	\$	%	%					
Present Year 20	\$	%	%					
Projected for next Year 20	\$	%	%					
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST								
(a) Do you :								
(i) act as both trustee and ac	visor to any client?			☐ Yes ☐ No				
(ii) advise clients to invest in	any enterprise in which you ha	ave an ownership ir	nterest?	☐ Yes ☐ No				
(iii) advise clients to invest in any enterprise in which another client has an ownership Yes No interest?								
(iv) act as advisor to an organization in which you have an ownership interest?								
b) Do you have an ownership interest or act as a director, officer, an employee or act in any position of control for any organization in which clients are solicited to invest?								
(c) Is any person proposed for insurance under this application a director, an officer, an employee, or in a position of control for any organization or enterprise, including all subsidiaries and affiliates, for an advisory client? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
(d) Are you or any or your partners, officers, directors, employees or associated professionals a CPA?								
□Yes □ No								
If "Yes", do any such persons advisory client?	perform attest work/consulting	services for any a	ccounting client w	⁄ho is also an ☐ Yes ☐ No				
If you respond "Yes" to any of t	he questions in 7 above, ple	ase provide detail	s on a separate	sheet.				
Do you use a Compliance Attorne If "Yes" provide name of individua				☐ Yes ☐ No				
Provide professional services by approximate percentage (must add to 100%):								
Nature Of Practi	ce %	Nature Of Practice						
Asset Monitoring (No Limited Power Trades)		Discretionary Asset M		idual (LPOA)	T			
Discretionary Asset Management -	ERISA (LPOA)	Investment Management Consulting (No LPOA)		LPOA)	+			
Divorce Financial Consulting	· ·	hird Party Pension Administration (not claims)			\dagger			
Non-Discretionary Asset Manageme Consent)	nt (LPOA with Prior	Fiming Services	<u> </u>		†			
Hourly Advice	 	Product Sales Not Based On Financial Plan			+			
Modular/Comprehensive Financial Plan Preparation/Advice		Tax Preparation			\dagger			
Product Sales Based On Financial F	lan /	Accounting Services Other Than Tax Preparation			\dagger			
Referral To Third Party Managers		Other:			\dagger			
Wrap Accounts		Other:			+			

Type Of Investment	%	Type Of Investmen	nt 9					
Private Placements		Unrated Bonds						
Commodity Futures		Options Contracts[1]						
Promissory Notes		Unregistered Securities						
Tangibles (gold, silver, collectibles, coins, etc.)		Foreign Securities Excluding ADR's						
Hedge Funds/Fund of Hedge Funds		General or Limited Partnerships						
Mortgages, mortgage pools, mortgage backed se	curities	Derivative Instruments						
REITS Privately Traded Investment Related Real Estate		Other:						
*Please complete the Options supplement								
11. Do you receive commissions?	an in anna h	agreemt Muset agreed 4000/	☐ Yes ☐ No					
If Yes, provide a breakdown of total commissi		·						
Type Of Product	%	Type Of Product	9					
Mutual Funds		CMO's/Derivatives						
Variable Annuities		Foreign Securities (excl. ADR'S)						
Life/Health/Disability/Accident Sales/Long Term C	Care	Hedge Funds or Fund of Hedge Funds						
Listed Stocks		General or Limited Partnerships						
Investment Grade Bonds		Unregistered Securities						
Promissory Notes/Leases/Receivables		Unlisted Stocks						
Private Placements		Junk Bonds						
REITS other than REIT Mutual Funds		Subprime Mortgages or Subprime CMO	o's of CDO's					
Options/Futures/Tangibles		Viatical Agreements/Senior Settlements						
 Do you provide personal management service professional entertainers, celebrities, athletes 			☐ Yes ☐ No					
professional entertainers, celebrities, atriletes	and musicians	: '						
14. Is any advisory client an investment company		cement? □ Yes □ No						
If "Yes" provide details on a separate sheet. within thirty (30) days if you begin providing a			☐ Yes ☐ No					
15. Do you have an employee dishonesty insurar	nce policy or bo	and, which covers theft of client funds? [☐ Yes ☐ No					
If "Yes" provide a copy of your employee dish	nonesty insuran	ce policy or bond declarations page.						
16. Have you or any associated professional eve	r:							
(a) Had a professional license or registration denied, suspended, revoked, nonrenewed or ☐ Yes ☐ No restricted or have you been convicted of a felony?								
(b) Been formally reprimanded by any court	, administrative	or regulatory agency?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
(c) Had a complaint filed with any consun	(c) Had a complaint filed with any consumer agency, state securities department, insurance Yes No department or your broker-dealer, SEC, NASD, or other regulatory agency?							
	(d) Been audited by the SEC, NASD, any state securities department, or other licensing or ☐ Yes ☐ No regulatory agency? If Yes, provide a copy of the audit letter and your response.							
(e) Been formally accused of violating any p	orofessional ass	sociation's code of ethics?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
(f) Have you or your firm provided services		_	☐ Yes ☐ No					
(g) Been involved in or is aware of any fee of			☐ Yes ☐ No					
(h) Ever had a trading error loss in excess	of \$5,000? If	· •						
amounts and by whom the loss was paid If "Yes" to any part of Question 16., please pro		a congrete cheet						

17.	7. Are you associated with, or consult, with any Broker-Dealer, Investment Adviser or Investment Manager not use an independent third party as a custodian for investment funds. Yes Yes The consult of the co							
18.	During the last three (3) years have you or any affiliate been involved in, or presently considering or contemplating any merger, acquisition, divestiture or significant change in principal? Yes No If "Yes" provide details on a separate sheet.							
19.	Do you act as advisor or consultant for any Taft-Hartley, benefit plan? If "Yes" attach a list of accounts and assets.	employee	☐ Yes ☐ No					
20.	(a) Number of accounts lost in the last twelve (12) month	ns:	_					
	(b) Total assets under management for accounts lost in the last twelve (12) months: \$							
	(c) Reasons for loss of accounts:							
21.	Do you direct trades in client's custodial accounts? Yes No							
	Do You:	the EDIO	Λ 1 - 0					
	(a) Use a written Investment Policy Statement for other				☐ Yes ☐ No			
	(b) Have Limited Power of Attorney to direct trades answer:	in the clie	ent's account's	' If Yes: please	☐ Yes ☐ No			
	You use full discretion to trade without prior cor	sent of the	client.					
	You use discretion to trade within an Investment parameters.	vestment	Policy Staten	nent or written				
	You decline to exercise discretion and obtain p	every trade.						
	(c) Excluding advisory fees and authorized disburs registration or the client, do you have power to with	☐ Yes ☐ No						
	(d) Custodians: Fidelity TD Ameritrade Schwab FISERV Assetmark NATC SSG Other:							
22.	Types of Accounts:							
	TYPES OF ACCOUNTS	% of Fees	Number of Accounts	Market Asse Value	t Largest Account Asset Value			
	Non-Discretionary ERISA Pension/Employee Benefit Plans			\$	\$			
	Non-Discretionary All Other Accounts			\$	\$			
	Investment Management Consulting Accounts (No Direct Management)			\$	\$			
	Referral to Third Party Money Manager Accounts (No Direct Management)			\$	\$			
	Discretionary ERISA Pension/Employee Benefit Plans (please provide a copy of the Investment Advisers ERISA bond)			\$	\$			
	Discretionary All Other Accounts			\$	\$			
	Total All Accounts			\$	\$			
23.	FORM ADV DISCLOSURES							
	(a) Is your Form ADV Part I as filed and dated on the S disclosure of you as of the date of this application? Form ADV Part I in paper format.	If not SEC	IARD filed, pro	ovide complete	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not IARD filed			
	(b) Is your Form ADV Part II including schedules as file and accurate disclosure you as of the date of this a provide complete Form ADV Part II in paper format.	pplication?			☐ Yes ☐ No ☐Not IARD filed			

	(c) Do you agree to notify us of any change to facts presented in the Application between the date of Application and the effective date of coverage?							
24. List all additional professional liability insurance currently carried (e.g. accountants, tax preparation, group broker life agent).								
	Insurer	Limits of Liability	Deductible	Type of Insurance	Policy Period	Retroactive Date		
	Has any professional liability proposed for this insurance If "Yes" provide details on a	or any predecessor		n made agains		son or organization Yes		
	Is (are) any person(s) or or situation that might provide insurance? If "Yes" provide	grounds for any clain	n under the proposed		_	n, circumstance or Yes □ No		
	Have you and/or any of employees and/or any of knowledge of any pending	ther person or org	janization propose	ed for this ins	surance been invoor administrative p	olved in or have		
	If "Yes" provide details on a	separate sheet.						
	3. Has any insurer declined, cancelled or nonrenewed any Investment Adviser Professional Liability Insurance or any similar insurance on behalf of any person(s) or organization(s) proposed for this insurance? Yes \(\subseteq \text{ Yes} \) No If "Yes" provide details on a separate sheet.							
29.	EFFECTIVE DATE OF COV	VERAGE:	30. PRI	OR ACTS DAT	E:			
31.	REQUESTED LIMITS AND	DEDUCTIBLES						
	PER CL \$ 250,000/\$500,000 \$ 500,000/\$1,000,00 \$ 1,000,000/\$1,000,	00 🗆 \$	MITS REQUESTED 1,000,000/\$1,000,00 1,000,000/\$2,000,00 igher Limits:	00	☐ \$5,0000 ☐ \$10,000	BLE REQUESTED \$15,000 \$25,000*		
32.	Name of your law firm:				*Deductibles of require satisfac	25,000 or more tory financials		
Con	tact name:		Tele	ephone #:				
33.	Name of your accounting fin	rm:						
Con	itact name:		Tele	ephone #:				
COV	W BUSINESS APPLICANTS erage, attach a Certificate of larations, policy and endorse	Insurance for curren						
	P	lease attached t	the following ad	ditional mat	erials			
	Form ADV Part II and S	Schedule F. NOTE P	Part II must be a curre	ent and accurate	e disclosure of the	Applicant.		
	Sample client contract(s) for each type of professional service rendered.							
	A copy of any regulatory audits performed in the last three (3) years and your response. Renewal policyholders do not need to include audits previously submitted.							
	Balance Sheet and Inco	ome Statement (una	udited is acceptable).					

REPRESENTATION: It is represented to **us**, that the information contained herein is true and that it shall be the basis of the policy of insurance and deemed incorporated therein, should **we** evidence its acceptance of this application by issuance of a policy. The undersigned hereby authorize the release of claim information from any prior insurer to the insurer.

Except to such extent as may be provided otherwise in the policy, the policy for which application is being made is limited for ONLY THOSE CLAIMS FIRST MADE AGAINST **YOU** while the policy is in force.

APPLICANT FRAUD WARNINGS

NOTICE TO ARKANSAS APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE TO COLORADO APPLICANTS: It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies.

NOTICE TO DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPLICANTS: WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.

NOTICE TO FLORIDA APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

NOTICE TO KANSAS APPLICANTS: A "fraudulent insurance act" means an act committed by any person who, knowingly and with intent to defraud, presents, causes to be presented or prepares with knowledge or belief that it will be presented to or by an insurer, purported insurer, broker or any agent thereof, any written statement as part of, or in support of, an application for the issuance of, or the rating of an insurance policy for personal or commercial insurance, or a claim for payment or other benefit pursuant to an insurance policy for commercial or personal insurance which such person knows to contain materially false information concerning any fact material thereto.

NOTICE TO KENTUCKY APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

NOTICE TO LOUISIANA APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE TO MAINE APPLICANTS: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, or denial of insurance benefits.

NOTICE TO MARYLAND APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly and willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE TO NEW JERSEY APPLICANTS: Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for an insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

NOTICE TO NEW MEXICO APPLICANTS: ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES.

NOTICE TO NEW YORK APPLICANTS: All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for commercial insurance or a statement of claim for any commercial or personal insurance benefits containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, and any person who, in connection with such application or claim, knowingly makes or knowingly assists, abets, solicits or conspires with another to make a false report of the theft, destruction, damage or conversion of any motor vehicle to a law enforcement agency, the department of motor vehicles or an insurance company commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the value of the subject motor vehicle or stated claim for each violation.

NOTICE TO OHIO APPLICANTS: Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.

NOTICE TO OKLAHOMA APPLICANTS: WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

NOTICE TO PENNSYLVANIA APPLICANTS: All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure or defraud any insurer files an application or claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information shall, upon conviction, be subject to imprisonment for up to seven years and the payment of a fine of up to \$15,000.

NOTICE TO PUERTO RICO APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances [be] present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

NOTICE TO RHODE ISLAND APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE TO TENNESSEE APPLICANTS: All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Workers' Compensation It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

Workers' Compensation: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to any party to a workers' compensation transaction for the purpose of committing fraud. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

NOTICE TO UTAH APPLICANTS: Workers' Compensation: Any person who knowingly presents false or fraudulent underwriting information, files or causes to be filed a false or fraudulent claim for disability compensation or medical benefits, or submits a false or fraudulent report or billing for health care fees or other professional services is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

NOTICE TO VIRGINIA APPLICANTS: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

NOTICE TO WASHINGTON APPLICANTS: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

NOTICE TO WEST VIRGINIA APPLICANTS: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE TO ALL OTHER STATES: Any person who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for insurance may be guilty of insurance fraud and subject to fines and confinement in prison.

THE APPLICANT REPRESENTS THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENTS AND FACTS ARE TRUE AND THAT NO MATERIAL FACTS HAVE BEEN SUPPRESSED OR MISSTATED.

COMPLETION OF THIS FORM DOES NOT BIND COVERAGE. APPLICANT'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE COMPANY'S QUOTATION IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO BINDING COVERAGE AND POLICY ISSUANCE.

ALL WRITTEN STATEMENTS AND MATERIALS FURNISHED TO THE COMPANY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS APPLICATION ARE HEREBY INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THIS APPLICATION AND MADE A PART HEREOF.

0 0	will permit Hunt Jorgensen, LLC as managers for Advisers <i>Gold</i> ™ or their agents to send ne party identified in Item 1. of this application, and their designees.	l emails
Signature of Applicant* Title:	Date: Firm:	

Agent:

Producer: _____ License Number: ____