

# BrokerCheck Report SOUTHWEST CLEARING CORP. CRD# 46273

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BrokerCheck offers information on all current, and many former, registered securities brokers, and all current and former registered securities firms. FINRA strongly encourages investors to use BrokerCheck to check the background of securities brokers and brokerage firms before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

### • What is included in a BrokerCheck report?

- BrokerCheck reports for individual brokers include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards. BrokerCheck reports for brokerage firms include information on a firm's profile, history, and operations, as well as many of the same disclosure events mentioned above.
- Please note that the information contained in a BrokerCheck report may include pending actions or allegations that may be contested, unresolved or unproven. In the end, these actions or allegations may be resolved in favor of the broker or brokerage firm, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.
- Where did this information come from?
- The information contained in BrokerCheck comes from FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD® and is a combination of:
  - information FINRA and/or the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) require brokers and brokerage firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
  - o information that regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against firms or brokers.
- How current is this information?
- Generally, active brokerage firms and brokers are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in CRD within 30 days. Under most circumstances, information reported by brokerage firms, brokers and regulators is available in BrokerCheck the next business day.
- What if I want to check the background of an investment adviser firm or investment adviser representative?
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- Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?
- FINRA recommends that you learn as much as possible about an investment professional before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research brokers and investment adviser representatives doing business in your state.

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### SOUTHWEST CLEARING CORP.

CRD# 46273

SEC# 8-51364

### **Main Office Location**

1201 ELM STREET STE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270

### **Mailing Address**

1201 ELM STREET STE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270

### **Business Telephone Number**

214-859-1800

# **Report Summary for this Firm**





This report summary provides an overview of the brokerage firm. Additional information for this firm can be found in the detailed report.

## Firm Profile

This firm is classified as a corporation.

This firm was formed in Delaware on 09/30/1998.

Its fiscal year ends in June.

### **Firm History**

Information relating to the brokerage firm's history such as other business names and successions (e.g., mergers, acquisitions) can be found in the detailed report.

### **Firm Operations**

This brokerage firm is no longer registered with FINRA or a national securities exchange.

### **Disclosure Events**

Brokerage firms are required to disclose certain criminal matters, regulatory actions, civil judicial proceedings and financial matters in which the firm or one of its control affiliates has been involved.

Are there events disclosed about this firm? Yes

# The following types of disclosures have been reported:

Туре	Count
Regulatory Event	1

# **Registration Withdrawal Information**

This section provides information relating to the date the brokerage firm ceased doing business and the firm's financial obligations to customers or other brokerage firms.



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Date firm ceased business: 12/01/2003

Does this brokerage firm owe No any money or securities to any customer or brokerage firm? www.finra.org/brokercheck

# **Firm Profile**

This firm is classified as a corporation.

This firm was formed in Delaware on 09/30/1998.

Its fiscal year ends in June.

### **Firm Names and Locations**

This section provides the brokerage firm's full legal name, "Doing Business As" name, business and mailing addresses, telephone number, and any alternate name by which the firm conducts business and where such name is used.

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# **Firm Profile**

This section provides information relating to all direct owners and executive officers of the brokerage firm.



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### **Direct Owners and Executive Officers**

Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	SWS GROUP, INC.
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Domestic Entity
Position	PUBLICLY TRADED FIRM
Position Start Date	09/1998
Percentage of Ownership	75% or more
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	Yes
Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	HANKS, KENNETH RAY
	1812450
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT/DIRECTOR
Position Start Date	12/2002
Position Start Date Percentage of Ownership	12/2002 Less than 5%
Percentage of Ownership Does this owner direct the management or policies of	Less than 5%
Percentage of Ownership Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm? Is this a public reporting	Less than 5% Yes
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Percentage of Ownership Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm? Is this a public reporting company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign	Less than 5% Yes No HANKS, KENNETH RAY 1812450

# **Firm Profile**

# Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	No
Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	HODGES, STACY MALINDA
	2544755
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	VICE PRESIDENT/CFO/TREASURER
Position Start Date	12/2002
Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	No
	No KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN
company?	
company?	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN 1275616
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN 1275616 Individual
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual? Position	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN 1275616 Individual CCO
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual? Position Position Start Date	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN 1275616 Individual CCO 08/2000
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual? Position Position Start Date Percentage of Ownership Does this owner direct the management or policies of	KNOWLES, PHYLLIS JEAN 1275616 Individual CCO 08/2000 Less than 5%



# **Firm Profile**

# Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

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Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	DIRECTOR/PRESIDENT
Position Start Date	12/2002
Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	No
Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	MCBEY, ROBERT GEORGE
	2337241
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	SENIOR VP/DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS/SROP & CROP
Position Start Date	08/2000
Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	Yes
Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	TUBB, ALLEN R
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	SECRETARY
Position Start Date	10/2000
Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%





# **Firm Profile**

# Direct Owners and Executive Officers (continued)

Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	Yes
Legal Name & CRD# (if any):	WADE, JEROME STEPHEN
	809998
Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	Individual
Position	VICE PRESIDENT/GENERAL COUNSEL
Position Start Date	12/2002
Percentage of Ownership	Less than 5%
Does this owner direct the management or policies of the firm?	Yes
Is this a public reporting company?	No
	No WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN
company?	
company?	WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign	WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN 2423707
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual?	WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN 2423707 Individual
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual? Position	WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN 2423707 Individual MSRB
company? Legal Name & CRD# (if any): Is this a domestic or foreign entity or an individual? Position Position Start Date	WHITE, ANGELA PERRIN 2423707 Individual MSRB 06/2003



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# **Firm Profile**

This section provides information relating to any indirect owners of the brokerage firm.

# **Indirect Owners**

No information reported.



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## **Firm History**

This section provides information relating to any successions (e.g., mergers, acquisitions) involving the firm.

No information reported.



### Registrations

This section provides information about the regulators (Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), self-regulatory organizations (SROs), and U.S. states and territories) with which the brokerage firm is currently registered and licensed, the date the license became effective, and certain information about the firm's SEC registration.

This firm is no longer registered.

The firm's registration was from 06/29/1999 to 01/30/2004.



### **Types of Business**

This section provides the types of business, including non-securities business, the brokerage firm is engaged in or expects to be engaged in.

This firm currently conducts 13 types of businesses.

#### **Types of Business**

Broker or dealer making inter-dealer markets in corporation securities over-the-counter

Broker or dealer retailing corporate equity securities over-the-counter

Broker or dealer selling corporate debt securities

Underwriter or selling group participant (corporate securities other than mutual funds)

Mutual fund retailer

U S. government securities dealer

U S. government securities broker

Municipal securities dealer

Municipal securities broker

Put and call broker or dealer or option writer

Non-exchange member arranging for transactions in listed securities by exchange member

Trading securities for own account

Other - 10Y THE COMPANY WILL CLEAR TRANSACTIONS ON A FULLY DISCLOSED BASIS FOR OTHER BROKER/DEALERS.

#### **Other Types of Business**

This firm does not effect transactions in commodities, commodity futures, or commodity options. This firm does not engage in other non-securities business.

Non-Securities Business Description:



### **Clearing Arrangements**

This firm does hold or maintain funds or securities or provide clearing services for other broker-dealer(s).

**Introducing Arrangements** 

This firm does not refer or introduce customers to other brokers and dealers.



# Firm Operations Industry Arrangements



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This firm does not have books or records maintained by a third party.

This firm does not have accounts, funds, or securities maintained by a third party.

This firm does not have customer accounts, funds, or securities maintained by a third party.

**Control Persons/Financing** 

This firm does not have individuals who control its management or policies through agreement.

This firm does not have individuals who wholly or partly finance the firm's business.

### **Organization Affiliates**

This section provides information on control relationships the firm has with other firms in the securities, investment advisory, or banking business.

This firm is, directly or indirectly:

- in control of
- · controlled by
- or under common control with

the following partnerships, corporations, or other organizations engaged in the securities or investment advisory business.

FIRST SAVINGS BANK, FSB is under common control with the firm.

Business Address:	301 SOUTH CENTER ARLINGTON, TX 76010
Effective Date:	03/30/1986
Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	No
Investment Advisory Activities:	No
Description:	BOTH FIRMS ARE UNDER THE COMMON CONTROL OF SWS GROUP, INC. A PUBLICLY TRADED FIRM (NYSE-SWS).

### MAY FINANCIAL CORPORATION is under common control with the firm.

CRD #:	3927
Business Address:	1201 ELM STREET SUITE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270
Effective Date:	07/26/1968
Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	Yes
Investment Advisory Activities:	No
Description:	BOTH FIRMS ARE UNDER COMMON CONTROL OF SWS GROUP INC., A PUBLICLY TRADED FRIM (NYSE-SWS).



# **Organization Affiliates (continued)**



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### SW CAPITAL CORP is under common control with the firm.

Business Address:	1201 ELM STREET SUITE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270
Effective Date:	05/06/1994
Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	Yes
Investment Advisory Activities:	No
Description:	BOTH FIRMS ARE UNDER THE COMMON CONTROL OF SWS GROUP, INC., A PUBLICLY TRADED FIRM (NYSE-SWS).

#### SWS FINANCIAL SERVICES is under common control with the firm.

CRD #:	17587
Business Address:	1201 ELM STREET SUITE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270
Effective Date:	01/07/1983
Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	Yes
Investment Advisory Activities:	Yes
Description:	AFFILIATED FIRMS ARE UNDER COMMON OWNERSHIP OF SWS GROUP, INC., A PUBLICLY OWNED FIRM (NYSE-SWS)

### MYDISCOUNTBROKER.COM is under common control with the firm.

CRD #:	42565
Business Address:	1201 ELM STREET SUITE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270
Effective Date:	10/26/1996



# **Organization Affiliates (continued)**

Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	Yes
Investment Advisory Activities:	No
Description:	AFFILIATED FIRMS ARE UNDER COMMON OWNERSHIP OF SWS GROUP INC., A PUBLICLY TRADED FIRM (NYSE-SWS)

### SOUTHWEST SECURITIES, INC. is under common control with the firm.

CRD #:	6220
Business Address:	1201 ELM STREET SUITE 3500 DALLAS, TX 75270
Effective Date:	12/31/1991
Foreign Entity:	No
Country:	
Securities Activities:	Yes
Investment Advisory Activities:	Yes
Description:	AFFILIATED FIRMS ARE UNDER THE CONTROL OF SWS GROUP, INC. A PUBLICLY OWNED FIRM (NYSE-SWS)

This firm is not directly or indirectly, controlled by the following:

- bank holding company
- national bank
- state member bank of the Federal Reserve System
- state non-member bank
- savings bank or association
- credit union
- or foreign bank

# **Disclosure Events**





All firms registered to sell securities or provide investment advice are required to disclose regulatory actions, criminal or civil judicial proceedings, and certain financial matters in which the firm or one of its control affiliates has been involved. For your convenience, below is a matrix of the number and status of disclosure events involving this brokerage firm or one of its control affiliates. Further information regarding these events can be found in the subsequent pages of this report.

	Pending	Final	On Appeal
Regulatory Event	0	1	0



### **Disclosure Event Details**

What you should know about reported disclosure events:

- 1. BrokerCheck provides details for any disclosure event that was reported in CRD. It also includes summary information regarding FINRA arbitration awards in cases where the brokerage firm was named as a respondent.
- 2. Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to CRD, for example:
  - A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before a brokerage firm is required to disclose a particular criminal event.
- 3. Disclosure events in BrokerCheck reports come from different sources:
  - Disclosure events for this brokerage firm were reported by the firm and/or regulators. When the firm and a regulator report information for the same event, both versions of the event will appear in the BrokerCheck report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.
- 4. There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:
  - A disclosure event may have a status of *pending, on appeal,* or *final.* 
    - A "pending" event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
    - An event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
    - A "final" event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
  - A final event generally has a disposition of *adjudicated*, *settled* or *otherwise resolved*.
    - An "adjudicated" matter includes a disposition by (1) a court of law in a criminal or civil matter, or (2) an administrative panel in an action brought by a regulator that is contested by the party charged with some alleged wrongdoing.
    - A "settled" matter generally involves an agreement by the parties to resolve the matter. Please note that firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
    - A "resolved" matter usually involves no payment to the customer and no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the individual broker. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.
- 5. You may wish to contact the brokerage firm to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this BrokerCheck report.

#### **Regulatory - Final**

This type of disclosure event involves (1) a final, formal proceeding initiated by a regulatory authority (e.g., a state securities agency, self-regulatory organization, federal regulator such as the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, foreign financial regulatory body) for a violation of investment-related rules or regulations; or (2) a revocation or suspension of the authority of a brokerage firm or its control affiliate to act as an attorney, accountant or federal contractor.

Disclosure 1 of 1	
Reporting Source:	Regulator
Current Status:	Final



Allegations:	THERE HAS BEEN NO ACTIVITY WITH RESPECT TO THE ABOVE-NAMED BROKER-DEALER'S APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE FOR A PERIOD OF 120 DAYS AND THE APPLICATION IS INCOMPLETE. THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, PURSUANT TO MINN. STAT. SEC. 80A.05, SUBD.1 (1994)
Initiated By:	MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Date Initiated:	08/13/1999
Docket/Case Number:	BD-5288
URL for Regulatory Action:	
Principal Product Type:	No Product
Other Product Type(s): Principal Sanction(s)/Relief	Other
Sought: Other Sanction(s)/Relief Sought:	
Resolution:	Order
Resolution Date:	08/13/1999
Regulator Statement	THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE WAS WITHDRAWN PURSUANT TO MINN. STAT. SEC. 80A.05, SUBD. 1 (1994).
Reporting Source:	Firm
Current Status:	Final
Allegations:	THERE HAS BEEN NO ACTIVITY WITH RELSPECT TO THE ABOVE-NAMED BROKER-DEALER'S APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE FOR A PERIOD OF 120 DAYS AND THE APPLICATION IS INCOMPLETE. THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, PURSUANT TO MINN. STAT. SEC. 80A.05 SUBD.D1 (1994)
Initiated By:	MINNESOTA
Date Initiated:	08/13/1999
Docket/Case Number:	BD-5288
Principal Product Type:	No Product
Other Product Type(s):	



Other Sanction(s)/Relief Sought:	
Resolution:	Order
Resolution Date:	08/13/1999
Firm Statement	THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE WAS WITHDRAWN PURSUANT TO MINN. STAT. SEC. 80A.05, SUBD. 1 (1994)

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