



DIVISION OF
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

January 13, 2023

Via U.S. Mail

McDonald Robert James
25 South East Dorion Avenue Suite 143
Pendelton, Oregon 97801

Re: McDonald Robert James
File No. 811-23485

Dear McDonald Robert James:

On October 23, 2019 you filed a Form N-8A notifying the Commission of your intention to register as an investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("1940 Act"). In that filing, you note that you are concurrently filing a registration statement pursuant to Section 8(b) of the 1940 Act but the registration statement was not included with the filing nor was it later filed.

As such, your current filing is materially deficient. Consequently, we believe you should either deregister the company or amend the filing to provide substantive and accurate responses to the Form N-8A item requirements. In that regard, we believe you should consult with a lawyer to assist you with the deregistration process or in complying with the requirements of Form N-8A.

As a result of these deficiencies, you should not deem yourself a "registered" investment company. We do not believe investors should rely on the documents you have filed with us for any investment purpose. It is our intention to post this letter.

If you have any questions, you may contact our office at (202) 551-6921.

Sincerely,

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