

AllianceBernstein Investments, Inc's Exemption Report

AllianceBernstein Investments, Inc. (the "Company") is a registered broker-dealer subject to Rule 17a-5 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission (17 C.F.R. §240.17a-5, "Reports to be made by certain brokers and dealers"). This Exemption Report was prepared as required by 17 C.F.R. § 240.17a-5(d)(1) and (4). To the best of its knowledge and belief, the Company states the following:

(1) The Company claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3 under the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3 (k): (2) (i).

(2) The Company met the identified exemption provision in 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3(k) throughout the most recent fiscal year ended December 31, 2016 without exception.

AllianceBernstein Investments, Inc.

I, Edward J. Farrell, swear (or affirm) that, to my best knowledge and belief, this Exemption Report is true and correct.

By: Edward J. Farrell

Title: Chief Financial Officer

March 1, 2017