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FORM ADV PART 2B

for

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This brochure supplement provides information about Michael Dean that supplements the Kin Advisors, Inc. brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Michael Dean if you did not receive Kin Advisors' brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement. Additional information about Michael Dean is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Item 2: Educational Background and Business Experience

Michael Dean is the founder and Managing Partner of Kin Advisors, Inc. ("Kin Advisors"). Before he founded Kin Advisors, Don served as Managing Director & Head of White Oak Trade and Specialty Finance, LLC from 2016 to 2018.

Prior to joining White Oak Trade and Specialty Finance, Mr. Dean was the Head of Credit at TriLinc Global from 2012 to 2016. From 2011 to 2012, Mr. Dean was the Executive Director of Umoya Capital Management. From 2010 to 2011, Mr. Dean was the Director and Head of Risk for the Vontobel Banking Group at Investment Consulting AG. Mr. Dean was the Director of Asset Based Lending for Gottex Fund Management from 2007 to 2010. Before that, Mr. Dean was the Vice President of Asset Based Lending for Sovereign Bank from 2000 to 2007.

Mr. Dean was born in 1970. He graduated from Boston University with a B.A. in Economics and International Relations in 1995.

Item 3: Disciplinary Information

Mr. Dean does not have any legal or disciplinary events material to a client's or prospective client's evaluation of him.

Item 4: Other Business Activities

Mr. Dean is not registered, nor does he have an application pending to register, as a broker-dealer, registered representative of a broker-dealer, futures commission merchant ("FCM"), commodity pool operator ("CPO"), commodity trading advisor ("CTA"), or an associated person of an FCM, CPO, or CTA. He does not receive commissions, bonuses, or other compensation based on the sale of securities or other investment products, including as a broker-dealer or registered representative, and including distribution or service ("trail") fees from the sale of mutual funds.

Mr. Dean is the Chairman of the Board of Directors and Head of the Credit Committee of Rand-Asia Hold Co. (Pty) Ltd, a loan origination and servicing platform in South Africa. In 2018, Kin Advisors engineered a recapitalization and majority stake purchase of Rand-Asia. Since then, Rand-Asia has become a key component in Kin Advisors' operations. It provides key services to Kin Advisors, including origination and bottom-up due diligence, position servicing and collateral management, bottom-up position monitoring, and on-the-ground presence in South Africa. To see a more detailed explanation of the services that Rand-Asia provides, please refer to Item 8 of Form ADV Part 2A.

Rand-Asia has no direct affiliation with Kin Advisors, and Mr. Dean's position in Rand-Asia does not pose any material conflicts of interest for Kin Advisors or its clients.

Mr. Dean is also a Director for TA Specialty Capital Ltd, a Mauritian licensed global business company that serves to provide financing into Sub Saharan Africa. TA Specialty Capital Ltd is administered by AXIS an independent manager registered with the Mauritian Financial Services Commission. Michael Dean has no ownership stake in TA Specialty Capital Ltd. To see a more detailed explanation of the services that Rand-Asia provides, please refer to Item 10 of Form ADV Part 2A.

TA Specialty Capital Ltd has no direct affiliation with Kin Advisors, and Mr. Dean's position in TA Specialty Capital Ltd does not pose any material conflicts of interest for Kin Advisors or its clients.

Item 5: Additional Compensation

Mr. Dean does not receive any compensation other than salary and business profit from his role with Kin Advisors.

Item 6: Supervision

As the Managing Partner, Mr. Dean is responsible for implementing and overseeing the firm's compliance program and Code of Ethics.

Mr. Dean is also subject to Kin Advisors' Code of Ethics.

Item 7: Requirements for State-Registered Advisers

Mr. Dean has never been found liable in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500, involving any of the following:

- an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
- fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
- theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
- bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
- dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.

Mr. Dean has also never been found liable in a civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding involving any of the following:

- an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
- fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
- theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
- bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
- dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.

Mr. Dean has never been the subject of a bankruptcy petition.