

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-17405

In the Matter of

BAY CITY TRANSFER AGENCY AND REGISTRAR, INC. and NITIN M. AMERSEY

Respondents.

DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT'S NOTICE PROVIDING EVIDENCE THAT NITIN M. AMERSEY CONTROLS RESPONDENT BAY CITY TRANSFER AGENCY AND REGISTRAR, INC.

Pursuant to the Chief Administrative Law Judge's Order Postponing Hearing and Scheduling Prehearing Conference (the "Order"), the Division of Enforcement ("the Division") states as follows:

- 1. This action commenced on August 18, 2016, with the issuance of the Order Instituting Administrative and Cease-and-Desist Proceedings ("OIP").
- 2. On September 13, 2016, the Chief Administrative Law Judge issued the Order postponing the administrative hearing and setting a telephonic prehearing conference for September 21, 2016, at 11:00 a.m. EST.
- 3. In the Order the Chief Administrative Law Judge directed the Division to file evidence establishing that Respondent Nitin M. Amersey ("Amersey") controls Respondent Bay City Transfer Agency and Registrar, Inc. ("BCTA"), since the Division seeks to rely on service of the OIP on Amersey as establishing service on Respondent BCTA as well.
- 4. Pursuant to the Order, the Division hereby attaches Exhibits 1 and 2, which establish that Amersey controls BCTA. Exhibit 1 is the most recently filed Form TA-1 for BCTA, which reports in Section 9 that Amersey controls BCTA. Exhibit 2 is the January 26, 2016, investigative testimony of

Amersey, wherein Amersey testifies on page 26, lines 5-7, that he is the control person – as the SEC defines it – of BCTA.

5. On September 14, 2016, the Office of the Secretary also emailed to the Division and the Chief Administrative Law Judge a copy of the U.S. Postal Service return receipt of the OIP. The return receipt reflects that the OIP was delivered to Amersey on September 6, 2016.

6. Further, in email communication on September 14, 2016, Amersey provided the Division with a new mailing address for himself and BCTA. The Division will serve this and all future filings on Amersey and BCTA at this new mailing address, listed on the Certificate of Service, as well as by email.

Dated: September 14, 2016

Respectfully submitted:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Timothy J. Stockwell, an attorney, certifies that on September 14, 2016, he caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice Providing Evidence That Nitin M. Amersey Controls Respondent Bay City Transfer Agency and Registrar, Inc. to be served on the following by overnight delivery and email:

Honorable Brenda P. Murray Chief Administrative Law Judge

Nitin M. Amersey (Individually and on behalf of BCTA) 4580 State Street, #377 Saginaw, MI 48603

Dated: September 14, 2016

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EXHIBIT 1

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM TA-1

OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 32350084 Expires: April 30. 2015 Estimated average burden hours per response: 1.50

UNIFORM FORM FOR REGISTRATION AS A TRANSFER AGENT AND FOR AMENDMENTTO REGISTRATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 17A OF THESECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

GENERAL:	Form TA-1 is to be used to register or amend registration as a transfer agent with the Comptroller of the Currency, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Read all instructions before completing this form. Please print or type all responses.
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` .	filing an amendment to a previous filing? X Yes
1(e)(i). File	Number: <u>084-06172</u>
2. Appropria	te regulatory agency (check one):
	s and Exchange Commission
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Office of	Thrift Supervision
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	cial Industry Number Standard (FINS) number:319228
• •	ss of principal office where transfer agent activities are, or will be, performed:
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	ss of principal office where transfer agent activities are, or will be, performed:
Yes	X No
If 'yes,' prov	vide address(es):

<b>3(e).</b> Telephone Number (Include Area Code) 989-891-9720		
<b>4.</b> Does registrant conduct, or will it conduct, transfer agent activities at any location other than that given in Question 3(c) above? If `yes,` provide address(es):	Yes	X No
<b>5.</b> Does registrant act, or will it act, as a transfer agent solely for its own securities and/or securities of an affiliate(s)?	Yes	X No
<b>6.</b> Has registrant, as a named transfer agent, engaged, or will it engage, a service company to perform any transfer agent functions? If `yes,` provide the name(s) and address(es) of all service companies engaged, or that will registrant to perform its transfer agent functions:	Yes I be engaged	X No
7. Has registrant been engaged, or will it be engaged, as a service company by a named transfer agent to perform transfer agent functions?  If 'yes,' provide the name(s) and File Number(s) of the named transfer agent(s) for which to engaged, or will be engaged, as a service company to perform transfer agent functions:	Yes he registrant	X No has been
Completion of Question 8 on this form is required by all independent, non-issuer regappropriate regulatory authority is the Securities and Exchange Commission. Those not required to complete Question 8 should select 'Not Applicable.'	jistrants wh registrants	ose who are
X Corporation Partnership Sole Proprietorship Other Not Applicable		
Section for Initial Registration and for Amendments Reporting Additional Persons. (Partnership)	Corporation	or
8(a)(i). Full Name: Lara Jordan 8(a)(ii). Relationship Start Date: 03/16/2009 8(a)(iii). Title or Status: owner  NA - 0 to 5%		
A - 5% up to 10%  B - 10% up to 25%  C - 25% up to 50%  D - 50% up to 75%  X E - 75% up to 100%		
8(a)(v). Control Person:  8(a)(vi). Relationship End Date:		

9. Does any person or entity not named in the answer to Question 8:9(a). directly or indirectly, through agreement or otherwise exercise or have the power to exercise control over the

management or policies of applicant; or	
X Yes No NA	
9(a)(i). Exact name of each person or entity: Nitin Amersey	
9(a)(ii). Description of the Agreement or other basis:	
Nitin Amersey is and has been a control person since Bay City Transfer Agency inception. September of 2005. Father of the Owner	2
9(b), wholly or partially finance the business of applicant, directly or indirectly, in any manner other	
than by a public offering of securities made pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933 or by credit extended in the ordinary course of business by suppliers, banks and others?	Ю
9(b)(i). Exact name of each person or entity: Nitin Amersey	
9(b)(ii). Description of the Agreement or other basis: No Agreement in Place	
10. Applicant and Control Affiliate Disciplinary History: The following definitions apply for purposes of answering this Question 10	
- An individual or firm that directly or indirectly controls, is under common control with, or is	
controlled by applicant. Included are any employees identified in 8(a), 8(b), 8(c) of this form as Control affiliate exercising control. Excluded are any employees who perform solely clerical, administrative support of similar functions, or who, regardless of title, perform no executive duties or have no senior policy making authority.	
Investment or - Pertaining to securities, commodities, banking, insurance, or real estate (including, but not	
investment limited to, acting as or being associated with a broker-dealer, investment company, investment related adviser, futures sponsor, bank, or savings and loan association).	
Involved - Doing an act of aiding, abetting, counseling, commanding, inducing, conspiring with or failing reasonably to supervise another in doing an act.	
10(a). In the past ten years has the applicant or a control affiliate been convicted of or plead guilty or nolo	
contender ('no contest') to:  10(a)(1). a felony or misdemeanor involving: investments or an investment-related	
business, fraud, false statements or omissions, wrongful taking of property, or bribery, Yes X No forgery, counterfeiting or extortion?	
10(a)(2). any other felony?	
10(b). Has any court in the past ten years:	
<b>10(b)(1).</b> enjoined the applicant or a control affiliate in connection with any investment-related activity?	
10(b)(2). found that the applicant or a control affiliate was involved in a violation of investment-related statutes or regulations?	
10(c). Has the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission or the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ever	:
10(c)(1). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have made a false statement or omission?	
10(c)(2). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have been involved in a violation of its $\prod_{Y \in S} \prod_{Y \in S} N_{Q}$	
regulations or statutes?  10(c)(3). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have been a cause of an investment-	
related business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended, revoked or Yes X No	
restricted?  10(c)(4). entered an order denying, suspending or revoking the applicant's or a control affiliate's registration or otherwise disciplined it by restricting its activities?  Yes	
10(d). Has any other Federal regulatory agency or any state regulatory agency:	
10(d)(1). ever found the applicant or a control affiliate to have made a false statement or omission or to have been dishonest, unfair, or unethical?	
10(d)(2). ever found the applicant or a control affiliate to have been involved in a violation of investment-related regulations or statutes?	
10(d)(3). ever found the applicant or a control affiliate to have been a cause of an investment-related business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended,	

revoked, or restricted?		Yes	X No
10(d)(4). in the past ten years entered an order against connection with investment-related activity?			X No
10(d)(5). ever denied, suspended, or revoked the applic registration or license, or prevented it from associating v business, or otherwise disciplined it by restricting its acti	vith an investment-related	Yes	X No
10(d)(6). ever revoked or suspended the applicant's or a attorney or accountant?	a control affiliate`s license as an	Yes	X No
10(e). Has any self-regulatory organization or commodi			
10(e)(1). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have omission?		Yes	X No
10(e)(2). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have rules?	Yes	X No	
10(e)(3). found the applicant or a control affiliate to have related business losing its authorization to do business?		Yes	X No
10(e)(4). disciplined the applicant or a control affiliate by membership, by barring or suspending its association wi restricting its activities?		Yes	X No
10(f). Has any foreign government, court, regulatory age order against the applicant or a control affiliate related to	investments or fraud?	Yes	X No
<b>10(g).</b> Is the applicant or a control affiliate now the subject result in a yes answer to questions 10(a) - 10(f)?	,,	Yes	X No
<b>10(h).</b> Has a bonding company denied, paid out on, or reacontrol affiliate?		Yes	X No
<b>10(i).</b> Does the applicant or a control affiliate have any u against it?	nsatisfied judgments or liens	Yes	X No
ATTENTION: INTENTIONAL MISSTATEMENTS OR OF CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U		E FEDERAL	_
The Registrant submitting this Form, and SIGNATURE: And the executing official hereby represe and complete.			
<b>11(a).</b> Signature of Official responsible for Form: Thomas E Curtis	<b>11(b).</b> Telephone Number: 989-891-9720		
11(c). Title of Signing Officer: President	<b>11(d).</b> Date Signed (Month/Day/ 03/10/2015	Year)	

## EXHIBIT 2

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6 AGENCY AND REGISTRAR, INC. )		6	EXHIBITS: DESCRIPTION	1	IDENTIFIED
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8 WITNESS: Nitin Amersey		8			
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10 PLACE: U.S. Department of Justice	1	10			
11 101 1st Street, Suite 200	·	11			
12 Bay City Michigan	1 '	12			
13 DATE: Tuesday, January 26, 2016	1	13			
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15 The above-entitled matter came on for	1.	15 16			
16 investigation, pursuant to notice, at 9:13 a.m.	1 '	16 17			
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24 Diversified Reporting Services, Inc.	2	24			
25 (202) 467-9200	2	25			
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2		2	MS. GUARDI: Okay		
3 On behalf of the Securities and Exchange Com	mission:		record at 9:13 a.m., on Jar		
4 ARIELLA GUARDI, ESQ.		4	Mr. Amersey, do you		
5 CHARLES KERSTETTER, ESQ.		_	truth, the whole truth and n	_	it the truth?
6 Securities and Exchange Commission		6	MR. AMERSEY: 1 d	0.	
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- 1 Holdings, Inc.; what what is your position with
- 2 that entity?
- 3 A That that entity is defunct. It
- 4 never got off the ground.
- 5 Q How about Saginaw Unlimited; is that
- 6 company operational?
- 7 A Yes, it is. I am a Director and CFO of
- 8 the company.
- 9 Q What is Saginaw Unlimited?
- 10 A It's a company started by seven -- six
- 11 or seven local businessmen and politicians to
- 12 promote community development in Saginaw. Part of
- 13 the part of the projects are we bought an old
- 14 theatre called Court Street Theatre, with the
- 15 intention of renovating the theatre and bringing
- 16 it back into public use.
- 17 Q The last one on the list, Simba Minds,
- 18 Inc., is that company operational?
- 19 A No, it's not.
- 20 Q So, of the companies that are listed
- 21 here on this page of Exhibit 25, the ones that you
- 22 are actively involved in are Amazonas, HPIL
- 23 Holding and Saginaw Unlimited; is that right?
- 24 A That's right.
- 25 Q Okay. And, besides those three, what

- 1 India.
- 2 Q So I have here, I think, that's ten
- 3 companies that we discussed, public and private.
- 4 I just want to try to drill down and understand
- 5 how you divide your time between these various
- 6 companies. Approximately, what percentage of your
- 7 time do you spend on Bay City Transfer?
- 8 A I have not estimated that and I
- 9 haven't come up with any estimate. It's as
- 10 needed, I would say. I -- and I -- I can't -- I
- 11 cannot tell you exactly what I -- what pos -- I
- 12 haven't calculated it, very frankly.
- 13 Q Could you answer it this way: Could you
- 14 tell me, on an average week, approximately how
- 15 many hours you spend working on Bay City Transfer?
- 16 A Lately, a fair amount because I've been
- 17 looking at the new SEC crowdfunding or the Jobs
- 18 Act and what's involved in that and and the
- 19 business opportunity out of that. So, yes, I've
- 20 been lately spending more than half my time on -
- 21 on that and on getting the accounting and taxes up
- 22 to date accounting up to date.
- 23 Q Let's talk about that next, the
- 24 crowdfunding. What -- I think I heard you say you
- 25 were trying to identify opportunities; is that

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- 1 other companies are you currently involved in as
- 2 an Officer or Director?
- 3 A Of public companies?
- 4 Q Of any companies.
- 5 A Amersey Investments, LLC. I'm the
- 6 control person at -- as the SEC defines it -- of
- 7 Bay City Transfer, of Freeland Ventures, SE --
- 8 LLC, which is a -- an EDGAR filing service. We --
- 9 I started a company called -- involved in a
- 10 company called Germ Guru; it's to sell a germ
- 11 antiseptic product.
  - There's a company called Sandlot
- 13 Holdings for a client. There's a company called
- 14 Mobile Encryption, which is an encryption service.
- 15 And there's a company that's active in India in
- 16 solar energy called -- a private company called
- 17 Trueskills Energen. And then there's a whole
- 18 list.

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- 19 My -- my par -- my father died in 2007
- 20 and his estate is being bitterly disputed between
- 21 my two sisters and I'm still a director on some of
- 22 the companies there but none of the companies are 22
- 23 active.
- 24 Q Okay.
- 25 A It's all a matter of court record in

- 1 right?
- 2 A That's right.
- 3 Q With respect to crowdfunding?
- 4 A Yes.
- 5 Q Can you talk about that?
- 6 A Regarding oppor -- the Jobs -- as you
- 7 know, the Jobs Act and -- at the end of November,
- 8 the SEC provided guidelines on what is possible
- 9 and allowed under the Jobs Act. And the -- I
- 10 believe there's a six-month period before the
- 11 rules become effective and there are funding
- 12 platforms, crowdfunding platforms that are looking
- 13 to -- will be registering at the end of this
- 14 month, end of January with the SEC, as -- as
- 15 funding platforms. And there is a business oppor
- 16 -- opportunity and a business case to be made to
- 17 -- to talk to the crowdfunding platforms of
- 18 becoming transfer agents for their client
- 19 companies. And my effort has gone into so --
- 20 soliciting platforms to use Bay City Transfer as a
- 21 cli -- as a transfer agent.
- Q Have you come to any agreement with any crowdfunding entities to use Bay City Transfer's
- 24 services?

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A Not yet.