UNITED STATES OF AMERICA before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 Release No. 97256 / April 6, 2023

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In the Matter of

JOSHUA CONSTANTIN

ORDER VACATING INVESTMENT ADVISER, MUNICIPAL SECURITIES DEALER, MUNICIPAL ADVISOR, TRANSFER AGENT, AND NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED STATISTICAL RATING ORGANIZATION BARS

Joshua Constantin seeks to vacate an order, dated October 4, 2013 (the "Order"), to the extent that it bars him from association with an investment adviser, municipal securities dealer, municipal advisor, transfer agent, or nationally recognized statistical rating organization. The bars at issue were imposed based solely on conduct occurring before July 22, 2010, the effective date of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. Accordingly, in our discretion, we vacate the Order to the extent it prohibits Joshua Constantin from associating with an investment adviser, municipal securities dealer, municipal advisor, transfer agent, or nationally recognized statistical rating organization, but otherwise leave the Order unmodified.

By the Commission.

Vanessa A. Countryman Secretary

See Joshua Constantin, Initial Decision Release No. 505, 2013 WL 5502549 (Oct. 4, 2013), Exchange Act Release No. 70960, 2013 WL 6186040 (Nov. 27, 2013) (finality notice).

² See Bartko v. SEC, 845 F.3d 1217, 1225 (D.C. Cir. 2017); Commission Statement Regarding Decision in Bartko v. SEC (Feb. 23, 2017), available at https://www.sec.gov/news/statement/commission-statement-regarding-bartko-v-sec.html.