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This brochure provides information about the qualifications and business practices of VFG Advisors, Inc. ("VFGA"). If you have any questions about the contents of this brochure, please contact Alan Carlisle at (310) 410-8341 and/or via email at alan@vfgroup.net. The information in this brochure has not been approved or verified by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or by any state securities authority.

Additional information about VFGA also is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Although VFGA may use the term "registered investment adviser" or use the term "registered" through this Form ADV Part 2A, the use of these terms is not intended to imply a certain level of skill or training.

Item 2 - Material Changes

The Material Changes section of this brochure will be updated annually and/or when material changes occur since the previous release of the VFG Advisors, Inc. ("VFGA") Brochure. A summary of changes is necessary to inform clients of any substantive changes to VFGA's policies, practices or conflicts of interests so that they can determine whether to review the brochure in its entirety or to contact VFGA with questions about the changes.

This Brochure is dated August 15, 2013. The material changes to this Brochure from our prior Brochure dated September 29, 2012 are as follows:

Mr. Alan R. Carlisle is now VFGA's Chief Compliance Officer effective 7/31/2013. Mr. Carlisle's compliance and supervisory efforts are supported by Mr. Tuan Ngo, VFGA's Director of Operations and the rest of the VFGA team in Culver City, California. Mr. Carlisle and Mr. Ngo's professional qualifications are included in this revised ADV 2A Disclosure Brochure.

Full Brochure Available

If you would like to receive a complete copy of our Firm Brochure, please contact us by telephone at (310) 410-8341, by email at compliance@vfgroup.net, or you are invited to visit our website at www.vfgroup.net.

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Item 4 - Advisory Business

VFG Advisors, Inc. ("VFGA") is a registered investment adviser firm established in 2009 to provide investment advisory and financial planning services to individuals, pension and profit sharing plans, trusts, estates and charitable organizations (herein referred to as "Client" or "Clients").

Principal Owner

For the purpose of this section, VFGA lists its principal owners as any person/entity directly owning 25% or more of VFGA as disclosed on Schedule A of Part 1A as of date of the last update filing.

VFGA's principal owners are as follows:

- **Vanclef Financial Group, Inc.** is the parent company and direct owner of **VFG Advisors, Inc.** with 83% ownership.
- **Jason B. Vanclef** is the direct owner of **Vanclef Financial Group, Inc.** with 100% ownership (see below for detailed background information on Jason B. Vanclef).

Name: **Jason B. Vanclef** (CEO, President and Chief Compliance Officer)
Date of Birth: 1971
Education: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo; B.S. in Biological Chemistry (1994)
Background: VFG Advisors, Inc.; President (04/2009-Present)
VFG Securities, Inc. Registered Principal/Advisory Rep. (10/2009- Present)
Vanclef Financial Group, Inc.; President/CEO (01/2002-Present)
Madison Avenue Securities, Inc. Registered Rep./Advisory Rep. (02/2007-10/2009)
Sigma Financial Corp. Registered Representative (02/2006-02/2007)
Licenses: FINRA Series 7 & 24; NASAA Series 66
Designations: Graduate Estate Planning Consultant (GEPC)
Certified Estate Planner (CEP)
Registered Financial Consultant (RFC)

VFG is not a publicly held company.

Omega Commercial Finance Corporation is a minority shareholder in VFGA and VFGA's sister broker-dealer company, VFG Securities, Inc. ("VFGS"). Omega Commercial Finance Corporation is a publicly held company.

Use of Professional Designations



Accredited Estate Planner

This accreditation acknowledges designees their experience and specialization in estate planning.



Certified Financial Planner

A standard certification for advisors, designees are exposed to nearly 100 topics on integrated financial planning. Major topics include, but not limited to: insurance, employee benefits, securities, state and federal tax, estate tax and planning, asset protection, etc.



Chartered Financial Consultant

Individuals holding this designation understand the fundamentals of financial planning, including income tax, insurance, investment and estate planning.



Chartered Life Underwriter

A prestigious certification for advisors, designees is exposed to nearly 100 topics on integrated financial planning. Major topics include, but not limited to: insurance, employee benefits, securities, state and federal tax, estate tax and planning, asset protection, etc.

Assets Under Management (AUM)

As of June 30, 2013, the number of client accounts and amount of client assets under advisement is as follows:

Discretionary:	\$00.00 (None)
Non-discretionary:	\$ 38,847,000.00 (500 Accounts)

VFG's method for computing the amount of "client assets you manage" is the same method for computing "assets under management." The amount as disclosed above is rounded to the nearest \$1,000. The date of the calculation above is not more than ninety (90) days before the date of this Brochure.

Account values are retrieved and downloaded from the 3rd party advisors and custodians as of months' end. Inactive accounts are not included. Values were summed, aggregated and rounded for total AUM. The number of accounts were aggregated and rounded for total accounts.

Types of Advisory Services Offered

Investment Management Services

VFGA offers Clients investment advisory services as covered in the Investment Management Agreement ("IMA") where each Client may receive specific investment related consultative services. VFGA may assist Client in determining, among other things, suitability, investment objectives, goals, time horizons, and risk tolerances within the Plan.

Use of Third-Party Money Managers

Investment Advisor Representatives (IARs) of VFG seek to provide access to third-party advisers that meet the criteria of the client as described herein. IARs may charge an annual fee based upon assets under management (see below), and as agreed upon in the VFG Advisory Services Agreement. Third-party advisers, under an agreement with VFGA shall pay a solicitor's fee to IARs of VFGA which generally ranges from 50 basis points to 1.00%, or as agreed upon. Third party advisers, under a separate agreement with Client, may charge administrative, management, and transaction fees in addition to the fees charged by VFGA. Fees for third-party money management are generally payable quarterly in advance and are deducted from the money market balance by the manager from the account. If an account does not carry an adequate amount of cash in the money market to pay for management fees,

clients may be notified and may be required to liquidate an investment in order to fund the money market account.

In the selection of other advisers, VFGA shall perform stringent due diligence review which includes, but is not limited to the following: gathering of Form ADV and other disclosure documentation of the adviser; conference call with portfolio managers; review of audited financial reports and other accounting documentation; review of investment style, objective and drift; and performance reporting. Only state or SEC registered investment advisers who are in good standing and have notice-filed in the State of California may be selected. Form ADV of the respective third party adviser is available upon request for more specific information.

Financial Planning Services

VFGA does not offer financial planning services directly to Clients at this time. If at some point in the future VFGA decides that it will offer financial planning services, this brochure will be revised to include a description of how those services will be offered and implemented.

Hourly Consultation Services

In addition to offering investment management services, VFGA may also offer general consulting services on an hourly basis. For consultation services as provided by VFGA, Client may agree to pay VFGA an hourly rate ranging from \$200-\$500 per hour. This hourly consultation service may take the form of general consulting and/or general investment advice for individuals and/or institutions. It may also take the form of investment advice for individuals or institutions that do not meet the minimum requirement for the investment management service. Additionally, it may also take the form of corresponding and/or coordinating with attorneys, CPAs and/or other professionals, as well as document production and other administrative services.

Wrap Programs

VFGA does not participate in a wrap fee program at this time. If at some point in the future VFGA decides that it will offer wrap program services, this brochure will be revised to include a description of how those services will be offered and implemented.

Termination of Agreement

For investment management services, clients who wish to terminate their agreement must notify VFGA in writing directly to VFGA within five (5) business days of its execution. If services are terminated within (5) business days of executing the client agreement, services will be terminated without penalty. After the initial five (5) business days, the client may be responsible for payment of fees for the number of days services are provided by VFGA prior to receipt of the notice of termination. VFGA shall refund any/all pre-paid unearned fees on a pro-rata basis.

For financial planning services, the request for refunds must be submitted in writing directly to VFGA within five (5) business days from the date of the agreement. Either party may terminate the agreement with written notice to the other within thirty (30) days from the date of the agreement. Upon plan delivery, the agreement shall be considered terminated, and fees shall become due and payable.

For accounts with selected third-party money managers, the request for refunds is made directly to the custodian of assets (or third-party money manager) and is subject to their policies and procedures. Changes to fees after the establishment of the client account must be agreed to in writing by all parties. Termination of the account must be requested in writing to VFGA at 100 Corporate Pointe, Suite 382, Culver City, CA 90230-7612. See the Form ADV of the respective money management company and the VFGA Investment Advisory Services Agreement for further details. Please refer to the VFGA Financial Planning Agreement and/or the VFGA Investment Advisory Services Agreement for complete terms and conditions for advisory services provided. A copy of these agreements is available upon request and at no obligation.

VFGA may tailor its advisory services to the specific needs and objectives of each advisory client. Clients may also impose restrictions on investing in certain securities or types of securities. Most of which is generally covered in the client's investment advisory agreement or financial planning agreement.

Item 5 - Fees and Compensation

Investment Management Fees

The following schedule describes the annual fees charged based on the amount of assets under management:

<u>Assets Under Management</u>	<u>Annual Fee*</u>
\$0-\$100,000	2.00%
\$100,001-\$500,000	1.75%
\$500,001-\$1,000,000	1.50%
\$1,000,001-\$1,500,000	1.25%
\$1,500,001-\$2,000,000	1.00%
\$2,000,001+	TBD

* IAR's of VFGA may offer discounted rates from the rates listed under Fee Schedule. Discounts are at the discretion of the IAR and must be mutually agreed to in writing in the VFGA Investment Advisory Services Agreement, or in the VFGA Financial Planning Agreement.

Fees for Use of Third-Party Money Managers

VFGA may charge an annual fee based upon assets under management (see above), and as agreed upon in the VFGA Advisory Services Agreement. Third-party advisers, under an agreement with VFGA shall pay a solicitor's fee to IARs of VFGA which generally ranges from 50 basis points to 1.00%, or as agreed upon. Third-party advisers, under a separate agreement with Client, may charge administrative, management, and transaction fees in addition to the fees charged by VFGA. Fees for third-party money management are generally payable quarterly in advance and are deducted from the money market balance by the manager from the account. If an account does not carry an adequate amount of cash in the money market to pay for management fees, clients may be notified and may be required to liquidate an investment in order to fund the money market account.

Third-Party Money Managers and Solicitor Arrangements Used by VFG Advisors

VFGA may act as a solicitor and refer clients to unaffiliated third-party investment advisors offering asset management and other investment advisory services. We perform due diligence in selecting the third-party money managers we recommend. Third-party investment advisors recommended by us must be registered or exempt from registration in the state where you client reside. Each solicitation arrangement is performed pursuant to a written solicitation agreement and is in compliance with SEC Rule 206(4)-3 and applicable state securities rules and regulations.

Through this service, we assist Clients to identify their risk tolerance and investment objectives and then recommend money managers relative to those objectives and tolerances. Clients select a recommended third-party investment advisor based on client needs and enter into an agreement directly with the selected advisor, who provides the asset management services. Our representatives are available to answer Client questions regarding Client's account. Our representatives also act as the communication conduit between Clients and the third-party investment managers.

Third-party managed programs generally have account minimum requirements. These minimum requirements vary from investment advisor to investment advisor. Account minimums are generally higher on fixed income accounts than equity based accounts. A complete description of the third party investment advisor's services, fee schedules and account minimums are disclosed in the third-party investment advisor's Disclosure Brochure that is provided to Clients at the time an agreement for services

is executed and an account is established. The type and frequency of reports provided to Clients also depends on the third-party investment advisor selected.

Third-party investment advisors may take discretionary authority to determine the securities to be purchased and sold. We do not have any discretionary authority and are not responsible for selecting investments or implementing trades in Clients' accounts. We are responsible for determining the initial and on-going suitability and also for maintaining Clients' current information.

When referring clients to third-party money managers, we are paid a portion of the fee charged and collected by the third-party investment advisor in the form of solicitor fees or consulting fees. Clients do not directly pay us for this referral service and our solicitor/referral fee does not appear as a direct cost to Clients. However, the third-party money manager takes our solicitor/referral fee into consideration when determining the total fee charged to Clients. The third-party money manager also considers other factors when determining the fee, such as the amount of assets under management and the number of client accounts. The actual fee charged to clients varies depending on the third-party investment advisor selected.

We reviewed the performance of numerous third-party investment advisor firms and recommend the programs described below. Clients are advised that there may be other third-party managed programs that may also be suitable and that may be more or less costly. No guarantees can be made that Clients' financial goals or objectives will be achieved. Further, no guarantees of performance can be offered. Investments involve risk, including the possible loss of principal.

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Each of these 3rd party Money Managers charge 2.2% of total customer account assets under their management by agreement.

Hourly Consulting Fees

Hourly consulting services are available at hourly rate ranging from \$200-\$500 per hour.

Fees charged to clients may be higher or lower than the aforementioned fees depending on the nature of any pre-existing relationship, the complexity of the accounts, or terms and conditions of any outstanding or pre-existing verbal or written agreement to which VFGA is a party.

Item 6 - Performance-Based Fees and Side-By-Side Management

Neither VFGA or any of its supervised persons accepts performance-based fees – that is, fees based on a share of capital gains on or capital appreciation of the assets of a *client* (such as a client that is a hedge fund or other pooled investment vehicle). Therefore, there are no conflicts of interest that VFGA or its supervised persons may face by managing these accounts at the same time, to include any incentive to favor accounts for which VFGA or its supervised persons receive a performance-based fee.

Item 7 - Types of Clients

VFGA provides investment advisory and financial planning services to individuals, pension and profit sharing plans, trusts, estates and charitable organizations.

Requirement for Opening Accounts (Minimum Investment Amount)

VFGA's fee range for each particular service is subject to negotiation and could vary depending upon various circumstances, including the scope of the services to be provided (the fee ranges for existing clients prior to current calendar year may differ from those indicated). However, VFGA does not impose certain requirements for opening and/or maintaining an account, such as a minimum account size or minimum fees and fee ranges.

Item 8 - Methods of Analysis, Investment Strategies and Risk of Loss

Methods of Analysis

VFGA's securities analysis methods may include charting, fundamental analysis and technical analysis.

As with most investment products, because investment portfolios include securities, investing in securities involves risk of loss that you as our client should be prepared to bear.

Use of Significant Investment Strategy

VFGA does not use any significant investment strategy at this time. However, in the event that VFGA employs a frequent trading strategy for its clients, it is important to note that such a strategy can have an effect on investment performance, particularly through increased brokerage and other transaction costs and taxes.

VFGA does not recommend any particular type of security as part of its overall investment advisory strategy.

Item 9 - Disciplinary Information

Disclosure Events

There are no disclosure events involving a criminal or civil action in a domestic, foreign or military court of competent jurisdiction in which VFGA or its management personnel are involved.

There are no disclosure events involving an administrative proceeding before the SEC, any other federal regulatory agency, or any foreign financial regulatory authority in which VFGA or its management personnel are involved.

There is one disclosure event involving a self-regulatory organization (SRO) proceeding in which VFGA and its principal is involved. In 2011, VFGA was served notice of a complaint by the State of Colorado's

Department of Regulation Agency (DORA) against VFG Advisors, Inc. and Jason Vanclef for employment of an unlicensed supervised person / investment adviser representative, Case Number XY-2011-001.

In March 2010, an Investment Adviser Representative in Colorado decided to become affiliated with VFGA. The IAR filed an application to be associated with VFGA and VFGA filed an application to become registered in Colorado. Colorado approved the IAR as a registered representative with VFGA's affiliated broker-dealer, VFGS, then withdrew the approval without notification to VFGA, VFGS or subject IAR/RR. Colorado subsequently sought certain documentation from VFGA, VFGS and the IAR/RR. No proceeding was instituted within 30 days of the filing of the additional documentation. VFGA contends that under operation of law pursuant to C.R.S. §11-51-406(1)(A) the applications were approved 30 days after filing. VFGA also contends that it provided all information requested of it by the State of Colorado. VFGA and VFGS therefore permitted the Supervised Person / IAR to engage in securities and advisory business in the State of Colorado. Colorado however contends that it did not receive all information requested and did not approve the IAR's application.

While the action was filed 10/28/2011, VFG'S outside counsel received and contended the action was not a proper service on VFGA and no further action was taken with regard to disclosure. This was confirmed 1/26/2012. On 12/15/11 VFGA replaced its Chief Compliance Officer. On 1/3/2012 VFGA replaced its outside counsel. On 3/9/2012 VFGA's new outside counsel advised proper service and appropriate disclosure relative to Form ADV, question 11G.

VFGA, VFGS and the State of Colorado executed a Stipulation for Consent Order on 5/21/2012 closing this matter in which VFGA and VFGS agreed to return all compensation it received from Colorado-domiciled investors during the period which the Supervised Person/IAR was not appropriately licensed. VFGA's accounting was approved by the State of Colorado on 8/2/2012, and VFGA completed the distribution of customer refund checks within 60 days of this date. VFGA and VFGS were ordered not to conduct business within the State of Colorado or for residents in Colorado for a period of 3 years or until the State of Colorado approves VFGA and VFGS for registration in their state.

Item 10 - Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations

Broker/Dealer Affiliation

Investment Adviser Representatives and Supervised Persons associated with VFG Advisors, Inc. may also be Series 7 or Series 6 Registered Representatives affiliated with VFG Securities, Inc., an affiliated, registered broker/dealer, member of FINRA and SIPC. VFG Advisors and VFG Securities are affiliated by common ownership by Vanclef Financial Group. As such, Investment Adviser Representatives may recommend securities products for a commission, as appropriate. This could present a potential conflict of interest in that Investment Adviser Representatives could receive commissions through the broker-dealer if the client chooses to implement recommendations made in their capacity as a registered representative. However, clients are under no obligation to purchase products that Investment Adviser Representatives recommend, or to purchase products through VFG Securities. All material conflicts of interest are disclosed regarding VFGA which could be reasonably expected to impair the rendering of unbiased and objective advice.

Neither VFGA nor any of its management persons are registered, or have an application pending to register, as a futures commission merchant, commodity pool operator, a commodity trading advisor, or an associated person of the foregoing entities.

On occasion, VFGA and its management persons may own securities products that are managed and custodied by institutional, third-party money managers that are also recommended to clients which may present a potential conflict of interest. Such securities are kept in separate accounts by said money managers and are not commingled.

Additionally, as a preventative measure, all client transactions will be conducted and implemented before any such transaction relating to any personal accounts of any affiliated persons of VFGA. In addition to this measure, all of the aforementioned management persons of VFGA will act in accordance with

applicable securities laws and conduct their business to ensure overall compliance with Insider Trading rules and the Securities Fraud Enforcement Act of 1988.

In the event the client chooses to purchase investment products through VFGA's management persons, in their individual capacities as registered representatives, they may receive brokerage commissions to effect securities transactions through VFGS. The brokerage commissions charged by VFGS may be higher or lower than those charged by other broker-dealers. In addition, VFGA, as well as VFGA's management persons (as applicable), relative to commission mutual fund purchases, may also receive additional ongoing 12b-1 trailing commission compensation directly from the mutual fund company during the period that the client maintains the mutual fund investment.

IARs may also provide securities products through a non-affiliated broker/dealer and may be paid a commission for said products. Clients of VFGA are under no obligation to act upon the recommendations made by IARs of VFGA nor are they required to effect said securities transactions through an IAR of VFGA in their capacity as a registered representative of a non-affiliated broker/dealer firm. Lower fees for comparable services may be available from other sources.

Insurance Agency Affiliation

VFGA maintains certain relationships and/or arrangements that are material to its advisory business or to its clients that VFGA or its management persons may have with a related person. For example, Jason B. Vanclef, President and CEO of VFG Advisors, Inc., also performs executive duties as President and CEO of Vanclef Financial Group, a licensed life insurance agency. He is a Series 7 Registered Representative and Series 24 General Securities Principal of VFG Securities, Inc., a registered broker/dealer, member FINRA/SIPC, and a Series 66 investment adviser representative of VFG Advisors, Inc. Mr. Vanclef offers securities products and services to clients for whom he may receive a commission or fee. Mr. Vanclef is also a licensed life insurance agent in the state of California and offers insurance products through carriers in which he is appointed and for which he may be paid a commission, and in such capacity, may recommend, on a fully disclosed basis, the purchase of certain insurance-related products which may present a potential conflict of interest between VFGA's interests and those of its advisory clients. However, clients are under no obligation to purchase products VFGA or its management persons may recommend, or to purchase products or services through VFGA or its management persons.

Selection of Other Investment Advisers

VFGA may recommend or select other investment advisers for its clients and receive compensation directly or indirectly from those advisers that may create a conflict of interest (see Item 4 Advisory Business: Use of Third-Party Money Managers above for further details).

Disclosure of Material Conflicts

All material conflicts of interest under CCR Section 260.238(k) are disclosed regarding VFGA, its representatives or any of its employees, which could be reasonably expected to impair the rendering of unbiased and objective advice.

Item 11 - Code of Ethics, Interest in Client Transactions and Personal Trading

Code of Ethics

VFGA's Code of Ethics is based upon the principle that VFGA and its employees and supervised persons owe a fiduciary duty to clients to conduct their affairs, including their personal securities transactions, in such a manner as to avoid (i) serving their own personal interests ahead of clients, (ii) taking inappropriate advantage of their position with the firm, and (iii) any actual or potential conflicts of interest or any abuse of their position of trust and responsibility.

The purpose of VFGA's Code of Ethics is to preclude activities which may lead to or give the appearance of conflicts of interest, insider trading, and other forms of prohibited or unethical business conduct. As

such, VFGA and its employees are prohibited from engaging in fraudulent, deceptive, or manipulative conduct. VFGA and its employees have an affirmative duty of utmost good faith to act solely in the best interest of its clients.

VFGA has adopted the following Code of Ethics in accordance with applicable state requirements:

- **Fiduciary Responsibility-** VFGA and its staff shall exercise the highest standard of care in protecting and promoting the interests of its clients, and will provide a written disclosure containing any conflicts of interest that may compromise their impartiality or independence. As fiduciary, VFGA shall not accept any referral fees or compensation that is contingent upon the purchase or sale of any financial product.
- **Integrity-** All professional services shall be rendered with the highest level of integrity.
- **Objectivity-** VFGA and its staff shall provide advice that is objective and in the best interest of the client and without conflicts of interest.
- **Competence-** VFGA and its staff shall maintain the necessary knowledge and skills to provide our clients with competent advice and services.
- **Fairness-** All professional services shall be performed by VFGA and its staff in a manner that is fair and reasonable to its clients.
- **Confidentiality-** VFGA and its staff shall maintain and safeguard all confidential client information in accordance with applicable laws.
- **Diligence-** VFGA and its staff shall ensure the accuracy and completeness of records, information, and data collected, used and managed, and will take necessary steps to correct any discrepancies.
- **Regulatory Compliance-** VFGA and its staff shall comply fully with appropriate laws and internal regulations.

VFGA will provide a complete copy of its Code of Ethics to any client or prospective client upon request.

Participation/Interest in Client Transactions

On occasion, VFGA and its management persons may own securities products that are managed and custodied by institutional, third-party money managers that are also recommended to clients which may present a potential conflict of interest. Such securities are kept in separate accounts by said money managers and are not commingled. Additionally, as a preventative measure, all client transactions will be conducted and implemented before any such transaction relating to any personal accounts of any affiliated persons of VFGA. In addition to this measure, all of the aforementioned management persons of VFGA will act in accordance with applicable securities laws and conduct their business to ensure overall compliance with Insider Trading rules and the Securities Fraud Enforcement Act of 1988.

In the event the client chooses to purchase investment products through VFGA's management persons, in their individual capacities as registered representatives, they may receive brokerage commissions to effect securities transactions. The brokerage commissions charged by VFGA may be higher or lower than those charged by other broker-dealers. In addition, VFGA, as well as VFGA's management persons (as applicable), relative to commission mutual fund purchases, may also receive additional ongoing 12b-1 trailing commission compensation directly from the mutual fund company during the period that the client maintains the mutual fund investment.

IARs may also provide securities products through a non-affiliated broker/dealer and may be paid a commission for said products. Clients of VFGA are under no obligation to act upon the recommendations made by IARs of VFGA nor are they required to effect said securities transactions through an IAR of VFGA in their capacity as a registered representative of a non-affiliated broker/dealer firm. Lower fees for comparable services may be available from other sources.

Item 12 - Brokerage Practices

Research and Other Soft Dollar Benefits

Regarding research and other soft dollar benefits, VFGA does not receive research (both proprietary and non-proprietary) or other products or services other than execution services from a broker/dealer or a third party in connection with client securities transactions (otherwise known as "soft dollar benefits").

Brokerage for Client Referrals

VFGA does not have discretionary authority over the type or amount of securities to be bought or sold, broker or dealer to be used or commission rates paid.

Directed Brokerage

Regarding directed brokerage arrangements, VFGA does not routinely recommend, request or require that clients direct VFGA to execute transactions through a specified broker-dealer. However, in the event that VFGA permits a client to direct brokerage, VFGA may be unable to achieve most favorable execution of client transactions. It is important to note that directed brokerage arrangements may cost clients more money. For example, in a directed brokerage account, the client may pay higher brokerage commissions because VFGA may not be able to aggregate orders to reduce transaction costs, or the client may receive less favorable prices.

Aggregation of Client Orders

It is VFGA's policy to aggregate client transactions where possible and when advantageous to clients. VFGA will not aggregate trades unless aggregation is consistent with its duty to seek best execution and the terms of VFGA's investment advisory agreement with each client for which trades are being aggregated. No advisory client will be favored over any other client. Each client that participates in an aggregated order will participate at the average share price for that aggregated order's trade(s) in that security on a given business day. In those instances where it is not possible to purchase or sell the total position for all the accounts involved in a given trade, there shall be a pro rata division amongst the accounts participating in the combined security transaction so that each account receives or delivers the same portion or percentage of the reduced trade that they would have received in the total trade. Odd lot and other minimal share lots may be allocated at the trader's discretion.

Item 13 - Review of Accounts

VFG Advisors invites clients for frequent account reviews with their investment advisor representative. Because VFGA does not have discretionary authority over client accounts, accounts are reviewed at the request and approval of the client. If and when an account is reviewed, overall investment management, market prospects and individual issue prospects are considered in the review process. Triggering factors that may affect an account review could be any material change in a client's account such as a change in company earnings, industry/company outlook as well as other economic factors. All account reviews are conducted by the investment adviser professional assigned to each account. VFGA investment adviser representatives will contact all clients at least annually to encourage a review of their financial objectives, account performance as well other relevant factors.

The nature and frequency of reports are determined by client need and the services offered. However, clients receive a detailed paper statement of their account from third party money manager(s) each month. Client account billing is reflected on quarterly statements provided by third-party money manager(s). Clients also have daily account viewing access through the chosen individual custodian / money manager's secure web site.

Individual Portfolio Management

VFGA does not provide individual portfolio management. VFGA offers advisory accounts through third-party portfolio managers and outside advisory account custodians. VFGA monitors these accounts in a non-discretionary capacity. The underlying securities within the advisory accounts and the accounts themselves are continually monitored by VFGA's Compliance Department through exception reporting and statement review. IARs review these accounts with their customers at least annually. Accounts are reviewed in the context of each client's individually stated investment objectives and guidelines. More frequent reviews may be necessary and appropriate, triggered by material changes such as a client's personal circumstances, or the market, political or economic environment.

Third-Party Money Managers

Clients who have these accounts should refer to the independent registered investment adviser's Firm Brochure (or other disclosure document used in lieu of the brochure) for information regarding the nature and frequency of reviews provided by that independent registered investment adviser.

Financial Planning Services

While reviews may occur at different stages depending on the nature and terms of the specific engagement, typically no formal reviews will be conducted for Financial Planning clients unless otherwise contracted for.

Consulting Services

While reviews may occur at different stages depending on the nature and terms of the specific engagement, typically no formal reviews will be conducted for Consulting Services clients unless otherwise contracted for. Such reviews will be conducted by the client's account representative.

Item 14 - Client Referrals and Other Compensation

Receipt of Economic Benefit (non-client)

VFGA does not receive an economic benefit for providing investment advice or other advisory services from someone who is not a client. Advisory services are offered by agreement only.

Direct / Indirect Compensation for Client Referrals

Neither VFGA nor any of its related persons directly or indirectly compensate any person who is not its supervised person for client referrals.

Item 15 – Custody

VFGA does not maintain custody of client funds and/or securities. Therefore, clients will receive their monthly and/or quarterly account statements directly from the designated broker/dealer, bank, money manager or other qualified custodian of record and therefore should carefully review those statements for accuracy. In the event that clients also receive account statements from VFGA, it strongly encourages each client to compare the account statements they receive from the qualified custodian with those received from VFGA.

Item 16 - Investment Discretion

VFGA does not have or accept discretionary authority to manage securities accounts or advisory portfolios on behalf of clients.

Item 17 - Voting Client Securities

VFGA does not have the authority to vote client proxies and therefore is not required to take action or render advice with respect to voting of proxies solicited by or with respect to the issuers of securities in which assets of the clients account(s) may be invested from time to time. Clients will receive their proxies or other solicitations directly from their custodian or a transfer agent. Clients may contact VFGA directly at (310) 410-8341 if they have any questions regarding a particular solicitation.

For portfolios subject to ERISA, responsibility for proxy voting will be determined by the plan document. If an account is managed by a money manager/sub-adviser, the sub adviser will retain voting authority for that account.

As a matter of firm policy, we do not vote proxies on behalf of clients. Therefore, although our firm may provide investment advisory services relative to client investment assets, clients maintain exclusive responsibility for: (1) directing the manner in which proxies solicited by issuers of securities beneficially owned by the client shall be voted, and (2) making all elections relative to any mergers, acquisitions, tender offers, bankruptcy proceedings or other type events pertaining to the client's investment assets. Clients are responsible for instructing each custodian of the assets, to forward to the client copies of all proxies and shareholder communications relating to the client's investment assets.

We do not offer any consulting assistance regarding proxy issues to clients.

Item 18 - Financial Information

Pre-Payment of Fees

VFGA does not require or solicit prepayment of more than \$500 in fees per client, six months or more in advance.

Material Impact of Discretionary Authority

VFGA does not exercise discretionary authority over certain client funds or securities. However, VFGA does not anticipate any financial condition that may be reasonably likely to impair its ability to meet contractual commitments to clients at this time.

Custody Disclosure

VFGA does not have custody of client funds or securities. Please see Custody section above for further details.

Bankruptcy Disclosure

VFGA has not been the subject of a bankruptcy petition at any time during the past ten years.

Item 19 - Requirements for State-Registered Advisers

Executive Officers and Management Persons

The following is a list of all principal executive officers and management persons, to include their formal education and business background information:

Name: Jason B. Vanclef
Date of Birth: 1971
Education: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo; B.S. in Biological Chemistry (1994)
Background: VFG Advisors, Inc.; President and CEO (04/2009-Present)

VFG Securities, Inc.; President and CEO (10/2009- Present)
Vanclef Financial Group, Inc.; President and CEO (01/2002-Present)
Madison Avenue Securities, Inc. Registered Rep./Advisory Rep. (02/2007-10/2009)
Sigma Financial Corp. Registered Representative (02/2006-02/2007)

Licenses: FINRA Series 7 & 24; NASAA Series 66
Designations: Graduate Estate Planning Consultant (GEPC)
Certified Estate Planner (CEP)
Registered Financial Consultant (RFC)

Disclosure Events: Mr. Vanclef has been the subject of 5 customer-initiated FINRA arbitrations filed between June 2012 and June 2013. All 5 of these arbitrations involve customer purchases of real estate investment trust investments and claims that they were not suitable recommendations. Mr. Vanclef is aggressively defending all claims made against him. 4 of the arbitration cases are currently still pending, and one was recently settled. Mr. Vanclef was released from participating in the fund settlement of the closed case. There are no other disclosure events for Mr. Vanclef.

The details of these cases can be found on the Investment Advisor's Public Disclosure site (IAPD). Clients can access IAR disciplinary history by clicking on the IAPD link, which is www.Adviserinfo.sec.gov, or the BrokerCheck link, which is www.finra.org/brokercheck.

Name: Alan R. Carlisle
Date of Birth: 1974
Education: University of Texas at Arlington; Bachelor of Business Administration, (1996)
Background: VFG Advisors, Inc.; Chief Compliance Officer (07/2013 - Present)
VFG Securities, Inc.; Chief Compliance Officer (07/2013 - Present)
SCF Investment Advisors, Inc.; Chief Investment Officer (12/2012-07/2013)
SCF Securities, Inc.; Sales Supervisor (12/2012 - 07/2013)
Hanson McClain Strategic Advisors, Inc.; VP, Director of Supervision (2010 - 2012)
Securities America, Inc.; Vice President/Director of Supervision (2010 - 2012)
SCF Securities, Inc.; Compliance and Operations Officer, (2009 – 2010)
Charter Pacific Securities, LLC; Chief Compliance Officer, (2007 – 2008)
Carlisle & Associates; Owner, Independent Broker/Dealer Consultant, (1998 – 2008)
Licenses: FINRA Series 3, 4, 7, 9/10, 24, 27, 53, 55, 63, 65, 79, & 99
California Life Agent and Variable Annuities License, 2005
California Real Estate Broker's License, 2008
Designations: Certified Commercial Investment Member Designation, 2010
Certificate in Investment Performance Measurement (CFA Institute), 2013

Disclosure Events: There are no disclosure events for Mr. Carlisle.

Name: Tuan Ngo
Date of Birth: 1973
Education: University of Texas at Arlington; Bachelor of Business Administration, (1996)
Background: VFG Advisors, Inc.; Director of Operations and Supervisory Principal (07/2010 - Present)
VFG Securities, Inc.; Director of Operations and Supervisory Principal (07/2010 - Present)
Pershing, LLC; Assistant Vice President (01/2008 - 11/2008)
Financial Network Investments Corp.; Operations Manager (12/2005 – 11/2007)
Roberts & Ryan Investments Inc.; Operations Manager (09/2002 – 11/2005)
Licenses: FINRA Series 4, 7, 9/10, 24, 53, 55 & 99; NASAA Series 63 & 66

Disclosure Events: There are no disclosure events for Mr. Ngo.

All advisory fees to include performance-based fees and how these fees will be calculated are previously disclosed above in Item 5.

All relationships or arrangements involving management persons are previously disclosed in Item 10.

Item 20 - Privacy Policy

Privacy Policy Notice

Your privacy is important to us. Your personal information is kept secure. Under federal and state law, you have a right to know what information is being collected about you and how that information will be used. VFGA collects nonpublic personal information about you from the following sources:

- Information VFGA receives from you on applications or other forms.
- Information about your transactions with VFGA; and
- Information that you specifically have had your other professional advisors forward to VFGA.

VFG does not disclose any nonpublic personal information about our customers or former customers to anyone, except as permitted or required by law, or as directed by you:

- Under law, the information VFGA collects is provided to companies that perform support services on our behalf as necessary to effect, administer, or process a transaction, or for maintaining and servicing your account;
- As directed by you, VFGA will be working with your other professional advisors and VFGA will provide information in our possession that is reasonably requested by the other advisors.

VFGA does not give or sell information about you or your accounts to any other company, individual or group. VFGA restricts access to nonpublic personal information about you to those employees who need to know that information to provide services to you. VFG maintains physical, administrative, and technical procedural safeguards to protect your nonpublic personal information. You do not need to call or do anything as a result of this notice. It is meant to inform you of how VFGA safeguards your nonpublic personal information.

WHAT DOES VFG Advisors ("VFGA") DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?

How does VFG protect my personal information?	To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, we use security measures that comply with federal law. These measures include computer safeguards and secured files and buildings.
How does VFG collect my personal information?	<p>We collect your personal information, for example, when you</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• seek advice about your investments• enter into an investment advisory contract• tell us about your investment or retirement portfolio• tell us about your investment or retirement earnings• give us your contact information <p>We also collect your personal information from other companies.</p>

Why can't I limit all sharing?	<p>Federal law gives you the right to limit only:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes information about your credit-worthiness • affiliates from using your information to market to you • sharing for non-affiliates to market to you <p>State laws and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing.</p>
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Reasons we can share your personal information	Does VFGA share?	Can you limit this sharing?
For our everyday business purposes - as permitted by law	YES	NO
For our marketing purposes - to offer our products and services to you	YES	NO
For joint marketing with other financial companies	NO	We Don't Share
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes - information about your transactions and experiences	NO	We Don't Share
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes - information about your creditworthiness	NO	We Don't Share
For non-affiliates to market to you	NO	We Don't Share

Questions?		Call VFGA's Privacy Officer at (800) 737-8552.
Why?	Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Please read this notice carefully to understand what we do.	
What?	<p>The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This information can include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Security number and income • account balances and transaction history • assets and risk tolerance <p>When you are <i>no longer</i> our customer, we continue to share your information as described in this notice.</p>	
How?	All financial companies need to share customers' personal information to run their everyday business. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies can share their customers' personal information; the reasons VFGA chooses to share; and whether you can limit this sharing.	