

**Form ADV Part 2B: *Brochure Supplement***

**Item 1 – Cover Page**

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**This brochure supplement provides information about Robert Wiedemer that supplements the Ark Financial Management, LLC disclosure brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Robert Wiedemer at 703-774-3520 or at [rwiedemer@arkfinria.com](mailto:rwiedemer@arkfinria.com) if you did not receive Ark Financial Management's brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement. Additional information about Robert Wiedemer is available on the SEC's website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov).**

## **Item 2 – Educational Background and Business Experience**

### **Robert Wiedemer**

Born: 1959

CRD # 5785173

#### ***Post Secondary Educational Background:***

- University of Texas at Austin, Bachelor of Arts - Psychology: 1981
- University of Wisconsin at Madison, Master of Science -- Marketing: 1988

#### ***Business Background:***

- Ark Financial Management, Investment Advisor Representative, 01/2015 to Present;
- Ark Strategic Investment Partners, LLC, Investment Manager and Owner, 12/2014 to Present;
- Ark Partners Fund, LLC, Managing Member, April 2016 to Present
- MacroView Investment Management, Investment Advisor Representative, March 2010 to January 2015;
- Aftershock Publishing LLC formerly Foresight Group, Managing Member, 01/2004 to Present; and

Co-Author of the ***Aftershock*** series of books published in the United States by John Wiley & Sons and published outside the U.S. in four different languages. These books include:

- ***America's Bubble Economy*** (2006)
- ***Aftershock*** (2009)
- ***Aftershock, second edition*** (2011)
- ***The Aftershock Investor*** (2013)
- ***Aftershock, third edition*** (2014)
- ***The Aftershock Investor, second edition*** (2014)
- ***Aftershock, fourth edition*** (2015)

## **Item 3 – Disciplinary Information**

Robert Wiedemer has no legal or disciplinary events to report.

## **Item 4 – Other Business Activities**

Robert Wiedemer spends approximately 20% of his time on the following other business activities with the remaining amount of his time devoted to Ark Financial Management responsibilities.

### **Ark Strategic Investment Partners, LLC**

Robert Wiedemer is an investment manager and an owner of Ark Strategic Investment Partners, LLC., It manages a private pooled investment vehicle designed under a private fund structure known as Ark Strategic Partners, LP. Ark Strategic Investment Partners serves as general partner and investment manager of the Ark Strategic Partners, LP, which is a private fund. The term private fund has been defined by regulators to mean "an issuer that would be an investment company as defined in section 3 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 but for section 3(c)(1) or 3(c)(7) of that Act. The offer and sale of interests in the Ark Private Fund are exempt from registration under the Securities Act of 1933 and similar state laws.

## **Ark Partners Fund, LLC**

Robert Wiedemer is CEO and an owner of Ark Partners Fund, LLC. It manages a private pooled investment vehicle designed under a private fund structure known as The Ark Fund, LP. Ark Partners Fund, LLC serves as general partner and investment manager of The Ark Fund, LP, which is a private fund. The Ark Fund, LP is a fund of hedge funds for qualified investors, and, in particular, institutional investors.

## **Aftershock Publishing LLC**

Robert Wiedemer, member and owner of Ark Financial Management, engages in publishing and speaking activities concerning the financial markets and investments. Robert Wiedemer does this through an affiliated company known as Aftershock Publishing LLC which is equally owned by Robert and David Wiedemer, Chief Compliance Officer with Ark Financial Management. While these activities are completely separate from the investment advisory services rendered by Ark Financial Management, they may result in the referral of new clients to our firm. Ark Financial Management does not compensate Aftershock Publishing LLC for client referrals. However, Robert Wiedemer has an economic incentive to refer clients to Ark Financial Management due to his affiliation with Ark Financial Management.

In addition, Ark Financial Management clients who have been referred to Ark Financial Management through the publishing activities of Aftershock Publishing LLC are entitled to receive, at no cost, certain newsletters and participate in additional audio conferences produced by Aftershock Publishing. Clients may decline to receive these third-party services. Ark Financial Management does not pay Aftershock Publishing or its owners for this service.

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### **Item 5 – Additional Compensation**

Other than his normal salary and share of company profits as an owner of the firm, Robert Wiedemer receives no additional compensation related to the advisory services provided through Ark Financial Management.

### **Item 6 – Supervision**

Robert Wiedemer is the Chief Compliance Officer of Ark Financial Management. He is responsible for overseeing and enforcing the firm's compliance programs that have been established to monitor and supervise the activities and services provided by the firm and its representatives. Robert Wiedemer can be contacted at 703-774-3520..

### **Item 7 – Requirements for State-Registered Advisers**

Robert Wiedemer has not been involved in an arbitration award and has not been found liable in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500. He has not been involved in any award or found liable in any civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding. Additionally, he has not been the subject of a bankruptcy petition.