

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
Release No. 86736 / August 22, 2019

Admin. Proc. File No. 3-19007

In the Matter of the Application of

EDWARD BEYN

For Review of Disciplinary Action Taken by

FINRA

ORDER GRANTING THE PARTIES'S MOTIONS TO FILE ADDITIONAL BRIEFS

On July 31, 2019, Edward Beyn, proceeding pro se, filed a reply brief in support of his application for review of FINRA disciplinary action. His brief raised certain arguments for the first time in this appeal. On August 13, 2019, FINRA moved to strike Beyn's reply brief or, alternatively, for permission to file a surreply brief attached to its motion. FINRA stated that the surreply is limited to the arguments that Beyn raised for the first time in his reply brief. On August 20, 2019, Beyn moved to strike the opposition brief that FINRA filed on July 3, 2019 or, alternatively, for permission to file a surreply brief to FINRA's surreply. Given the circumstances, we find it appropriate to grant FINRA's request to file the surreply brief attached to its motion and to grant Beyn's request to file a surreply brief to FINRA's surreply.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that the surreply brief attached to FINRA's motion is accepted and that Beyn shall file his surreply brief to FINRA's surreply by September 5, 2019. Beyn's surreply shall be limited to 4,000 words and be confined to the matters in FINRA's surreply.¹ No subsequent motions for additional briefs will be granted.

For the Commission, by the Office of the General Counsel, pursuant to delegated authority.

Vanessa A. Countryman
Secretary

¹ See 17 C.F.R. 201.420(c) ("Any exception to a determination not supported in an opening brief . . . may, at the discretion of the Commission, be deemed to have been waived by the applicant."); see also 17 C.F.R. 201.450(b) (stating that except as determined by the Commission "any argument raised for the first time in a reply brief shall be deemed to have been waived").