



Classic CRD

Individual Form Filing: Form U5

About Form U5

The Form U5 is the Uniform Termination Notice for Securities Industry Registration. Broker-dealers, investment advisers, and issuers of securities are required to use the Form U5 to terminate the registration of an individual in the appropriate self-regulatory organizations (SROs) and/or jurisdictions.

Protecting Personal Information

Provide personal information about individuals in response to specific questions that solicit that information. When responding to more general questions that accept narrative responses, use terms that do not disclose personal information (including account numbers). Please review [guidance](#) posted on the FINRA website about how to protect this information.



IMPORTANT NOTE:

All classic CRD features should now be accessed through [FINRA Gateway](#), the new FINRA reporting and compliance platform. This new system is designed to focus on compliance functions, such as research, reporting and responding to requests, rather than focusing on the specific system you would access to fulfill your requirements.

Additionally, an [enhanced data entry experience](#) is now available in FINRA Gateway for all Form U5 filing types. **The classic CRD U5 data entry experience will be retired effective August 21, 2021.**

If you have any questions or feedback regarding the transition to FINRA Gateway, please contact FeedbackFINRAGateway@finra.org.

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Need help with CRD? Call the FINRA Gateway Call Center at **301-869-6699**
8 A.M. - 8 P.M., ET, Monday-Friday.

Logging in Through FINRA Gateway

Beginning in Summer 2020, the new [FINRA Gateway](https://gateway.finra.org) will become the primary method for accessing FINRA systems. To access FINRA Gateway:

1. Go to <https://gateway.finra.org>, and
2. Enter your existing CRD user ID and password.

Once you have successfully logged into FINRA Gateway, you can navigate to classic CRD using the **Quick Links** menu on the lower-left. Select **Classic CRD** from the list of links and then follow along with the rest of this guide.

The screenshot shows the FINRA Gateway interface. On the left is a dark blue sidebar with icons for Home, Profiles, Requests, Reports, and Support. The main area has a 'Search' section with a dropdown for 'Type' (set to 'Individual') and a search box labeled 'Search Criteria' with the placeholder 'Search by Name or CRD#'. Below this is a 'Requests' section with a dropdown for 'Lists' (set to 'All (307)') and buttons for 'Save' and 'Export'. A table of requests is displayed with columns: Request Type, Details, Created, Due, and Category. A red arrow points from the 'Quick Links' menu in the bottom-left corner to the 'CLASSIC CRD' button in the 'Quick Links' section.

Request Type	Details	Created	Due	Category
Find out response time to complete		06/19/2020	06/19/2020	
FOCUS - Part II Monthly	Part II Monthly FOCUS Filing for J...	12/31/2015	02/24/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - SIS Monthly	SIS Monthly FOCUS Filing for Jan...	01/31/2016	02/29/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - SIS Monthly	SIS Monthly FOCUS Filing for Feb...	02/29/2016	03/29/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - Part II Monthly	Part II Monthly FOCUS Filing for F...	01/31/2016	03/23/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - Part II Monthly	Part II Monthly FOCUS Filing for ...	12/31/2015	04/25/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - Custody Quarterly	Custody Quarterly FOCUS Filing f...	12/31/2015	04/25/2016	Financial / Operational
FOCUS - SIS Monthly	SIS Monthly FOCUS Filing for Mar...	03/31/2016	04/28/2016	Financial / Operational

The screenshot shows the 'Quick Links' menu. At the top are two buttons: 'FIRM GATEWAY' and 'CLASSIC CRD'. The 'CLASSIC CRD' button is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow. Below these buttons are two columns of links.

Quick Links	
FIRM GATEWAY	CLASSIC CRD
Advertising- Ad Reg	BD Form
E-bill	Exam Waiver Form
eFocus	IA Amend form (ADV Amend)
RegT Extension	NewCRD
Report Center	Pre-Registration Search
Shorts	NRF Form
See More Forms...	SIE

Form U5 Filing Types

U5 Filing Type	When to use
Full	<p>A Full Form U5 is used when terminating an individual from the firm. All registrations with SROs and Jurisdictions will be terminated. A Full U5 must be filed no later than thirty (30) days after the individual has left the firm's employment.</p> <p>Disclosure answers, date of termination and reason for termination are required fields. Residential addresses can be updated. Branch office address information cannot be updated.</p>
Partial	<p>A Partial Form U5 is used to terminate individuals from selected SROs and jurisdictions. The reason for termination and disclosure questions are not included on partial Form U5 filings. Branch office address information cannot be updated.</p>
Amendment	<p>An Amendment Form U5 is used to update or amend disclosure, date of termination, reason for termination, and residential information on an individual already terminated from a firm.</p> <p>(Terminated individuals are required to report changes to their current residential address for two years following their termination date.)</p>

Click the "Create New U5 in Web CRD" link on the site map and select the appropriate filing type to begin a classic CRD U5 filing. (Or click the button to use the enhanced data collection experience in FINRA Gateway.)

The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Forms". Under the "Form U4" section, there is a blue button "Create New U4 in FINRA Gateway" and a link "Historical U4 Filings". Under the "Form U5" section, there is a blue button "Create New U5 in FINRA Gateway", a link "Create New U5 in Web CRD" (which is highlighted with a red arrow), a link "Pending U5 Filings", and a link "Historical U5 Filings".

Form U5 Section: 3. Full Termination

For a full termination, complete the Reason for Termination and Termination Explanation. If the reason is Permitted to Resign, Discharged or Other, an additional explanation is required.

3. FULL TERMINATION

Is this a *FULL TERMINATION*? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No**
 Note: A "Yes" response will terminate ALL registrations with all *SROs* and all *jurisdictions*.

Reason for Termination: ▼

Deceased
 Discharged
 Other
 Permitted to Resign
 Voluntary

Termination Explanation:
 If the Reason for Termination is Permitted to Resign, Discharged or Other, provide an explanation below:

Next
Save
Reset
Previous


Additional Tips:

1. If providing a Reason for Termination that requires additional explanation, please review Disclosure Questions 7B and 7F to determine if the matter is reportable.
2. Firms can file changes to the Reason for Termination and/or Termination Explanation using a U5 Amendment. When filing an amendment to the Reason for Termination and/or Termination Explanation, firms must complete an additional field explaining the reason for the change.

Form U5 Section: 4. Date of Termination

This section applies to Full U5 filings. Filers should enter the date the firm terminated the individual's association with the firm in a capacity that required registration (usually today's date or a previous date).

This date is used by jurisdictions/SROs to determine whether an individual is required to requalify by exam or if the individual is eligible for a waiver upon re-association with another firm.

4. Date of Termination	
Date Terminated (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/04/2015 	
<p>A complete date of termination is required for <i>full termination</i>. This date represents the date the <i>firm</i> terminated the individual's association with the <i>firm</i> in a capacity for which registration is required.</p> <p>For <i>partial termination</i>, the date of termination is only applicable to post-dated termination requests during the renewal period.</p> <p>Notes: For <i>full termination</i>, this date is used by <i>jurisdictions/SROs</i> to determine whether an individual is required to requalify by examination or obtain an appropriate waiver upon reassociating with another <i>firm</i>.</p> <p>The <i>SRO/jurisdiction</i> determines the effective date of termination of registration.</p>	
« Previous	Save Next »

Additional Tips:

1. A termination date greater than 30 days in the past will generate a late termination fee when the filing is submitted.
2. A post-dated termination date of 12/31 of the current year is only allowed during the annual renewal period.
3. Firms can file changes to the Date of Termination a U5 Amendment. When filing an amendment to the Date of Termination, firms must complete an additional field explaining the reason for the change. Please note that this change only impacts the date displayed in Filing History.

Form U5 Section: 5. Partial Termination

This section is only available when the Partial filing type is selected. There are two parts to this section:

- 5A. SRO Partial Termination
- 5B. Jurisdiction Partial Termination

Only active SRO/Jurisdiction registrations will be available for selection. Check the box for each registration you wish to terminate. By default, the termination date will be set to the date the Partial U5 filing is submitted.

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	FINRA	NYSE	NYSE-MKT	BATS-ZX	BATS-YX	BOX	BX	EDGA	EDGX	ARCA	CBOE	C2	CHX	PHLX	ISE	ISE GEMINI	NQX	MIAX
OP - Registered Options Principal (S4)																		
IR - Investment Company and Variable Contracts Products Rep. (S6)																		
GS - Full Registration/General Securities Representative (S7)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>														<input type="checkbox"/>	
TR - Securities Trader (S7)																		
TS - Trading Supervisor (S7)																		
SU - General Securities Sales Supervisor (S9 and S10)																		

Form U5 Section: 6. Affiliated Firm Termination

For partial terminations, select the affiliated firm(s) from which the individual seeks to terminate registrations and indicate the registrations the individual seeks to terminate. For full terminations, select the affiliated firm(s) from which the individual seeks to terminate.

Partial Termination Example:

6. AFFILIATED FIRM TERMINATION	
Name	BD#
<u>AFFILIATE FIRM</u>	0001
<p>Is this a <i>multiple termination</i> with one or more <i>firms affiliated</i> with the <i>filing firm</i>?</p> <p>If "yes" to the above question and the termination requests for the <i>filing firm</i> are identical to the termination requests of each <i>affiliated firm</i>, then mark the same termination request for each affiliate. If the termination requests of the <i>affiliated firm(s)</i> differ from those of the <i>filing firm</i>, complete the <i>SRO</i> and/or <i>jurisdiction</i> sections for each <i>affiliated firm</i>.</p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No </p> <p> <input type="button" value="Next"/> <input type="button" value="Save"/> <input type="button" value="Previous"/> </p>	

6. AFFILIATED FIRM TERMINATION							
Affiliated Firm CRD #		Affiliated Firm Name					
0001		AFFILIATE FIRM					
Affiliated Firm Billing Code:							
Office of Employment Address:							
CRD	NYSE Branch	Firm Billing	Address	Private	Type of	Start Date	End
Branch #	Code #	Code		Residence	Office		Date
IA Main			123 MAIN STREET ROCKVILLE, MD 20850 UNITED STATES	No	Located At	09/20/2010	
<div> <input type="button" value="SRO Registrations"/> <input type="button" value="Jurisdictions"/> </div>							

Full Termination Example:

6. AFFILIATED FIRM TERMINATION		
Name	BD#	Terminate Affiliate
<u>AFFILIATE FIRM</u>	0001	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>Is this a <i>multiple termination</i> with one or more <i>firms affiliated</i> with the <i>filing firm</i>?</p> <p>If "yes" to the above question and the termination requests for the <i>filing firm</i> are identical to the termination requests of each <i>affiliated firm</i>, then mark the same termination request for each affiliate. If the termination requests of the <i>affiliated firm(s)</i> differ from those of the <i>filing firm</i>, complete the <i>SRO</i> and/or <i>jurisdiction</i> sections for each <i>affiliated firm</i>.</p> <p> <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No </p>		

Form U5 Section: 7. Disclosure Questions

This section applies to full terminations only. If the individual has no new or updated disclosure information to be reported in response to Questions 7A, 7C, 7D or 7E, you may utilize the Disclosure Certification Checkbox option in lieu of completing Section 7. The Disclosure Certification Checkbox may not be used if answering "yes" to Questions 7B or 7F.

Questions 7E(4) or 7E(5) should be answered "yes" if the individual was not named as a respondent/defendant but (1) the Statement of Claim or Complaint specifically mentions the individual by name and alleges the individual was involved in one or more sales practice violations or (2) the Statement of Claim or Complaint does not mention the individual by name, but the firm has made a good faith determination that the sales practice violation(s) alleged involves one or more particular individuals.

7. DISCLOSURE QUESTIONS	
IF THE ANSWER TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN SECTION 7 IS 'YES', COMPLETE DETAILS OF ALL EVENTS OR PROCEEDINGS ON APPROPRIATE DRP(S). IF THE INFORMATION IN SECTION 7 HAS ALREADY BEEN REPORTED ON FORM U4 OR FORM U5, DO NOT RESUBMIT DRPs FOR THESE ITEMS. REFER TO THE EXPLANATION OF TERMS SECTION OF FORM U5 INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXPLANATION OF ITALICIZED WORDS.	
Disclosure Certification Checkbox (optional) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
By selecting the Disclosure Certification Checkbox, the firm certifies that (1) there is no additional information to be reported at this time; (2) details relating to Questions 7A, 7C, 7D and 7E have been previously reported on behalf of the individual via Form U4 and/or amendments to Form U4 (if applicable); and (3) updated information will be provided, if needed, as it becomes available to the firm. Note: Use of "Disclosure Certification Checkbox" is optional.	
Investigation Disclosure	
7A. Currently is, or at termination was, the individual the subject of an <i>investigation</i> or <i>proceeding</i> by a domestic or foreign governmental body or <i>self-regulatory organization</i> with jurisdiction over <i>investment-related</i> businesses? (Note: Provide details of an <i>investigation</i> on an Investigation Disclosure Reporting Page and details regarding a <i>proceeding</i> on a Regulatory Action Disclosure Reporting Page.)	YES NO <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
Internal Review Disclosure	
7B. Currently is, or at termination was, the individual under internal review for fraud or wrongful taking of property, or violating <i>investment-related</i> statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct?	YES NO <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
Criminal Disclosure	
7C. While employed by or associated with your <i>firm</i> , or in connection with events that occurred while the individual was employed by or associated with your <i>firm</i> , was the individual:	YES NO
1. convicted of or did the individual plead guilty or nolo contendere ("no contest") in a domestic, foreign or military court to any <i>felony</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
2. <i>charged</i> with any <i>felony</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
3. convicted of or did the individual plead guilty or nolo contendere ("no contest") in a domestic, foreign or military court to a <i>misdemeanor involving</i> : investments or an <i>investment-related</i> business, or any fraud, false statements or omissions, wrongful taking of property, bribery, perjury, forgery, counterfeiting, extortion, or a conspiracy to commit any of these offenses?	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
4. <i>charged</i> with a <i>misdemeanor</i> specified in 7(C)(3)?	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
Regulatory Action Disclosure	

About Internal Review Disclosure

Generally, the Internal Review Disclosure question in Question 7B and the Internal Review Reporting Page (DRP U5) are used to report matters relating to compliance, not matters of a competitive nature. Responses should not include situations involving employment related disputes between the firm and the individual.

If a "yes" answer is provided to the Internal Review Disclosure question, the individual whose name appears in Section 1 (GENERAL INFORMATION) of this form may provide a brief summary of the event on Part II of the Internal Review Disclosure Reporting Page (DRP U5).

Submission Menu

Completeness Check - A firm can manually perform a Completeness Check, prior to submission, to check filings for completeness of required fields. If the filing does not pass the completeness check, the system will display a description of the error and a link to the error location.

? Printer Friendly							
Submissions	Reference #: 9702673898B0EB Rev. Form U5 (05/2009)						
Completeness Check	Individual Name: DOE, JOHN (1111111)						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Submit Filing ▪ Print Preview 	Firm Name: SECURITIES FIRM (0000)						
U5 Filing	ON-LINE COMPLETENESS CHECK						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Filing Instructions ▪ 1. General Information ▪ 2. Current Residential Address ▪ 3. Full Termination ▪ 4. Date Terminated 	<table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Error Location</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Error Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Date Terminated</td> <td>Date of termination is required.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Termination</td> <td>Reason for termination is required.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Error Location	Error Description	Date Terminated	Date of termination is required.	Termination	Reason for termination is required.
Error Location	Error Description						
Date Terminated	Date of termination is required.						
Termination	Reason for termination is required.						

Submit Filing - Submitting a filing is a two-step process: Web CRD automatically runs a completeness check when Submit Filing is selected. If the filing passes the completeness check, the system allows you to continue with the submission process, if the filing does not pass the completeness check, return to the screens where the errors have occurred and correct them.

1. Select **Submit Filing**.
2. Once the filing has passed the completeness check, select **Submit Filing** a second time.

? Printer Friendly	
Submissions	Reference #: 9702673898B0EB Rev. Form U5 (05/2009)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Completeness Check ▪ Submit Filing ▪ Print Preview 	Individual Name: DOE, JOHN (1111111)
U5 Filing	Firm Name: SECURITIES FIRM (0000)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Filing Instructions ▪ 1. General Information ▪ 2. Current Residential Address ▪ 3. Full Termination ▪ 4. Date Terminated ▪ 6. Affiliated Firm Termination 	SUBMISSION COMPLETENESS CHECK
	U5 SUBMISSION COMPLETENESS CHECK PASSED SUCCESSFULLY. PLEASE SELECT THE 'SUBMIT FILING' BUTTON BELOW TO SUBMIT TO CRD.
	<div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; border-radius: 10px; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Submit Filing</div>

Print Preview - Used to view or prepare the filing for printing. You can choose to print a specific page or the entire filing.

1. Select **Print Preview** from the Submission menu

Reference #: 9702673898B0EB Rev. Form U5 (05/2009)

Individual Name: DOE, JOHN (1111111)

Firm Name: SECURITIES FIRM (0000)

SUBMISSION COMPLETENESS CHECK

U5 SUBMISSION COMPLETENESS CHECK PASSED SUCCESSFULLY. PLEASE SELECT THE 'SUBMIT FILING' BUTTON BELOW TO SUBMIT TO CRD.

Submit Filing

2. To print the entire form filing select **All Sections** from the navigation panel. Otherwise, select the Form U5 section you wish to print.
3. Click the **Printer Friendly** icon located on the right side of the screen

Reference #: 9702673898B0EB Rev. Form U5 (05/2009)

Individual Name: DOE, JOHN (1111111)

Firm Name: SECURITIES FIRM (0000)

**FORM U5
UNIFORM TERMINATION NOTICE FOR SECURITIES INDUSTRY
REGISTRATION**

NOTICE TO THE INDIVIDUAL WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THIS FILING
Even if you are no longer registered you continue to be subject to the jurisdiction of regulators for at least two years after your registration is terminated and may have to provide information about your activities while associated with this firm. Therefore, you must forward any residential address changes for two years following your termination date or last Form U5 amendment to: CRD Address Changes, P.O. Box 9495, Gaithersburg, MD 20898-9495.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

First Name: JOHN	Middle Name:	Last Name: DOE	Suffix:
Firm CRD #: 0000	Firm Name: SECURITIES FIRM	Firm NFA #:	
Individual CRD #: 1111111	Individual SSN: XXX-XX-XXXX	Individual NFA #:	Firm Billing Code:

Office of Employment Address

Pending Filings

Filings that have been started but not submitted are considered pending filings. Once a filing is created, it remains in a pending, or draft state for 60 days from the creation date. Firms can access their pending U5 filings through the Site Map or the Forms tab.

Enter the individual's **CRD Number** or **SSN** and click **Search**.

NOTE: To view filings that were created by you, select **Filings initiated by current user only**.

Pending Filing Search	
U5	
Hide Search Criteria	
Search by CRD Number	
CRD Number:	<input type="text"/>
Search by Social Security Number	
SSN (xxx-xx-xxxx):	<input type="text"/>
Search by Firm Billing Code	
Firm Billing Code:	<input type="text"/>
Filter by current user	
Filings initiated by current user only:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Select Sort Criteria	
Creation Date:	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Ascending <input type="radio"/> Descending
<input type="button" value="Search"/>	

Click the **Filing ID hyperlink** to continue working on the filing. If you no longer wish to submit this filing, you have the option to **Delete** the filing.


NOTE: The table can be sorted by column headers that have hyperlinks.

The **Expected Purge Date** indicates the day the filing will be deleted from the Pending Filing queue.

Pending Filing Search											
U5											
Show Search Criteria											
Records per Page: 25 Total Records: 1											
Filing ID	Submission Status	Filing Type	Name	CRD	SSN	Billing Code	CC Status	Creation Date	User ID	Submission Type	Expected Purge Date
12193336	Pending Submission	Full	DOE, JOHN	1111111	xxx-xx-xxxx View SSN		Fail	12/03/2015	USERID1	WEB	02/04/2016
Records per Page: 25 Total Records: 1											

Historical Filings

The **Historical Filings** feature allows users to view and/or print Form U5 filings submitted by your firm for a specific individual. Users will have the option to view the full filing or view changes in “redline mode” by selecting one of the “View Changes” options. Redlining will not display across form versions.

Historical Filing Search				
U5				
Individual: DOE, JOHN (1111111)				
Show Search Criteria 				
Records per Page: 25 Total Records: 2				
ID	Date	Type	Submitted by	User ID
12115833	10/21/2015	U5 Partial	SECURITIES FIRM (11111)	FIRMUSER1
31561047	12/14/2011	U5 Partial	SECURITIES FIRM (11111)	FIRMUSER1

Records per Page: 25 Total Records: 2