the NRC’s Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1–800–397–4209, 301–415–4737, or by email at pdr.resource@nrc.gov. The draft EIS can be found in ADAMS under Accession No. ML21209A213.

- **Attention:** The PDR, where you may examine and order copies of public documents, is currently closed. You may submit your request to the PDR via email at pdr.resource@nrc.gov or call 1–800–397–4209 or 301–415–4737, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. (ET), Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

- **Project Website:** Information related to the WEC project can be accessed on the NRC’s WEC website at https://www.nrc.gov/info-finder/fc/westinghouse-fuel-fab-fac-sc-lc.html. Under the section titled “Operating,” scroll down to “Key Documents” and click on draft EIS, NUREG–2248, draft Report for Comment.

- **Public Libraries:** A copy of the NRC staff’s draft EIS is available at the following public libraries (library access and hours are determined by local policy):
  - Richland Public Library—Main: 1431 Assembly St., Columbia, SC 29021;
  - Richland Public Library—Lower Richland: 9019 Garners Ferry Road, Hopkins, SC 29061; and
  - Richland Public Library—Eastover: 608 Main Street, Eastover, SC 29044.

**B. Submitting Comments**

Please include Docket ID NRC–2015–0039 in the subject line of your comment submission.

The NRC cautions you not to include identifying or contact information that you do not want to be publicly disclosed in your comment submission. The NRC will post all comment submissions at https://www.regulations.gov/ as well as enter the comment submissions into ADAMS. The NRC does not routinely edit comment submissions to remove identifying or contact information.

If you are requesting or aggregating comments from other persons for submission to the NRC, you should inform those persons not to include identifying or contact information that they do not want to be publicly disclosed in their comment submission. Your request should state that the NRC does not routinely edit comment submissions to remove such information before making the comment submissions available to the public or entering the comment into ADAMS.

**II. Discussion**

On August 6, 2021, the NRC issued for public comment the draft EIS for WEC’s license renewal application, which includes the NRC staff’s analysis that evaluates the environmental impacts of the proposed action and alternatives to the proposed action. Based on the NRC staff’s (i) review of the license renewal application request, which includes the environmental report, supplemental documents, and the licensee’s responses to the NRC staff’s requests for additional information; (ii) consultation with federal, state, and tribal agencies and input from other stakeholders; and (iii) independent review as documented in the assessments summarized in the draft EIS, the NRC staff has concluded that the proposed action would result in small impacts on all resource areas except for groundwater resources for which the impacts would be small to moderate.

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The Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition or removal of a negotiated service agreement from the market dominant or the competitive product list, or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the market dominant or the competitive product list.

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, the title of each Postal Service request, the request’s acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each request, the Commission appoints an officer of the Commission to represent the interests of the general public in the proceeding, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505 (Public Representative). Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each request.

The public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s) can be accessed via the Commission’s website (http://www.prc.gov). Non-public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s), if any, can be accessed through compliance with the requirements of 39 CFR 3011.301.

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service’s request(s) in the captioned docket(s) are consistent with the policies of title 39. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern market dominant product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3622, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3030, and 39 CFR part 3040, subpart B. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern competitive product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3632, 39 U.S.C. 3633, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3035, and 39 CFR part 3040, subpart B. Comment
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION


Self-Regulatory Organizations; Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc.: Order Instituting Proceedings To Determine Whether To Approve or Disapprove the Proposed Rule Change To Amend Rule 2165 (Financial Exploitation of Specified Adults)

September 22, 2021.

I. Introduction

On June 9, 2021, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") the proposed rule change SR–FINRA–2021–016 pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") and Rule 19b–4 thereunder to amend FINRA Rule 2165 (Financial Exploitation of Specified Adults) to: (1) Permit member firms to extend a temporary hold on a securities transaction, subject to the same terms and restrictions applicable to a temporary hold on disbursements of funds or securities ("disbursements"), where there is a reasonable belief of financial exploitation of a "specified adult" as defined in the rule; (2) permit member firms to extend a temporary hold, whether on a disbursement or a transaction, for an additional 30 business days if the member firm has reported the matter to a state regulator or agency or a court of competent jurisdiction; and (3) require member firms to retain records of the reason and support for any extension of any temporary hold, including information regarding any communications with, or by, a state regulator or agency or a court of competent jurisdiction. The proposed rule change was published for comment in the Federal Register on June 28, 2021.4 On July 20, 2021, FINRA consented to extend until September 24, 2021, the time period in which the Commission must approve the proposed rule change, disapprove the proposed rule change, or institute proceedings to determine whether to approve or disapprove the proposed rule change.5

II. Description of the Proposed Rule Change

Background

FINRA’s proposed rule change would amend Rule 2165, which currently permits a member firm to place a temporary hold on a disbursement from the account of a “specified adult” customer for up to 25 business days if the criteria of the rule are satisfied.6 A “specified adult” is someone either age 65 and older, or age 18 and older if the member firm reasonably believes that a mental or physical impairment has rendered the person incapable of protecting their own interests.7 According to FINRA, temporary holds on disbursements have played a significant role in providing member firms with a way to respond promptly to suspicions of customer financial exploitation before a customer experiences potentially significant losses.8

A member firm’s ability to place a temporary hold on disbursements is subject to a number of conditions that are designed to help prevent misapplication of the rule.9 These conditions are designed to help prevent


See letter from Jeanette Wingler, Associate General Counsel, FINRA, to Vanessa Countryman, Secretary, Commission dated August 23, 2021 ("FINRA Letter"). The FINRA Letter is available at the Commission’s website at https://www.sec.gov/comments/sr-finra-2021-016/srfinra2021016-9160159-247746.pdf.

See infra for a discussion of existing safeguards incorporated into Rule 2165.

See Rule 2165(a)(1). Supplementary Material .03 to Rule 2165 provides that a member firm’s reasonable belief that a natural person age 18 and older has a mental or physical impairment that renders the individual unable to protect their own interests may be based on the facts and circumstances observed in the member firm’s business relationship with the person. See Notice at 34086 n.17.

See Notice at 34086. For example, according to FINRA member firms have placed temporary holds to prevent senior investors from losing: (1) $200,000 (representing approximately two-thirds of the investor's account) related to a lawsuit scam; (2) $10,000 in a lottery scam; (3) $60,000 in a romance scam; and (4) $50,000 to financial exploitation by a brother-in-law. Id.

See infra note 9 and accompanying text.


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