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Form ADV Part 2B Sean Kenney

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This brochure supplement provides information about Sean Kenney that supplements Financial & Tax Architects, LLC's brochure. You should have received a copy of that brochure. Please contact Gordon Haave, Chief Compliance Officer, if you did not receive Financial & Tax Architects, LLC's brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about Sean Kenney (CRD #7803476) is available on the SEC's website at <u>www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.</u>

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Sean Kenney

Investment Adviser Representative

Year of Birth: 1992

Item 2 Educational Background and Business Experience

Educational Background:

• 3 years of Philosophy and 4 years of Theology Studies at the International Seminary of Saint Philip Neri, Florence, Italy 2013 – 2021

Business Experience:

- Financial and Tax Architects, LLC; Investment Adviser Representative; 06/2023 Present
- AdvisorMax, LLC; Licensed Insurance Agent; 06/2023 Present
- Midas Hospitality; Food & Beverage Supervisor; 09/2022 06/2023
- Kenney Construction, LLC; Carpenter/Estimator; 01/2021 12/2022
- Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest; Student/Seminarian/Winemaker; 08/2011

 01/2021

Item 3 Disciplinary Information

- Criminal or Civil Action: Criminal or Civil Action: None to report.
- Administrative Proceeding: None to report.
- Self-Regulatory Proceeding: None to report.

Item 4 Other Business Activities

Sean Kenney is a licensed insurance agent. Mr. Kenney only offers insurance products in states where he is licensed. This practice represents a conflict of interest. There is a financial incentive for Mr. Kenney to recommend products that pay him a commission or other compensation. The conflict mitigation steps include disclosures, the Code of Ethics, and Mr. Kenney's fiduciary obligation to place the best interest of the client first. There is no obligation to purchase any commission based or other compensated products. Clients have the option to purchase any recommended products through the insurance agent of their choosing.

AdvisorMax, LLC: AdvisorMax, LLC is an affiliate of FTA which sells insurance and annuity products to FTA clients. AdvisorMax, LLC, is an insurance and annuity field marketing organization ("FMO") A FMO is a platform that brings insurance companies and insurance agents together. AdvisorMax recruits insurance agents to its wholesale platform of insurance products and product support. The platform allows agents to access the product offerings of insurance product underwriters. When a supported agent sells a product, the insurance or annuity

company pays a sales commission directly to AdvisorMax. The selling agent also is paid a commission based on the value of the product. The insurance company pays AdvisorMax the commission. In some instances, FTA's investment advisory representatives may sell insurance products using AdvisorMax as the FMO. Sales commissions paid to FTA advisory representatives are separate from FTA's advisory fees.

Item 5 Additional Compensation

Mr. Kenney does not receive additional compensation from his advisory activities. He does receive additional compensation from the outside business activities described above.

Mr. Kenney is not paid performance-based fees.

Item 6 Supervision

Gordon Haave is the Chief Compliance Officer of Financial & Tax Architects, LLC. Gordon Haave and FTA's senior management supervise the advisory activities of Mr. Kenney. Gordon Haave can be reached by phone at 314–377–5565 or by email at ghaave@fta-ria.com.