Form 45-106F1 Report of Exempt Distribution

ITEM 1 – REPORT TYPE

New report

✓ Amended report

If amended, provide filing date of report that is being amended. 2024 11 06 (YYYY-MM-DD)

ITEM 2 – PARTY CERTIFYING THE REPORT

Indicate the party certifying the report (select only one). For guidance regarding whether an issuer is an investment fund, refer to section 1.1 of National Instrument 81-106 Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and the companion policy to NI 81-106 (in Québec, Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement to Regulation 81-106 respecting Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure and Policy Statement Fund Continuous Disclosure).

Investment fund issuer

✓ Issuer (other than an investment fund)

Underwriter

ITEM 3 - ISSUER NAME AND OTHER IDENTIFIERS

Provide the following information about the issuer, or if the issuer is an investment fund, about the fund.

Full legal name	AIML Innovations Inc.
Previous full legal name	AI/ML INNOVATIONS INC.
If the issuer's name changed in	the last 12 months, provide most recent previous legal name.
Website	www.aiml-innovations.com (if applicable)
If the issuer has a legal entity identifier, p	rovide below. Refer to Part B of the Instructions for the definition of "legal entity identifier".
Legal entity identifier	
If two or more issuers distributed a single above.	e security, provide the full legal name(s) of the co-issuer(s) other than the issuer named
Full legal name(s) of co-issuer(s)	(if applicable)

ITEM 4 – UNDERWRITER INFORMATION If an underwriter is completing the report, provide the underwriter's full legal name, firm NRD number, and SEDAR+ profile number. Full legal name Firm NRD number SEDAR+ profile number

ITEM 5 – ISSUER INFORMATION

TTEM 5 - ISSUER INFORMATION
If the issuer is an investment fund, do not complete Item 5. Proceed to Item 6.
a) Primary industry
Provide the issuer's North American Industry Classification Standard (NAICS) code (6 digits only) that in your reasonable judgment most closely corresponds to the issuer's primary business activity.
NAICS industry code 541710
If the issuer is in the mining industry , indicate the stage of operations. This does not apply to issuers that provide services to issuers operating in the mining industry. Select the category that best describes the issuer's stage of operations.
Exploration Development Production Is the issuer's primary business to invest all or substantially all of its assets in any of the following? If yes, select all that apply.
🗌 Mortgages 🔄 Real estate 📄 Commercial/business debt 📄 Consumer debt 📄 Private companies
Cryptoassets
b) Number of employees
Number of employees: 🗹 0 - 49 🗌 50 - 99 🗌 100 - 499 🗌 500 or more
c) SEDAR+ profile number
Provide the issuer's SEDAR+ profile number
000007484

ITEM 6 – INVESTMENT FUND ISSUER INFORMATION							
If the issuer is an investment fund, provide the following information.							
a) Investment fund ma	anager information						
Full legal name]			
Firm NRD number		(if applicable	2)				
SEDAR+ profile number [
b) Type of investment	fund						
Type of investment fund that mo	st accurately identifies th	he issuer (select only one).					
🗌 Money market	Equity	Eixed income	Balanced				
Alternative strategies	Cryptoasset	Other (describe)					

Indicate whether one or l	Indicate whether one or both of the following apply to the investment fund.								
Invest primarily in other investment fund issuers									
Is a UCITs Fund ¹									
	e Investment of Transferable Securities funds (UC				Union (EU) directives				
that allow collective investmer	nt schemes to operate throughout the EU on a pa	issport basis on authoriza	tion from one mer	nber state.					
c) Net asset valu	c) Net asset value (NAV) of the investment fund								
Select the NAV range of th	he investment fund as of the date of the ı	most recent NAV calcı	ılation (Canadio	an \$).					
Under \$5M	□ \$5M to under \$25M	Second se			V calculation:				
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\$100M to under \$5	00M 🗌 \$500M to under \$1B	s1B or over		YYYY	MM DD				
ITEM 7 – INFORM	ATION ABOUT THE DISTRIB	UTION							
If an issuer located outsi	de of Canada completes a distribution in	a jurisdiction of Can	ada, include in l	ltem 7 and So	chedule 1				
information about purch	asers resident in that jurisdiction of Can	ada only. Do not inclu	ıde in Item 7 se	curities issue	d as payment of				
	fees, in connection with the distribution, with the information provided in Schedule		ed in Item 8. Th	ne informatio	n provided in				
a) Currency									
a) currency									
Select the currency or cu dollars.	rrencies in which the distribution was mo	ade. All dollar amount	's provided in th	he report mu	st be in Canadian				
🗹 Canadian dollar	🗌 US dollar 🔄 Euro Other (describe)			7				
b) Distribution (dates								
	rt and end dates. If the report is being fil both the start and end dates. If the report								
	l dates for the distribution period covered				uous busis,				
Start date	2024 10 31	End date	2024	11 01]				
Start date	YYYY MM DD		YYYY	MM DD					
c) Detailed purc	haser information								
Complete Schedule 1 oj	f this form for each purchaser and att	ach the schedule to	the completed	l report.					
d) Types of secu	urities distributed								
Provide the following infe	ormation for all distributions reported or	a par sacurity basis	Pafar to Part A	(12) of the Ind	tructions for how				
	ode. If providing the CUSIP number, indic								
distributed.									
				Canadian s	5				
Security CUSIP		Number of	Single or	Highest					
code number (if applicable)	Description of security	securities	lowest price	price	Total amount				
UBS	Units comprised of one common	1,000,000.0000	0.0650	0.0650	65,000.0000				
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	share and one common share pu rchase warrant				
UBS	Units comprised of one common share and one common share pu rchase warrant	17,150,000.0000	0.0650	0.0650	1,114,750.0000

e) Details of rights and convertible/exchangeable securities

If any rights (e.g. warrants, options) were distributed, provide the exercise price and expiry date for each right. If any convertible/exchangeable securities were distributed, provide the conversion ratio and describe any other terms for each convertible/exchangeable security.

Convertible / exchangeable	Underlying security code		se price dian \$)	Expiry date (YYYY-MM- DD)	Conversion ratio	Describe other terms (if applicable)
security code	security code	Lowest	Highest	50)		applicable)
WNT	CMS	0.1500	0.1500	2026-10-31	1:1	Each warrant entitles the ho lder to subscribe for one ad ditional share at \$0.15 for a period of two years, subject to the Company's right to ac celerate expiry upon 30 day s' notice if the shares trade at \$0.30 or greater for a per iod of at least 10 consecutiv e trading days.
WNT	CMS	0.1500	0.1500	2026-11-01	1:1	Each warrant entitles the ho lder to subscribe for one ad ditional share at \$0.15 for a period of two years, subject to the Company's right to ac celerate expiry upon 30 day s' notice if the shares trade at \$0.30 or greater for a per iod of at least 10 consecutiv e trading days.

f) Summary of the distribution by jurisdiction and exemption

State the total dollar amount of securities distributed and the number of purchasers for each jurisdiction of Canada and foreign jurisdiction where a purchaser resides and for each exemption relied on in Canada for that distribution. However, if an issuer located outside of Canada completes a distribution in a jurisdiction of Canada, include distributions to purchasers resident in that jurisdiction of Canada only.

This table requires a separate line item for: (i) each jurisdiction where a purchaser resides, (ii) each exemption relied on in the jurisdiction where a purchaser resides, if a purchaser resides in a jurisdiction of Canada, and (iii) each exemption relied on in Canada, if a purchaser resides in a foreign jurisdiction.

For jurisdictions within Canada, state the province or territory, otherwise state the country.

Province or country	Exemption relied on	Number of unique purchasers ^{2a}	Total amount (Canadian \$)	
Alberta	NI 45-106 2.3 [Accredited investor]	3	126,750.0000	

British Columbia	NI 45-106 2.3 [Accredited investor]	9	237,250.0000
British Columbia	Investment dealer exemption (BC, AB, SK, MB, NB)	1	22,750.0000
British Columbia	NI 45-106 2.5 [Family, friends and business associates]	2	13,000.0000
Manitoba	NI 45-106 2.3 [Accredited investor]	2	58,500.0000
Ontario	NI 45-106 2.3 [Accredited investor]	3	604,500.0000
Ontario	NI 45-106 2.5 [Family, friends and business associates]	1	32,500.0000
Québec	NI 45-106 2.3 [Accredited investor]	6	71,500.0000
Australia	Distributions to purchasers outside of local jurisdiction (BC, AB, NB)	1	13,000.0000
	Total dollar amou	int of securities distributed	\$1,179,750.0000
	Total number of unique purchasers ^{2b}	28	

 2^{a} In calculating the number of unique purchasers per row, count each purchaser only once. Joint purchasers may be counted as one purchaser.

^{2b}In calculating the total number of unique purchasers to which the issuer distributed securities, count each purchaser only once, regardless of whether the issuer distributed multiple types of securities to, and relied on multiple exemptions for, that purchaser.

g) Net proceeds to the investment fund by jurisdiction

*If the issuer is an investment fund, provide the net proceeds to the investment fund for each jurisdiction of Canada and foreign jurisdiction where a purchaser resides.*³*If an issuer located outside of Canada completes a distribution in a jurisdiction of Canada, include net proceeds for that jurisdiction of Canada only. For jurisdictions within Canada, state the province or territory, otherwise state the country.*

Province or country	Net proceeds (Canadian \$)
Total net proceeds to the investment fund	

³"Net proceeds" means the gross proceeds realized in the jurisdiction from the distributions for which the report is being filed, less the gross redemptions that occurred during the distribution period covered by the report.

ITEM 8 – COMPENSATION INFORMATION

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Provide information for each person (as defined in NI 45-106 (in Québec, Regulation 45-106 respecting Prospectus Exemptions)) to whom the issuer directly provides, or will provide, any compensation in connection with the distribution. Complete additional copies of this page if more than one person was, or will be, compensated.						
Indicate whether any compensation was paid, or will be paid, in connection with the distribution. □ No ✓ Yes If yes, indicate number of persons compensated. 3						
a) Name of per	rson compen	isated and regi	stration status			
Indicate whether the pe	-	-				
lf the person compensa	ted is an individ	lual, provide the n	ame of the individual.			
Full legal name of	individual	WIEBE	John			
lf the person compensa	ted is not an inc	Family name dividual, provide ti	First given nan he following information.	ne	Secondary given nam	es
Full legal name of	f non-individua					
Firi	m NRD numbe	r	(if app	olicable)		
Indicate whether the pe	rson compensa	ted facilitated the	distribution through a funding	portal or an iı	nternet-based portal	
✓ No □ Yes						
b) Business co	ntact informa	ation				
			e the business contact informat	ion of the pers	son being compensa	ted.
Street address	90 Silver Sage	e Crescent				
Municipality	Winnipeg		Province/State	Manitoba		
Country	Canada		Postal code/Zip code	R3X 0J3		
Email address	john@studiof	loors.ca	Telephone number	+1 (204) 29	0-1865	
c) Relationship	to issuer or	investment fur	nd manager			
Indicate the person's rel	lationship with t of the Instructio	the issuer or inves ons and the meani	tment fund manager (select all i ng of 'control' in section 1.4 of N			
Connected with the issuer or investment fund manager						
Insider of the issuer (other than an investment fund)						
Director or officer	of the investm	ent fund or inves	tment fund manager			
Employee of the is	suer or investr	ment fund manag	ger			
✓ None of the above	2					
d) Compensati	on details					

Provide details of all compensation paid, or to be paid, to the person identified in Item 8(a) in connection with the distribution. Provide all amounts in Canadian dollars. Include cash commissions, securities-based compensation, gifts, discounts or other compensation. Do not report payments for services incidental to the distribution, such as clerical, printing, legal or accounting services. An issuer is not required to ask for details about, or report on, internal allocation arrangements with the directors, officers or employees of a non-individual compensated by the issuer.

Cash commissions paid	\$3,510.0000			
Value of all securities distributed as compensation ⁴				
Security codes	Security code 1	Security code 2	Security code 3	
Describe terms of warrants, options or other rights				
Other compensation ⁵				
Describe				
	to 540 0000		7	
Total compensation paid	\$3,510.0000			
Check box if the person will or may receive any def	erred compensation	on (describe the te	erms below)	
⁴ Provide the aggregate value of all securities distributed as compensa securities of the issuer. Indicate the security codes for all securities dis acquire additional securities of the issuer.		-		
⁵ Do not include deferred compensation.				

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Indicate whether any con							
🗌 No 🗹 Yes	lf yes,	indicate numb	er of pers	ons compensated.	3		
a) Name of pers	on compens	ated and reg	istration	status			
Indicate whether the pers	son compensate	d is a registrant	:				
🗌 No 🗹 Yes							
If the person compensate	ed is an individu	al, provide the r	name of the	e individual.			
Full legal name of ir	ndividual						
If the person compensate	ed is not an indiv	Family name vidual, provide t		First given na <i>information.</i>	ame	Secondary giv	ven names
Full legal name of	non-individual	EMD FINANCI	AL INC. / L	A FINANCIÈRE EMI	D INC.]
Firm	NRD number	36480		(if a	plicable)		
Indicate whether the pers	son compensate	d facilitated the	distributio	n through a funding	g portal or a	n internet-based	portal
☑ No □ Yes	-	-			-		
b) Business con	tact informat	ion					
b) business con							
If a firm NRD number is r	not provided in li	tem 8(a), provia	le the busir	ness contact inform	ntion of the p	person being com	pensated.
Street address							
Municipality				Province/Stat	e		
Country			Р	ostal code/Zip cod	e		
Email address				Telephone numbe	r 🗌		
	c) Relationship to issuer or investment fund manager						
c) Relationship (ivestment iu	nu mana	ger			
Indicate the person's rela 'connected' in Part B(2) oj respecting Prospectus Exe	f the Instructions	and the mean	ing of 'cont	rol' in section 1.4 of		•	
Connected with the issuer or investment fund manager							
	Insider of the issuer (other than an investment fund)						
Director or officer of the investment fund or investment fund manager							
Employee of the iss	uer or investme	ent fund mana	ger				
✓ None of the above							
d) Compensatio	on details						

Provide details of all compensation paid, or to be paid, to the person identified in Item 8(a) in connection with the distribution. Provide all amounts in Canadian dollars. Include cash commissions, securities-based compensation, gifts, discounts or other compensation. Do not report payments for services incidental to the distribution, such as clerical, printing, legal or accounting services. An issuer is not required to ask for details about, or report on, internal allocation arrangements with the directors, officers or employees of a non-individual compensated by the issuer.

Cash commissions paid	\$36,660.0000		
Value of all securities distributed as compensation ⁴	\$0.0000		
Security codes	Security code 1	Security code 2	Security code 3
	WNT		
Describe terms of warrants, options or other rights Other compensation ⁵	\$0.15 per share for closing of the Fina right to accelerate	ancing, subject to e expiry upon 30 c 0.30 or greater for	ars from the the Company's lays' notice if the
Describe			
Describe			
Total compensation paid	\$36,660.0000		
Check box if the person will or may receive any def	erred compensatio	on (describe the te	erms below)
⁴ Provide the aggregate value of all securities distributed as compensa securities of the issuer. Indicate the security codes for all securities dis acquire additional securities of the issuer.		-	
⁵ Do not include deferred compensation.			

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Indicate whether any compensation was paid, or will be paid, in connection with the distribution No ✓ Yes If yes, indicate number of persons compensated. 3	tion.
a) Name of person compensated and registration status	
Indicate whether the person compensated is a registrant.	
□ No ✓ Yes	
If the person compensated is an individual, provide the name of the individual.	
Full legal name of individual	
Family name First given name If the person compensated is not an individual, provide the following information.	Secondary given names
Full legal name of non-individual VENTUM FINANCIAL CORP.	
Firm NRD number 5290 (if applical	ble)
Indicate whether the person compensated facilitated the distribution through a funding porte	al or an internet-based portal
✓ No □ Yes	
b) Business contact information	
<i>If a firm NRD number is not provided in Item 8(a), provide the business contact information c</i>	of the person being compensated.
Street address	
Municipality Province/State	
Country Postal code/Zip code	
Email address Telephone number	
c) Polationship to issuer or investment fund manager	
c) Relationship to issuer or investment fund manager	
Indicate the person's relationship with the issuer or investment fund manager (select all that 'connected' in Part B(2) of the Instructions and the meaning of 'control' in section 1.4 of NI 45 respecting Prospectus Exemptions) for the purposes of completing this section.	
Connected with the issuer or investment fund manager	
Insider of the issuer (other than an investment fund)	
Director or officer of the investment fund or investment fund manager	
Employee of the issuer or investment fund manager	
✓ None of the above	
d) Compensation details	

Provide details of all compensation paid, or to be paid, to the person identified in Item 8(a) in connection with the distribution. Provide all amounts in Canadian dollars. Include cash commissions, securities-based compensation, gifts, discounts or other compensation. Do not report payments for services incidental to the distribution, such as clerical, printing, legal or accounting services. An issuer is not required to ask for details about, or report on, internal allocation arrangements with the directors, officers or employees of a non-individual compensated by the issuer.

Cash commissions paid	\$3,900.0000					
Value of all securities distributed as compensation ⁴	\$0.0000					
Security codes	Security code 1	Security code 2	Security code 3			
Security cours	WNT					
Describe terms of warrants, options or other rights	60,000 finder's warrants exercisable at a price of \$0.15 per share for a period of 2 years from the closing of the Financing, subject to the Company's right to accelerate expiry upon 30 days' notice if the shares trade at \$0.30 or greater for a period of at least 10 consecutive trading days.					
Other compensation ⁵						
Describe						
Total compensation paid	\$3,900.0000					
Check box if the person will or may receive any def	ferred compensation	on (describe the te	erms below)			
⁴ Provide the aggregate value of all securities distributed as compensation of all securities distributed as compensational securities and the securities of all securities and the securities are secu		-				
securities of the issuer. Indicate the security codes for all securities dis acquire additional securities of the issuer.	tributed as compensati	on, <u>including</u> options, v	varrants or other righ			

⁵Do not include deferred compensation.

ITEM 9 – DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND PROMOTERS OF THE ISSUER

If the issuer is an investment fund, do not complete Item 9. Proceed to Item 10.

Indicate whether the issuer is any of the following (select the one that applies - if more than one applies, select only one).

Reporting issuer in a jurisdiction of Canada

Foreign public issuer

Wholly owned subsidiary of a reporting issuer in any jurisdiction of Canada ⁶

Provide name of reporting issuer

Wholly owned subsidiary of a foreign public issuer ⁶

Provide name of foreign public issuer

Issuer distributing only eligible foreign securities and the distribution is to permitted clients only ⁷.

If the issuer is at least one of the above, do not complete Item 9(a) – (c). Proceed to Item 10.

⁶ An issuer is a wholly owned subsidiary of a reporting issuer or a foreign public issuer if all of the issuer's outstanding voting securities, other than securities that are required by law to be owned by its directors, are beneficially owned by the reporting issuer or the foreign public issuer, respectively.

⁷ Check this box if it applies to the current distribution even if the issuer made previous distributions of other types of securities to non-permitted clients. Refer to the definitions of "eligible foreign security" and "permitted client" in Part B(1) of the Instructions.

☐ If the issuer is none of the above, check this box and complete Item 9(a) – (c).

a) Directors, executive officers and promoters of the issuer

Provide the following information for each director, executive officer and promoter of the issuer. For locations within Canada, state the province or territory, otherwise state the country. For "Relationship to issuer", "D" – Director, "O" – Executive Officer, "P" – Promoter.

Organization or company name	Family name	First given	Secondary given names	Business location of non-individual or residential jurisdiction of individual		onship to t all that a	
		name		Province or country	D	0	Р

b) Promoter information

If the promoter listed above is not an individual, provide the following information for each director and executive officer of the promoter. For locations within Canada, state the province or territory, otherwise state the country. For "Relationship to promoter", "D" – Director, "O" – Executive Officer.

Organization or	Family name	First given name	Secondary given names	Residential jurisdiction of individual	Relationship to one or both i	•
company name	name	name	names	Province or country	D	Ο

c) Residential address of each individual

Complete Schedule 2 of this form providing the full residential address for each individual listed in Item 9(a) and (b) and attach to the completed report. Schedule 2 also requires information to be provided about control persons.

ITEM 10 – CERTIFICATION

Provide the following certification and business contact information of an officer, director or agent of the issuer or underwriter. If the issuer or underwriter is not a company, an individual who performs functions similar to that of a director or officer may certify the report. For example, if the issuer is a trust, the report may be certified by the issuer's trustee. If the issuer is an investment fund, a director or officer of the investment fund manager (or, if the investment fund manager is not a company, an individual who performs similar functions) may certify the report if the director or officer has been authorized to do so by the investment fund.

The certification may be delegated, but only to an agent that has been authorized by an officer or director of the issuer or underwriter to prepare and certify the report on behalf of the issuer or underwriter. If the report is being certified by an agent on behalf of the issuer or underwriter, provide the applicable information for the agent in the boxes below.

If the individual completing and filing the report is different from the individual certifying the report, provide the name and contact details for the individual completing and filing the report in Item 11.

The signature on the report must be in typed form rather than handwritten form. The report may include an electronic signature

provided the name of the signatory is also in typed form.

Securities legislation requires an issuer or underwriter that makes a distribution of securities under certain prospectus exemptions to file a completed report of exempt distribution.

By completing the information below, I certify, on behalf of the issuer/underwriter/investment fund manager, to the securities regulatory authority or regulator, as applicable, that I have reviewed this report and to my knowledge, having exercised reasonable diligence, the information provided in this report is true and, to the extent required, complete.

Name of Issuer/ investment fund manager/agent	AI/ML Innovations Inc.			
		Dak		Margan
Full legal name	FALLIS	Rob	bert	Morgan
	Family name	First give	en name	Secondary given names
Title	Office Manager			
Telephone number	+1 (778) 405-0882	Email address	Morganf.aim	@gmail.com
Signature	"Morgan Fallis"	Date	2024	12 31
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ITEM 11 – CONTACT PERSON

Provide the following business contact information for the individual that the securities regulatory authority or regulator may contact with any questions regarding the contents of this report, if different than the individual certifying the report in Item 10.

✓ Same as individual certifying the report

Full legal name			
	Family name	First given name	Secondary given names
Title			
Name of company			
Telephone number		Email address	

NOTICE – COLLECTION AND USE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

The personal information required under this form is collected on behalf of and used by the securities regulatory authority or regulator under the authority granted in securities legislation for the purposes of the administration and enforcement of the securities legislation. If you have any questions about the collection and use of this information, contact the securities regulatory authority or regulator in the local jurisdiction(s) where the report is filed, at the address(es) listed at the end of this form.

Schedules 1 and 2 may contain personal information of individuals and details of the distribution(s). The information in Schedules 1 and 2 will not be placed on the public file of any securities regulatory authority or regulator. However, freedom of information legislation may require the securities regulatory authority or regulator to make this information available if requested.

By signing this report, the issuer/underwriter confirms that each individual listed in Schedule 1 or 2 of the report who is resident in a jurisdiction of Canada:

- a) has been notified by the issuer/underwriter of the delivery to the securities regulatory authority or regulator of the information pertaining to the individual as set out in Schedule 1 or 2, that this information is being collected by the securities regulatory authority or regulator under the authority granted in securities legislation, that this information is being collected for the purposes of the administration and enforcement of the securities legislation of the local jurisdiction, and of the title, business address and business telephone number of the public official in the local jurisdiction, as set out in this form, who can answer questions about the security regulatory authority's or regulator's indirect collection of the information, and
- b) has authorized the indirect collection of the information by the securities regulatory authority or regulator.