

## **Customer Relationship Summary**

Carta Capital Markets, LLC (“we,” “us,” or “our”) is registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) as a broker-dealer, and is a member organization of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (“FINRA”). Please consider this summary of the brokerage services provided by us and any applicable fees, to determine which services are right for you.

Free and simple tools are available to research firms and financial professionals at [Investor.gov/CRS](http://Investor.gov/CRS), which also provides educational materials about broker-dealers, investment advisers, and investing.

### **1. What investment services and advice can you provide me?**

We offer brokerage services to investors by acting as an agent in the purchase and sale of (i) the unregistered capital stock of private companies; and (ii) the ownership interests of certain private funds funds ((i) and (ii) collectively, “unregistered securities”). We may also act as a placement agent in connection with such purchases and sales, and may facilitate company buy-backs and third party tender offers of unregistered securities. We will not monitor your individual investments when providing brokerage services.

Our primary role as a broker is to execute trades based on your instructions and we do not act as your adviser or your fiduciary. We do not make recommendations to buy, sell or hold securities and any action on our part on orders placed by you is on a non-discretionary basis and you have the final decision on whether to buy, sell or hold the investment. We act only in an agency capacity on behalf of our customers and do not engage in trading for our own account.

In general you must meet certain criteria, including being at minimum, an “accredited investor” to establish an account with us and purchase unregistered securities. You do not need to meet the accreditation requirement to sell unregistered securities. For additional information, please see [www.CartaX.com](http://www.CartaX.com).

### **Conversation starter: Ask your financial professional:**

Why should I choose a brokerage account at CCMX?

### **2. What fees will I pay?**

The fees and costs you will incur for brokerage services are transaction-based and will be assessed on a transaction-by-transaction basis, when you buy or sell unregistered securities. Typically, our commission is 1%. You may also incur fees for custodial or administrative services, transfer fees, as well as fees related to option exercises or expenses embedded within fund products. You will pay fees and costs whether you make or lose money on your investments. Fees and costs will reduce any amount of money you make on your investments over time. Please make sure you understand what fees and costs you are paying.

### **3. What are your legal obligations to me when providing recommendations as my broker-dealer or when acting as my investment adviser? How else does your firm make money and what conflicts of interest do you have?**

We do not provide recommendations. Any decisions to buy, sell or hold an investment is made by you or your authorized agent.

**Conversation starter: Ask your financial professional:**

How might your conflicts of interest affect me and how will you address them?

**4. How do your financial professionals make money?**

Our financial professionals are paid a fixed salary and do not receive any transaction based compensation, but may receive an annual bonus based on their overall performance.

**5. Do you or your financial professionals have legal or disciplinary history?**

No. Visit [Investor.gov/CRS](http://Investor.gov/CRS) for a free and simple search tool to research us and our financial professionals.

**6. Additional Information**

For additional information about our products and services, please visit [www.carta.com/x](http://www.carta.com/x). If you would like additional, up-to-date information or a copy of this Form CRS, please call 209-651-6356.

**Conversation Starter: Ask your financial professional:**

Who is my primary contact person? Is he or she a representative of an investment adviser or a broker-dealer? Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how this person is treating me?

If you have a problem with your investments, account or financial professional, contact us in writing at [info@cartacapitalmarkets.com](mailto:info@cartacapitalmarkets.com).