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Additional information about Austin Dulaney Schutz is also available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

Meche and Associates LLC

Form ADV Part 2B – Individual Disclosure Brochure

for

Austin Dulaney Schutz

Personal CRD Number: 2921701

Investment Adviser Representative

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Item 2: Educational Background and Business Experience

Name: Austin Dulaney Schutz

Born: 1976

Educational Background and Professional Designations:

Education:

Bachelors Finance, Syracuse University - 1999

Business Background:

11/2025 - Present	Investment Adviser Representative Meche and Associates LLC
11/2025 - Present	Senior Advisor Meche and Associates LLC
10/2023 - 11/2025	Investment Adviser Representative/ Financial Advisor Capital Analysts
10/2021 - 10/2023	Financial Advisor Pruco Securities, LLC
01/2021 - 09/2021	Unemployed Unemployed
12/2015 - 01/2021	Branch Manager Scottrade/TD Ameritrade

Item 3: Disciplinary Information

There are no legal or disciplinary events that are material to a client's or prospective client's evaluation of this advisory business.

Item 4: Other Business Activities

Austin Dulaney Schutz is a licensed insurance agent. This activity creates a conflict of interest since there is an incentive to recommend insurance products based on commissions or other benefits received from the insurance company, rather than on the client's needs. Additionally, the offer and sale of insurance products by supervised persons of MAAL are not made in their capacity as a fiduciary, and products are limited to only those offered by certain insurance providers. MAAL addresses this conflict of interest by requiring its supervised persons to act in the best interest of the client at all times, including when acting as an insurance agent. MAAL periodically reviews recommendations by its supervised persons to assess whether they are based on an objective evaluation of each client's risk profile and investment objectives rather than on the receipt of any commissions or other benefits. MAAL will disclose in advance how it or its supervised persons are compensated and will disclose conflicts of interest involving any advice or service provided. At no time will there be tying between business practices and/or services (a condition where a client or prospective client would be required to accept one product or service conditioned upon the selection of a second, distinctive tied product or service). No client is ever under any obligation to purchase any insurance product. Insurance products recommended by MAAL's supervised persons may also be available from other providers on more favorable terms, and clients can purchase insurance products recommended through other unaffiliated insurance agencies.

Item 5: Additional Compensation

Austin Dulaney Schutz does not receive any economic benefit from any person, company, or organization, other than Meche and Associates LLC in exchange for providing clients advisory services through Meche and Associates LLC.

Item 6: Supervision

As a representative of Meche and Associates LLC, Austin Dulaney Schutz is supervised by Kevin Blanchard, the firm's Chief Compliance Officer. Kevin Blanchard is responsible for ensuring that Austin Dulaney Schutz adheres to all required regulations regarding the activities of an Investment Adviser Representative, as well as all policies and procedures outlined in the firm's Code of Ethics and compliance manual. The phone number for Kevin Blanchard is (337) 983-1014.

Item 7: Requirements For State Registered Advisers

This disclosure is required by state securities authorities and is provided for your use in evaluating this investment advisor representative's suitability.

- A. Austin Dulaney Schutz has NOT been involved in any of the events listed below.
1. An award or otherwise being found liable in an arbitration claim alleging damages in excess of \$2,500, involving any of the following:
 - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
 - b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
 - c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
 - d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
 - e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.
 2. An award or otherwise being found liable in a civil, self-regulatory organization, or administrative proceeding involving any of the following:
 - a) an investment or an investment-related business or activity;
 - b) fraud, false statement(s), or omissions;
 - c) theft, embezzlement, or other wrongful taking of property;
 - d) bribery, forgery, counterfeiting, or extortion; or
 - e) dishonest, unfair, or unethical practices.
- B. Austin Dulaney Schutz has NOT been the subject of a bankruptcy.