

## **IMPORTANT DISCLOSURES**

#### **Investment Risk**

Nothing contained herein should be construed as an offer or solicitation to purchase any security. Such offer or solicitation to purchase can only be done by prospectus or appropriate offering materials. Investment in securities involves the risk of loss. Past performance is no guarantee of future returns.

# **Order Instructions for Trading Securities**

When you want to buy or sell a stock, mutual fund or other security, two things are required: first, your instructions must be communicated to your financial professional, and second, your financial professional must actually receive your instructions and acknowledge their receipt. If you provide trading instructions by email or leave trading instructions on your financial professional's voice mail system, the second requirement will not have been met until your financial professional acknowledges that your instructions have been received and will be acted upon.

Accordingly, trading instructions communicated in either of the above-referenced manners may not be acted upon in a timely fashion. There may be delays and these delays may be substantial. This could be prejudicial to you if the price of the security changes before your financial professional acknowledges receipt of your instructions and acts upon them.

If you wish to enter trading instructions and ensure that they are acted upon in a timely fashion, do it the old-fashioned way – call your financial professional on the phone and talk to him or her directly.

## **Third-Party Information**

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- Is a Registered Investment Adviser with the Securities and Exchange Commission
- Operates under California insurance license number 0553907

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SEC Regulation NMS Rule 606 requires broker-dealers to prepare and make publicly available a quarterly report that identifies the significant venues to which it routed clients' orders for execution during the preceding quarter. American Investors Company is currently exempt from the public posting requirement of Rule 606 under the de minimis exemption set out in Question 20 of SEC Staff Legal Bulletin No. 13A dated October 16, 2001.

American Investors Company will provide interested customers, upon request, with routing information about specific orders.