

NASD DISPUTE RESOLUTION AWARD
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CASE: 03-08324

Fred C. Arnold Jr. and Fred C. Arnold, Claimants v. Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. f/k/a Salomon Smith Barney, Inc., and Jack B. Grubman, Respondents

ATTORNEYS:

For Claimants, Fred C. Arnold Jr. and Fred C. Arnold, (collectively "Claimants"), appeared Joel S. Finkelstein, Esq., of the firm Finkelstein & Partners, Newburgh, NY.

For Respondents, Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. f/k/a Salomon Smith Barney, Inc. and Jack B. Grubman, (collectively "Respondents"), appeared Bradford D. Kaufman, Esq., of the firm Greenberg Traurig, P.A., West Palm Beach, FL.

NATURE OF DISPUTE: Customers v. Member and Associated Person.

DATE FILED: November 19, 2003

CASE SUMMARY: Claimants alleged that Respondents violated each of the following: Section 17(a) of the Securities Act of 1933, Chapter 517.301 of the Florida Securities and Investor Protection Act, NASD Rule 2210(d)(1), and the New York Stock Exchange Rule 202.02. Claimants additionally alleged that Respondents breached their fiduciary duty, and omitted to state material facts in connection with the offer and sale of WorldCom stock. Claimants further alleged that Respondent Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. f/k/a Salomon Smith Barney, Inc. is liable for the unlawful and negligent acts of its representative, Respondent Jack B. Grubman, under the doctrine of respondeat superior. Claimants maintained that due to Respondents' actions, their account suffered financial losses.

Claim Data

Claim: \$8,229.93
Punitive: \$1,700.00
Interest: Unspecified

Attorney Fees: Unspecified
Filing Fees: Unspecified
Other: Unspecified

Award Data

Award: \$8,229.93
Punitive: \$.00
Interest: 9% p.a. from 11/30/02 until 1/3/05.

Attorney Fees: \$1,000.00
Filing Fees: \$325.00
Other: \$.00

AWARD: The undersigned arbitrator has decided and determined in full and final resolution of the issues submitted for determination as follows: 1) Respondents are joint and severally liable and shall pay to the Claimant \$8,229.93. 2) Respondents are joint and severally liable and shall pay to the Claimant interest at a rate of nine-percent (9%) per annum from November 30, 2002 until January 2, 2005. 3) Respondents are joint and severally liable and shall pay to the Claimant \$1000.00 in attorney fees pursuant to Florida Statutes Chapter 517. 4) All requests for punitive damages are denied. 5) All other relief requests are denied. 6) NASD Dispute Resolution shall retain the \$325.00 filing fee that the Claimant deposited previously. 7) Respondents are jointly and severally liable and shall pay Claimant \$325.00 as reimbursement of the filing fee.

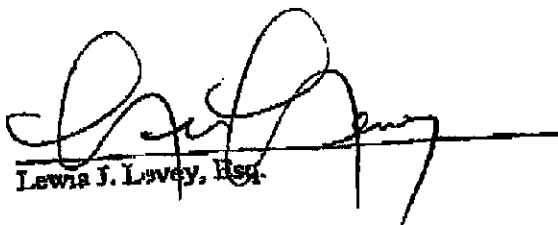
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OTHER FEES: Pursuant to Rule 10333 of the Code, Respondent Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. f/k/a Salomon Smith Barney, Inc. has paid to NASD Dispute Resolution the \$325.00 Member Surcharge previously invoiced.

ARBITRATOR
Lewis J. Levey, Esq. - Sole Public Arbitrator

AFFIRMATION

I, Lewis J. Levey, Esq., do hereby affirm, upon my oath as arbitrator that I am the individual described herein who executed this instrument, which is my oath and award.


Lewis J. Levey, Esq.

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Signature Date

January 21, 2005
Date of Service (For NASD-DR office use only)