## **Code of Ethics Statement**

## Background

In accordance with SEC regulations, Lucien Stirling & Gray Advisory Group Inc ("LSG") has adopted a code of ethics to:

- Set forth standards of conduct expected of all supervised persons (including compliance with federal securities laws);
- Safeguard material non-public information about client transactions; and
- Require "access persons" to report their personal securities transactions. In addition, the activities of an investment advisor and its personnel must comply with the broad antifraud provisions of Section 206 of the Advisors Act.

## Introduction

As an investment advisory firm, LSG has an overarching fiduciary duty to its clients. They deserve its undivided loyalty and effort, and their interests come first. LSG has an obligation to uphold that fiduciary duty and see that its personnel do not take inappropriate advantage of their positions and the access to information that comes with their positions.

LSG holds its supervised persons accountable for adhering to and advocating the following general standards to the best of their knowledge and ability:

- Always place the interest of the clients first and never benefit at the expense of advisory clients;
- Always act in an honest and ethical manner, including in connection with the handling and avoidance of actual or potential conflicts of interest between personal and professional relationships;
- Always maintain the confidentiality of information concerning the identity of security holdings and financial circumstances of clients;
- Fully comply with applicable laws, rules and regulations of federal, state and local governments and other applicable regulatory agencies; and
- Proactively promote ethical and honest behavior with and within LSG including, without limitation, the prompt reporting of violations of, and being accountable for adherence to, this Code of Ethics.

Failure to comply with LSG's Code of Ethics may result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment.