

ALABAMA SECURITIES COMMISSION

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Investor Alert: GS Partners to Reimburse Alabama Investors

Montgomery, Alabama (January 24, 2025) – Alabama residents that invested with GSB Gold Standard Corporation AG, GSB Gold Standard Pay, Ltd., and affiliated GS Partners companies (collectively as “GSB” or “GS Partners”) may be eligible for refunds as a result of a settlement with Respondents Josip Heit and his companies, GS Partners, to resolve violations for selling unregistered securities.

According to the term sheet, GS Partners is required to notify investors by email immediately and work with a third-party claims administrator, AlixPartners, LLP, to process the claims. **Beginning February 21, 2025**, a secure portal provided by AlixPartners will be available for making claim submissions. Alabama Investors who believe they have assets invested with GS Partners may submit claims directly to AlixPartners who will verify eligibility. **More information and updates about the claims process is available at:** <https://www.gsbsettlement.com>. For non-residents, please visit <https://www.gsbsettlement.com/faq.html> for a list of all participating states.

All claims must be submitted by May 22, 2025. To ensure a smooth claims process, the ASC recommends that claimants gather documentation including:

- Proof of identity (including name and address)
- Copies of documents submitted to GS Partners
- A copy of a valid national ID (license, passport, etc.)
- Email address, phone number, wallet ID’s
- GSB Account ID or username
- Claim amount
- Proof of deposits, withdrawals, and other GSB transactions

This proposed settlement is a result of coordinated efforts through the North American Securities Administrators Association (NASAA). Although the claims process will allow repayments to investors, any final order must be approved by the ASC. Please contact the ASC at 1-800-222-1253 if you have questions.

You can read the press release announcing the settlement by clicking this [link](#).

The Cease and Desist Order to GS Partners in November 2023 can be accessed through this [link](#).

The ASC cautions investors to research any investment opportunity thoroughly. Call the ASC at 1-800-222-1253 and ask for the Registration Division to check out persons offering investment opportunities, investment advice for a fee, and any products they offer. Contact the ASC to report suspected fraud, inappropriate securities business practices, or to obtain consumer information. Free investor education and fraud prevention materials are available at www.asc.alabama.gov.

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For further information, call 1-800-222-1253 and ask for Ricky Locklar.