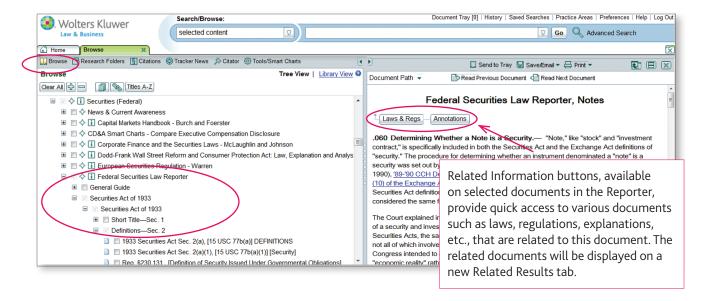


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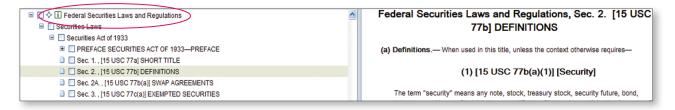
# **Researching Federal Securities**

# Locate laws, regulations, explanations and related documents by browsing

**Federal Securities Law Reporter**, organized by Act, contains laws and regulations for that Act plus related explanations, annotations, current cases and selected no-action letters and releases. Use the Browse Tree to locate the *Federal Securities Law Reporter*: click on **+Securities (Federal)**, then **+Federal Securities Law Reporter** to expand the table of contents for this publication. Click on the Act you want and drill down to the list of documents. Click on a document, and it will display on the right.



**Federal Securities Laws and Regulations**—Browse through this publication for a streamlined version of the laws and regulations contained in the *Federal Securities Law Reporter*. This database presents all federal securities laws, SEC rules and regulations in sequential order, with Act sections in their entirety within a single document (but with no Related Information buttons, embedded links, or History Notes).



#### In General

1. Search "all content" or use the Browse Tree to target publications and/or databases.

Note: Search scope automatically changes to "selected content" when you check items on the Browse Tree.



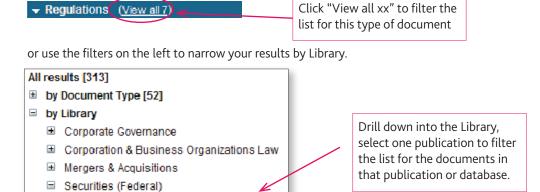
- 2. Type your search expression with spaces between terms to search for all terms (as if you used *and* between each term). You can also use Boolean operators (AND, OR, NOT), and/or proximity connectors (w/#, e.g., w/5 = within 5 words). You can use quotes to force a phrase which turns off the automatic Thesaurus for your search. You can use wildcards: an asterisk (\*) to truncate a word and a question mark to replace one character. See Help files for more details.
- 3. Optional: Click Advanced Search to enable/disable the Thesaurus and/or include other criteria.
- 4. Click Go to get results sorted by document type with the three most relevant results displayed for each document type (this is the default setting).

Example: Target the entire **Securities (Federal)** library and search for the phrase "demand note" Then reduce your search results by:

• Searching within the results: change search scope to "within results" and type new search term(s) in the search box, e.g., "family resemblance" and click **Go**.

#### AND/OR

Using the Document Categories on the Search Results to narrow the results by Document Type



#### **Case Searching**

The Federal Securities Law Reporter contains full text cases from 2002 plus Annotations of the cases contained in the Transfer Binders (1993-2001) and Cases Archive (1941-1993) databases.

1. Target the Reporter and the Transfer Binders. Conduct a search.

□ Federal Securities Law Reporter [52]



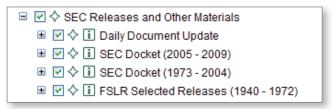
- 2. Click "View all ###" on Cases blue bar to view results in Relevance order. Then click Most Recent to view the list of cases in reverse chronological. | Sort by: Relevance | Most Recent |
- 3. Use **by Court** filter and choose specific court(s) from the list.



#### **Finding SEC Releases**

A complete subscription includes selected releases from 1940-1972 and all releases (including SRO rulemaking releases) from 1973-current. Open **SEC Releases and Other Materials** to display the content for your subscription.

#### Target SEC Releases

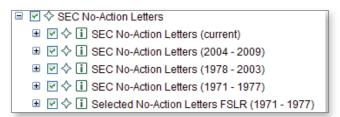


#### Examples—To Find:

- Final rule dealing with recent amendments to the "best price rule" type in the search field: action w/2 "final rule" and "best price rule"
- Releases citing a rule or act, include the rule or act name in the search phrase: rule 144 and . . .
- Proposed rule, include in the search phrase: proposed w/2 rul\*
- Exemptive Orders example: exempt\* w/3 order w/par Section 16
- To search by date, include the date in the search phrase: exempt\*! w/3 order and date after 2004
- To view the search results in reverse chronological order, uncheck "Sort results by Document type" and click Most Recent

#### **Finding SEC No-Action Letters**

You can retrieve an SEC No-Action Letter (NAL) by searching for keyword, date, the act/reg/rule that the NAL concerns, by category, or a combination of these. Target SEC No-Action Letters.



- Company name and/or Keyword: Type Procter & Gamble or more specifically, type "public availability" or re w/15 procter
- Name and specific date: "merrill lynch" on february 2008

You can also use **Advanced Search** to select the date



- Specific rule and add key words and date: "rule 14a-8" directors on 2009
- WSB Subject Category: (NALs) are assigned subject Categories based on the subject matter. You can use these Categories to restrict your search to specific NALs. For example, Rule 14a-8 NALs could have one or more of these categories assigned: Category 73: Timely submissions; Category 74: Other procedural exclusions; Category 75: Substantive exclusions: exec. comp.; Category 76: Substantive exclusions: director elections; Category 77: Other substantive exclusions

To use the category for director elections (76) to find NALs dealing with this issue after 2009, enter in the search field: *category w/4 (076 or 76) after 2009*.

Note: Always include a 3-digit number when searching for a subject category.



# SEC No-Action Letters (current), Patriot Scientific Corp. (Recon.), Securities and Exchange Commission, (Oct. 18, 2010)

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17	1933 Act Rule 147(c)(2)	5	51	1933 Act Sec. 10	
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19	1933 Act Rule 414	5	3	1933 Act Form S-8	
20	1933 Act Rule 415	5	54	1933 Act Forms Other	
21	Other 400 Series Rules	5	55	Other 1933 Act Sections	
22	1933 Act Rule 501	5	6	1934 Act Sec. 3(a)(4)	
23	1933 Act Rule 502	5	57	1934 Act Sec. 3(a)(10)	
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	exclusions		Investment Adviser	
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# Retrieving documents within section/subsections of the Browse Tree

There are two ways to retrieve all the documents in a section or sub-section of the Browse Tree without drilling down through multiple menu levels:

- Using Show Document List
- Using a "\*" search

## **Using Show Document List**

Browse through a treatise, such as Securities Regulation, by Loss, Seligman and Paredes.

- 1. Check the box to target a chapter
- 2. Click the Show document list at the top of the Browse Tree.

  All the documents from the targeted section will display in right panel, in publication order, for easy saving or printing.
- 3. Change the # of items that display per page of results to maximize the documents you can save/print at once.



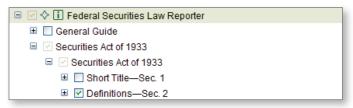
4. You can now check "Select all on page" to either Print all items or Save as single PDF or RTF file or save to a Research Folder.

Note: you can do this same process if you want all the documents in a Section of an Act. For example: Open the Federal Securities Law Reporter, open Securities Act of 1933, target a Section, click Show Document List. Now you can Print or Save.

# Using a "\*" search

To retrieve all documents in a section of one of the Securities Acts as a search list in order to filter by Document Type:

1. Open the Browse Tree to locate the *Federal Securities Law Reporter*. Open the Reporter, then the Act. Target the Section you want.



2. Conduct an "\*" search to retrieve all the documents in the targeted section as a Search Results list which you can filter by document type and then choose the document management options for items on the list.



**Note:** This can also be done for a treatise section: Open the treatise, target the *chapter or* subsection, e.g., Loss Seligman, target Chapter 10, then conduct the "\*" search.

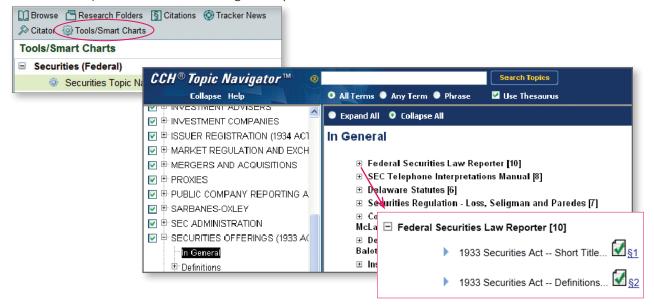


At the top of the Browse Tree, click **Titles A-Z**. Type *securities* in the open Title Finder field to view a list of all the titles in your subscription containing the word *securities*. When you click on a title, it will be located and expanded within the Browse Tree. Example: Select *Securities Regulation* by Loss, Seligman and Paredes on the list on the right and the Browse Tree moves to that publication and opens it to display the first level of the contents. You can also type an author's name.



# Use Topic Navigator to locate material in multiple publications

Click on Tools/Smart Charts on the Tool Bar. Click +Securities (Federal). Click Securities Topic Navigator. Within Topic Navigator, scroll on the left menu and expand Topics and subtopics using the "+." At final subtopic a listing of publications will appear in the right window. Expand a publication (clicking the "+") to see links to pertinent documents. (Note: the lack of green check mark next to the link indicates the material is outside the scope of your subscription and unavailable.) You can also search through the Topics.



### **Use Indexes & Tables to locate information**

There is an **Indexes & Tables** menu item at the bottom of the Securities (Federal) section. It provides additional resources, such as case tables and topical indexes, and can be used to locate specific items within selected publications. Other publications, e.g., *SEC Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations*, contain their own internal tables and index.





# Retrieve document(s) by citation

Two ways to retrieve specific document(s) using a citation reference within IntelliConnect:

- Citations template
- Citations search scope

#### Using the Citations template to retrieve a document by citation:

- 1. Click **Citations** on the tool bar.
- 2. Click + to expand a library within the Find by Citation panel on the left, e.g., Securities (Federal).
- 3. Click a database title, e.g., Federal Securities Law Reporter
- 4. Enter the citation in appropriate field on the template on the right
- 5. Click the **Go** button on the line with the citation

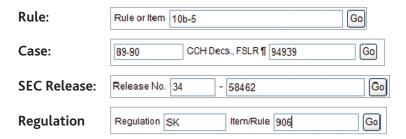
Example: Retrieve Section 3(a)(10) of the 1933 Securities Act.



**Document Path** command appears at the top of every document. It shows the location of this document within the subscription content. It lists the menu levels through your subscription to this document. You can click on any level of this path to go directly to that location within the Browse Tree. This is useful in navigating to other documents within the context of a publication, e.g., *Federal Securities Law Reporter* and treatises such as *Securities Regulation* by Loss, Seligman, Paredes.



#### Other examples of document types using the Citations template:





# Using the citations Search Scope to retrieve documents

Note: This approach works primarily for Federal primary source materials—laws, regulations and cases. See the following list for specific citation examples in different content areas. You can also retrieve these primary source materials on your mobile device if you download the IC Mobile app.

To retrieve a document by its citation, set the Search Scope to citations. Type in the full citation in the Search Expression Box. Click **Go**.



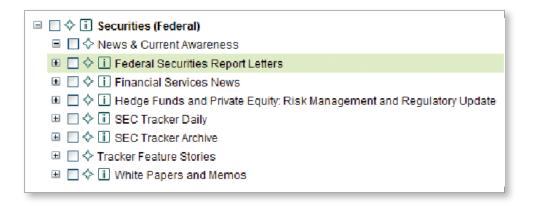
#### Examples . . .

When citing to a document type	Use the following citation format	To retrieve content from the publication	
Explanation, Annotation, etc.	FSLR P#### (P is for Paragraph number, e.g., FSLR P3550)	Federal Securities Law Reporter	
Securities Act sec.3(2) Securities Act Section 10(a) Section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933 Section 7(b) of the Securities Act		Federal Securities Law Reporter	
1934 Act	34 Securities Exchange Act, sec. 9(a) 34 Act s9(a)(1) Exchange Act sec.15A(b)(6) Securities Exchange Act of 1934	Federal Securities Law Reporter	
1940 Act (IC)	Investment Company Act sec. 12(a) Investment Company Act Section 38(a) section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940		
1940 Act (IA)	40 Investment Advisers Act, § 202(a) Investment Advisers Act Section 201 Section 203A of the Advisers Act	Federal Securities Law Reporter	
SEC Forms	SEC Form 1 SEC Form 10 SEC Form 10-SB SEC Form 12b-25	Federal Securities Law Reporter (links to documents within "Text of Forms" sections. Forms are also in "Description of Forms" sections.)	
Securities Regs (gen)	ities Regs (gen)  SEC Regulation G  SEC Item No. 144A  SEC Regulation T  Reg. S-K, Item 1123  Regulation S-K Item 10		
SAB	SAB No. 40 SAB Number 1 SAB Number 101B		
SOX	2002 Sarbanes-Oxley Act, § 404 Sarbanes-Oxley 404 Sarbanes-Oxley 404(a)(1)		
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SEC Releases	Release No. 33-7881 SEC Release No. 33-8177A Securities Act Release No. 5306 Release No. 34-11481 Investment Advisers Act Release No. 2044 Investment Company Act Release No. 25657	SEC Releases and Other Materials (AKA - SEC Docket)	



# **Staying current with News and Trackers**

**News on the Browse Tree**: Open News & Current Awareness under Securities (Federal). News contains Federal Securities Report Letters, which update the Reporter, weekly and other newsletters and journals, plus the SEC Tracker databases for Daily and Archived items.



**Tracker News:** Tracker News helps you keep on top of current developments two ways: with customized Tracker searches and with automatic delivery of E-Newsletters/Report Letters. Click Tracker News on the tool bar.



**Trackers:** Set up custom searches specific to your area of interest and access results within IntelliConnect, in email or RSS feed.

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- If no Trackers exist, click the "Click here" link, or if you already have Trackers, click "Add/Modify Trackers" to view list of available Trackers
- 2. Optional: Click the target icon to restrict a Tracker search
- 3. Check the Tracker's selection box
- 4. Click Add Trackers
- 5. Select Delivery Options at the top to set up email or RSS feed

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**E-Newsletters/Report Letters:** Sign up to receive selected news items in their entirety automatically via email or RSS feed.

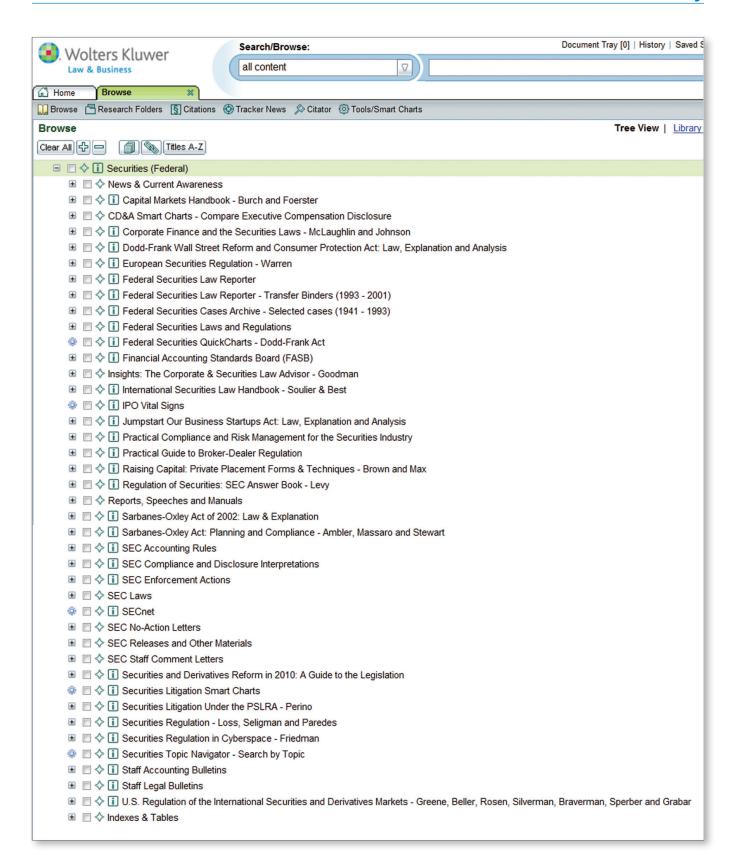
Sign up for E-Newsletters/Report Letters

- 1. Click Sign up for E-Newsletters/Report Letters
- 2. Select the items you want to receive
- 3. Click Add
- 4. Email delivery: Enter an email address, check box to deliver via email and click Apply Changes
- 5. For RSS feed: Click the "Click here to view available RSS Feeds" and follow directions on the page

Each Newsletter/Report Letter will be sent individually

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#### Where can I find:

Laws and Regulations	Browse > Securities (Federal) > Federal Securities Law Reporter Also Browse > Securities (Federal) > Federal Securities Laws and Regulations
Commentary on the laws and regulations or background information	Browse > Securities (Federal) > Federal Securities Law Reporter Also Browse > Securities (Federal) > Securities Regulation—Loss, Seligman & Paredes Also Browse > Securities (Federal) > News & Current Awareness > White Papers and Memos—Federal Securities Search: Securities (Federal) then review Explanation and Treatise Document Types.  Depending on your subscription, you may also find the following useful: Corporate Finance and the Securities Laws (McLaughlin & Johnson); Regulation of Securities: SEC Answer Book (Levy).
Securities forms	Browse > Securities: SEC Answer Book (Levy).  Browse > Securities (Federal) > Federal Securities Law Reporter. Click on the specific Act to find the forms under that Act. The forms include editorial cautions and amendment history lines, as well as arrow lines that delineate old vs. new language. The SEC posts its forms on sec.gov, but often does not update them promptly with amendments. This requires users to check the final rulemaking releases for amendments on point, then compare against the latest version of the form. Wolters Kluwer tracks amendments and integrates them into the form text with each weekly update to Federal
SEC No-Action Letters	Securities Law Reporter.  Browse > Securities (Federal) and find SEC No Action Letters database in the
SEC Releases	alphabetical listing.  Browse > Securities (Federal). Find SEC Releases and Other Materials database in the alphabetical listing.
SEC Staff Comment Letters	Browse > Securities (Federal). Find SEC Staff Comment Letters database in the alphabetical listing. This database is organized into sub-topics by date range and then type of filings.
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Cases	Within Securities (Federal), target:  ✓ Federal Securities Law Reporter for full text of cases from 2002 to present, organized within Current Developments for each Law/Act section or within Federal Securities Law Reporter Transfer Binders—2002 to Current  ✓ Federal Securities Law Reporter Transfer Binder—1993 to 2001  ✓ Federal Securities Case Archive (Selected cases 1941-1993)—if your subscription includes this content

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