

IN THE COURT OF CHANCERY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

DEAN WILLIAM DRULIAS and MICHAEL)	
FARZAD, Individually and on Behalf of All Others)	
Similarly Situated,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	C.A. No. 2024-0094-LWW
)	
APEX TECHNOLOGY SPONSOR, LLC, JEFF)	
EPSTEIN, BRAD KOENIG, DAVID CHAO, PETER)	
BELL, DONNA WELLS, ALEX VIEUX, and)	
STEVEN FLETCHER,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE

I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. To recover as a member of the Class based on your claims in the action entitled *Drulias v. Apex Technology Sponsor, LLC, et al.*, C.A. No. 2024-0094-LWW (the “Action”), you must complete and, on page 5 hereof, sign this Proof of Claim and Release. If you fail to submit a timely and properly addressed (as set forth in paragraph 3 below) Proof of Claim and Release, your claim may be rejected and you may be precluded from any recovery from the Net Settlement Fund created in connection with the proposed Settlement of the Action.

2. Submission of this Proof of Claim and Release, however, does not assure that you will share in the proceeds of the Settlement of the Action.

3. THE COURT-APPOINTED SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR FOR THIS ACTION MUST RECEIVE YOUR COMPLETED AND SIGNED PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE, ACCOMPANIED BY COPIES OF THE DOCUMENTS REQUESTED HEREIN, AT THE FOLLOWING MAILING ADDRESS OR THROUGH THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE:

Apex Stockholder Settlement
Settlement Administrator
c/o Verita Global
P.O. Box 301171
Los Angeles, CA 90030-1171
1-888-726-1329

info@ApexStockholderSettlement.com

Online submissions: www.ApexStockholderSettlement.com

YOUR PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE OR RECEIVED BY MAIL NO LATER THAN JULY 29, 2025.¹

If you are NOT a member of the Class, as defined in the Notice of Pendency and Proposed Settlement of Stockholder Class Action, Settlement Hearing, and Right to Appear (the “Notice”), DO NOT submit a Proof of Claim and Release.

4. If you are a member of the Class, you will be bound by the terms of any judgment entered in the Action, including the releases provided therein, WHETHER OR NOT YOU SUBMIT A PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE FORM.

II. CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION

If you held shares of Apex Technology Acquisition Corporation (“Apex”) Class A common stock as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time, in your name, you are the beneficial holder as well as the record holder. If, however, you held shares of Apex Class A common stock as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time that was registered in the name of a third party, such as a nominee or brokerage firm, you are the beneficial holder and the third party is the record holder.

Use Part I of this form entitled “Claimant Identification” to identify each holder of record (“nominee”), if different from the beneficial holder, of the shares of Apex Class A common stock which form the basis of this claim. THIS CLAIM MUST BE FILED BY THE ACTUAL BENEFICIAL HOLDER OR THE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF SUCH HOLDER OF THE SHARES UPON WHICH THIS CLAIM IS BASED.

¹ Proofs of Claim and Release that are legibly postmarked no later than July 29, 2025 will be treated as received on the postmark date. **Please be advised that the U.S. Postal Service may not postmark mail which is not presented in person.**

All joint holders must sign this claim. Executors, administrators, guardians, conservators, and trustees must complete and sign this claim on behalf of persons represented by them and their authority must accompany this claim and their titles or capacities must be stated. The last four digits of the Social Security Number (or full and complete Taxpayer Identification Number) and telephone number of the beneficial holder may be used in verifying the claim. Failure to provide the foregoing information could delay verification of your claim or result in rejection of the claim.

If you are acting in a representative capacity on behalf of a member of the Class (for example, as an executor, administrator, trustee, or other representative), you must submit evidence of your current authority to act on behalf of that Class Member. Such evidence would include, for example, letters testamentary, letters of administration, or a copy of the trust documents.

NOTICE REGARDING ELECTRONIC FILES: Certain claimants with large numbers of transactions may request to, or may be requested to, submit information regarding their transactions in electronic files. All such claimants **MUST** also submit a manually signed paper Proof of Claim and Release listing all of their transactions whether or not they also submit electronic copies. If you wish to submit your claim electronically, you must contact the Settlement Administrator at edata@veritaglobal.com to obtain the required file layout. Any file not in accordance with the required electronic filing format will be subject to rejection. Only one claim should be submitted for each separate legal entity and the complete name of the beneficial holder(s) of the securities must be entered where called for. Distribution payments must be made by check or electronic payment payable to the Authorized Claimant (beneficial account holder). The third-party filer shall not be the payee of any distribution payment check or electronic distribution payment. No electronic files will be considered to have been properly submitted unless the Settlement Administrator issues to the claimant a written acknowledgement of receipt and acceptance of electronically submitted data.

III. CLAIM FORM

Use Part II of this form entitled "Schedule of Transactions in Apex Class A Common Stock or AvePoint Common Stock" to supply all required details of your holdings, purchase(s), and sale(s) of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock. If you need more space or additional schedules, attach separate sheets giving all of the required information in substantially the same form. Sign and print or type your name on each additional sheet.

On the schedules, provide all of the requested information with respect to: (i) **all** shares of Apex Class A common stock held by you as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time; (ii) **all** of your purchases and sales (including any redemptions by Apex) of shares of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock, after June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024, regardless of whether such transactions resulted in a profit or a loss; and (iii) if applicable, **all** shares of AvePoint common stock held by you as of the close of the market on February 2, 2024. Failure to report all such transactions may result in the rejection of your claim.

List these transactions separately and in chronological order, (i) by number of shares of Apex Class A common stock held as of June 28, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time, (ii) then by purchase and sale date for all shares of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock after June 28, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024, beginning with the earliest, (iii) then, if applicable, by number of shares of AvePoint common stock held as of the close of the market on February 2, 2024. You must accurately provide the month, day, and year of each transaction you list.

Copies of stockbroker confirmation slips, stockbroker statements, or other documents evidencing: (i) your holdings of Apex Class A common stock as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time; (ii) your subsequent purchases and sales of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock after June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024; and (iii) your holdings of AvePoint common stock as of the close of the market on February 2, 2024, should be attached to your claim. If any such documents are not in your possession, please obtain a copy or equivalent documents from your broker because these documents are necessary to prove and process your claim. Failure to provide this documentation could delay verification of your claim or result in rejection of your claim.

PLEASE NOTE: As set forth in the Plan of Allocation, each Authorized Claimant shall receive his, her, its, or their *pro rata* share of the Net Settlement Fund. If the prorated payment to any Authorized Claimant calculates to less than \$10.00, it will not be included in the calculation and no distribution will be made to that Authorized Claimant.

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COURT OF CHANCERY
STATE OF DELAWARE

Drulias v. Apex Technology Sponsor, LLC, et al.

C.A. No. 2024-0094-LWW

PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE

**Must Be Postmarked (if Mailed)
or Received (if Submitted Online)
No Later Than July 29, 2025**

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Please Type or Print in the Boxes Below
Must use Black or Blue Ink or your
claim may be deemed deficient.

REMEMBER TO ATTACH COPIES OF BROKER CONFIRMATIONS OR OTHER DOCUMENTATION OF YOUR TRANSACTIONS IN APEX CLASS A COMMON STOCK OR AVEPOINT COMMON STOCK. FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS DOCUMENTATION COULD DELAY VERIFICATION OF YOUR CLAIM OR RESULT IN THE REJECTION OF YOUR CLAIM.

PART I. CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION

Last Name

M.I.

First Name

Last Name (Co-Beneficial Owner)

M.I.

First Name (Co-Beneficial Owner)

☐ IRA

☐ Joint Tenancy

☐ Employee

☐ Individual

☐ Other

Company Name (Beneficial Owner - If Claimant is not an Individual) or Custodian Name if an IRA (specify)

Trustee/Asset Manager/Nominee/Record Owner's Name (If Different from Beneficial Owner Listed Above)

Account#/Fund# (Not Necessary for Individual Filers)

Social Security Number (Last 4 digits)

Taxpayer Identification Number

or

Telephone Number (Primary Daytime)

Telephone Number (Alternate)

Email Address

MAILING INFORMATION

Address

Address (cont.)

City

State

ZIP Code

Foreign Province

Foreign Postal Code

Foreign Country Name/Abbreviation

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PART II. SCHEDULE OF TRANSACTIONS IN APEX CLASS A COMMON STOCK OR AVEPOINT COMMON STOCK

A. Number of shares of Apex Class A common stock held as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time:

Proof Enclosed?

☐ Y ☐ N

B. Purchases or acquisitions of shares of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock after June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024:

PURCHASES

PURCHASES																															
Trade Date(s) (List Chronologically)														Number of Shares Purchased or Acquired								Total Purchase or Acquisition Price (Excluding commissions, taxes, and fees)						Proof of Sale Enclosed?			
	M	M		D	D		Y	Y	Y	Y																					
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IMPORTANT: (i) If any purchase listed covered a “short sale,” please mark Yes: ☒ Yes

(ii) If you received shares through an acquisition or merger, please identify the date, the share amount and the company acquired:

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Merger Shares:

Company:

C. Sales or dispositions of shares of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock after June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024:

SALES

SALES																									
Trade Date(s) (List Chronologically)												Number of Shares Sold					Total Sales Price (Excluding commissions, taxes and fees)					Proof of Sale Enclosed?			
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D. Number of shares of AvePoint common stock held as of the close of the market on February 2, 2024:

Proof Enclosed?

☐ Y ☐ N

If you require additional space, attach extra schedules in the same format as above. Sign and print your name and the last four digits of your Social Security/Taxpayer Identification Number on each additional page.

YOUR SIGNATURE ON PAGE 5 WILL CONSTITUTE YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE RELEASE



IV. SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION OF COURT AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

I (We) submit this Proof of Claim and Release under the terms of the Stipulation described in the Notice. I (We) also submit to the jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery for the State of Delaware with respect to my (our) claim as a Class Member and for purposes of enforcing the release set forth herein. I (We) further acknowledge that I am (we are) bound by and subject to the terms of any judgment that may be entered in the Action. I (We) agree to furnish additional information to the Settlement Administrator to support this claim if requested to do so. I (We) have not submitted any other claim in connection with the Action and know of no other person having done so on my (our) behalf.

V. RELEASE

1. I (We) hereby acknowledge full and complete satisfaction of, and do hereby fully, finally and forever settle, release, and discharge from the Released Plaintiffs' Claims each and all of the Released Defendant Parties as provided and defined in the Stipulation.

2. This release shall be of no force or effect unless and until the Court approves the Stipulation and the Settlement becomes effective on the Effective Date.

3. I (We) hereby warrant and represent that I (we) have not assigned or transferred or purported to assign or transfer, voluntarily or involuntarily, any matter released pursuant to this release or any other part or portion thereof.

4. I (We) hereby warrant and represent that I (we) have included information about all of my (our) holdings of Apex Class A common stock as of June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time. In addition, I (we) have included information about all of my (our) purchases and sales of shares of Apex Class A common stock or AvePoint common stock after June 28, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time through February 2, 2024 and, if applicable, the total number of shares of AvePoint common stock held as of the close of the market on February 2, 2024.

5. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Delaware that the foregoing information supplied by the undersigned is true and correct.

Executed this _____ day of _____ in _____
(Month/Year) (City/State/Country)

(Sign your name here)

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Reminder Checklist:

1. Please sign the above release and acknowledgment.
2. Remember to attach copies of supporting documentation.
3. **Do not send** originals of certificates or other documentation as they will not be returned.
4. Keep a copy of your Proof of Claim and Release and all supporting documentation for your records.
5. If you desire an acknowledgment of receipt of your Proof of Claim and Release, please send it Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested.
6. If you move, please send your new address to the address below.
7. **Do not use red pen or highlighter** on the Proof of Claim and Release or supporting documentation. You must use black or blue ink or your claim may be deemed deficient.

**THIS PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE BE SUBMITTED ONLINE OR MAILED
NO LATER THAN JULY 29, 2025, ADDRESSED AS FOLLOWS:**

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