

# FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT

Calendar Year 2004

Report Required by the Ethics  
in Government Act of 1978  
(5 U.S.C. app. §§ 101-111)

1. Person Reporting (Last name, first name, Middle initial) I. ADRIAN G	2. Court or Organization U.S. DISTRICT COURT-EDLA	3. Date of Report 1/21/2005
4. Title (Article III Judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Senior U.S. District Judge	5. Report Type (check appropriate type) <input type="radio"/> Nonannual <input type="radio"/> Date <input type="radio"/> Initial <input checked="" type="radio"/> Annual <input type="radio"/> Final	6. Reporting Period 1/1/2004 to 12/31/2004
7. Chambers or Office Address ROOM C205, 500 P. YORAS STREET NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 70130	8. On the basis of the information contained in this Report and any modifications pertaining thereto, it is, in my opinion, in compliance with applicable laws and regulations.  Reviewing Officer _____ Date _____	
<p><b>IMPORTANT NOTES:</b> The instructions accompanying this form must be followed. Complete all parts, checking the NONE box for each part where you have no reportable information. Sign on last page.</p>		

**I. POSITIONS.** (Reporting individual only; see pp. 9-13 of filing instructions)

NONE - (No reportable positions.)

POSITION	NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____

**II. AGREEMENTS.** (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions)

NONE - (No reportable agreements.)

DATE	PARTIES AND TERMS
1. _____	_____

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**III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME.** (Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of filing instructions)

NONE - (No reportable non-investment income.)

DATE	SOURCE AND TYPE	GROSS INCOME: (Yours, and spouse's)
1. _____	Louisiana State Employees Retirement	53,226.36

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## IV. REIMBURSEMENTS -- transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.

(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 25-27 of instructions.)

**NONE** - (No such reportable reimbursements.)

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1.	University of Virginia Law School	1/8-1/10 Travel, food and lodging
2.	Law and Economics Center - George Mason University Stanford University	11/11-11/14 Travel, food and lodging
3.		
4.		

## V. GIFTS. (Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 28-31 of instructions.)

**NONE** - (No such reportable gifts.)

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
1.			

## VI. LIABILITIES. (Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 32-34 of instructions.)

**NONE** - (No reportable liabilities.)

	<u>CREATOR</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE CODE</u>
1.			

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## VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS -- Income, value, transactions (includes those of the spouse and dependent children. See pp. 34-57 of filing instructions.)

A. Description of Assets (including trust assets)  (Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure)	B. Income during reporting period		C. (Mean value at end of reporting period		D. Transactions during reporting period				
	(1) Amount Code 1 (A-H)	(2) Type (e.g. div., rent, or int.)	(1) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(2) Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	(1) Type (e.g. buy, sell, transfer, redemption)	If not exempt from disclosure			
						(2) Date: Month- Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A- H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if Private transaction)
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable income, assets, or transactions)									
1. Federated Tax Free Inst. (397) (Whitney Bk. Canadian)	C	Interest	L	T					
2. Whitney Natl Bank, N.O., Checking Account	A	Interest	K	T					
3. Chk. acct. Morgan-Chase, New Orleans, La.	A	Interest	J	T					
4. Lot No. 1, New Orleans, La.		None	K	W					
5. Lot No. 2, New Orleans, La.		None	L	W					
6. St. Tammany, La. Commercial Bldg.	G	Rent	O	W					
7. E. Baton Rouge Revenue Bonds	C	Interest	L	T					
8. Ohio (G.M. Bonds	B	Interest	K	T					
9. Caddo Bossier Port Comm.	C	Interest	L	T	Sold	6/15	L	C	
10. La. General Obligation Bonds	D	Interest	M	T					
11. Louisiana General Obligation Bonds	C	Interest	K	T	Sold	2/10	M	O	
12. Dave & Buster's, Inc.		None	J	T					
13. Edison Brothers Stores		None	J	T	Bkrptcy	1/9	A		
14. JP Morgan Chase and Co.	D	Dividend	N	T	Merger				Merger with Bk One
15. Freeport McMoran Inc. Stock	A	Dividend	M	T					
16. General Electric Co.	E	Dividend	O	T					
17. Hercules, Inc.	A	Dividend	K	T	Sold	2/9	K	D	
18. Hibernia Corp.	B	Dividend	L	T					

1. Income Unit Codes: A = \$1,000 or less; B = \$1,001-\$2,500; C = \$2,501-\$5,000; D = \$5,001-\$15,000; E = \$15,001-\$50,000; F = \$50,001-\$100,000; G = \$100,001-\$1,000,000; H = \$1,000,001-\$5,000,000; I = \$5,000,001-\$50,000,000; J = More than \$5,000,000

2. Value Codes: J = \$15,000 or less; K = \$15,001-\$50,000; L = \$50,001-\$100,000; M = \$100,001-\$250,000; N = \$250,001-\$500,000; O = \$500,001-\$1,000,000; P = \$1,000,001-\$5,000,000; Q = \$5,000,001-\$50,000,000; R = More than \$50,000,000

3. Value Method Codes: Q = Appraisal; R = Cost (Real Estate Only); S = Assessment; T = Cash/Market; E = Book Value; W = Other

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						(2) Date: Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A- H)	(5) Identity of Buyer/Seller (if private transaction)
19. Leggett & Platt, Inc.	D	Dividend	M	T				A	
20. Millipore Corp.	B	Dividend	M	T					
21. Murphy Oil	C	Dividend	N	T					
22. Penn Virginia Corp.	C	Dividend	M	T					
23. Royal Dutch Petroleum	C	Dividend	M	T					
24. Tidewater Inc.	B	Dividend	L	T					
25. Tyco International	B	Dividend	O	T					
26. Tyco International					Partial Sale	1/12	M	E	
27. Valero Energy Corp.	A	Dividend	K	T					
28. Burlington Resources	A	Dividend	K	T					
29. Deltic Timber Corp.	A	Dividend	K	T					
30. Mykrolis Corp.		None	K	T					

1. Income/Gain Codes:	A = \$1,000 or less	B = \$1,001-\$2,500	C = \$2,501-\$5,000	D = \$5,001-\$15,000	E = \$15,001-\$50,000
(See Columns B1 and D1)	F = \$50,001-\$100,000	G = \$100,001-\$1,000,000	H1 = \$1,000,001-\$5,000,000	H2 = More than \$5,000,000	
2. Value Codes	J = \$15,000 or less	K = \$15,001-\$50,000	L = \$50,001-\$100,000	M = \$100,001-\$250,000	
(See Columns C1 and D3)	N = \$250,001-\$500,000	O = \$500,001-\$1,000,000	P1 = \$1,000,001-\$5,000,000	P2 = \$5,000,001-\$25,000,000	
	P3 = \$25,000,001-\$50,000,000		P4 = More than \$50,000,000		
3. Value Method Codes	Q = Appraised	R = Cost (Real Estate Only)	S = Assessment	T = Cash/Market	
(See Column C2)	U = Book Value	V = Other	W = Estimated		

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**VII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS**

(Indicate part of Report.)

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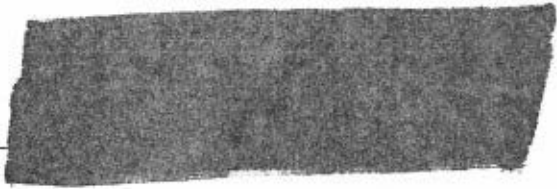
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**IX. CERTIFICATION.**

I certify that all information given above (including information pertaining to my spouse and minor or dependent children, if any) is accurate, true, and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that any information not reported was withheld because it met applicable statutory provisions permitting non-disclosure.

I further certify that earned income from outside employment and honoraria and the acceptance of gifts which have been reported are in compliance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_



Date \_\_\_\_\_

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NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILFULLY FALSIFIES OR FAILS TO FILE THIS REPORT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104)

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Honorable Mary M. Lisi, Chair  
Judicial Conference of the United States  
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Re: Calendar Year 2004 Filing

Dear Judge Lisi:

This is in reply to your letter of February 18, which noted certain omissions and errors in my report dated January 21, 2005. This letter answers each of the items, in the order listed in your letter, hopefully correctly.

In Part IV, line 1, the event was held at the University of Virginia, and in line 2, at Stanford University.

With respect to part VII, page 1, lines 4 and 5, from your March 3, 2004 letter, I deduced - incorrectly - that IRAs need not be reported. Both the Fort Eustis Virginia Credit Union and USAA Retirement Plan are IRAs, both still in existence. Neither produces what I understand is reportable income. The value of the Fort Eustis IRA is "K", Method "T"; USA is "O," "T".

In Part VII, page 1, lines 9, 11, 13, and 17 are assets entirely disposed of during the reporting period. Therefore, Column C, as to all of those should have been left blank. As to those, Column D(3) is correct, with respect to all except Edison Bros, mentioned in your following paragraph, the value code for which should be "J". With respect to line 14, I believe my report is correct. It shows "merger" with "Bk One" and that is correct information. There was no disposition, nor do I believe that the report indicates one.

In VII, page 1, line 11, Column D(4) incorrectly lists "O" as the gain code. The correct code should be "B".

As requested, I enclose 3 copies of this response.



Adrian G. Duplantier

P.S. In the unlikely event that I ever get the report entirely correct, instead of the usual letter please send me a "gold star".



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