

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2007

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

1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial) Messitte, Peter J	2. Court or Organization U.S. District Court	3. Date of Report 04/21/2008
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. District Judge - Active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) <input type="checkbox"/> Nomination, Date <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual <input type="checkbox"/> Final	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2007 to 12/31/2007
	5b. <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Report	
7. Chambers or Office Address U.S. Courthouse 6500 Cherrywood Lane Greenbelt, MD 20770	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 _____	
IMPORTANT NOTES: <i>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.</i>		

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

NONE *(No reportable positions.)*

	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____

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

NONE *(No reportable agreements.)*

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTIES AND TERMS</u>
1.	01/01/04	Pension Plan - State of Maryland Judiciary
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____

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III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. (Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of filing instructions.)**A. Filer's Non-Investment Income** NONE (No reportable non-investment income.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>	<u>INCOME</u> (yours, not spouse's)
1. 2007	Pension Payments - State of Maryland Judiciary	\$ 45,608.
2.		
3.		
4.		

B. Spouse's Non-Investment Income - If you were married during any portion of the reporting year, complete this section.

(Dollar amount not required except for honoraria.)

 NONE (No reportable non-investment income.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	

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

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

 NONE (No reportable reimbursements.)

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED</u>
1.	Amherst College	3/5/07 - 3/6/07	Amherst, Massachusetts	Dinner with President	Transportation, meals, hotel
2.	Levin College of Law, University of Florida	4/11/07 - 4/12/07	Gainesville, Florida	Education Seminar	Transportation, meals, hotel
3.	Jornal de Justiça	8/6/07 - 8/13/07	Uberlândia/Rib Preto, Braz	Honorary Citizenship	Transportation, meals, hotel
4.	Lexis Nexis	9/12/07 - 9/16/07	Mexico City, Mexico	Education Seminar	Transportation, meals, hotel
5.	Association of Fed. Jud. Brazil (AJUFE)	10/27/07 - 10/31/07	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Speech to Judges	Transportation, meals, hotel

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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*

	<u>CREDITOR</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE CODE</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS -- income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 34-60 of filing instructions.)

NONE (No reportable income, assets, or transactions.)

A. Description of Assets (including trust assets) Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure	B. Income during reporting period		C. Gross 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, redemption)	(2) Date Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Bank of America	A	Interest	K	T					
2. PJM/CGM (Citigroup Glob. Mkts)(same as #3 through #10)	E	Dividend	N	T	See Part VIII				
3. Legg Mason Value Trust	A	Dividend	L	T					
4. Legg Mason Special Investment Trust	A	Dividend	L	T					
5. Euro Pacific Growth Fund CI A	A	Dividend	K	T					
6. Washington Mutual Investors Fund CI A	B	Dividend	L	T					
7. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T					
8. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	6/12	K		
9. Pimco Total Return Fund CI A	A	Dividend			Partial Sale	6/11	K	A	
10. Pimco Total Return Fund CI A	A	Dividend			Sell All	7/23	J	A	
11. Chevy Chase Bank, Chevy Chase, MD	D	Interest	L	T					
12. Sun Trust Bank, Chevy Chase, MD	A	Interest	J	T					
13. SM/CGM (Legg Mason Value Trust - IRA)	B	Interest	K	T					
14. [REDACTED] Rental Property	B	Rent	M	R	See Part VIII				
15. Montgomery County, MD; Rental Property	B	Rent	N	S	See Part VII				
16. SM/CGM (same as #17 through #27)	B	Dividend	M	T					
17. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T					

1. Income Gain Codes: (See Columns B1 and D4)	A = \$1,000 or less F = \$50,001 - \$100,000 J = \$15,000 or less N = \$250,001 - \$500,000 P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000	B = \$1,001 - \$2,500 G = \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 K = \$15,001 - \$50,000 O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	C = \$2,501 - \$5,000 H1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 L = \$50,001 - \$100,000 P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 P4 = More than \$50,000,000	D = \$5,001 - \$15,000 H2 = More than \$5,000,000 M = \$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000
2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	Q = Appraisal U = Book Value	R = Cost (Real Estate Only) V = Other	S = Assessment W = Estimated	T = Cash Market	

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18. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	6/12	K		
19. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Sell All	12/5	K	A	
20. Royce Penn. Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	12/10	K		
21. Legg Mason Value Trust	A	Dividend	K	T					
22. Washington Mutual Investors Fund CI A	B	Dividend	L	T					
23. Legg Mason Opp. Trust	A	Dividend	K	T					
24. New Perspective Fund CI A	B	Dividend	K	T					
25. Delaware Int. Value Equity Fund CI A	A	Dividend	K	T					
26. Pimco Real Return Fund CI A	A	Dividend			Sell All	6/11	K	A	
27. Promissory Note - Clementine Gallery, New York, NY	B	Interest	L	T	See Part VIII				

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of Report.)*

Part VII.

#2. This has always been an Individual Retirement Account (IRA).

#14. Rental property was completely renovated in 2007 at cost of approximately \$70,000.00

#15. Per Assessment Notice dated 12/29/06. I own a one-third ownership interest in the property.

#27. Some payments were missed in 2007.

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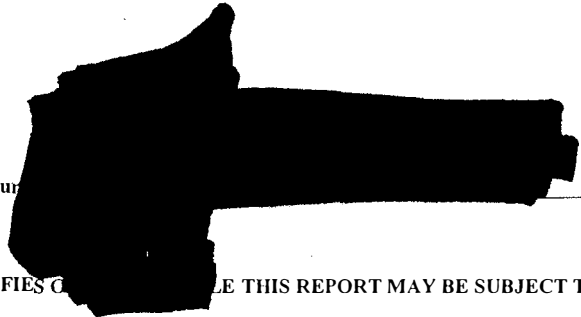
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IX. CERTIFICATION.

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. app. § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature



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

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