

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT  
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2012**

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

<b>1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial)</b>  SHARP, GEORGE K.	<b>2. Court or Organization</b>  MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA	<b>3. Date of Report</b>  04/08/2013
<b>4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time)</b>  U.S. Dist. Judge, Senior Status	<b>5a. Report Type (check appropriate type)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Nomination                      Date <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual <input type="checkbox"/> Final <b>5b.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Report	<b>6. Reporting Period</b>  01/01/2012 to 12/31/2012
<b>7. Chambers or Office Address</b>  U.S. COURTHOUSE 401 W. Central Blvd., St. 6600 ORLANDO, FL 32801-0600		
<p align="center"><b>IMPORTANT NOTES:</b> <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.</i></p>		

**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.		
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> <i>(yours, not spouse's)</i>
1. 2012	State of Florida Retirement Benefits	\$20,296.60
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.				
2.				
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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.			
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**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.			
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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 mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
	1. REGIONS BANK	C	Interest	M	T				
2. BB&T (formerly COLONIAL BANK)	A	Interest	J	T					
3. WELLS FARGO (formerly WACHOVIA BANK)	D	Interest	O	T					
4. OXY USA INC., Houston, TX	A	Royalty	J	W					see explanation PART VIII
5. Whiting Oil & Gas, Denver, CO	E	Royalty	K	W					see explanation PART VIII
6. Chaperall Energy(Form Texaco Exploration) Oklahoma City,OK	B	Royalty	J	W					see explanation PART VIII
7. SEACOAST NATIONAL BANK	A	Interest	L	T					
8. XTO Energy, Fort Worth, TX	A	Royalty	J	W					
9. CHARLES SCHWAB (formerly Colonial Bank funds) trust fund									
10. --Franklin Income Fund	A	Dividend			Sold	05/15/12	J	B	
11. --Templeton Foreign Fund	A	Dividend			Sold	05/15/12	J	B	
12. --Templeton Growth Fund	A	Dividend			Sold	05/15/12	J	B	
13. --Mutual Shares Fund CL A	A	Dividend			Sold	05/15/12	J	B	
14. PUTNAM INVESTMENTS (formerly Wells Fargo Secur.) Mutual Fund									
15. --Investors Fund-A	B	Dividend	J	T	Sold (part)	11/07/12	M	G	
16. BANK OF AMERICA	A	Interest	L	T					
17. CHASE BANK	A	Interest	M	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 D4) F=\$50,001 - \$100,000 G=\$100,001 - \$1,000,000 H=\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 I2=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  
 3. Value Method Codes Q=Appraisal R=Cost (Real Estate Only) S=Assessment T=Cash Market  
 (See Column C2) U=Book Value V=Other W=Estimated

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

Line 4, 5, 6 - Oil royalties; value undetermined; wells can be capped at any time.

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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: s/ **GEORGE K. SHARP**

**NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY 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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