

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2012**

*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) Cogburn, Jr., Max O.	2. Court or Organization U.S. District Court, North Carolina	3. Date of Report 05/09/2013
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 5b. <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2012 to 12/31/2012
7. Chambers or Office Address Suite 110, 100 Otis Street Asheville, NC 28801		

IMPORTANT NOTES: *The instructions accompanying this form must be followed. Complete all parts, checking the NONE box for each part where you have no reportable information. Insert signature on last page.*

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.	Executor	Estate 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.			
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.	2012	Town of Biltmore Forest - Board Salary
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.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

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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.	First Citizens Bank	Secured loan on [REDACTED] business property (1/4 of amount)	O
2.	HomeTrust Bank	Secured loan [REDACTED] (1/5 of amount)	O
3.	First Bank (formerly Bank of Asheville)	Loan for [REDACTED] businesses	M
4.			
5.			

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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)	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 Code 3 (Q-W)	(1) Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	(2) Date mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (I-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
	Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure								
1. Cogburn Family Properties, LLC Buncombe Co, NC- Land Holding	A	Rent	P1	W					
2. Ranchland Incorporated, Buncombe County, N.C. - Land Holding	A	Rent	P1	W					
3. Pisgah View Ranch, Inc. - Operating Business		None	M	W					
4. Pisgah Highland Conservancy LLC Buncombe Co NC-Land Holding		None	M	R					
5. Lincoln: Whole Life - (No Control)	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
6. Fuse Science (formerly Double Eagle Stock)		None	K	T					
7. Franklin Ltd Maturity U.S. Gov Securities (Bonds) (Y)	B	Int./Div.			Redeemed	1/15/12	J		
8. Ohio National: Universal Non-Variable (No Control)	C	Int./Div.	L	T					
9. Estate 1 (X)									
10. -Allstate (X)		None			Distributed	9/24/12	K		
11. -Metlife (X)		None			Distributed	9/24/12	J		
12. -Royal Bank of Canada (X)		None			Distributed	9/24/12	L		
13.									
14.									
15.									
16.									
17.									

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| 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 | |
| 3. Value Method Codes
(See Column C2) | | | | | |

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

VII. Investments and Trusts, page 4, lines 1-3.

The first three entries in this section refer to two holding companies and an operating business for a contiguous piece of [REDACTED] owned real estate. The property is owned equally [REDACTED]. The land is divided into two holding companies, Cogburn Family Properties, LLC and Ranchland Incorporated. The third company, Pisgah View Ranch, Inc. [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] I own another separate piece of land, which is held in the Pisgah Highland Conservancy, LLC (see entry 4), the date of purchase was December 23, 2008 and the purchase price was \$170,000.00.

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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/ Max O. Cogburn, Jr.**

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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