

**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>  Cole, Jr., Ransey G.	<b>2. Court or Organization</b>  U.S. Court of Appeals, 6th Cir	<b>3. Date of Report</b>  05/08/2013
<b>4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time)</b>  U.S. Circuit Judge (Active)	<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>  255 Joseph P. Kinnerary U.S. Courthouse 85 Marconi Blvd Columbus OH 43215		
<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>		

**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. Adjunct Faculty	The Ohio State University College of Law
2. Trustee	The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center
3.	
4.	
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**II. AGREEMENTS.** *(Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable agreements.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTIES AND TERMS</u>
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2.	
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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. 2012	The Ohio State University College of Law-Teaching	\$24,000.00
2. 2012	University of Akron School of Law-Jurist in Residence	\$1,500.00
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	The Ohio State University-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.	University of Pennsylvania Law School	January 27-27, 2012	Philadelphia PA	Moot Cort	(transportation, lodging, meals)
2.	Akron Bar Association	March 25-27, 2012	Akron OH	Jurist in Residence	(transportation, lodging, meals)
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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.			
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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.	Barclays Bank	Credit Card	K
2.	Fifth Third Bank	Credit Card	K
3.	Key Bank	Credit Card	J
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 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.	Pacific Innovations Select Mutual Fund	B	Dividend	M	T	Sold (part)	01/03/12	J
2.	TransAmerica Landmark Variable Mutual Fund	B	Dividend			Sold (part)	01/04/12	K		
3.						Sold (part)	02/17/12	K		
4.						Sold (part)	05/30/12	K		
5.						Sold	08/10/12	J		
6.	Pacific Innovations Select Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
7.	Flex Funds Money Market	A	Dividend	J	T					
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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 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 = Appraisal R = Cost (Real Estate Only) S = Assessment T = Cash Market  
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20.									

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

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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/ Ransey G. Cole, 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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