

**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) Vining, Robert L.	2. Court or Organization U.S. District Court, NDGA	3. Date of Report 05/15/2013
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Article III - Senior Status	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 600 East First St., Room 345 Rome, GA 30161-3181		
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.</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. _____	_____
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.	
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.	Dalton-Whitfield Bank Dalton, GA (Name changed from Premier National Bank of Dalton)	Promissory Note	K
2.			
3.			
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) 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. Coca Cola Co.	C	Dividend	M	T				
2. Cohutta Banking Co. Chatsworth, GA	A	Interest	K	T					
3. Nuveen Tax-Exempt Trust	A	Interest	J	T					
4. Putnam Research Fund CI-A	A	Dividend	K	T					
5. Wells Fargo Advisors	A	Interest	M	T					
6. Rental Property #1 Chatsworth, GA(2002, 79,000)	D	Rent	L	S					
7. Rental Property #2 Chatsworth, GA (2002, 79,000)	D	Rent	L	S					
8. BAC CAP TRX11 PFD 6.875	D	Interest	L	T					
9. Wachovia Bank N.A.	A	Interest	L	T					
10. Eaton Vance Insured Municipal Bond Fund	B	Interest	K	T					
11. Bank of America Corp. 5-15-23 Internotes	C	Interest	K	T					
12. Citigroup Capital 1 x 6% Trust Preferred Secs (Trups)	C	Interest	K	T					
13. Citigrp CP TR 1 x TRUP 6%	B	Interest	K	T					
14. Georgia PWR SR NT x 5.7%	B	Interest	K	T	Sold	08/10	K	A	
15. Nuveen EQTY Premium Adv.	A	Dividend	K	T					
16. Royal Bk Scotland	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
 (Sec Columns B1 and D4) F=\$50,001 - \$100,000 G=\$100,001 - \$1,000,000 H=\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 I12 =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
 (Sec 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
 (Sec Column C2) U=Book Value V=Other W=Estimated

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	18. Barclay Spns ADR3 7.1%	B	Dividend	J	T				
19. Wachovia Perp A 8% J	D	Dividend	K	T					
20. General Life Ins. Co.	A	Interest	J	T					
21. Allianz SE 8.37% PFD	B	Dividend	K	T					
22. Regions Fing III 8.875%	B	Interest	J	T					
23. Condo Dalton GA (X)	D	Rent	M	W					
24. Condo Dalton GA (X)	A	Rent	L	W	Sold	07/01/12	M	A	
25. Southern Co (X)	A	Dividend	K	T			K		
26. Carroll City Cnty HSP AUTH GA REV ANTC CTF	A	Interest	K	T	Buy	10/29/10			

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 (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
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 (See Columns C1 and D3) P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000; P4 = More than \$50,000,000
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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/ Robert L. Vining,**

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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