

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2010**

*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) Dennis, James L.	2. Court or Organization U.S. 5th Cir. Court of Appeals	3. Date of Report 05/01/2011
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. Circuit 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 01/01/2010 to 12/31/2010
7. Chambers or Office Address John Minor Wisdom Building 600 Camp Street, Room 219 New Orleans, LA 70130	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: 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. 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. Member, Advisory Committee	Geo. W. & Jean H. Pugh Institute for Justice, a fund held by the L.S.U. Foundation for the benefit of L.S.U. Law School
2. Member, LSU Law Center Board of Trustees	Louisiana State University Law Center Board of Trustees, a consultative body to the Chancellor
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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>
1. 10/02/95	LA State Employees' Retirement System. No control; fully vested 10/31/94. See La.R.S. 11:551
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. 2010	LA State Employees' Retirement System - Pension	\$58,000.00
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. 2010	Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana - pension
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>
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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>
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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				
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		Amount Code 1 (A-H)	Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.)	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	Date mm/dd/yy	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Gain Code 1 (A-H)	Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1.	Alliance Bernstein (FKA Alliance Worldwide Privatization)	A	Dividend	K	T					
2.	Hospitality Properties	A	Dividend	J	T					
3.	Municipal Mortgage & Equity	A	Dividend	J	T					
4.	American Cap Ltd. (FKA American Cap Strategies)	A	Dividend			Sold	12/31/10	J	A	
5.	DCP Midstream	A	Dividend	J	T					
6.	Bank Deposit Program (FKA Centennial Money Market) Wachovia	A	Interest	L	T					
7.	EV Energy Partners	B	Dividend	K	T					
8.	Rayonier, Inc.	A	Dividend	K	T					
9.	Novertis Ag	A	Dividend			Sold	10/08/10	J	B	
10.	Inergy LP	A	Dividend	J	T					
11.	Anchor Nat'l Life Polaris Choice II Variable Annuity (FKA An	A	Dividend	M	T					
12.	Crosstex Energy L.P.	A	Dividend	J	T					
13.	Energy Transfer Equity	B	Dividend	K	T					
14.	Regency Energy Partners	A	Dividend	J	T					
15.	Ferral Gas Partners	C	Dividend			Sold	06/11/10	J	C	
16.	Amgen	A	Dividend	J	T					
17.	Appollo Inv. Corp	A	Dividend	J	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; 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
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18. Encore Energy Partners	B	Dividend	J	T					
19. Energy Transfer Partners	B	Dividend	J	T					
20. Enterprise Prods partners	B	Dividend	K	T					
21. JP Morgan Short Term Bond Fund	A	Dividend	L	T					
22. Kinder Morgan Energy (FKA Kinder Morgan)	A	Dividend	J	T					
23. Penn West Petroleum	A	Dividend	J	T					
24. Plains All American Pipeline	B	Dividend	K	T					
25. Quest Energy Partners/merger now Postrock Energy	A	Dividend			Merged (with line 26)	03/10/10	J	A	
26. Postrock Energy	A	Dividend	J	T					
27. Targa Resources Partners	A	Dividend	J	T					
28. Travel Centers of America	A	Dividend	J	T					
29. Vanguard Natural Resource	B	Dividend	K	T					
30. Euroseas Ltd	A	Dividend			Sold	12/31/10	J	A	
31. Teekay Tankers	A	Dividend	J	T					
32. Psychiatric Solutions	A	Dividend			Sold	03/11/10	J	B	
33. Visa	A	Dividend	J	T					
34. American Water Works	A	Dividend	J	T					

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35. Whiting USA Trust	B	Dividend	J	T					
36. Western Gas Partners	A	Dividend	J	T					
37. Genesis Energy	A	Dividend	J	T					
38. MBIA	A	Dividend	J	T					
39. Centurytel now Centurylink	B	Dividend	K	T					
40. Monroe Louisiana Sales Tax Bond	B	Interest	K	T					
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42. Proshares Trust Ultra Financial	A	Dividend	J	T					
43. El Paso Pipeline	A	Distribution	J	T	Buy	01/13/10	J		
44. International Paper	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	04/16/10	J		
45. Western Asset Management	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/23/10	J		

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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/ James L. Dennis**

NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILFULLY 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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