

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT  
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2005**

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> Hancock, James H	<b>2. Court or Organization</b> U. S. District Court, NDAL	<b>3. Date of Report</b> 03/21/2006
<b>4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time)</b> Senior U. S. District Judge	<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> 01/01/2005 to 12/31/2005
<b>7. Chambers or Office Address</b> U. S. Courthouse, Ste. 681 1729 5th Avenue North Birmingham, AL 35203	<b>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.</b>  Reviewing Officer _____ Date _____	
<p><b>IMPORTANT NOTES:</b> 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.</p>		

**I. POSITIONS.** (Reporting individual only; see pp. 9-13 of instructions.)

NONE (No reportable positions.)

	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
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**II. AGREEMENTS.** (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of 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 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.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

**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.	
5.	

**IV. REIMBURSEMENTS** - transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.

(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 25-27 of instructions.)

NONE (No reportable reimbursements.)

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
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**V. GIFTS.** *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 28-31 of instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
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**VI. LIABILITIES.** *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 32-34 of 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 the spouse and dependent children. See pp. 34-57 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, merger, redemption)	If not exempt from disclosure			
						(2) Date Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Exxon Mobil - Stock	D	Dividend	N	T					
2. CMA Tax Ex. Money Mkt.	B	Interest	K	T					
3. BP Amoco - Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
4. ING Fin. Svcs. Fund - A Mut. Fund	C	Dividend	N	T					
5. Archer Daniels Mdl. - C Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
6. Morgan Stanley Dean Witter & Co. - Stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
7. Compass Bancshares - Stock	C	Dividend	M	T					
8. Regions Bank - Ck Acct.	A	Interest	J	T					
9. Security Benefit Life - deferred annuity	A	Interest	J	W					
10. El Paso Corp. - Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
11. Service Corp. Int. - Stock	A		J	T					
12. Vanguard Wellington Fund - Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	K	T					
13. Regions Fin. Corp. - Stock	D	Dividend	M	T					
14. La. Pac. - Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
15. Eaton Vance Ala. Munis Fund - Mutual Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. Weyerhaeuser - Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
17. Mellon Financial Corp. - Stock	A	Dividend	J	T					

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 R = Cost (Real Estate Only) V = Other	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 T = Cash Market	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000 S = Assessment W = Estimated
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18. Fidelity Trend - Mut. Fund	A	Dividend	L	T					
19. Allstate Corp - Stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
20. Engelhard Corp. - Stock	A	Dividend	K	T					
21. Ameris Bancorp	A	Dividend	K	T					See Sec. VIII
22. Sterne Agee - Money Mkt.	A	Interest	K	T					
23. Colonial Bancgroup - Stock	B	Dividend	K	T					
24. Questar - Stock	A	Dividend	L	T					
25. Compass Bank - Ck. Acct.	A	Interest	K	T					
26. AmSouth Bank - Ck. Acct.	A	Interest	K	T					
27. AmSouth Bank - Stock	B	Dividend	L	T					
28. State Street Corp. - Stock	B	Dividend	M	T					
29. Comerica - Stock	B	Dividend	K	T					
30. Sou. Company - Stock	B	Dividend	K	T					
31. Russell Corp. - Stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
32. Lucent Tech. - Stock		None	J	T					
33. Caremark RX - Stock		None	K	T					
34. Vulcan Materials - Stock	A	Dividend	L	T					

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2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	Q = Appraisal U = Book Value				
3. Value Method Codes (See Column C2)			S = Assessment W = Estimated		

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35. Banc Trust Financial Group - Stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
36. First Horizon National	B	Dividend	K	T					
37. Conagra Foods	A	Dividend	K	T					

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

Line 21. Ameris Bancorp is change of name for ABC Bancorp reported on Line 25 of 2004 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



Date

3/21/06

NOTE:  
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