

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2008**

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) Laplante, Joseph N.	2. Court or Organization US District Court, D NH	3. Date of Report 5/15/2009
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) US 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 01/01/2008 to 12/31/2008
7. Chambers or Office Address United States District Court 55 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301	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.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____

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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.	_____	_____
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.		
2.		
3.		
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				
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1. Sovereign Bank	A	Interest	J	T					
2. Northeast Credit Union	A	Interest	J	T					
3. American Funds Mutual Funds (JTWROS ██████████)									
4. --Europacific Growth Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T					
5. --New Perspective Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T					
6. --Investment Company of America A	B	Dividend	K	T					
7. --Washington Mutual Investors Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T					
8. --Cash Management Trust of America	A	Interest	J	T					
9. IRA - American Funds (██████████)									
10. --EuroPacific Growth Fund A	B	Dividend	J	T					
11. --New Perspective Fund A	B	Dividend	K	T					
12. --Washington Mutual Investors Fund	B	Dividend	K	T					
13. IRA - Washington Mutual Investors Fund (Joseph Laplante)	A	Dividend	J	T					
14. Roth IRA American Funds (Joseph Laplante)									
15. --Europacific Growth Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. --The Growth Fund of America A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
17. --New Perspective Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		

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
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3. Value Method Codes (See Column C2)	Q = Appraisal U = Book Value	R = Cost (Real Estate Only) V = Other	S = Assessment W = Estimated	T = Cash Market	

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18. --SMALLCAP World Fund A			J	T					
19. --Fundamental Investors A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
20. --Washington Mutual Investors Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
21. --The Income Fund of America A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
22. 3 identical Coverdell ESA's [REDACTED] [REDACTED]; aggr figures)									
23. --Europacific Growth Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	1/10	J		
24. --The Growth Fund of America A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	1/10	J		
25. --SMALLCAP World Fund A		None	J	T					
26. --New World Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	1/10	J		
27. --Washington Mutual Investors Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	1/10	J		
28. --The Income Fund of America A	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	1/10	J		
29. 3 identical 529 plans [REDACTED] aggr. figures)									
30. --EuroPacific Growth Fund A	C	Dividend	K	T	Buy	1/22	J		
31. --The Growth Fund of America A	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	1/22	J		
32. --New World Fund A	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	1/22	J		
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35. --The Income Fund of America	B	Dividend	K	T					
36. Roth IRA (REDACTED)									
37. --Growth Fund of America	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
38. --New Perspective Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
39. --Washington Mutual Inv. Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
40. --Income Fund of America	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	3/17	J		
41. 1983 Georgetown Investments, LLC		None	J	W	Buy	6/18	J		1983 Georgetown Investment

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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 _____



NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILFULLY FALSIFIES OR
AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104) CIVIL

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