

**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) Pieras Jr., Jaime	2. Court or Organization U.S. District Court of P.R.	3. Date of Report 05/15/2009
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. Senior District Judge	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 US Courthouse & Post Office Bld 300 Recinto Sur St., Suite 353 San Juan, PR 00901	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 _____	
<p align="center">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.</p>		

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.			
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 Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. GNMA Pool # 068631	A	Interest	J	T					
2. GNMA Pool # 068266	A	Interest	J	T					
3. GNMA Pool # 100582	A	Interest	J	T					
4. GNMA Pool # 104698	A	Interest	J	T					
5. GNMA Pool # 190277	A	Interest	J	T					
6. GNMA Pool Lehman Bros.	B	Interest	K	T					
7. GNMA Pool # 449379	D	Interest	M	T					
8. Wachovia Security money market fund	B	Interest			redemption	12/15	K	A	Wachovia Security
9. Citibank Bank Deposit Program	A	Interest			redemption	12/15	K	A	Smith Barney
10. Puerto Rico Municipal Bond	D	Interest	M	T					
11. Structured Mortgage Product	E	Interest	O	T					Additional invested f unds
12. GNMA # 636435	E	Interest	O	T					
13. GNMA # 449379	C	Interest			Buy	12/15	M		Popular Securities
14. GNMA Pool # 636505	D	Interest	N	T					
15. PR HFC affordable MG	E	Interest	O	T					
16. First PR Tax Exempt /2022	E	Interest			Sold	08/28	O	A	Popular securities
17. PR Investors Tax Free Fund III	D	Interest			Sold	08/28	M	A	Popular Securities

1. Income Gain Codes: (See Columns B1 and D4)	A = \$1,000 or less F = \$50,001 - \$100,000	B = \$1,001 - \$2,500 G = \$100,001 - \$1,000,000	C = \$2,501 - \$5,000 H1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	D = \$5,001 - \$15,000 H2 = More than \$5,000,000	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000
2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	J = \$15,000 or less N = \$250,001 - \$500,000 P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000	K = \$15,001 - \$50,000 O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	L = \$50,001 - \$100,000 P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 P4 = More than \$50,000,000	M = \$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
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. Popular Money Market 2.44%	A	Interest	L	T					Balance in money market
19. Wachovia securities	A	Interest	L	T					Balance in money market
20. Employees Retirement system Revenue bonds	E	Interest	O	T	Buy	02/07	O		Popular Securities
21. PR Acueduct Agency bond	D	Interest	L	T	Buy	02/07	L		Popular Securities
22. PR Housing Finance Authority	E	Interest	N	T	Buy	02/07	O		Popular Securities
23. PR Housing corp.	D	Interest	L	T	Buy	02/07	L		Popular Securities
24. UBS Bank Account	A	Interest	J	T	Open	02/07	J		UBS Financial
25. Banco Popular common Stocks	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/07	J		UBS Financial

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

Reference is made to the letter dated Juen 23, 2008.

Part VII Page 5, line 27 Popular Money Market 2.44% - This account was reported in 2006 Part VII line 24 under the name Citibank Bank Deposit Program. The Citibank in Puerto Rico closed operations and transferred our account to Banco Popular. This is only a change in name of the financial institution carrying my investments. Therefore there is no investment activity for 2007.

Part VII Page 5, line 28 Wachovia Securities - This account was reported in 2006 Part VII line 20 under the name Wachovia Securities Money Market Fund. This is a balance of cash available to be invested at year end.

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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 FAILS TO FILE THIS REPORT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104)

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

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