

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2003

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) Gaitan, Jr., Fernando J.		2. Court or Organization Western District of Missouri	3. Date of Report 04/27/2004
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. District Judge - Active	5. Report Type (check appropriate type) ___ Nomination, Date _____ ___ Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual ___ Final	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2003 to 01/01/2004	
7. Chambers or Office Address United States Courthouse 400 E. 9th Street Kansas City, MO 64106		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 Instructions.)

POSITION	NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable positions.)	
1 Board of Directors	St. Luke's Shawnee Mission Health System, Inc.
2 Board of Directors	The Harry S. Truman Library Institute
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II. AGREEMENTS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of Instructions.)

DATE	PARTIES AND TERMS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable agreements.)	
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III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. (Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of Instructions.)

DATE	SOURCE AND TYPE	GROSS INCOME
A. Filer's Non-Investment Income		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable non-investment income.)		
1		\$
2		\$
3		\$

B. Spouse's Non-Investment Income - If you were married during any portion of the reporting year, please complete this section. (dollar amount not required except for honoraria)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable non-investment income.)	
1	
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IV. REIMBURSEMENTS – transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.
(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 25-27 of Instructions.)

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	NONE (No such reportable reimbursements.)	
1	Defense Research Institute	Speaker at Product Liability Conference, Las Vegas, NV 02/12-15/03, food lodging and transportation
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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 28-31 of Instructions.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NONE (No such reportable gifts.)		
1			\$
2			\$
3			\$
4			\$

VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 32-33 of Instructions.)*

	<u>CREDITOR</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE CODE*</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NONE (No reportable liabilities.)		
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*Value Codes: J=\$15,000 or less K=\$15,001-\$50,000 L=\$50,001-\$100,000 M=\$100,001-\$250,000
 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 P4=50,000,001 or more

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VII. Page 1 INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS – income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 34-57 of Instructions.)

A Description of Assets (including trust assets) <i>Place "(X)" after each asset exempt from prior disclosure.</i>	B Income during reporting period		C Gross value at end of reporting period		D Transactions during reporting period				
	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)	If not exempt from disclosure			
	Amt. Code1 (A-H)	Type (e.g. div, rent or int.)	Value Code2 (I-P)	Value Method Code3 (Q-W)	Type (e.g. buy, sell, merger, redemption)	(2) Date Month-Day	(3) Value Code2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE (No reportable income,									
1 IRA - CSD #1 Credit Union	A	Interest	J	T					
2 Savings -CSD #1 Credit U.	A	Interest	J	T					
3 American Telephone & Telegraph (AT&T)	A	Dividend	J	T					
4 Southwestern Bell Corporation	A	Dividend	J	T					
5 Bell Atlantic	A	Dividend	J	T					
6 Ameritech	A	Dividend	J	T					
7 U.S. West	A	Dividend	J	T					
8 Bell South	A	Dividend	J	T					
9 Lucent Technologies	A	Dividend	J	T					
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1	Income/Gain Codes: (See Col. B1, 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 Col. C1, 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 \$5,000,000	M=\$100,001-\$250,000 P2=\$5,000,001-\$25,000,000	
3	Value Method Codes: (See Col. C2)	Q=Appraisal U=Book value	R=Cost (real estate only) V=Other	S=Assessment W=Estimated	T=Cash/Market	

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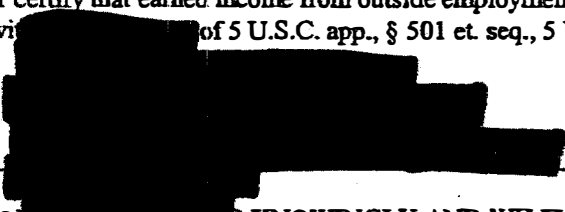
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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS (Indicate part of Report.)

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 5 U.S.C. app., § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353 and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature 

Date 5-5-04

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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