

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT  
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2008**

<b>1. Person Reporting</b> (last name, first, middle initial)  Royal, Charles A.	<b>2. Court or Organization</b>  U.S. Middle District - Georgia	<b>3. Date of Report</b>  05/15/2009
<b>4. Title</b> (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time)  U.S. District Judge - Active	<b>5a. Report Type</b> (check appropriate type) <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>  01/01/2008 to 12/31/2008
<b>7. Chambers or Office Address</b>  U. S. Courthouse 475 Mulberry Street Macon, GA 31202	<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 _____	
<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.		

**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. Executor	Estate #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> (yours, not spouse's)
1. Spring '08	Mercer University School of Law	\$2,000.00
2. Qrt, 2008	West Services, Inc. (Book royalties)	\$2,393.79
3. Fall '08	Mercer University School of Law	\$2,000.00
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. 2008	First Presbyterian Day School - Math Teacher
2. 2008	Covenant Academy - Math Teacher
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. George Mason University Law & Economic Center	July 10-13, 2007	Sedona, Arizona	Educational seminar	lodging, meals and transportation
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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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. Northwestern Mutual Life		None	L	T					
2. SunTrust Retirement Reserve Fund	D	Int./Div.	O	T					
3. Isis Pharmaceuticals		None			Sold	10/10	M	A	
4. Corning, Inc.		None			Sold	1/14	J	A	
5. Sandisk Corp		None			Sold	7/3	K	A	
6. Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund	A	Dividend			Sold	7/3	M	A	
7. Dodge & Cox Stock Fund	C	Dividend			Sold	7/3	M	A	
8. MetaMorphix, Inc.		None	J	T					
9. Polywad, Inc.		None	J	T					
10. SunTrust Account #3	A	Interest	J	T					
11. SunTrust Account #4	A	Interest	J	T					
12. SunTrust Account #7	A	Interest	J	T					
13. SunTrust Account #9		None	J	T					
14. Edward Jones Money Market Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
15. Medtronic	A	Dividend			Sold	6/11	L	A	
16. Bruce Fund, Inc.	C	Dividend			Sold	1/18	K	A	
17. Vanguard Whitehall FDS		None			Sold	7/3	K	A	

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	
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18. Estate #1		None	J	T					
19. IShares, Inc. - MSCI Brazil	B	Dividend	K	T					
20. American Balanced Fund		None	J	T					
21. Capital Income Builder Fund		None	J	T					
22. Capital World Growth & Income Fund		None	J	T					
23. Fundamental Investors Fund		None	J	T					
24. Growth Fund of America		None	J	T					
25. Income Fund of America		None	J	T					
26. Investment Company of America Fund		None	J	T					
27. New Perspective Fund		None	J	T					
28. New World Fund		None	J	T					
29. Seaspan Corp		None	J	T	Buy	12/23	J		
30. Alcon, Inc		None	J	T	Buy	12/22	J		
31. Atlas Energy Resources		None	J	T	Buy	12/23	J		
32. Berkshire Hathaway Inc		None	M	T	Buy	10/16	M		
33. Berkshire Hathaway Inc		None			Sold	10/20	M	D	
34. Berkshire Hathaway Inc		None	M	T	Buy	10/24	M		

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35. Dow Chemical Co	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	12/22	K		
36. DuPont E I De Nemours Co		None	K	T	Buy	12/30	K		
37. Exelixis Inc		None	J	T	Buy	10/24	J		
38. General Electric	B	Dividend	L	T	Buy	10/24	L		
39. IShares Inc MSCI Singapore		None	J	T	Buy	12/31	J		
40. IShares Inc MSCI Sweden		None	K	T	Buy	12/31	K		
41. Mead West Na Co Corp		None	J	T	Buy	12/22	J		
42. Penn West Energy	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	12/22	J		
43. Renesola LTD		None	J	T	Buy	12/23	J		
44. Rexahn Pharmaceuticals		None	J	T	Buy	12/26	J		
45. San Juan Basin Royalty Trust	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	12/4	K		
46. TICC Capital Corp		None	J	T	Buy	12/23	J		

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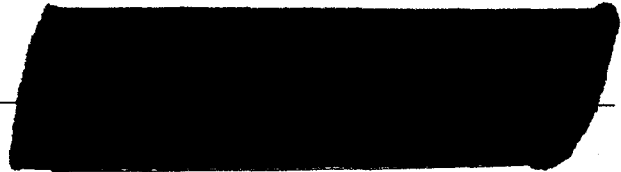
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**IX. CERTIFICATION.**

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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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