

Executive Branch Personnel

Public Financial Disclosure Report (OGE Form 278e)

Filer's Information

Neiman, Brent

Assistant Secretary for International Finance, Department of the Treasury

Other Federal Government Positions Held During the Preceding 12 Months:

Counselor to the Secretary, Department of the Treasury (3/2022 - Present)

Names of Congressional Committees Considering Nomination:

- Committee on Finance
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Electronic Signature - I certify that the statements I have made in this form are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ Neiman, Brent [electronically signed on 01/02/2023 by Neiman, Brent in Integrity.gov]

Agency Ethics Official's Opinion - On the basis of information contained in this report, I conclude that the filer is in compliance with applicable laws and regulations (subject to any comments below).

/s/ Sonfield, Brian, Certifying Official [electronically signed on 01/25/2023 by Sonfield, Brian in Integrity.gov]

Other review conducted by

U.S. Office of Government Ethics Certification

/s/ Apol, David, Certifying Official [electronically signed on 01/26/2023 by Apol, David in Integrity.gov]

1. Filer's Positions Held Outside United States Government

#	ORGANIZATION NAME		CITY, STATE	ORGANIZATION TYPE	POSITION HELD	FROM	TO
1	University of Chicago, Booth School of Business	See Endnote	Chicago, Illinois	University/College	Professor of Economics	7/2016	Present
2	The Initiative on Global Markets, University of Chicago, Booth School of Business	See Endnote	Chicago, Illinois	Research Center	Co-Director	7/2019	Present
3	International Economics Initiative, Becker Friedman Institute for Economics, University of Chicago	See Endnote	Chicago, Illinois	Research Center	Director	7/2017	Present
4	American Economic Review		Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	Academic Journal	Associate Editor	1/2017	3/2022
5	Quarterly Journal of Economics		Cambridge, Massachusetts	Academic Journal	Associate Editor	1/2014	1/2022
6	Journal of International Economics		Amsterdam, Netherlands, Outside U.S.	Academic Journal	Associate Editor	1/2013	3/2022
7	Neiman Family LLC	See Endnote	Highland Park, Illinois	Corporation	Co-Managing Member	12/2005	6/2021
8	Beacon Capital Partners		Boston, Massachusetts	Corporation	Consultant	7/2020	6/2021
9	Irrevocable Family Trust #1		Highland Park, Illinois	Trust	Co-Trustee	1/2002	Present

2. Filer's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	University of Chicago	N/A		Salary	\$85,121

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
2	Roth IRA	No			
2.1	Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund ETF Class Shares (VT)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3	Rollover IRA	No			
3.1	Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund ETF Class Shares (VT)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
4	University of Chicago CRP (TIAA)	No			
4.1	Vanguard Extended Market Index Fund Institutional Plus Class (VEMPX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.2	Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Institutional Plus (VIIIX)	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.3	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund Investor Class Shares (VFORX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.4	Vanguard Total International Stock Index Institutional Plus (VTPSX)	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
5	University of Chicago SRP (TIAA)	No			
5.1	Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Institutional Plus (VIIIX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
5.2	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund Investor Class Shares (VFORX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	University of Chicago 457(B) (TIAA)	No			
6.1	Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Institutional Plus (VIIIX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
6.2	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund Investor Class Shares (VFORX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
7	National Bureau of Economic Research MPP (TIAA)	No			

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
7.1	CREF Global Equities R2 (QCGLPX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)

3. Filer's Employment Agreements and Arrangements

#	EMPLOYER OR PARTY	CITY, STATE	STATUS AND TERMS	DATE
1	University of Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	I am currently on an unpaid leave of absence from my tenured faculty position with the Booth School of Business. I am also currently on unpaid leave of absences from my director positions with the Booth School of Business' Initiative on Global Markets and the International Economics Initiative of the University's Becker Friedman Institute for Economics while I am on leave from my tenured faculty position.	3/2022
2	University of Chicago CRP (TIAA)	Chicago, Illinois	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan. The plan sponsor will not make further contributions during my leave of absence.	7/2008
3	University of Chicago SRP (TIAA)	Chicago, Illinois	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan. The plan sponsor will not make further contributions during my leave of absence.	7/2008
4	University of Chicago 457(B) (TIAA)	Chicago, Illinois	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan. The plan sponsor will not make further contributions during my leave of absence.	7/2008
5	National Bureau of Economic Research MPP (TIAA)	Cambridge, Massachusetts	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan, but the plan sponsor no longer makes contributions.	9/2011

#	EMPLOYER OR PARTY	CITY, STATE	STATUS AND TERMS	DATE
6	University of Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	Pursuant to an agreement I individually reached with the University of Chicago, I have obtained a 10-year mortgage for my primary residence. Pursuant to the terms of the agreement, as long as I retain my position with the university I will be entitled to retain this mortgage. However, should I resign or be suspended, I will need to repay the mortgage. With the prior written approval of the School, leaves of absence of up to 12 months per absence would not be considered a termination/suspension of my employment. If I remain on leave for more than 12 months, I will either refinance the mortgage with a different lender, pay market rate for the period of my government service, or pay off the mortgage.	10/2016
7	University of Chicago Group Life Insurance	Chicago, Illinois	Pursuant to school policy, the University pays the full cost for basic term life insurance during the first year of my leave of absence. If I remain on leave after 12 months, I will pay the full premiums (both University and employee share) if I continue to participate in the basic life insurance plan.	7/2008
8	University of Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	Pursuant to school policy, I have the option to continue my medical, dental, vision, long-term disability, and supplemental term life insurance during my leave of absence for up to 24 months. I also have the option to continue personal accident insurance for the first year of my leave of absence. For all of these benefits, I have set up a direct pay option and pay market rates.	7/2008

4. Filer's Sources of Compensation Exceeding \$5,000 in a Year

#	SOURCE NAME	CITY, STATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
1	University of Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	Professor of Economics
2	Beacon Capital Partners	Boston, Massachusetts	Consultant and Presenter

5. Spouse's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	Kaplan, Inc.	N/A		Salary and bonus	
2	Kaplan Deferred Savings Plan	No			
2.1	Vanguard Institutional Target Retirement 2045 Fund	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
3	Jones Day Supplemental Savings Plan	No			
3.1	Jones Day 2040 Fund	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
4	Graham Holdings, unvested restricted stock units	N/A	\$100,001 - \$250,000	Dividends	\$1,001 - \$2,500
5	Graham Holdings Company, Cash Balance Retirement Program	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	Graham Holdings Company, Secure Retirement Account	N/A	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)

6. Other Assets and Income

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	Investment account #1	No			
1.1	Vanguard FTSE All-World ex-US Index Fund ETF (VEU)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
1.2	Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets Index Fund ETF (VWO)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1.3	Vanguard S&P 500 ETF (VOO)	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
1.4	Vanguard Small-Cap Growth Index Fund ETF (VBK)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
2	Investment account #2	No			
2.1	Vanguard FTSE All-World ex-US Index Fund ETF (VEU)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
2.2	Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets Index Fund ETF (VWO)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
2.3	Vanguard S&P 500 ETF (VOO)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
2.4	Vanguard Small-Cap Growth Index Fund ETF (VBK)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
2.5	U.S. brokerage (cash)	N/A	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
3	Investment account #3	No			
3.1	Vanguard Emerging Markets Stock Index Fund ETF Shares (VWO)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
3.2	Vanguard European Stock Index Fund ETF Shares (VGK)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
3.3	Vanguard Pacific Stock Index Fund Vanguard FTSE Pacific ETF Shares (VPL)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
3.4	Vanguard Mid-Cap Index Fund ETF Shares (VO)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
3.5	Neuberger Berman Sustainable Equity Fund Investor Class Shares (NBSRX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
3.6	Vanguard 500 Index Fund Admiral Shares (VFIAX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
3.7	Wells Fargo C&B Large Cap Value Fund Class A Shares (CBEAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
3.8	Wells Fargo C&B Mid Cap Value Fund Class A Shares (CBMAX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
4	Irrevocable Family Trust #2	No			
4.1	Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund ETF Class Shares (VT)	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
4.2	U.S. brokerage (cash)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
5	Irrevocable Family Trust #3	No			
5.1	Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund ETF Class Shares (VT)	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
5.2	U.S. brokerage (cash)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	Nevada 529 College Savings Plan #1	No			
6.1	Vanguard Aggressive Growth Portfolio	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
7	Nevada 529 College Savings Plan #2	No			
7.1	Vanguard Aggressive Growth Portfolio	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
8	Hirsch Family Partners LP	See Endnote			
8.1	ALPHABET INC-CL C (GOOG)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains	\$201 - \$1,000
8.2	Amazon.com, Inc. (AMZN)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains	\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.3	Apple, Inc. (AAPL)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$1,001 - \$2,500

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
8.4	CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS INC-A (CHTR)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.5	Microsoft Corp. (MSFT)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.6	PayPal Holdings, Inc. (PYPL)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains	\$201 - \$1,000
8.7	SIX CIRCLES US UNCONSTR EQ (CUSUX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$2,501 - \$5,000
8.8	SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust (SPY)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$15,001 - \$50,000
8.9	Union Pacific Corp. (UNP)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.10	UnitedHealth Group, Inc. (UNH)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.11	EDGEWOOD GROWTH FUND-INST (EGFIX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.12	ISHARES MSCI EAFE ETF (EFA)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$201 - \$1,000
8.13	JPMorgan BetaBuilders Canada ETF (BBCA)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.14	iShares Core MSCIEmerging Markets ETF (IEMG)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$201 - \$1,000
8.15	Lord Abbett High Yield Fund Class F3 Shares (LHYOX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.16	Chubb Ltd. (CB)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.17	Home Depot (HD)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
8.18	JPM Intermediate Tax Free Bond Fund (JITZX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$201 - \$1,000
8.19	PGIM High Yield Fund Class R6 Shares (PHYQX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.20	Comcast Corp. (CMCSA)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.21	American Funds International Vantage Fund Class F3 Shares (AIVGX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.22	Fidelity 500 Index Fund (FXAIX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
8.23	Mastercard, Inc. (MA)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.24	Eli Lilly & Co. (LLY)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.25	Alphabet, Inc. (GOOGL)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.26	Lowe's COS INC (LOW)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.27	Texas Instruments Incorporated (TXN)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.28	Morgan Stanley (MS)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.29	Linde Plc (LIN)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.30	Honeywell International, Inc. (HON)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.31	AbbVie, Inc. (ABBV)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
8.32	NVIDIA Corp. (NVDA)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.33	Pioneer Natural Resources Co. (PXD)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.34	Bank of America Corp. (BAC)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.35	Norfolk Southern Corp. (NSC)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.36	Meta Platforms Inc-Class A	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.37	NXP Semiconductors NV	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.38	NextEra Energy, Inc. (NEE)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.39	American Express Co. (AXP)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.40	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc. (TMO)	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
8.41	Interest in commercial real estate, Elk Grove Village, IL	N/A	None (or less than \$1,001)	Capital Gains Rent or Royalties	\$100,001 - \$1,000,000
9	Investment account #4	No			
9.1	Fidelity 500 Index Fund (FXAIX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
9.2	SIX CIRCLES US UNCONSTR EQ (CUSUX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
9.3	SPDR S&P 500 ETF TRUST (SPY)	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
9.4	iShares MSCI EAFE ETF (EFA)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
9.5	JPMorgan BetaBuilders Canada ETF (BBCA)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$5,001 - \$15,000
9.6	SIX CIRCLES INTL UNCON EQ (CIUEX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
9.7	JPMorgan BetaBuilders Japan ETF (BBJP)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
9.8	JPMorgan BetaBuilders Developed Asia ex-Japan ETF (BBAX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$201 - \$1,000
9.9	U.S. brokerage (cash)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
9.10	Vanguard Intermediate-Term Tax-Exempt Fund Admiral Shares (VWIUX)	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$201 - \$1,000
10	U.S. bank #1 (cash)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
11	U.S. bank #2 (cash)	See Endnote	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
12	Irrevocable Family Trust #1	No			
12.1	The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, whole life	N/A	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)

7. Transactions

(N/A) - Not required for this type of report

8. Liabilities

#	CREDITOR NAME	TYPE	AMOUNT	YEAR INCURRED	RATE	TERM
1	JP Morgan	Mortgage on Personal Residence	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	2016	2.375%	10 Year ARM
2	University of Chicago	Mortgage on Personal Residence	\$100,001 - \$250,000	2016	0%	10 Years
3	American Express	Credit Card	\$15,001 - \$50,000	2022	18.24%	revolving
4	Mastercard	Credit Card	\$15,001 - \$50,000	2022	23.74%	revolving

9. Gifts and Travel Reimbursements

(N/A) - Not required for this type of report

Endnotes

PART	#	ENDNOTE
1.	1	Made a chaired professor in July 2019. I have been on a leave of absence starting in March 2022.
1.	2	I have been on a leave of absence from this role since March 2022.
1.	3	I have been on a leave of absence since March 2022.
1.	7	Neiman Family LLC was terminated on June 30, 2021.
6.	8	My share of this LP was sold in April 2022.
6.	11	Combines values of accounts held by filer and spouse at same bank.

Summary of Contents

1. Filer's Positions Held Outside United States Government

Part 1 discloses positions that the filer held at any time during the reporting period (excluding positions with the United States Government). Positions are reportable even if the filer did not receive compensation.

This section does not include the following: (1) positions with religious, social, fraternal, or political organizations; (2) positions solely of an honorary nature; (3) positions held as part of the filer's official duties with the United States Government; (4) mere membership in an organization; and (5) passive investment interests as a limited partner or non-managing member of a limited liability company.

2. Filer's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

Part 2 discloses the following:

- Sources of earned and other non-investment income of the filer totaling more than \$200 during the reporting period (e.g., salary, fees, partnership share, honoraria, scholarships, and prizes)
- Assets related to the filer's business, employment, or other income-generating activities (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in income was received during the reporting period (e.g., equity in business or partnership, stock options, retirement plans/accounts and their underlying holdings as appropriate, deferred compensation, and intellectual property, such as book deals and patents)

This section does not include assets or income from United States Government employment or assets that were acquired separately from the filer's business, employment, or other income-generating activities (e.g., assets purchased through a brokerage account). Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF).

3. Filer's Employment Agreements and Arrangements

Part 3 discloses agreements or arrangements that the filer had during the reporting period with an employer or former employer (except the United States Government), such as the following:

- Future employment
- Leave of absence
- Continuing payments from an employer, including severance and payments not yet received for previous work (excluding ordinary salary from a current employer)
- Continuing participation in an employee welfare, retirement, or other benefit plan, such as pensions or a deferred compensation plan
- Retention or disposition of employer-awarded equity, sharing in profits or carried interests (e.g., vested and unvested stock options, restricted stock, future share of a company's profits, etc.)

4. Filer's Sources of Compensation Exceeding \$5,000 in a Year

Part 4 discloses sources (except the United States Government) that paid more than \$5,000 in a calendar year for the filer's services during any year of the reporting period.

The filer discloses payments both from employers and from any clients to whom the filer personally provided services. The filer discloses a source even if the source made its payment to the filer's employer and not to the filer. The filer does not disclose a client's payment to the filer's employer if the filer did not provide the services for which the client is paying.

5. Spouse's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

Part 5 discloses the following:

- Sources of earned income (excluding honoraria) for the filer's spouse totaling more than \$1,000 during the reporting period (e.g., salary, consulting fees, and partnership share)
- Sources of honoraria for the filer's spouse greater than \$200 during the reporting period
- Assets related to the filer's spouse's employment, business activities, other income-generating activities (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in income was received during the reporting period (e.g., equity in business or partnership, stock options, retirement plans/accounts and their underlying holdings as appropriate, deferred compensation, and intellectual property, such as book deals and patents)

This section does not include assets or income from United States Government employment or assets that were acquired separately from the filer's spouse's business, employment, or other income-generating activities (e.g., assets purchased through a brokerage account). Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF). Amounts of income are not required for a spouse's earned income (excluding honoraria).

6. Other Assets and Income

Part 6 discloses each asset, not already reported, (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in investment income was received during the reporting period. For purposes of the value and income thresholds, the filer aggregates the filer's interests with those of the filer's spouse and dependent children.

This section does not include the following types of assets: (1) a personal residence (unless it was rented out during the reporting period); (2) income or retirement benefits associated with United States Government employment (e.g., Thrift Savings Plan); and (3) cash accounts (e.g., checking, savings, money market accounts) at a single financial institution with a value of \$5,000 or less (unless more than \$200 in income was received). Additional exceptions apply. Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF).

7. Transactions

Part 7 discloses purchases, sales, or exchanges of real property or securities in excess of \$1,000 made on behalf of the filer, the filer's spouse or dependent child during the reporting period.

This section does not include transactions that concern the following: (1) a personal residence, unless rented out; (2) cash accounts (e.g., checking, savings, CDs, money market accounts) and money market mutual funds; (3) Treasury bills, bonds, and notes; and (4) holdings within a federal Thrift Savings Plan account. Additional exceptions apply.

8. Liabilities

Part 8 discloses liabilities over \$10,000 that the filer, the filer's spouse or dependent child owed at any time during the reporting period.

This section does not include the following types of liabilities: (1) mortgages on a personal residence, unless rented out (limitations apply for PAS filers); (2) loans secured by a personal motor vehicle, household furniture, or appliances, unless the loan exceeds the item's purchase price; and (3) revolving charge accounts, such as credit card balances, if the outstanding liability did not exceed \$10,000 at the end of the reporting period. Additional exceptions apply.

9. Gifts and Travel Reimbursements

This section discloses:

- Gifts totaling more than \$415 that the filer, the filer's spouse, and dependent children received from any one source during the reporting period.
- Travel reimbursements totaling more than \$415 that the filer, the filer's spouse, and dependent children received from any one source during the reporting period.

For purposes of this section, the filer need not aggregate any gift or travel reimbursement with a value of \$166 or less. Regardless of the value, this section does not include the following items: (1) anything received from relatives; (2) anything received from the United States Government or from the District of Columbia, state, or local governments; (3) bequests and other forms of inheritance; (4) gifts and travel reimbursements given to the filer's agency in connection with the filer's official travel; (5) gifts of hospitality (food, lodging, entertainment) at the donor's residence or personal premises; and (6) anything received by the filer's spouse or dependent children totally independent of their relationship to the filer. Additional exceptions apply.

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