

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2017

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) Aboulhossu, Omar J.	2. Court or Organization United States District Court Southern District of WV	3. Date of Report 03/09/2018
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) United States Magistrate Judge Full Time	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2017 to 12/31/2017
7. Chambers or Office Address 601 Federal Street Bluefield, WV 24701		
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.		

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. Board Member - 2015 and 2014	Johnathan Powell Hope Foundation, Inc.
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

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. 2017	West Virginia Public Employees Retirement System-Former Employer (Wv Supreme Court of Appeals) - No Control
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.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPEINCOME
(yours, not spouse's)

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.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPE

1. 2017

Mercer County Board of Education - Salary

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.)*SOURCEDATESLOCATIONPURPOSEITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED

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.	First Community Bank	Personal Line of Credit	J
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 mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Triangle Cap Corp Sr Note PFD	B	Int./Div.	K	T					
2. First Community Bancshares	A	Dividend	J	T					
3. Halozyme Therapeutics Inc.		None	J	T					
4. Ishares Dow Jones US Energy	A	Dividend	J	T					
5. Lord Abbett Bond Debenture A X	A	Dividend	K	T	Open	01/23/17	K		
6.					Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J	A	
7.					Sold (part)	12/20/17	J	A	
8. Lord Abbett Floating Rate Fd A	B	Dividend	K	T	Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J		
9. Lord Abbett Growth Opptys C1 A X		None	J	T	Open	01/23/17	J		
10.					Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J	A	
11.					Sold (part)	12/18/17	J	A	
12.					Sold (part)	12/20/17	J		
13. Lord Abbett Gr Leaders Fd C1 A		None	K	T	Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J		
14.					Sold (part)	11/22/17	J	B	
15.					Sold (part)	12/20/17	J		
16. Lord Abbett INTL Divid Inc A	A	Dividend	J	T	Distributed (part)	01/23/17	J		
17.					Distributed (part)	01/23/17	J		

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 \$5,000,000	M = \$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
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18.					Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J	A	
19. Lord Abbett Mid Cap Stock C1 A X	A	Dividend	J	T	Open	01/23/17	J		
20.					Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J	A	
21.					Sold (part)	12/18/17	J	A	
22. Lord Abbett Short Dur Inc Fd A	B	Dividend	K	T	Distributed (part)	01/23/17	K		
23.					Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J		
24.					Buy (add'l)	10/16/17	J		
25. Lord Abbett USG & Gse Mm Fd A X	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	03/08/17	J		
26.					Buy (add'l)	03/08/17	J		
27.					Sold (part)	12/19/17	J		
28. Lord Abbett Value Oppty Fd A		None	L	T	Distributed (part)	03/08/17	J	A	
29.					Sold (part)	07/21/17	J	A	
30.					Distributed (part)	10/16/17	J	A	
31.					Sold (part)	11/22/17	J	A	
32.					Sold (part)	12/20/17	J	A	
33. Edward Jones - Cash Equivalent	A	Int./Div.	K	T					
34. Northwestern Life insurance (whole life)	A	Dividend	J	T					

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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: **s/ Omar J. Aboulhosn**

NOTE: ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY FALSIFIES OR FAILS TO FILE THIS REPORT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL AND CRIMINAL SANCTIONS (5 U.S.C. app. § 104)

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