

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2015

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) Garland, Merrick B.	2. Court or Organization U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit	3. Date of Report 05/13/2016
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. Circuit Judge - Active Status	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2015 to 12/31/2015
7. Chambers or Office Address U.S. Courthouse 333 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20001		
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.)

POSITION

NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY

1.	Board of Directors	Historical Society of the District of Columbia Circuit
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

II. AGREEMENTS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions.)

☒ NONE (No reportable agreements.)

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PARTIES AND TERMS

1.	
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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. _____

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.	Oklahoma City National Memorial Foundation	04/18-20/2015	Oklahoma City, OK	Memorial ceremonies and panel discussion	Transportation, meals, room
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2.	Yale Law School	02/25-26/2015	New Haven, CT	Supreme Court Advocacy Clinic	Transportation, meals, room
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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*SOURCEDESCRIPTIONVALUE

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VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*CREDITORDESCRIPTIONVALUE CODE

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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				
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1. Sun Trust Bank Accounts	A	Interest	M	T					
2. Justice Federal Credit Union Accounts	B	Interest	N	T					
3. Citibank Bank Accounts	A	Interest	M	T					
4. Bank of America Bank Accounts	A	Interest	K	T					
5. U.S. Savings Bonds		None	K	T					
6. IRA #1 (H)									
7. -Edward Jones Co. cash balance	A	Interest	J	T					
8. -Ally Bank CDs	A	Interest	L	T					
9. Brokerage Account #1 (H)									
10. -General Mills Inc. Common	C	Dividend	M	T					
11. -Pfizer Common	A	Dividend	K	T					
12. -Bristol-Myers Squibb Co. Common	B	Dividend	L	T					
13. -General Electric Co. Common	C	Dividend	L	T					
14. -Procter & Gamble Co. Common	D	Dividend	M	T					
15. -J.M. Smucker Co. Common	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. -Aberdeen U.S. Equity Fund	D	Dividend	M	T					
17. -Nuveen Maryland Prem. Inc. Municipal Fund	E	Dividend	O	T	Buy (add'l)	11/04/15	M		

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.					Buy (add'l)	11/05/15	M		
19. -Vanguard S&P 500 ETF Fund	D	Dividend	O	T	Buy (add'l)	11/04/15	L		
20. -Montgomery County Md Hsg Bonds (combined listing)		None	K	T	Buy	11/18/15	K		
21. -Md.State Cmnty Dev. Admin.Rev.Bonds (combined listing)	B	Interest	M	T	Redeemed (part)	07/01/15	K		
22. -Md Local Gov't Infrastructure Bond	B	Interest	M	T					
23. -U.S. Treasury Notes/Bills (combined listing)	E	Interest	O	T	Redeemed (part)	08/17/15	M	D	
24. -JP Morgan Chase Bank Deposit Account	A	Interest	M	T					
25. Brokerage Account #2 (H)									
26. -Fidelity Municipal Money Market	A	Dividend	J	T					
27. -Fidelity Equity Dividend Income Fund	E	Dividend	N	T					
28. -Fidelity Spartan 500 Index Fund	E	Dividend	P1	T	Buy (add'l)	08/24/15	L		
29. Fidelity Contrafund	F	Dividend	P1	T					
30. IRA #2 (H)									
31. -Edward Jones Co. cash balance (X)	A	Interest	J	T					
32. -Ally Bank CD	A	Interest	J	T					
33. Retirement Account IRA (H)									
34. -Fidelity Magellan Fund	E	Dividend	N	T					

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35. Trust #1 (H)									
36. -JP Morgan Chase Bank Deposit Account	A	Interest	L	T					
37. -iShares MSCI EAFE ETF (name clarification)	C	Dividend	M	T	Buy (add'l)	06/30/15	L		
38. -Vanguard Total Stock Mkt ETF	D	Dividend	O	T	Buy (add'l)	04/23/15	L		
39. -Vanguard High Dividend Yield ETF	D	Dividend	M	T					
40. Rollover IRA (H)									
41. -Fidelity Spartan 500 Index Fund	E	Dividend	O	T					
42. Brokerage Account #3 (H)									
43. -Fidelity Contrafund	D	Dividend	L	T	Buy (add'l)	04/13/15	K		
44.					Buy (add'l)	07/10/15	K		
45. -Fidelity Mun. Money Mkt (Y)	A	Dividend							
46. -Fidelity Money Mkt Premium Class (merged w/Fidelity Select Money Mkt)	A	Dividend	K	T					
47. Trust #2 (H)									
48. -Property, NY, NY	G	Rent	P1	W					
49. -JP Morgan Chase Bank Account	A	Interest	J	T					
50. Barclays Bank Account		None	J	T	Open	10/23/15	J		

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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/ Merrick B. Garland**

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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