

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2014

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) Melgren, Eric F.	2. Court or Organization U.S. District Court, D. Kansas	3. Date of Report 06/12/2015
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. District Judge - Active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☒ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2014 to 12/31/2014
7. Chambers or Office Address Hon. Eric F. Melgren United States Courthouse #414 401 N. Market Wichita, Kansas 67202		
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.	Director	Rotary Club of Wichita
2.	President	Federal Bar Association - Kansas
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.		
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.)*

DATE	SOURCE AND TYPE	INCOME (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.)*

DATE	SOURCE 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.)*

	SOURCE	DATES	LOCATION	PURPOSE	ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED
1.	American Conference Institute	04/28/14 - 04/29/14	Chicago, Illinois	Panelist at ERISA Conference	Transportation, Lodging
2.	George Mason Law & Economics Center	06/23/14 - 06/26/14	Steamboat Springs, Colorado	Attend Economics Institute for Judges	Transportation, Lodging
3.	American Conference Institute	10/28/14 - 10/29/14	New York, New York	Panelist at ERISA and Insurance Allocation Conference	Transportation, Lodging
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.	Department of Education	Student Loan	L
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. Bank of America IRA (cash eqv)	A	Interest	J	T					
2. Axa Equitable Variable Life Insurance EQ Money Market		None	J	T					
3. Vanguard Total Bond Market Index	A	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	J	A	
4. Vanguard LifeStrategy Conservative Growth	A	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	K	B	
5. Vanguard Windsor II Fund	A	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	K	B	
6. American Funds EuroPac	A	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	J	A	
7. Vanguard LifeStrategy Moderate Growth	A	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	K	B	
8. Vanguard LifeStrategy Growth Fund	B	Dividend			Sold	11/10/14	M	D	
9. Northwestern Mutual General Mny Mkt		None	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
10. Northwestern Mutual Brown Capital Management Small		None	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
11. Northwestern Mutual Columbia Acorn International Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
12. Northwestern Mutual Delaware Emerging Markets Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
13. Northwestern Mutual Dodge & Cox Income Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
14. Northwestern Mutual EuroPacific Growth Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
15. Northwestern Mutual Fidelity Advisor Mid Cap II Fund		None	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
16. Northwestern Mutual Fidelity Advisor New Insights Fund Class	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	11/11/14	K		
17. Northwestern Mutual The Oakmark International Fund		None	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		

1. Income Gain Codes:	A = \$1,000 or less (See Columns B1 and D4)	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	F = \$50,001 - \$100,000 (See Columns C1 and D3)	J = \$15,001 - \$50,000 K = \$15,001 - \$50,000 O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	L = \$50,001 - \$100,000 P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	M = \$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
3. Value Method Codes	N = \$250,001 - \$500,000 P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000	Q = Appraisal U = Book Value	R = Cost (Real Estate Only) V = Other	S = Assessment W = Estimated	T = Cash Market

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18. Northwestern Mutual International Growth and Income	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
19. Northwestern Mutual John Hancock Disciplined Value	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
20. Northwestern Mutual MFS Value Fund Class I	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	11/11/14	K		
21. Northwestern Mutual Metropolitan West Total Return Bond	A	Int./Div.	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
22. Northwestern Mutual Northern Small Cap Value Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
23. Northwestern Mutual Pimco Commodities Plus Strategy Fund	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
24. Northwestern Mutual T Rowe Price Emerging Markets	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
25. Northwestern Mutual T Rowe Price Real Estate	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/11/14	J		
26.									
27.									

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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/ **Eric F. Melgren**

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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