

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) Mazzant, Amos L.	2. Court or Organization U. S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas	3. Date of Report 05/12/2016
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Article III, active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 1/1/2015 to 12/31/2015
7. Chambers or Office Address Paul Brown United States Courthouse 101 E. Pecan Street Sherman, Texas 75090		
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	Dallas Summer Musicals
2.	Director	Sherman Community Players
3.	Officer	Judge Paul Brown American Inn of Court
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.	2004	Judicial Retirement System of Texas; no control; not vested
2.	2004	Texas County and District Retirement Systems; no control; not vested
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.		
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.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>
1. 2015	Sherman I.S.D., Teacher
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.)*

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED</u>
1. Texas Young Lawyers Association	January 9-10, 2015	San Antonio, Texas	TYLA Board of Directors Meeting	Mileage, food, and hotel room
2. Texas Young Lawyers Association	May 8-9, 2015	Horseshoe Bay, Texas	TYLA Board of Directors Meeting	Mileage, food, and hotel room
3.				
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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.		
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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. JPMorgan Chase & Co Accounts	A	Interest	M	T					
2. T. Rowe Price Prime Reserve Fund	A	Dividend	K	T	Sold (part)	04/06/15	J		
3.					Sold (part)	05/15/15	J		
4.					Sold (part)	06/30/15	J		
5. T. Rowe Price Science & Technology Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
6. T. Rowe Price Equity Income Fund (IRA)	B	Dividend	K	T					
7. T. Rowe Price Equity Index 500 Fund (IRA)	A	Dividend	K	T					
8. T. Rowe Price New Horizons Fund (IRA)	B	Dividend	K	T					
9. T. Rowe Price Spectrum Growth Fund (IRA)	C	Dividend	K	T					
10. T. Rowe Price Spectrum International Fund (IRA)	A	Dividend	K	T					
11. Vanguard Wellington Fund (457)	A	Dividend	J	T					
12. Vanguard Institutional Index Fund (457)	A	Dividend	J	T					
13. Vanguard Growth Fund (457)	A	Dividend	J	T					
14. Fidelity Diversified International Fund (457)	A	Dividend	J	T					
15. Lord Abbott Small Cap Value Fund (457)	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. Judicial Retirement System Account	B	Interest	L	T					
17. Texas County and District Retirement Account	A	Interest	J	T					

1. Income Gain Codes:	A = \$1,000 or less	B = \$1,001 - \$2,500	C = \$2,501 - \$5,000	D = \$5,001 - \$15,000	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000
(See Columns B1 and D4)	F = \$50,001 - \$100,000	G = \$100,001 - \$1,000,000	H1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	H2 = More than \$5,000,000	
2. Value Codes	J = \$15,000 or less	K = \$15,001 - \$50,000	L = \$50,001 - \$100,000	M = \$100,001 - \$250,000	
(See Columns C1 and D3)	N = \$250,001 - \$500,000	O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
	P3 = \$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000		P4 = More than \$50,000,000		
3. Value Method Codes	Q = Appraisal	R = Cost (Real Estate Only)	S = Assessment	T = Cash Market	
(See Column C2)	U = Book Value	V = Other	W = Estimated		

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18. Teachers Retirement Texas	B	Interest	K	T					
19. Texas College Savings Plan #1- Blended Age-Based Portfolio	A	Dividend			Sold	01/20/15	J		
20. Texas College Savings Plan #2 - Blended Age-Based Portfolio	A	Dividend	J	T					
21. Texas Educators Federal Credit Union Savings Account	A	Interest	J	T					
22. T. Rowe Price New Horizons (Roth IRA)	A	Dividend	J	T					
23. American Century Investments All Cap Growth (formerly Gift Trust)	A	Dividend	J	T					
24. T. Rowe Price Science & Technology Fund (JT)	B	Dividend	J	T					
25. State Farm: Universal Life (X)	A	Interest	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/ Amos L. Mazzant

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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