

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018

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) Roby, Karen W.	2. Court or Organization Eastern District of Louisiana	3. Date of Report 11/06/2019
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. Magistrate Judge-Fulltime	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☒ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2018 to 12/31/2018
7. Chambers or Office Address 500 Poydras Street B437 New Orleans, Louisiana 70131		
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. President	Robert C. Blakes Sr. Scholarship Foundation
2. Division Director	American Bar Association Litigation Section
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.)*

<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. 2017	Self-Employed Attorney
2. 2017	Clerk of Court Orleans Parish
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. American Bar Association	01/12/2017-01/15/17	Southampton, Bermuda	Leadership Meeting	Meals, Hotel & Transportation
2. New Orleans Bar Association	03/31/2017-04/02/2017	Point Clear AlaAtlanta, GA	Bench Bar Conference	Meals, Hotel & Transportation
3. American Bar Association	10/15/2017-10/07/2017	Montreal Canada	Leadership Meeting	Meals, Hotel & Transportation
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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.			
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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.			
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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. Liberty Bank & Trust	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
2. Vanguard Inflation Protected Securities	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
3. Louisiana Start 529 Plan-Principle Protection Pln	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy (add'l)	01/03/17	J		
4. Fidelity Cash Reserves	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
5. Microsoft Corp	A	Dividend	J	T					
6. Exxon Mobil Corp	A	Dividend	J	T					
7. Etrade Money Market	B	Dividend	J	T					
8. SPDR TRUST GOLD	A	Dividend	J	T					
9. Amazon	A	Dividend	J	T					
10. AIG	A	Dividend	J	T					
11. Wells Fargo	A	Dividend	J	T					
12. Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	A	Dividend	J	U					
13. The Walt Disney Co.	A	Dividend	J	T					
14. Facebook	A	Dividend	J	T					
15. FedexCorp	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. Fidelity Contrafund	A	Dividend	J	T					
17. Gamestop	B	Dividend			Sold	01/03/17	J		MONEY MARKET

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	
3. Value Method Codes (See Column C2)	Q = Appraisal U = Book Value	R = Cost (Real Estate Only) V = Other	S = Assessment W = Estimated	T = Cash Market	

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18. Fidelity Select Retail	B	Int./Div.	J	T					
19. Netflix	A	Int./Div.	J	T					
20. Sector SPDR TR SHS Ben Inc. Consumer	A	Dividend	J	T					
21. APPL	A	Dividend	J	T					
22. Baxter Int'l Inc.	A	Int./Div.	J	T	Buy	10/11/18	J		
23. Bristol-Myers Squibb	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	05/21/18	J		
24. GW Pharmaceutic	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	11/02/18	J		
25. Charles Schwab Sweep	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	12/17/18	J		
26. Captiol One	A	Int./Div.	J	T		11/02/18	J		
27.									

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

The Vanguard Inflation Protected Securities remains in my portfolio as reflected in Part VII.

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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/ **Karen W. Roby**

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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