

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2009

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) Ginsburg, Ruth B.	2. Court or Organization Supreme Court of the United States	3. Date of Report May 10, 2010
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Associate Justice	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination, Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 1/1/09 to 12/31/09
7. Chambers or Office Address Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543	8. On the basis of the information contained in this Report and any modifications pertaining thereto, it is, in my opinion, in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. Reviewing Officer _____ Date _____	

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. Sign on last page.

I. POSITIONS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 9-13 of filing instructions.)

☒ NONE (No reportable positions.)

POSITION	NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____

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

☒ NONE (No reportable agreements.)

DATE	PARTIES AND TERMS
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.	See Attachment A		
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.	See Attachment A	
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.	See Attachment B				
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.	See Attachment C		
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.			
4			
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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS – income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 14-60 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. Checking account – Morgan Guaranty Trust Co., NYC		NONE	L	T					
2. Checking account – (interest bearing) – PNC Bank, DC	A	INT.	L	T					
3.									
4.									
5.									
6. JP Morgan Intermediate Tax Free Income Fund	E	INT. (and capital gains)	P1	T					
7. JP Morgan Prime Money Market Fund	D	INT.	P1	T					
8.									
9.									
10.									
11. Class A shares and Class B shares in AVI Holding Corp.		NONE	J	W					

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 - \$1,000,000 P4 = More than \$10,000,000	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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12.									
13.									
14. 7.5500% general partner interest in Wegoma 1974 Associates, which holds a 1.08116% limited partnership interest in Starrett City Associates; this limited partnership constructed and operates a housing project in New York City.	D	rent, int.	M	W					

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17.5% general partnership interest egoma 1975, which holds a 50% limited partnership interest agency III Associates which constructed and operates an apartment complex in Richardson, TX		NONE	J	W					
TIAA/CREF Retirement Accounts (including IRA) (contribution made by law school professor and roll- overs to IRAs from other retirement accounts)	A	INT. and CREF portfolio appreciation (accrues in acct. prior to distribution)	P1	T	partial distrib.	11/1	J	D	
TIAA/CREF Retirement Accounts (including roll-overs to IRAs from other retirement accounts)	A	INT. and CREF portfolio appreciation (accrues in acct. prior to distribution)	P2	T					
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Johnson (law firm); Value is cash value retirement plan account plus defined retirement account at year end	D	INT. (accrues in acct. prior to retirement)	N	T	law firm pension distribu- tion	begin- ing of each month	J	B	

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22.									
23. Martin D. Ginsburg, P.C., a professional corporation (legal services) which until 3/1/09 was counsel to Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson (Value is equity value of P.C. plus unfunded retirement account at year end)		salary (reflected in answer to Q III)	0	U,W	cash: dividend distrib.	9/1	0		
24.									
25.									
26.									
27.									
28.									
29.									

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30.									
31.									
32. TIAA - CREF Mutual Funds	D	INT. DIV., Appreci- ation	N	T					
33. TIAA - CREF Mutual Funds	E	INT. DIV., Appreci- ation	O	T					
34. Loan secured by [REDACTED] of French Civil Real Estate Company, [REDACTED] Paris, France	E	INT.	O	T					
35. Loan secured by mortgage on [REDACTED] property, [REDACTED] Chicago, IL [REDACTED]	E	INT.	O	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

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

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Mail signed original and 3 additional copies to:

Committee on Financial Disclosure
Administrative Office of the United States Courts
Suite 2-301
One Columbus Circle, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20544

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ATTACHMENT A

III. Non-Investment Income

	<u>Source and Type</u>	<u>Gross Income</u>
	Loyola University School of Law (for participation as Distinguished Lecturer in Law School's summer program in Rome, Italy, July 6-14, 2009)	\$6,000
	Northwestern University School of Law (for participation as Howard J. Trienens Visiting Judicial Scholar, in Chicago, Illinois, September 14-16, 2009)	\$7,500
(S)	Georgetown University (Professor of Law — Salary)	—
(S)	Martin D. Ginsburg, P.C. (Professional Corporation — Law Salary) (Legal services through February 28, 2009)	—
(S)	Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver and Jacobson (Law firm — Fees for legal services furnished after February 28, 2009)	—
(S)	Loyola University School of Law (for participation as Lecturer in Law School's summer program in Rome, Italy, July 6-14, 2009)	—

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ATTACHMENT B

IV. Reimbursements and Gifts

Travel in 2009 (air tickets, lodging, and meals provided by organizations inviting Ruth Bader Ginsburg to participate in professional or educational programs)

Radcliffe Institute for
Advanced Study,
Harvard University
Cambridge, MA

March 12 - Participant in Gender and the Law Symposium

New England School of Law
Boston, MA

March 13 - Speaker at Centennial Law Day Symposium

Ohio State University
Moritz College of Law
Columbus, OH

April 10 - Panelist at Ohio State Law Journal Symposium

Loyola University
School of Law
Chicago, IL

July 6-14 - Distinguished Lecturer in summer program
in Rome, Italy

SciencesPo
Center for the Americas
Paris, France

July 15-20 - Commencement Speaker

Supreme Court of Argentina
Conference of the Supreme
Courts of the Americas
Buenos Aires, Argentina

September 1-7 - Conference Participant

Spertus Institute of
Jewish Studies
Chicago, IL

September 13 - Program Lecturer

Northwestern University
School of Law
Chicago, IL

September 14-16 - Howard J. Trienens Visiting Judicial Scholar

The Association of the Bar
of the City of New York
New York, NY

December 15 - Panelist at Annual Justice
Ruth Bader Ginsburg Distinguished Lecture
on Women and the Law

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ATTACHMENT C

V. Other Gifts

I designated the following:

\$2,000 gift in lieu of compensation for March 13, 2009 lecture at New England School of Law, designated to The Signature Theatre. The Law School is an accredited educational institution and a qualified charity under §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

\$1,000 gift in lieu of compensation for lecturing at Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, March 12, 2009, designated to Women's Law & Public Policy Fellowship Program, Georgetown University Law Center. The University is an accredited educational institution and a qualified charity under §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.