

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2004

Report Required by the Ethics
in Government Act of 1978
(5 U.S.C. app. §§ 101-111)

1. Person Reporting (Last name, First name, Middle initial) Weis, Joseph F	2. Court or Organization COURT OF APPEALS	3. Date of Report 4/25/2005
4. Title (Article III Judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) SR CIRCUIT JUDGE	5. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination, ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final	6. Reporting Period 1/1/2004 to 12/31/2004
7. Chambers or Office Address USPO AND COURTHOUSE GRANT STREET PITTSBURGH, PA 15219	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. _____

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 TYPEGROSS INCOME
(yours, not spouse's)

1. _____

B. Spouse's Non-Investment Income - (If you were married during any portion of the reporting year, please complete this section. Dollar amount not required except for honoraria.)☒ **NONE** - (No reportable non-investment income.)DATESOURCE AND TYPE

1. _____

IV. REIMBURSEMENTS. — transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.

(Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 25-27 of instructions.)

☐ **NONE** - (No such reportable reimbursements.)SOURCEDESCRIPTION

1. City of Montargis, France

Travel expenses of \$3,000 for 60th Anniversary of Liberation in which Judge participated in in 1944. Event held August, 2004.

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V. GIFTS. (Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 28-31 of instructions.)☒ **NONE** - (No such reportable gifts.)SOURCEDESCRIPTIONVALUE

1. _____

VI. LIABILITIES. (Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 32-34 of instructions.)☒ **NONE** - (No reportable liabilities.)CREDITORDESCRIPTIONVALUE CODE

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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS – income, value, transactions (includes those of the spouse and dependent children. See pp. 34-37 of filing instructions.)

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)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)	If not exempt from disclosure			
	Amount Code 1 (A-H)	Type (e.g. div. rent. or int.)	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	Type (e.g. buy, sell, merger, redemption)	(2) Date: Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
☐ NONE (No reportable income, assets, or transactions)									
1. Artisan Mid Cap		None	K	T					
2. FPA Capital	A	Dividend	K	T					
3. Harbor International	B	Dividend	M	T	Part Sale	12/15	K	C	
4. Legg Mason Value		None	L	T					
5. Longleaf Partners	B	Dividend	K	T	Part Sale	12/15	K	D	
6. Longleaf Partners Small-Cap	C	Dividend	K	T					
7. Oakmark International	A	Dividend	K	T					
8. Oakmark Select	A	Dividend	K	T					
9. Selected American Shares	A	Dividend	K	T					
10. TCW Galileo Select		None	K	T					
11. Vanguard Special Energy	A	Dividend	K	T	Part Sale	12/15	K	D	
12. Westport Select Cap		None	K	T					
13. FPA New Income	C	Dividend	M	T					
14. Vanguard Inter Muni	D	Dividend	M	T	Part Sale	12/15	K	A	
15. Vanguard Short-Term Tax-Exempt	C	Dividend	M	T					
16. Schwab Money Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
17. Longleaf Partners (IRA)	A	Dividend	K	T					
18. TCW Galileo Select (IRA)		None	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 = \$250,000-\$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 = \$50,000,001-\$100,000,000		
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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	(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, merger, redemption)	If not exempt from disclosure			
						(2) Date: Month - Day	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
19. Thornburg International Value (IRA)	A	Dividend	K	T					
20. Westport Select (IRA)		None	J	T	Part Sale	12/14	J	A	
21. FPA New Income (IRA)	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	12/15	J		
22. Pimco Low Duration (IRA)	A	Dividend	J	T	Part Sale	12/14	J	A	
23. Mellon Bank Account	A	Interest	K	T					
24. National City Checking	A	Interest	J	T					
25. U.S. Savings Bonds (see additional comment)	B	Interest	J	T	Part Redeem	4/20	J	B	

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS

(Indicate part of Report.)

U.S. Savings Bonds were received [REDACTED] as inheritance. The bonds were overlooked and not previously reported.

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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. § 501 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.

Signature

Date

4/28/05

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

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