

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) Gruender, Raymond W	2. Court or Organization Eighth Circuit Court of Appeal	3. Date of Report 3/28/2005
4. Title (Article III Judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) U.S. Circuit Judge - Active	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 111 South Tenth Street Suite 23365 St. Louis, MO 63102	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.)

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1. <u>Adviser</u>	<u>W.R. Persons Charitable Trust (advise on charities to receive funding; no control or involvement in investment or disposition of assets)</u>
2. <u>Executive Board</u>	<u>Midwest High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) (serve in capacity as U.S. Attorney - resigned 06/04)</u>
3. <u>Executive Board</u>	<u>Gateway Information Sharing Project (serve in capacity as U.S. Attorney - resigned 06/04)</u>
4. <u>Allocations Committee</u>	<u>Variety Club of St. Louis (advise on charities to receive funding; no control or involvement in investment or disposition of assets)</u>

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. _____	_____

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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. 2004

Aon Consulting [REDACTED]

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

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V. GIFTS. (Includes those to spouse and dependent children. See pp. 28-31 of instructions.)☒ **NONE** - (No such reportable gifts.)SOURCEDESCRIPTIONVALUE1.

VI. LIABILITIES. (Includes those of spouse and dependent children. See pp. 32-34 of instructions.)☒ **NONE** - (No reportable liabilities.)CREDITORDESCRIPTIONVALUE CODE1.

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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS -- income, value, transactions (includes those of the spouse and dependent children. See pp. 34-57 of filing instructions.)

A. Description of Assets (excluding 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 (I-P)	Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	Type (e.g. buy, sell, transfer, 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. UMB Bank (checking account)	A	Interest	K	T					
2. UMB Bank (money market account)	A	Interest	J	T	Closed	7-21	K		
3. Cisco common stock		None	J	T					
4. Citigroup common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
5. Corning common stock (X)		None	J	T					
6. Crown Holding common stock (X)		None	J	T					
7. Dell common stock		None	J	T					
8. Exxon Mobil common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
9. Federal National Mortgage common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
10. FedEx common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
11. Ford common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
12. Fox Entertainment common stock		None	J	T					
13. General Electric common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
14. Home Depot common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
15. Intel common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. Merck common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
17. Microsoft common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
18. Oracle common stock		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	
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3. Value Method Codes	Q = Appraisal	R = Cost (Real Estate Only)	S = Assessed	T = Cash/Annuity	
(See Column C2)	U = Book Value	V = Other	W = Estimated		

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19. Proctor & Gamble common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
20. Talbot's common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
21. U.S. Steel common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
22. Verisign common stock		None	J	T					
23. Wal-Mart common stock	A	Dividend	J	T					
24. Xerox common stock		None	J	T					
25. Yahoo common stock		None	J	T					
26. Scottrade money market	A	Interest	K	T					
27. IRA--American Funds; Small Cap World Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
28. IRA--Scottrade	A	Dividend	L	T					
29. --AIM Large Cap Growth Fund (f/k/a Invesco Growth Fund)									
30. --AIM Technology Fund (f/k/a Invesco Technology)									
31. --AIM Small Co. Growth Fund (f/k/a Invesco Small Co. Fund)									
32. --Fidelity Advisor Growth Opportunities									
33. --Gabelli Global Growth Fund									
34. --Gabelli Value Fund									
35. --Janus Enterprise Fund									
36. --Janus Mercury Fund									

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37. --MFS Emerging Growth Fund									
38. --MFS Massachusetts Investors Growth Stock Fund									
39. --Putnam International Equity Fund									
40. --Putnam New Opportunities Fund									
41. --T. Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth Fund									
42. --T. Rowe Price Science and Technology Fund									
43. --Scottrade Money Market									
44. Towers-Perrin 401(k) Savings Plan (Mix D, indep. Managed)		None	M	T					
45. Aon Savings Plan	D	Dividend	L	T					
46. --Dodge & Cox Stock Fund					Buy	Bi-mo	J		
47. --Invesco 500 Index Trust					Sold	1st Q	J		
48. --Invesco Dynamics					Sold	1st Q	J		
49. --Managers Special Equity					Buy	Bi-mo	J		
50. --Invesco International Equity Trust					Sold	1st Q	J		
51. --Aon Common Stock									
52. --Invesco Asset Allocation Trust					Sold	1st Q	K		
53. --Vanguard Capital Opportunities					Buy	Bi-mo	J		
54. --American Funds - EuroPacific Growth					Buy	Bi-mo	J		

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55. --SSgA S&P 500 Index Strategy					Buy	Bi-mo	J		
56. --NDR Asset Allocation Strategy					Buy	Bi-mo	K		
57. [REDACTED]	D	Dividend	M						See note Part VIII
58. --Vanguard Tax Exempt Money Market					Buy	2/12	J		
59. --Vanguard Intermediate Term Tax Exempt Fund					Buy	02/11	L		
60.					Buy	03/1	J		

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS

(Indicate part of Report.)

Part VII, Line 57: [REDACTED] is trustee and a beneficiary. This trust was created and initially funded during the gap period between the ending date of my nomination report (9/9/01/03) and the beginning of this reporting period (01/01/04).

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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

3/28/05

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)

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