

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2019

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) Nowak, Christine A.	2. Court or Organization United States District Court, Eastern District of Texas	3. Date of Report 05/18/2020
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Full-Time United States Magistrate Judge	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2019 to 12/31/2019
	5b. ☐ Amended Report	
7. Chambers or Office Address United States Courthouse Annex 200 North Travis Street Sherman, TX 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.)

POSITION

NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY

1. Board Member at Large	Grayson County Bar Association (local bar association)
2. Guest lecturer/Judge Trial Advocacy Exercises	SMU Dedman School of Law/Baylor Law School (educational institutions) (unpaid position)
3. Board Member at Large	Collin County Women Lawyers Association (non-profit)
4.	
5.	

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

☐ NONE (No reportable agreements.)

DATE

PARTIES AND TERMS

1. 2008	KL Gates 401K Savings and Retirement Plan (former law firm, no control)
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. 2019	Henley & Henley- Salary
2. 2019	State of Texas - Salary
3. 2019	Collin County - Salary
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.				
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.			
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.	ACS	Student Loan	J
2.	AES	Student Loan	J
3.			
4.			
5.			

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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. USAA Account	A	Interest	J	T					
2. USAA CD	A	Interest	J	T					
3. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (prepaid tuition plan)		None	K	T					
4. Dallas County Pension Plan (not self directed)	A	Dividend	L	T					
5. KL Gates 401K Savings & Investment Plan									
6. - American Funds Europac Growth R6	A	Dividend	J	T					
7. - Nuveen Real Estate I	A	Dividend	J	T					
8. - Vanguard Growth Index Institution	A	Dividend	M	T					
9. Dallas County 457(b)									
10. - Oppenheimer Global Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
11. - Neuberger Berman Equity Trust- Genesis Fund	A	Dividend	K	T					
12. - FID OTC Port	A	Dividend	J	T					
13. - TRowe Price Growth Stock	A	Dividend	L	T					
14. - Wells Fargo Advantage	A	Dividend	K	T					
15. USAA CD	A	Interest	J	T					
16. Henley & Henley 401K Savings & Investment Plan									
17. - Voya Small Cap Index Equity Fund 361657	A	Dividend	K	T					

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 \$50,000,000	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. USAA IRA									
19. - V.F. Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T					
20. - Proctor & Gamble Company	A	Dividend	J	T					
21. - Johnson & Johnson	A	Dividend	J	T					
22. - Ford Motor Co.	A	Dividend	J	T					
23. - Fluor Corp New	A	Dividend	J	T					
24. - Estee Lauder Companies	A	Dividend	J	T					
25. - Caterpillar Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					
26. - Big Lots Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					
27. - Baxter Int'l	A	Dividend	J	T					
28. - Abbvie Inc. Com	A	Dividend	J	T					
29. - Abbott Laboratories	A	Dividend	J	T					
30. -Kontoor Brands Inc. Com	A	Dividend	J	T					
31. -Takeda Pharmeceutical Co Ltd. Spons.	A	Dividend	J	T					
32. USAA IRA									
33. - VISA Inc. CL A	A	Dividend	K	T					
34. - Microsoft Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T					

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Table with 10 columns: A (Description of Assets), B (Income during reporting period), C (Gross value at end of reporting period), D (Transactions during reporting period), and 5 sub-columns for D. Rows 35-43 contain investment data.

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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/ Christine A. Nowak**

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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