

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2020

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) Wolfson, Freda L.	2. Court or Organization United States District Court for the District of New Jersey	3. Date of Report 05/10/2021
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Article III Chief District Judge, Active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2020 to 12/31/2020
7. Chambers or Office Address Clarkson S. Fisher Courthouse 402 East State Street Trenton, New Jersey, 08608		
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.		
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.		
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. 2020	Weingarten Law Firm LLC - Salary
2. 2020	M&M Realty Partners, LLC - earned bonus
3. 2020	Greenbaum Rowe Smith & David LLP - legal fees
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.	M&M Aviation Partners	2/13/2020 - 2/17/2020	New Jersey to Nassau, Bahamas and return	Personal 	Transportation
2.	JSM at Stelton LLC	2/13/2020 - 2/17/2020	Nassau, Bahamas	Personal 	Lodging and meals
3.	M&M Aviation Partners	3/14/2020; 7/8/2020; 11/1/2020	Florida to New Jersey	Personal	Transportation
4.	M&M Aviation Partners	6/17/2020; 10/28/2020; 12/17/2020	New Jersey to Florida	Personal	Transportation
5.	JSM at Falcon LLC	1/26/2020	Florida to New Jersey	Personal	Transportation

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6.	JSM at Falcon LLC	3/5/2020	New Jersey to Florida	Personal	Transportation
7.					

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V. GIFTS. (Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)

☒ NONE (No reportable gifts.)

SOURCE	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
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.)

CREDITOR	DESCRIPTION	VALUE CODE
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
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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.)

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 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)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	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, redemption)	Date mm/dd/yy	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Gain Code 1 (A-H)	Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)
1. Bank of America (various accounts)	A	Interest	M	T					
2. Charles Schwab & Co. Inc. Custodial IRA (H)									
3. -BlackRock Strategic Income Opp. Portfolio Ins. Shares: BSIIX	B	Dividend	K	T					
4. -Ishares Russell Mid Cap Grw ETF IV: IWP	D	Dividend	K	T					
5. -Ishares S&P 500 Growth ETF IV: IVW	E	Dividend	L	T					
6. -Vanguard FTSE Developed MATS ETF IV: VEA	D	Dividend	L	T					
7. -Vanguard High Dividend Yield ETF IV	E	Dividend	L	T					
8. -Vanguard Short-Term Bond ETF IV: BSV	A	Dividend	K	T					
9. -Vanguard Small Cap Growth ETF IV: VBK	D	Dividend	K	T					
10. -Wisdomtree US Midcap Dividend ETF: DON	D	Dividend	K	T					
11. -Wisdomtree US Smallcap Dividend ETF: DES	D	Dividend	K	T					
12. -Wisdomtree Emrg. Mkts. Smallcap Dividend ETF: DGS	C	Dividend	K	T					
13. -Ishares S&P 500 Growth ETF IV: IVW		Distribution			Sold (part)	09/15/20	K	D	
14.									
15.									
16.									
17.									

1 Income Gain Codes:

(See Columns B1 and D4)

2 Value Codes

(See Columns C1 and D3)

3 Value Method Codes

(See Column C2)

A =\$1,000 or less

F =\$50,001 - \$100,000

J =\$15,000 or less

N =\$250,001 - \$500,000

P3 =\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000

Q =Appraisal

U =Book Value

B =\$1,001 - \$2,500

G =\$100,001 - \$1,000,000

K =\$15,001 - \$50,000

O =\$500,001 - \$1,000,000

R =Cost (Real Estate Only)

V =Other

C =\$2,501 - \$5,000

H1 =\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000

L =\$50,001 - \$100,000

P1 =\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000

P4 =More than \$50,000,000

S =Assessment

W =Estimated

D =\$5,001 - \$15,000

H2 =More than \$5,000,000

M =\$100,001 - \$250,000

P2 =\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000

T =Cash Market

E =\$15,001 - \$50,000

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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/ **Freda L. Wolfson**

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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