

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2011

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) Karas, Kenneth M.	2. Court or Organization US District Court -- SDNY	3. Date of Report 07/02/2012
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) District Judge -- Active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2011 to 12/31/2011
7. Chambers or Office Address 300 Quarropas Street, Room 533 White Plains, NY 10601		
IMPORTANT NOTES: The instructions accompanying this form must be followed. Complete all parts, checking the <i>NONE</i> box for each part where you have no reportable information. Insert signature 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. Trustee	Trustee #1
2. Member, Board of Directors	National Association of Urban Debate Leagues
3.	
4.	
5.	

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.	
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.)*

DATE

SOURCE AND TYPE

INCOME

(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.)*

DATE

SOURCE AND TYPE

1. 2011

-- Salary

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.)*

SOURCE

DATES

LOCATION

PURPOSE

ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED

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.)*SOURCEDESCRIPTIONVALUE

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.)*CREDITORDESCRIPTIONVALUE 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.)

☐ 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. JFCU	A	Interest	J	T					
2. Citibank Savings Account	A	Interest	J	T					
3. Citibank Checking Account		None	M	T					
4. HR-10 Fidelity Diversified Int'l Fund K		None	L	T					
5. HR-10 Royce Total Return Investment Fund		None			Closed	7/22/11	L		
6. HR-10 Royce Total Return Investment Int'l Fund		None	L	T	Open	7/22/11	L		
7. HR-10 Oakmark Equity & Income Investment Fund		None	L	T					
8. HR-10 AF Growth Fund American R5		None			Closed	7/22/11	M		
9. HR-10 AF Growth Fund American R6		None	M	T	Open	7/22/11	M		
10. HR-10 JHancock Class Val 1		None	K	T					
11. 401K Fidelity Diversified Int'l Fund K		None	L	T					
12. 401K Royce Total Return Investment Fund		None			Closed	7/22/11	L		
13. 401K Royce Total Return Investment Int'l fund		None	L	T	Open	7/22/11	L		
14. 401K Oakmark Equity & Income Investment Fund		None	L	T					
15. 401K AF Growth Fund American R5		None			Closed	7/22/11	L		
16. 401K AF Growth Fund American R6		None	L	T	Open	7/22/11	L		
17. 401K JHancock Class Val 1		None	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 H = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	D = \$5,001 - \$15,000 I = More than \$5,000,000	E = \$15,001 - \$50,000 J = More than \$50,000,000
2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	J = \$15,000 or less N = \$250,001 - \$500,000 P = \$250,000.01 - \$500,000.00	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 \$5,000,000	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. E*Trade Sweep Account	A	Interest	J	T					
19. NY 529 Vanguard Agressive Fund (no control)		None	K	T					
20. NY 529 Vanguard Aggressive Fund (no control)		None	K	T					
21. Citibank IRA	A	Interest			Closed	1/27/11	J		
22. Morgan Stanley IRA	A	Interest	J	T	Open	1/27/11	J		
23. Citibank IRA	A	Interest			Closed	1/27/11	J		
24. Morgan Stanley	A	Interest	J	T	Open	1/27/11	J		
25. Merrill Lynch/Bank of America (Various Accounts)	A	Interest			Closed	1/26/11	N		
26. Morgan Stanley	A	Interest	N	T	Open	1/26/11	N		

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

The Trust discussed in Part I is a non-funded insurance trust for a [REDACTED] member who is a trustee of a similar trust in my name. However, neither trust confers any current benefits or income and only is triggered upon or [REDACTED] member's demise.

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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/ **Kenneth M. Karas**

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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