

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) DAWSON, JR., HOWARD A.	2. Court or Organization U.S. TAX COURT	3. Date of Report 05/01/2012
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Judge - Senior Status	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 U.S. TAX COURT 400 SECOND ST., N.W. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20217		
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. Insert signature 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.		
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.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPEINCOME
(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.)*DATESOURCE AND TYPE

1. _____

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.)*SOURCEDATESLOCATIONPURPOSEITEMS 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.)*

<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.		
2.		
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1. Stocks are common shares unless otherwise specified									
2. Bank of America-checking	A	Interest	L	T					
3. Bank of America-M.Mkt.	A	Interest	K	T					
4. Coca Cola Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					
5. Kraft Foods Inc.	A	Dividend	K	T					
6. Pembina Pipeline	C	Dividend	K	T	Buy	10/25/11	J		
7. Telcom Corp. NZ	A	Dividend	J	T					
8. Keyspan Corp. (now Keycorp)	A	Dividend	J	T					
9. Progress Energy	B	Dividend	K	T					
10. Reynolds American	A	Dividend	J	T					
11. Reynolds American	A	Dividend	J	T					
12. Southern Co.	B	Dividend	K	T					
13. DNP Select Income Fund	C	Dividend	K	T					
14. Aberdeen Asia Income Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
15. Provident Energy Trust	A	Dividend	J	T					
16. Provident Energy Trust	A	Dividend	J	T					
17. Philip Morris Intl. Co.	B	Dividend	K	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 = \$250,001 - \$500,000	O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	P1 = \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	P2 = \$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
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18. T. Rowe Price MD Bond Fund	D	Interest	M	T					
19. Atlantic Power Corp.	B	Dividend	K	T	Buy	10/25/11	K		
20. Dreyfus T.E. Bond Fund	B	Interest	K	T					
21. MD Trans. Auth. Bonds	A	Interest	J	T	Redeemed (part)	07/01/11	J	C	
22. MFS Inter. Inc. Trust	A	Dividend	J	T					
23. No. Eur. Oil Rlty Trust	B	Royalty	K	T					
24. Southern Co.	A	Dividend	J	T					
25. Washington Gas (WGL)	A	Dividend	K	T					
26. BAC Capital Trust Pfd.	A	Dividend	J	T					
27. Fairpoint Comm.	A	Dividend			Sold	04/14/11	J		
28. Pepsico	A	Dividend	J	T					
29. N.B. Mun. Securities Trust	B	Interest	K	T					
30. Southern Copper Corp.	B	Dividend			Sold	01/04/11	K	D	
31. Altria Inc.	B	Dividend	K	T					
32. Abbott Labs	A	Dividend	J	T					
33. Enbridge, Inc.	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	04/15/11	J		
34. Johnson & Johnson Co.	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	05/12/11	J		

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35. Wachovia Pfd.	A	Dividend	J	T					
36. Exxon-Mobil	B	Dividend	K	T					
37. Encana Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T					
38. Bristol-Myers-Squibb	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	04/15/11	J		
39. Telecom de Sao Paulo	B	Dividend	K	T					
40. Fidelity Md. Spartan Bond Fund	C	Interest	L	T					
41. Templeton Emer. Mkt. Income Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
42. Verizon Inc.	B	Dividend	K	T					
43. AT&T Inc.	B	Dividend	K	T					
44. H.J. Heinz Co.	A	Dividend	J	T					
45. DTF Tax Free Income	B	Dividend	K	T					
46. Dow Chemical	A	Dividend	J	T					
47. Procter & Gamble	A	Dividend	J	T					
48. General Electric Co.	A	Dividend			Sold	11/30/11	J		
49. Australia & NZ Bank	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	10/25/11	J		
50. Annaly Capital	A	Dividend	J	T					
51. RMA Tax Free Fund (UBS)	A	Interest	L	T					

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52. Raytheon Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T					
53. Felcor Suite Hotels Pfd.	A	Dividend	J	T					
54. Telstra Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/14/11	J		
55. Wal-Mart Stores	A	Dividend	K	T					
56. Microsoft.	A	Dividend	J	T					
57. Transcanada Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/14/11	J		
58. ACC Income Fund	A	Dividend	J	T					
59. United Utilities	A	Dividend	J	T					
60. Microsoft	A	Dividend	K	T					
61. Pfizer, Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					
62. Dominion Resource BW	A	Dividend	J	T					
63. Bank of America Pfd. Trust 1	A	Dividend	J	T					
64. Royal Dutch Pet. Co.	B	Dividend	K	T					
65. Penn West Energy Trust	B	Dividend	K	T					
66. General Electric Co.	A	Dividend			Sold	11/30/11	J		
67. National Grid PLC	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/14/11	J		
68. Astra Zeneca	B	Dividend	K	T	Buy	05/12/11	K		

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69. Lorillard, Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					
70. Pimco Corp. Op. Fund	B	Dividend	K	T					
71. ING Group (Debt)	A	Interest	J	T					
72. AT&T Inc.	B	Dividend	K	T					
73. Genuine Parts	A	Dividend	J	T					
74. Pitney Bowes	A	Dividend	J	T					
75. DuPont	A	Dividend	J	T					
76. Wells Fargo	A	Dividend	J	T					
77. Clorox	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	04/15/11	J		
78. Enerplus Res. Fund	B	Dividend	K	T	Buy	04/15/11	J		
79. AGL Resources (Formerly NICOR Inc.)	A	Dividend	J	T	Distributed (part)	12/15/11	J	C	
80. Piedmont Nat. Gas	A	Dividend	K	T					
81. Canon Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	02/14/11	J		
82. Diageo PLC	A	Dividend	K	T	Buy	05/12/11	K		
83. Sanofi	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	05/12/11	J		
84. Nuveen MD Muni Bond Fund	A	Interest	K	T	Buy	10/25/11	K		
85. American MD T. Exempt Fund	A	Interest	K	T	Buy	10/25/11	K		

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86. Royal Dutch Pet. Co.	B	Dividend	K	T					
87. Verizon	B	Dividend	K	T					
88. Brasil Telecom	A	Dividend			Sold	11/30/11	J		
89. Windstream Corp.	B	Dividend	K	T					
90. Nestle	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	05/12/11	J		
91. Bank of Nova Scotia	A	Dividend	J	T					
92. Bank of Nova Scotia	A	Dividend	J	T					
93. France Telecom	A	Dividend	J	T					
94. Kimberly Clark	A	Dividend	J	T					
95. Kimberly Clark	A	Dividend	J	T					
96. Yanzhou Coal Mining	A	Dividend	J	T					
97. Brasil Telecom	A	Dividend			Sold	11/30/11	J		
98. Cenovus Energy Corp.	A	Dividend	J	T					
99. i Shares MSCI Brazil	A	Dividend	J	T					
100. Chevy Chase Bank - Checking	A	Interest	L	T					
101. Novartis	A	Dividend	J	T	Buy	04/15/11	J		
102. Frontier Comm. Inc.	A	Dividend	J	T					

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

Line 79. - AGL stock was received in a merger with NICOR and cash distributed.

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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/ **HOWARD A. DAWSON, JR.**

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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