

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2017

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) Hacker, James S.	2. Court or Organization United States Court-Southern District of Texas	3. Date of Report 05/15/2018
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) United States Magistrate Judge (FT)	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) ☐ Nomination ☐ Date ☐ Initial ☒ Annual ☐ Final 5b. ☐ Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2017 to 12/31/2017
7. Chambers or Office Address 1701 W. Business Hwy 83, Suite 820 McAllen, Texas 78501		
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.)

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
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.)*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.)*SOURCEDESCRIPTIONVALUE

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4.

5.

VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*CREDITORDESCRIPTIONVALUE CODE

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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. Texas District/County Retirement Account	A	Interest	J	T					
2. IBC Bank, Acct. #1	A	Interest	J	T					
3. IBC Bank, Acct. #2		None	J	T					
4. Security Services Federal Credit Union, Savings Acct. # 1	A	Interest	J	T					
5. Royalty Interest, Gregg County, Texas (Trivium Operating)	A	Royalty	K	W					
6. Royalty Interest, Panola County, Texas (Sojitz Energy)	A	Royalty	K	W					
7. Royalty Interest, Claiborne Parrish, LA (Whiting Petro.)		None	J	W					
8. Royalty Interest, Freestone County, Texas		None	J	W					
9. Royalty Interest, Rusk County, Texas (Sabine Oil and Gas)	A	Royalty	K	W					
10. Brokerage Account #1 (H)									
11. Scottrade Money Balance	A	Interest	J	T					
12. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (age based account #1)		None	L	T					
13. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (age based account #2)		None	K	T					
14. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (age based account #3)		None	K	T					
15. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (age based account #4)		None	K	T					
16. Texas Tuition Promise Fund (age based account #5)		None	K	T					
17. Texas College Savings Plan (529 account #1) (H)									

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 = \$250,001 - \$500,000	K = \$15,001 - \$50,000 O = \$500,001 - \$1,000,000	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. Blended 100% portfolio		None	J	T					
19. Blended Age Based 7-9 portfolio		None	J	T					
20. Index 100% Equity portfolio		None	J	T					
21.									
22. Texas College Savings Plan (529 account #2) (H)									
23. Blended 100% portfolio		None	J	T					
24. Blended Age Based 0-6 portfolio		None	J	T					
25. Index 100% Equity portfolio		None	J	T					
26.									
27. Texas College Savings Plan (529 account #3) (H)									
28. Blended 100% portfolio		None	J	T					
29. Blended Age Based 0-6 portfolio		None	J	T					
30. Index 100% Equity portfolio		None	J	T					
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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

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In Part VII, Number 5, Chinn Exploration sold out to Trivium Operating.

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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/ James S. Hacker**

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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