

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2015

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) Miller, Jr., Robert L.	2. Court or Organization U.S.D.C. (INN)	3. Date of Report 05/14/2016
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 01/01/2015 to 12/31/2015
7. Chambers or Office Address 325 Robert A. Grant Fed. Bldg. 204 S. Main St. South Bend, IN 46601		
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. 4/06	West Pub. Co. - Royalties 15% (3d edition of lawbook)
2. 4/10	Thomson Reuters (West Pub. Co.) Royalties 15% - annual lawbook
3. 4/10	Thomson Reuters (West Pub. Co.) Royalties 15% - supplement to 3d edition
4. 11/15	Thomson Reuters (West Pub. Co.) Royalties 15% - 4th edition of lawbook

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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. 3/1, 9/1	Thomson Reuters (West Pub. Co.)	\$32,433.37
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. 2015	State of Indiana - 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.)*

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED</u>
1.				
2.				
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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.		
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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.		
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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. Sprint Corp. (common)	A	Dividend	J	T					
2. IRA - Raymond James -h									
3. Investment Co. of America (mut fund) American Funds family	C	Dividend	L	T					
4. Fundamental Investors Inc (mut fund) American Funds Family	A	Dividend	K	T					
5. New Perspective Fund (mut fund) American Funds family	C	Dividend	L	T					
6. Smallcap World Fund (mut fund) American Funds family)	A	Dividend	K	T					
7. New Economy FUND (mut fund) American Funds family	B	Dividend	K	T					
8. Touchstone Growth Value (mut fund) Touchstone family	B	Dividend	J	T					
9. IRA - Raymond James -d									
10. Heritage Cash Trust	A	Distribution	J	T					
11. Touchstone Midcap (mut fund) Touchstone family - i	C	None	K	T					
12. Touchstone Opportunities Fund (mut fund) Touchstone family -j	B	Distribution	K	T					
13. IRA - Standard Federal Bank	A	Interest	J	T					
14. Raymond James -a	A	Dividend	J	T					
15.									
16. .1044% interest in unit at Disney World		None	J	R					
17. undivided interest in real estate in Cass County, MI		None	J	R					

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

Additional Investments and Trusts for Part VII:

19. 1st Source Bank money market (j) Income B/interest Gross value M/T

20. Century Tel common stock Income A/dividend Gross value J/T

Additional Information or Explanations from Part VII Investments and Trusts

a- Part VII, line 14. This account holds the Sprint common stock shown on line 1 of Part VII. There is no additional value to this account beyond the Sprint stock.

b- Part VII, line 16. This was purchased on December 11, 1993 for \$11,210.

c- Part VII, line 17. This was purchased in a family transaction for \$1 on October 10, 1998.

d- Part VII, line 9. This IRA consists solely of the assets listed on lines 10-12 of Part VII. There is no additional value to this account.

h- Part VII, line 2. This IRA consists of the assets listed on lines 3-8 of Part VII.

i - formerly named Touchstone Emerging Growth Fund

j - formerly named Touchstone Growth Value Fund

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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.

Robert L. Miller, Jr.

Signature: s/ **Robert L. Miller, 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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