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UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

FORM B

For New Members, Candidates, and New Employees

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
(Office Use Only)Name: James R. Comer, Jr.

Daytime Telephone: _____

FILER
STATUSNew Member of or Candidate for
U.S. House of RepresentativesState: KY
District: 01Candidates - Date of Election: 11/2014Check if
AmendmentNew Officer or Employee
Employing Office: _____Period Covered: January 1, 2015
to 11/1/15A \$200 penalty shall be assessed against any
individual who files more than 30 days late.

PRELIMINARY INFORMATION - ANSWER EACH OF THESE QUESTIONS

A. Did you, your spouse, or your dependent child:

a. Own any reportable asset that was worth more than \$1,000 at the
end of the reporting period? orb. Make more than \$200 in unearned income from any reportable
asset during the reporting period?Yes ☒ No ☐E. Did you hold any reportable positions during the reporting period
or in the current calendar year up through the date of filing?Yes ☒ No ☐C. Did you or your spouse have "earned" income (e.g., salaries,
honoraria, or pension/IRA distributions) of \$200 or more during the
reporting period?Yes ☒ No ☐F. Did you have any reportable agreements or arrangements with
an outside entity during the reporting period or in the current
calendar year up through the date of filing?Yes ☐ No ☒D. Did you, your spouse, or your dependent child have any reportable
liability (more than \$10,000) at any point during the reporting period?Yes ☒ No ☐J. Did you receive compensation of more than \$5,000 from a single
source in the current year and two prior years?Yes ☐ No ☒

ATTACH THE CORRESPONDING SCHEDULE IF YOU ANSWER "YES"

THIS FORM INCLUDES ONLY THE SCHEDULES THAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE

EXCLUSION OF SPOUSE, DEPENDENT, OR TRUST INFORMATION - ANSWER BOTH OF THESE QUESTIONS

TRUSTS - Details regarding "Qualified Blind Trusts" approved by the Committee on Ethics and certain other "excepted trusts" need not be disclosed. Have you excluded from
this report details of such a trust that benefits you, your spouse, or your dependent child?Yes ☐ No ☒EXEMPTION - Have you excluded from this report any other assets, "unearned" income, transactions, or liabilities of a spouse or dependent child because they meet all three
tests for exemption? Do not answer "yes" unless you have first consulted with the Committee on Ethics.Yes ☐ No ☒

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Use additional sheets if more space is required.

SCHEDULE A - ASSETS & "UNEARNED INCOME"

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BLOCK A			BLOCK B													BLOCK C								BLOCK D																								
Assets and/or Income Sources			Value of Asset													Type of Income								Amount of Income																								
SP, DC, JT	ASSET NAME	EF	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	NONE	DIVIDENDS	RENT	INTEREST	CAPITAL GAINS	EXCEPTED/BLIND TRUST	TAX-DEFERRED	Other Type of Income (Specify: e.g., Partnership Income or Farm Income)	Current Year												Preceding Year												
			None	\$1-\$1,000	\$1,001-\$15,000	\$15,001-\$50,000	\$50,001-\$100,000	\$100,001-\$250,000	\$250,001-\$500,000	\$500,001-\$1,000,000	\$1,000,001-\$5,000,000	\$5,000,001-\$25,000,000	\$25,000,001-\$50,000,000	Over \$50,000,000	Spouse/DC Asset over \$1,000,000*										I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
	Hillbush-Lyons (1EA) First Trust						X									X								X											X													
	SP Hillbush-Lyons (1EA) JT Fund						X									X								X										X														
	KY Retirement System					X										X								X											X													
	KY Legislative Retirement System					X										X								X											X													
	Republic Bank Stock					X										X								X											X													
(5)	NT Northwest Plaza Development							X												X				X										X														
(6)	Lee Farm Receivable												X							X				X										X														
	American Funds (Roth 1EA)				X																		X																									

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EXCLUDE: Military pay (such as National Guard or Reserve pay), federal retirement programs, and benefits received under the Social Security Act.

INCOME LIMITS and PROHIBITED INCOME: Be advised that the income limit and prohibited income may apply to you after you are on House payroll. The 2014 limit on outside earned income for Members and employees compensated at or above the "senior staff" rate was \$26,955. The 2015 limit is \$27,225. In addition, certain types of income (notably honoraria, director's fees, and payments for professional services involving a fiduciary relationship) are totally prohibited for Members and senior staff.

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SCHEDULE D - LIABILITIES

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Report liabilities of over \$10,000 owed to any one creditor at any time during the reporting period by you, your spouse, or your dependent child. Mark the highest amount owed during the reporting period. **New Members:** Members are required to report all liabilities secured by real property including mortgages on their personal residence. **Exclude:** Any mortgage on your personal residence (unless you rent it out or are a Member); loans secured by automobiles, household furniture, or appliances; liabilities of a business in which you own an interest (unless you are personally liable); and liabilities owed to you by a spouse or the child, parent, or sibling of you or your spouse. Report a revolving charge account (i.e., credit card) only if the balance at the close of the reporting period exceeded \$10,000. *Column K is for liabilities held solely by your spouse or dependent child.

SP, DC, JT	Creditor	Date Liability Incurred MO/YR	Type of Liability	Amount of Liability										
				A \$10,001- \$15,000	B \$15,001- \$50,000	C \$50,001- \$100,000	D \$100,001- \$250,000	E \$250,001- \$500,000	F \$500,001- \$1,000,000	G \$1,000,001- \$5,000,000	H \$5,000,001- \$25,000,000	I \$25,000,001- \$50,000,000	J Over \$50,000,000	K Over \$1,000,000* (Spouse/DC Liability)
Example	First Bank of Wilmington, DE	5/98	Mortgage on Rental Property, Dover, DE				X							
	South Central Bank	4/12	Mortgage on farmland (Kirkspring)					X						
	Farm Credit Services	5/03	Mortgage on farmland (Carahans)					X						

SCHEDULE E - POSITIONS

Report all positions, compensated or uncompensated, as an officer, director, trustee of an organization, partner, proprietor, representative, employee, or consultant of any corporation, firm, partnership, or other business enterprise, nonprofit organization, labor organization, or educational or other institution other than the United States. **Exclude:** Positions held in any religious, social, fraternal, or political entities (such as political parties and campaign organizations); and positions solely of an honorary nature. **New Members and second-year candidates** report positions held in the reporting period and the current calendar year. **First-year candidates and new employees** report positions held in the current calendar year and two previous years.

Position	Name of Organization
Co-owner	Cower Land & Cattle Co.
owner	Farm Team Solutions

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