

# UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CALENDAR YEAR 2008 FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

FORM A  
For use by Members, officers, and employees

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Filer Status: ☒ Member of the U.S. House of Representatives State: PA District: 15

☐ Officer Or Employee

Employing Office:

Termination Date:

Report Type: ☒ Annual (May 15)

☐ Amendment

Termination

A \$200 penalty shall be assessed against anyone who files more than 30 days late.

## PRELIMINARY INFORMATION -- ANSWER EACH OF THESE QUESTIONS

I. Did you or your spouse have "earned" income (e.g., salaries or fees) of \$200 or more from any source in the reporting period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VI. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child receive any reportable gift in the reporting period (i.e., aggregating more than \$335 and not otherwise exempt)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes, complete and attach Schedule I.		If yes, complete and attach Schedule VI.	
II. Did any individual or organization make a donation to charity in lieu of paying you for a speech, appearance, or article in the reporting period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VII. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child receive any reportable travel or reimbursements for travel in the reporting period (worth more than \$335 from one source)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes, complete and attach Schedule II.		If yes, complete and attach Schedule VII.	
III. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child receive "unearned" income of more than \$200 in the reporting period or hold any reportable asset worth more than \$1,000 at the end of the period?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	VIII. Did you hold any reportable positions on or before the date of filing in the current calendar year?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes, complete and attach Schedule III.		If yes, complete and attach Schedule VIII.	
IV. Did you, your spouse, or dependent child purchase, sell, or exchange any reportable asset in a transaction exceeding \$1,000 during the reporting period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IX. Did you have any reportable agreement or arrangement with an outside entity?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, complete and attach Schedule IV.		If yes, complete and attach Schedule IX.	
V. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child have any reportable liability (more than \$10,000) during the reporting period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Each question in this part must be answered and the appropriate schedule attached for each "Yes" response.	
If yes, complete and attach Schedule V.			

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

Trusts-- Details regarding "Qualified Blind Trusts" approved by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct and certain other "excepted trusts" need not be disclosed. Have you excluded from this report details of such a trust benefiting you, your spouse, or dependent child?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Exemptions-- 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 Standards of Official Conduct.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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# SCHEDULE III - ASSETS AND "UNEARNED" INCOME

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BLOCK A Asset and/or Income Source	BLOCK B Year-End Value of Asset	BLOCK C Type of Income	BLOCK D Amount of Income	BLOCK E Transaction
<p>Identify (a) each asset held for investment or production of income with a fair market value exceeding \$1,000 at the end of the reporting period, and (b) any other assets or sources of income which generated more than \$200 in "unearned" income during the year. For rental property or land, provide a complete address. Provide full names of stocks and mutual funds (do not use ticker symbols). For all IRAs and other retirement plans (such as 401(k) plans) that are self directed (i.e., plans in which you have the power, even if not exercised, to select the specific investments), provide the value and income information on each asset in the account that exceeds the reporting threshold. For retirement plans that are not self-directed, name the institution holding the account and its value at the end of the reporting period. For an active business that is not publicly traded, state the name of the business, the nature of its activities, and its geographic location in Block A. For additional information, see the instruction booklet.</p> <p>Exclude: Your personal residence(s) (unless there is rental income); any debt owed to you by your spouse, or by your or your spouse's child, parent or sibling; any deposits totaling \$5,000 or less in personal savings accounts; any financial interest in or income derived from U.S. Government retirement programs.</p> <p>If you so choose, you may indicate that an asset or income source is that of your spouse (SP) or dependent child (DC) or is jointly held (JT), in the optional column on the far left.</p>	<p>at close of reporting year. If you use a valuation method other than fair market value, please specify the method used. If an asset was sold and is included only because it is generated income, the value should be "None."</p>	<p>Check all columns that apply. For retirement plans or accounts that do not allow you to choose specific investments, you may write "NA." For all other assets including all IRAs, indicate the type of income by checking the appropriate box below. Dividends and interest, even if reinvested, should be listed as income. Check "None" if asset did not generate any income during the calendar year.</p>	<p>For retirement plans or accounts that do not allow you to choose specific investments, you may write "NA" for income. For all other assets, including all IRAs, indicate the category of income by checking the appropriate box below. Dividends and interest, even if reinvested, should be listed as income. Check "None" if no income was earned or generated.</p>	<p>Indicate if asset had purchases (P), sales (S), or exchanges (E) exceeding \$1,000 in reporting year.</p>
JT AFLAC Inc. (Common)	\$15,001 - \$50,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000	
JT Aflac, Inc (Common)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-3 AllianceBernstein Growth & Income FD CL A	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-3 AllianceBernstein Large Cap Growth	\$1 - \$1,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-2 AllianceBernstein Large Cap Growth	\$1 - \$1,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
JT American Bank (Savings)	\$15,001 - \$50,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	

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JT	American Bank (Savings)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
SP	American Euro Pacific Growth Fund CL C (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
JT	Bank of America (Checking / Savings)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
JT	Bank of America (Common)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1,001 - \$2,500
	Commonwealth of PA Deferred Compensation Program (457 Plan -- Not Self Directed)	\$50,001 - \$100,000	N/A	NONE
SP	Davis NY Venture FD CL C (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
DC-2	Ellsworth Conv Growth & Income Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000
DC-3	Ellsworth Conv Growth & Income Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000
DC-1	Ellsworth Conv Growth & Income Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000
DC-2	Flagstar Bank CD	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$201 - \$1,000
DC-1	Flagstar Bank CD	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$201 - \$1,000
DC-3	Flagstar Bank CD	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
	Gabelli Equity Trust (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000
	Gabelli Healthcare & Wellness SRX (IRA)	\$1 - \$1,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200

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	Gabelli Utility Trust (IRA)	\$1 - \$1,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-3	I-Shares Dow Jones Select Dividend Index Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-1	I-Shares Dow Jones Select Dividend Index Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
DC-2	I-Shares Dow Jones Select Dividend Index Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
	I-Shares Dow Jones Select Dividend Index Fund (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
JT	I-shares Dow Jones Select Index Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000	
DC-1	Lafayette Ambassador Bank (Savings)	\$1 - \$1,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	
DC-2	Lafayette Ambassador Bank (Savings)	\$1 - \$1,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	
DC-3	Lafayette Ambassador Bank (Savings)	\$1 - \$1,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	
DC-1	Legg Mason Partners Equity Fund CL O	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
SP	Loomis Sayles Strategic Income Fund CL C (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000	
JT	Nuveen Municipal Value Fund	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000	
DC-2	Oppenheimer Quest Opportunity Value Fund CL C	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	
SP	Oppenheimer Small & Medium Cap Value FD CL C (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200	

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JT	PA Tap Account (529 Plan - Prepaid Tuition)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	N/A	NONE
	Pennsylvania State Employees Retirement System (Pension - Not Self Directed)	\$50,001 - \$100,000	N/A	NONE
JT	PIMCO FD PAC INVT MGMT All Asset FD CL C	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$201 - \$1,000
JT	Powershares Intl Divd Achievers Portfolio	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
	TIAA-CREF Stock Fund 403(B) Plan	\$1,001 - \$15,000	N/A	NONE
	TIAA-CREF Traditional Long-Term Bond Fund 403(B) Plan	\$1,001 - \$15,000	N/A	NONE
JT	Treasury Fund Daily Money Class	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
	Van Kampen Government SEC FD CL A (Beneficial IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
DC-2	Van Kampen Harbor Fund CL A	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
JT	Wachovia Corp New (Common)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	DIVIDENDS	\$1 - \$200
JT	Wachovia Securities Bank Deposit Sweep Option	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
DC-3	Wachovia Securities Bank Sweep Option	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
DC-2	Wachovia Securities Bank Sweep Option	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200
DC-1	Wachovia Securities Bank Sweep Option	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200

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	Wachovia Securities Bank Sweep Option (Beneficial IRA)	\$1 - \$1,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	
	Wachovia Securities Bank Sweep Option (IRA)	\$1,001 - \$15,000	INTEREST	\$1 - \$200	
DC	X: A 529 College Savings Account was set up by my children's maternal grandparents to benefit my children. I am not a beneficiary of the 529 College Savings Account. I have no control over the assets of the 529 College Savings Account.	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	

**SCHEDULE IX - AGREEMENTS**

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Identify the date, parties to, and general terms of any agreement or arrangement with respect to: future employment; a leave of absence during the period of government service; continuation or deferral of payments by a former or current employer other than the U.S. Government; or continuing participation in an employee welfare or benefit plan maintained by a former employer.

Date	Parties To	Terms of Agreement
2007	Charles W Dent & Commonwealth of PA	Health Insurance Provided by Highmark Blue Shield