

**UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**CALENDAR YEAR 2011 FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Form A  
For use by Members, officers, and employees

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Office Use Only)

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Filer Status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Member of the U.S. House of Representatives	State: <b>OH</b>	Officer or Employee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Employing Office:	
Report Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual (May 15, 2012)	District: <b>7</b>	Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Termination Date:	

**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? If yes, complete and attach Schedule I.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	VI. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child receive any reportable gift in the reporting period (i.e., aggregating more than \$350 and not otherwise exempt)? If yes, complete and attach Schedule VI.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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? If yes, complete and attach Schedule II.	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 \$350 from one source)? If yes, complete and attach Schedule VII.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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? If yes, complete and attach Schedule III.	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? If yes, complete and attach Schedule VIII.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IV. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child purchase, sell, or exchange any reportable asset in a transaction exceeding \$1,000 during the reporting period? If yes, complete and attach Schedule IV.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IX. Did you have any reportable agreement or arrangement with an outside entity? If yes, complete and attach Schedule IX.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
V. Did you, your spouse, or a dependent child have any reportable liability (more than \$10,000) during the reporting period? If yes, complete and attach Schedule V.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Each question in this part must be answered and the appropriate schedule attached for each "Yes" response.		

**EXCLUSION OF SPOUSE, DEPENDENT, OR TRUST INFORMATION — ANSWER EACH 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 benefiting you, your spouse, or dependent child?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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 <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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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.

**For payments to charity in lieu of honoraria, use Schedule J.**

List the source, activity (i.e., speech, appearance, or article), date, and amount of any payment made by the sponsor of an event to a charitable organization in lieu of an honorarium. A separate confidential list of charities receiving such payments must be filed directly with the Committee on Ethics. A green envelope for transmitting the list is included in each Member's filing package.

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## Continuation Sheet (if needed)

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\$1,001-\$15,000	A
\$15,001-\$50,000	B
\$50,001-\$100,000	C
\$100,001-\$250,000	D
\$250,001-\$500,000	E
\$500,001-\$1,000,000	F
\$1,000,001-\$5,000,000	G
\$5,000,001-\$25,000,000	H
\$25,000,001-\$50,000,000	I
Over \$50,000,000	J

**Capital Gains** — If a sales transaction resulted in a capital gain in excess of \$200, check the "capital gains" box and disclose this income on Schedule III.

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# SCHEDULE V— 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 dependent child. Mark the highest amount owed during the year. **Exclude:** Any mortgage on your personal residence (unless it is rented out); 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 a spouse, or the child, parent, or sibling of you or your spouse. Report **revolving charge accounts** (i.e., credit cards) only if the balance at the close of the preceding calendar year exceeded \$10,000. **NOTE:** Pending legislation may require Members to report mortgages on personal residences.

SP, DC, JT	Creditor	Date Liability Incurred Mo/Year	Type of Liability	Amount of Liability										
				A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	
	Example:	First Bank of Wilmington, DE	May 1998	Mortgage on 123 Main St., Dover, DE	\$10,001- \$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
JT	Huntington National Bank	Aug/1990	2587 Oakleaf Mortgage on Beauverestown				X							
JT	American Express	Dec. 2011	Credit Card (College Tuition)	X										

# SCHEDULE VI— GIFTS

Report the source, a brief description, and the value of all gifts totalling more than \$350 received by you, your spouse, or a dependent child from any source during the year. **Exclude:** Gifts from relatives, gifts of personal hospitality of an individual, local meals, and gifts to a spouse or dependent child that are totally independent of his or her relationship to you. Gifts with a value of \$140 or less need not be added towards the \$350 disclosure threshold. **Note:** The gift rule (House Rule 25, clause 5) prohibits acceptance of gifts except as specifically provided in the rule.

Source	Description	Value
Example: Mr. Joseph H. Smith, Anytown, Anystate	Silver Platter (determination on personal friendship received from Committee on Ethics)	\$375

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**Exclude:** Travel-related expenses provided by federal, state, and local governments, or by a foreign government required to be separately reported under the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act (5 U.S.C. §7342); political travel that is required to be reported under the Federal Election Campaign Act; travel provided to a spouse or dependent child that is totally independent of his or her relationship to you.

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# **SCHEDULE VIII—POSITIONS**

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Report all positions, compensated or uncompensated, held during the current calendar year as an officer, director, trustee of an organization, partner, proprietor, representative, employee, or consultant of any corporation, firm, partnership, or other business enterprise, any nonprofit organization, any labor organization, or any educational or other institution other than the United States.

**Exclude:** Positions listed on Schedule I; positions held in any religious, social, fraternal, or political entities (such as political parties and campaign organizations); and positions solely of an honorary nature.

Position	Name of Organization

## **SCHEDULE IX—AGREEMENTS**

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
<i>1999-present</i>	<i>State of Ohio</i>	<i>Retirement Plan (PERS)</i>