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# FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2023

*Report Required by the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. app. §§ 13101-13111)*

| 1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial) | 2. Court or Organization | 3. Date of Report |
|---|---|---|
| Buescher, Brian C. | United States District Court for the District of Nebraska | 05/15/2024 |
| **4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time)** | **5a. Report Type (check appropriate type)** | **6. Reporting Period** |
| United States District Judge (Active) | ☐ Nomination Date<br>☐ Initial ☑ Annual ☐ Final<br>**5b.** ☐ Amended Report | 01/01/2023 **to** 12/31/2023 |
| **7. Chambers or Office Address** | | |
| 111 S. 18th Plaza<br>Suite 3190<br>Omaha, NE 68102 | | |

***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 Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 345 Trustees, Executors, Administrators, and Custodians; § 350 Power of Attorney; § 355 Outside Positions.)*

☐ NONE *(No reportable positions.)*

| | POSITION | NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Member, Advisory Board | The Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |
| 5. | | |

## II. AGREEMENTS. *(Reporting individual only; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 340 Agreements and Arrangements.)*

☑ NONE *(No reportable agreements.)*

| | DATE | PARTIES AND TERMS |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | | |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |

## III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. *(Reporting individual and spouse; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 320 Income; § 360 Spouses and Dependent Children.)*

### A. Filer's Non-Investment Income

☐ NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*

| | DATE | SOURCE AND TYPE | INCOME (yours, not spouse's) |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | 2023 | Creighton University School of Law, teaching income | $2,250.00 |
| 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.)*

| | DATE | SOURCE |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | 2023 | Creighton Preparatory High School |
| 2. | 2023 | Omaha Marian High School |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |

## IV. REIMBURSEMENTS *-- transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.*

*(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 330 Gifts and Reimbursements; § 360 Spouses and Dependent Children.)*

☐ NONE *(No reportable reimbursements.)*

| | SOURCE | DATES | LOCATION | PURPOSE | ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | George Mason University | 05/05/23-05/05/23 | Arlington, VA | Law and Economics Seminar | hotel, meals, transportation |
| 2. | Judicial Education Institute | 03/20/23-03/24/23 | Washington, DC | Law and Corpus Linguistics Judicial Retreat | hotel, meals, transportation |
| 3. | | | | | |
| 4. | | | | | |
| 5. | | | | | |

## V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 330 Gifts and Reimbursements; § 360 Spouses and Dependent Children.)*

☑ NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

| | SOURCE | DESCRIPTION | VALUE |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| 4. | | | |
| 5. | | | |

## VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 335 Liabilities; § 360 Spouses and Dependent Children.)*

☑ NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*

| | CREDITOR | DESCRIPTION | VALUE CODE |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| 4. | | | |
| 5. | | | |

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## VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS *-- income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see Guide to Judiciary Policy, Volume 2D, Ch. 3, § 310 Reporting Thresholds for Assets; § 312 Types of Reportable Property; § 315 Interests in Property; § 320 Income; § 325 Purchases, Sales, and Exchanges; § 360 Spouses and Dependent Children; § 365 Trusts, Estates, and Investment Funds.)*

☐ 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 (1) Amount Code 1 (A-H) | B. (2) Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.) | C. Gross value at end of reporting period (1) Value Code 2 (J-P) | C. (2) Value Method Code 3 (Q-W) | D. Transactions during reporting period (1) Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption) | D. (2) Date mm/dd/yy | D. (3) Value Code 2 (J-P) | D. (4) Gain Code 1 (A-H) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Knights of Columbus Life Insurance Policies (Whole) | A | Int./Div. | K | T | | | | | |
| 2. | Knights of Columbus Retirement Annuity (Fixed) | A | Int./Div. | K | T | | | | | |
| 3. | Microsoft Corp | A | Dividend | K | T | | | | | |
| 4. | Nutrien Limited | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 5. | Vodafone Group PLC New | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 6. | Franklin Rising Dividends CL A | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 7. | Franklin Income A1 | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 8. | Vanguard Total Stock Market Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | K | T | | | | | |
| 9. | Vanguard Total Stock Market Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | K | T | Buy (add'l) | 12/29/23 | J | | |
| 10. | Vanguard Extended Market Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 11. | Vanguard Extended Market Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | Buy (add'l) | 12/29/23 | J | | |
| 12. | Vanguard Short-Term Bond Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 13. | T-Rowe Price Large Cap Growth (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 14. | T-Rowe Price Large Cap Growth (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | Buy (add'l) | 12/29/23 | J | | |
| 15. | Vanguard Total Bond Market Index (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 16. | Vanguard ST Inflation Protected (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 17. | Vanguard Total Intl Stock Index 529 (Nebraska Educational Savings Tr) | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |

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| | F =$50,001 - $100,000 | G =$100,001 - $1,000,000 | H1 =$1,000,001 - $5,000,000 | H2 =More than $5,000,000 | | |
| 2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3) | J =$15,000 or less | K =$15,001 - $50,000 | L =$50,001 - $100,000 | M =$100,001 - $250,000 | | |
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 18. Vanguard Equity Income D (Nebraska Educational Savings Trust) | A | Dividend | J | T | Buy | 12/29/23 | J | | |
| 19. State of Nebraska Retirement Plan-Nebraska Investment Council selects | A | Interest | L | T | | | | | |
| 20. First National Bank of Omaha Accounts | A | Interest | K | T | | | | | |
| 21. [redacted] (entity that operates ranch) | | | | | | | | | |
| 22. -ranchland in [redacted] Nebraska (assessed [redacted]) | E | Rent | O | S | | | | | |
| 23. First National Bank of Omaha Direct Account | D | Interest | M | T | | | | | |
| 24. Schwab Funds US Aggregate Bond Index Inv SWAGX | A | Dividend | L | T | | | | | |
| 25. Fidelity Investments US Bond Index Retail FXNAX | A | Dividend | L | T | | | | | |
| 26. Vanguard Mega Cap Index ETF | A | Dividend | M | T | | | | | |
| 27. Vanguard Large Cap ETF | A | Dividend | M | T | | | | | |
| 28. Vangard SML CP GRW ETF | A | Dividend | L | T | | | | | |
| 29. Fidelity Investments 500 Index Retail | A | Dividend | M | T | | | | | |
| 30. FDIC Insured Deposit Account with Charles Schwab with IRA funds | A | Interest | L | T | | | | | |
| 31. Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 | A | Dividend | J | T | | | | | |
| 32. Charles Schwab BK SSB Westlake-cash equivalent accounts | A | Interest | K | T | Buy | 03/03/23 | J | | |
| 33. UMPQUA BK RoseBurg ORE--cash equivalent accounts | A | Interest | J | T | Buy | 03/03/23 | J | | |
| 34. UMPQUA BK RoseBurg ORE-cash equivalent | A | Interest | | | Matured | 06/14/23 | J | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 35. FDIC Insured Deposit Accounts with Edward Jones | A | Interest | J | T | Open | 03/03/23 | J | | |
| 36. Federal Home Loan Banks Bonds | A | Int./Div. | J | T | Buy | 03/17/23 | M | | |
| 37. Federal Home Loan Banks Bonds | A | Int./Div. | | | Sold | 04/28/23 | M | | |
| 38. Charles Schwab BK SSB--cash equivalent accounts | C | Interest | M | T | Buy | 03/13/23 | M | | |
| 39. Schwab Government Money Inv SNVXX | B | Int./Div. | L | T | Buy | 06/05/23 | L | | |
| 40. US Bank NA--cash equivalent accounts | B | Interest | L | T | Buy | 06/05/23 | L | | |
| 41. US Bank NA--cash equivalent accounts | B | Interest | | | Matured | 12/07/23 | L | | |
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## VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

Franklin Income A1 was previously disclosed in prior reports but was inadvertently omitted from subsequent reports.

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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. § 13141 et. seq., 5 U.S.C. § 7353, and Judicial Conference regulations.**

**Signature: s/ Brian C. Buescher**

**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. § 13106)**

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