Annual, 2025

Financial Disclosure Report (AO Form 10)

Filer's Information
Byron, Paul G.
U.S. District Court - Florida Middle
District Judge

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

/s/ Byron, Paul G. [electronically signed on Mar 24, 2026 10:54am by Byron, Paul G. in JEFS]
/s/ Byron, Paul G. [electronically signed on Feb 10, 2026 4:52pm by Byron, Paul G. in JEFS]

I. Positions

I do not have any Positions to report
No entries in this section

II. Agreements

I do not have any Agreements to report
No entries in this section

III A. Filer Non-Investment Income

	SOURCE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT	HONORARIUM DATE
1.	DOJ Pension	Fixed Retirement / Pension Benefits	$12,000.00	
2.	Kenmare Assignment Company Annuity	Other: Annuity payments	$210,000.00	

III B. Spouse Non-Investment Income

I do not have any Spouse Non-Investment Income to report
No entries in this section

IV. Reimbursements

I do not have any Reimbursements to report
No entries in this section

V. Gifts

I do not have any Gifts to report
No entries in this section

VI. Liabilities

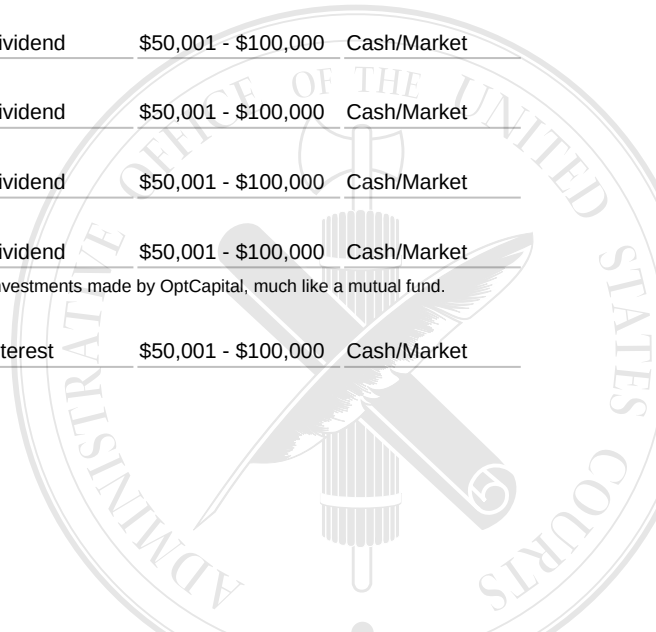
I do not have any Liabilities to report
No entries in this section

VII. Investments and Trusts

	DESCRIPTION	INCOME AMOUNT	INCOME TYPE	GROSS VALUE	VALUE METHOD
1.	**USAA Savings and Loan Cash Account**	$1,001 - $2,500	Interest	$100,001 - $250,000	Cash/Market
2.	**AIG Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
3.	**AI Life Single Premium Immediate Annuiyt**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
4.	**Allstate Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
5.	**Liberty Life Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
6.	**American General Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
7.	**Genworth Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
8.	**MetLife Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
9.	**Hartford Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
10.	**Allstate Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
11.	**Aviva Life Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
12.	**Mass Mutual Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
13.	**American General Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
14.	**American General Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
15.	**Pacific Life Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
16.	**Grenworth Single Premium Immediate Annuity**	$1,000 or less	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market
17.	**OptCapital Deferred Compensation Fund "y"**	$50,001 - $100,000	Dividend	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market

Additional Explanation: OptCapital is a deferred compensation account. I cannot control the specific investments made by OptCapital, much like a mutual fund.

18.	**Hamilton Lane PAF**	$5,001 - $15,000	Interest	$50,001 - $100,000	Cash/Market



VIII. Additional Information or Explanations

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATION

1. The annuities listed on lines 2 through 17 were acquired by Kenmare Assignment Company, which is a deferred compensation account. While in private practice I deferred compensation, and Kenmare purchased the listed annuities with the deferred compensation. I am unable to sell the annuities or otherwise control them, and I have listed the annuities acquired by Kenmare in an abundance of caution. Income from the annuities is invested by Kenmare; I cannot control how Kenmare invests the proceeds, and I am guaranteed a monthly payment for a fixed number of years. After deferring the compensation for ten years, I have begun receiving payments in the amount of $17,500.00 per month, as listed in Part III of this report. I have a second deferred compensation fund (OptCapital), which I have listed on this disclosure. OptCapital invests the deferred compensation in various securities, and I am unable to direct which equities, bonds or other financial instruments are acquired by OptCapital. In past years, I listed every security OptCapital purchased for transparency. For example, in my 2020 report, I disclosed equities on lines 81 through 180. Those equities are purchased by Morgan Stanley, which conducts investment strategies for OptCapital. Since I cannot direct OptCapital to instruct Morgan Stanley how to invest the deferred compensation, and since my control is limited to a risk tolerance (high, medium, or conservative), I am not required to list the specific equities purchased by OptCapital or at its direction. Accordingly, I no longer list specific equities held by OptCapital.

2. In Part VII, Investments and Trusts, I do not identify income during the reporting period for the OptCapital deferred compensation fund, because I have not elected to receive disbursements from the fund.

Additional Explanation: The notation that I do not "identify income" means that I do not identify how Optcaptial invests money in the fund, because it operates like a mutual fund where I do not control how the money is invested. I have "declared" income in the fund as required.