

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2015

1. Person Reporting (last name, first, middle initial) Kethledge, Raymond M.	2. Court or Organization Sixth Circuit	3. Date of Report 05/10/2016
4. Title (Article III judges indicate active or senior status; magistrate judges indicate full- or part-time) Circuit Judge-Active	5a. Report Type (check appropriate type) <input type="checkbox"/> Nomination <input type="checkbox"/> Date <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual <input type="checkbox"/> Final 5b. <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Report	6. Reporting Period 01/01/2015 to 12/31/2015
7. Chambers or Office Address 200 West Liberty Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104		
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 pp. 9-13 of filing instructions.)

NONE (No reportable positions.)

	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ENTITY</u>
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
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II. AGREEMENTS. (Reporting individual only; see pp. 14-16 of filing instructions.)

NONE (No reportable agreements.)

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTIES AND TERMS</u>
1.	6/30/08	Bush Seyferth & Paige PLLC; and me. Buyout agreement for a fixed amount, payable over 5+ years, consistent with Adv. Op. No. 24
2.	10/01/2015	Bloomsbury Publishing, Inc., Michael S. Erwin, and me. Book-publishing contract.
3.		

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III. NON-INVESTMENT INCOME. *(Reporting individual and spouse; see pp. 17-24 of filing instructions.)***A. Filer's Non-Investment Income** NONE *(No reportable non-investment income.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>	<u>INCOME</u> (yours, not spouse's)
1. 2015	Bush Seyferth & Kethledge PLLC Buyout Agreement Payments	\$15,000.00
2. 2015	University of Michigan Law School-Teaching	\$27,225.00
3. 2015	Bloomsbury Publishing, royalty advance	\$6,250.00
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.)*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SOURCE AND TYPE</u>
1.	
2.	
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4.	

IV. REIMBURSEMENTS -- *transportation, lodging, food, entertainment.**(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 25-27 of filing instructions.)* NONE *(No reportable reimbursements.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ITEMS PAID OR PROVIDED</u>
1.	Stanford Law School	02/03/2015 - 02/05/2015	Stanford, CA	Moot Court	Transportation, Lodging, Food
2.	Yale Law School	02/24/2015 - 02/25/2015	New Haven, CT	Speaker	Transportation, Lodging, Food
3.	Columbia Law School	02/25/2015 - 02/26/2015	New York, NY	Speaker	Transportation, Lodging, Food
4.	Judicial Conference Advisory Committee on Criminal Rules	03/15/2015 - 03/17/2015	Orlando, FL	Committee Meeting	Transportation, Lodging, Food
5.	Federal Bar Association, Western District of Michigan	07/09/2015 - 07/09/2015	Grand Rapids, MI	Speaker	Mileage and Parking

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6.	Judicial Conference Advisory Committee on Criminal Rules	09/27/2015 - 09/29/2015	Seattle, WA	Committee Meeting	Transportation, Lodging, Food
7.	Columbia Law School	10/21/2015 - 10/22/2015	New York, NY	Speaker	Transportation, Lodging, Food

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V. GIFTS. *(Includes those to spouse and dependent children; see pp. 28-31 of filing instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable gifts.)*

	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____

VI. LIABILITIES. *(Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 32-33 of filing instructions.)*

NONE *(No reportable liabilities.)*

	<u>CREDITOR</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>VALUE CODE</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____

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VII. INVESTMENTS and TRUSTS -- income, value, transactions (Includes those of spouse and dependent children; see pp. 34-60 of filing instructions.)

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		C. Gross value at end of reporting period			D. Transactions during reporting period				
	(1) Amount Code 1 (A-H)	(2) Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.)	(1) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(2) Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	(1) Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	(2) Date mm/dd/yy	(3) Value Code 2 (J-P)	(4) Gain Code 1 (A-H)	(5) Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)	
	1. Brokerage Account #1	A	Dividend	J	T					
2. --EuroPacific Growth Fund	A	Dividend								
3.										
4. IRA #1	A	Dividend	L	T						
5. --Euro Pacific growth Fund	A	Dividend								
6. --Investment Co America Com	A	Dividend								
7. --Short Term Inc Fund Money Market										
8.										
9. IRA #2	A	Dividend	J	T						
10. --Euro Pac growth Fund	A	Dividend								
11. --Fundamental Investors	A	Dividend								
12.										
13. VCSP/College America 529A Education Savings Account	A	Dividend	J	T						
14. --New Perspective Fund 529A	A	Dividend								
15. --Investment Company of America-529A	A	Dividend								
16. --Bond Fund of America-529A	A	Dividend								
17. Brokerage Account #2	A	Dividend	J	T						

1. Income Gain Codes: (See Columns B1 and D4)	A =\$1,000 or less F =\$50,001 - \$100,000	B =\$1,001 - \$2,500 G =\$100,001 - \$1,000,000	C =\$2,501 - \$5,000 H1 =\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	D =\$5,001 - \$15,000 H2 =More than \$5,000,000	E =\$15,001 - \$50,000
2. Value Codes (See Columns C1 and D3)	J =\$15,000 or less N =\$250,001 - \$500,000 P3 =\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000	K =\$15,001 - \$50,000 O =\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	L =\$50,001 - \$100,000 P1 =\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 P4 =More than \$50,000,000	M =\$100,001 - \$250,000 P2 =\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000	
3. Value Method Codes (See Column C2)	Q =Appraisal U =Book Value	R =Cost (Real Estate Only) V =Other	S =Assessment W =Estimated	T =Cash Market	

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	Amount Code 1 (A-H)	Type (e.g., div., rent, or int.)	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Value Method Code 3 (Q-W)	Type (e.g., buy, sell, redemption)	Date mm/dd/yy	Value Code 2 (J-P)	Gain Code 1 (A-H)	Identity of buyer/seller (if private transaction)	
18. --Investment Co America Com	A	Dividend								

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VIII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR EXPLANATIONS. *(Indicate part of report.)*

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

Signature: **s/ Raymond M. Kethledge**

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. § 104)

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