

Executive Branch Personnel Public Financial Disclosure Report (OGE Form 278e)

Filer's Information

McDonald, Robert A

Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs

Report Year: 2016

Other Federal Government Positions Held During the Preceding 12 Months:

None

Electronic Signature - I certify that the statements I have made in this form are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ McDonald, Robert A [electronically signed on 04/25/16 by McDonald, Robert A in Integrity.gov]

Agency Ethics Official's Opinion - On the basis of information contained in this report, I conclude that the filer is in compliance with applicable laws and regulations (subject to any comments below).

/s/ Jaynes, Mark, Certifying Official [electronically signed on 05/13/16 by Jaynes, Mark in Integrity.gov]

Other review conducted by

/s/ Gurland, Jonathan, Ethics Official [electronically signed on 05/12/16 by Gurland, Jonathan in Integrity.gov]

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Data Revised 05/11/2016

Data Revised 05/10/2016

1. Filer's Positions Held Outside United States Government

None

2. Filer's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	Procter & Gamble Company		None (or less than \$1,001)	Stock Option Income	\$13,650,721

3. Filer's Employment Agreements and Arrangements

#	EMPLOYER OR PARTY	CITY, STATE	STATUS AND TERMS	DATE
1	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Profit Sharing Trust - I will continue to participate in the Procter & Gamble Profit Sharing Trust, a defined contribution plan.	6/1980
2	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Pursuant to the Procter & Gamble Performance Share Unit Plan, I am eligible to receive shares of Procter & Gamble stock in August 2015.	6/1980
3	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Pursuant to the Procter & Gamble Retirement Restricted Stock Unit Plan I will receive Common stock over a 10 year period starting 2023.	6/1980
4	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Pursuant to the Procter & Gamble Stock Option Plan, I retain the right to exercise my vested stock options until each option expires.	6/1980
5	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Pursuant to the Procter & Gamble Restricted Stock Plan, my restricted stock units vested in February 2015.	6/1980
6	Procter & Gamble	Cincinnati, Ohio	Pursuant to the Procter & Gamble Health Insurance Program, Procter & Gamble continues to pay for my health insurance premiums.	6/1980

4. Filer's Sources of Compensation Exceeding \$5,000 in a Year

(N/A) - Not required for this type of report

5. Spouse's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

None

6. Other Assets and Income

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	Fifth Third Bank, Cash Accounts	No	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Interest	None (or less than \$201)
2	Procter & Gamble Common	No	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	Dividends	\$100,001 - \$1,000,000
3	US Steel Common	No	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
4	Federated Ohio Municipal Cash	No	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	Interest	\$201 - \$1,000
5	Blackrock Funds II Strg Opp Inst BSIX	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
6	Oppenheimer Intl Bond Fund OIBYX	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
7	Templeton International Bond Fund FIBZX	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
8	Dodge and Cox International Stock Fund DODFX	Yes	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
9	Ishares Core S & P 500 ETF IVV	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
10	Ishares Russell 1000 IWB	Yes	\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000		\$100,001 - \$1,000,000
11	Seafarer Overseas Growth and Income Fund SIGIX	Yes	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
12	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
13	JP Morgan US Large Cap Coreplus JLPSX	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
14	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP Infrastructure ETF MLPI	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
15	Touchstone Mid Cap Institutional TMPIX	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
16	Wisdomtree Europe Hedged Equity Fund HEDJ	Yes	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
17	Voya Mutal Funds International Real Estate Fund IIRWX	Yes	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
18	SEP IRA Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund DODFX	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000

19	Fifth Third Bank IRA	No	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	Dividends	\$50,001 - \$100,000
19.1	Fifth Third Banksafe Trust	No	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
19.2	Oppenheimer International Bond Fund OIBYX	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
19.3	Dodge & Cox International Stock Fund DODFX	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
19.4	Ishares Russell 1000 IWB	Yes	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$15,001 - \$50,000
19.5	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
19.6	Touchstone MidCap Fund	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
19.7	Templeton International Bond Fund FIBZX	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
19.8	Blackrock Funds II Strong Opp BSIX	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
19.9	Boston Partners Long/Short BPIRX	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
19.10	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP MLPI	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
19.11	Voya Mutual Funds International Real Estate IIRWX	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000
20	Procter & Gamble Retirement Restricted Stock PG	No	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	Dividends	\$100,001 - \$1,000,000
21	Procter & Gamble Stock Options PG	No	Over \$50,000,000		None (or less than \$201)
22	Fifth Third Bank Cash Account	No	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
23	Fifth Third Bank Cash Account	No	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
24	Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance	No	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
25	AAFMAA Life Insurance	No	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
26	Ohio 529 College Savings Plan - Vanguard Conservative Age Based Fund	No	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
26.1	Vanguard Conservative Age Based Fund VCAB	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
27	Ohio 529 College Savings Plan - Vanguard Conservative Age Based Fund	No	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
27.1	Vanguard conservative Age Based Fund VCAB	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
28	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Funds ODVYX	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$1,001 - \$2,500
29	Wells Fargo Absolute Return Fund WABIX	Yes	None (or less than \$1,001)		\$5,001 - \$15,000

7. Transactions

#	DESCRIPTION		TYPE	DATE	AMOUNT
1	Procter & Gamble	See Endnote	Exchange	05/08/15	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
2	J M Smucker	See Endnote	Sale	05/08/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
3	Procter & Gamble		Sale	02/26/2015	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
4	Procter & Gamble	See Endnote	Sale	05/08/15	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
5	Procter & Gamble		Sale	06/18/2015	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
6	Procter & Gamble		Sale	08/18/2015	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
7	Procter & Gamble		Sale	09/08/2015	\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000
8	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIX		Purchase	05/13/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
9	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fd DODFX		Purchase	05/13/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
10	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX		Purchase	05/13/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
11	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMCPIX		Purchase	05/13/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
12	Voya Mutual Funds Intl Real Estate IIRWX		Purchase	05/13/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
13	Boston Partners Long/Short Fund BPIRX		Purchase	05/14/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
14	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
15	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fund DODFX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
16	iShares Russell 1000 Index		Purchase	05/15/15	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
17	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
18	Boston Partners Long/Short Fund BPIRX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$1,001 - \$15,000
19	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMCPIX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
20	Voya Mutual Funds Intl Real Estate IIRWX		Purchase	05/15/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
21	iShares Russell 1000 Index		Purchase	05/19/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
22	Oppenheimer Intl Bond Fund OIBYX		Purchase	05/21/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
23	Templeton Intl Bond Fund FIBZX		Purchase	05/21/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
24	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
25	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fund DODFX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
26	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
27	Boston Partners Long/Short Fund BPIRX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$1,001 - \$15,000
28	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMCPIX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$1,001 - \$15,000
29	Voya Mutual Funds Intl Real Estate IIRWX		Purchase	05/22/15	\$1,001 - \$15,000
30	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP Infrastructure ETF MLPI		Purchase	05/26/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
31	iShares Russell 1000 Index		Purchase	05/27/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000

31	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	05/27/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
32	Oppenheimer Intl Bond Fund OIBYX	Purchase	06/04/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
33	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	06/04/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
34	Templeton Intl BondFund FIBZX	Purchase	06/04/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
35	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fund DODFX	Purchase	06/05/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
36	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	06/05/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
37	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMCPX	Purchase	06/05/15	\$1,001 - \$15,000
38	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	06/09/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
39	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIIIX	Purchase	01/08/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
40	JP Morgan US Large Cap Core Plus JLPSX	Purchase	01/08/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
41	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIIIX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
42	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock fun DODFX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
43	JP Morgan US Large Cap Core Plu JLPSX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
44	Oppenheimer Intl Bond Fund OIBYX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
45	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
46	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
47	Templeton Intl Bond Fund FIBZX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
48	Voya Mutual Funds Intl Real Estate IIRWX	Purchase	03/09/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
49	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fund DODFX	Purchase	03/11/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
50	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	03/11/15	\$500,001 - \$1,000,000
51	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	03/11/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
52	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP Infrastructure ETF MLPI	Purchase	03/11/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
53	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIIIX	Purchase	06/26/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
54	Oppheimer Intl Bond Fund OIBYX	Purchase	06/26/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
55	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Purchase	06/26/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
56	Templeton Intl Bond fund FIBZX	Purchase	06/26/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
57	Dodge & Cox Intl Stock Fund DODFX	Purchase	06/30/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
58	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	06/30/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
59	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Purchase	06/30/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
60	Oppnheimer Steelpath MLP Select 40	Purchase	08/03/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
61	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Purchase	08/18/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
62	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	08/20/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
63	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	08/26/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
64	Wisdomtree Europe Hedged Equity Fund HEDJ	Purchase	08/26/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
65	Seafarer Overseas Growth and Income Fund	Purchase	08/27/15	\$500,001 -

	SIGIX			\$1,000,000
66	Wisdomtree Europe Hedged Equity Fund HEDJ	Purchase	08/27/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
67	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	08/31/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
68	Wisdomtree Europe Hedged Equity Fund HEDJ	Purchase	08/31/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
69	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMPIX	Purchase	09/04/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
70	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	09/16/15	Over \$1,000,000
71	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Purchase	09/16/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
72	Oppenheimer Steelpath MLP Select 40	Purchase	09/16/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
73	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMPIX	Purchase	09/16/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
74	Wisdomtree Europe Hedged Equity Fund HEDJ	Purchase	09/16/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
75	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	09/18/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
76	Seafarer Overseas Growth and Income Fund SIGIX	Purchase	09/21/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
77	Principal MidCap Blend Fund PCBIX	Purchase	09/21/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
78	Oppenheimer Steelpath MLP Select 40	Purchase	09/21/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
79	Touchstone MidCap Fund TMPIX	Purchase	09/21/15	\$15,001 - \$50,000
80	iShares Russell 1000 Index	Purchase	09/23/15	\$50,001 - \$100,000
81	Seafarer Overseas Growth and Income Fund SIGIX	Purchase	12/09/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
82	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP Infrastructure ETF MLPI	Purchase	12/11/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000
83	Wells Fargo Absolute Return Fund WABIX	Sale	01/08/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
84	William Blair Macro Allocation Fund WMCIX	Sale	01/08/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
85	Blackrock Funds Strong Opp Fund BSIX	Sale	07/30/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
86	UBS E-Tracs Alerian MLP Infrastructure ETF MLPI	Sale	08/03/15	\$100,001 - \$250,000
87	Oppenheimer Developing Markets Fund ODVYX	Sale	08/27/15	Over \$1,000,000
88	Oppenheimer Steelpath MLP Select 40	Sale	12/09/15	\$250,001 - \$500,000

8. Liabilities

None

9. Gifts and Travel Reimbursements

None

Endnotes

PART	#	ENDNOTE
7.	1	Distribution from Procter & Gamble Profit Sharing Trust--these were P&G preferred shares converted into P&G common shares.
7.	2	Distribution from Procter & Gamble Profit Sharing Trust
7.	4	Distribution from Procter & Gamble Profit Sharing Trust

Summary of Contents

1. Filer's Positions Held Outside United States Government

Part 1 discloses positions that the filer held at any time during the reporting period (excluding positions with the United States Government). Positions are reportable even if the filer did not receive compensation.

This section does not include the following: (1) positions with religious, social, fraternal, or political organizations; (2) positions solely of an honorary nature; (3) positions held as part of the filer's official duties with the United States Government; (4) mere membership in an organization; and (5) passive investment interests as a limited partner or non-managing member of a limited liability company.

2. Filer's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

Part 2 discloses the following:

- Sources of earned and other non-investment income of the filer totaling more than \$200 during the reporting period (e.g., salary, fees, partnership share, honoraria, scholarships, and prizes)
- Assets related to the filer's business, employment, or other income-generating activities that (1) ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) produced more than \$200 in income during the reporting period (e.g., equity in business or partnership, stock options, retirement plans/accounts and their underlying holdings as appropriate, deferred compensation, and intellectual property, such as book deals and patents)

This section does not include assets or income from United States Government employment or assets that were acquired separately from the filer's business, employment, or other income-generating activities (e.g., assets purchased through a brokerage account). Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF).

3. Filer's Employment Agreements and Arrangements

Part 3 discloses agreements or arrangements that the filer had during the reporting period with an employer or former employer (except the United States Government), such as the following:

- Future employment
- Leave of absence
- Continuing payments from an employer, including severance and payments not yet received for previous work (excluding ordinary salary from a current employer)
- Continuing participation in an employee welfare, retirement, or other benefit plan, such as pensions or a deferred compensation plan
- Retention or disposition of employer-awarded equity, sharing in profits or carried interests (e.g., vested and unvested stock options, restricted stock, future share of a company's profits, etc.)

4. Filer's Sources of Compensation Exceeding \$5,000 in a Year

Part 4 discloses sources (except the United States Government) that paid more than \$5,000 in a calendar year for the filer's services during any year of the reporting period.

The filer discloses payments both from employers and from any clients to whom the filer personally provided services. The filer discloses a source even if the source made its payment to the filer's employer and not to the filer. The filer does not disclose a client's payment to the filer's employer if the filer did not provide the services for which the client is paying.

5. Spouse's Employment Assets & Income and Retirement Accounts

Part 5 discloses the following:

- Sources of earned income (excluding honoraria) for the filer's spouse totaling more than \$1,000 during the reporting period (e.g., salary, consulting fees, and partnership share)
- Sources of honoraria for the filer's spouse greater than \$200 during the reporting period
- Assets related to the filer's spouse's employment, business activities, other income-generating activities that (1) ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) produced more than \$200 in income during the reporting period (e.g., equity in business or partnership, stock options, retirement plans/accounts and their underlying holdings as appropriate, deferred compensation, and intellectual property, such as book deals and patents)

This section does not include assets or income from United States Government employment or assets that were acquired separately from the filer's spouse's business, employment, or other income-generating activities (e.g., assets purchased through a brokerage account). Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF). Amounts of income are not required for a spouse's earned income (excluding honoraria).

6. Other Assets and Income

Part 6 discloses each asset, not already reported, that (1) ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) produced more than \$200 in investment income during the reporting period. For purposes of the value and income thresholds, the filer aggregates the filer's interests with those of the filer's spouse and dependent children.

This section does not include the following types of assets: (1) a personal residence (unless it was rented out during the reporting period); (2) income or retirement benefits associated with United States Government employment (e.g., Thrift Savings Plan); and (3) cash accounts (e.g., checking, savings, money market accounts) at a single financial institution with a value of \$5,000 or less (unless more than \$200 of income was produced). Additional exceptions apply. Note: The type of income is not required if the amount of income is \$0 - \$200 or if the asset qualifies as an excepted investment fund (EIF).

7. Transactions

Part 7 discloses purchases, sales, or exchanges of real property or securities in excess of \$1,000 made on behalf of the filer, the filer's spouse or dependent child during reporting period.

This section does not include transactions that concern the following: (1) a personal residence, unless rented out; (2) cash accounts (e.g., checking, savings, CDs, money market accounts) and money market mutual funds; (3) Treasury bills, bonds, and notes; and (4) holdings within a federal Thrift Savings Plan account. Additional exceptions apply.

8. Liabilities

Part 8 discloses liabilities over \$10,000 that the filer, the filer's spouse or dependent child owed at any time during the reporting period.

This section does not include the following types of liabilities: (1) mortgages on a personal residence, unless rented out (limitations apply for PAS filers); (2) loans secured by a personal motor vehicle, household furniture, or appliances, unless the loan exceeds the item's purchase price; and (3) revolving charge accounts, such as credit card balances, if the outstanding liability did not exceed \$10,000 at the end of the reporting period. Additional exceptions apply.

9. Gifts and Travel Reimbursements

This section discloses:

- Gifts totaling more than \$375 that the filer, the filer's spouse, and dependent children received from any one source during the reporting period.
- Travel reimbursements totaling more than \$375 that the filer, the filer's spouse, and dependent children received from any one source during the reporting period.

For purposes of this section, the filer need not aggregate any gift or travel reimbursement with a value of \$150 or less. Regardless of the value, this section does not include the following items: (1) anything received from relatives; (2) anything received from the United States Government or from the District of Columbia, state, or local governments; (3) bequests and other forms of inheritance; (4) gifts and travel reimbursements given to the filer's agency in connection with the filer's official travel; (5) gifts of hospitality (food, lodging, entertainment) at the donor's residence or personal premises; and (6) anything received by the filer's spouse or dependent children totally independent of their relationship to the filer. Additional exceptions apply.

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