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David J. Apol, Acting Director
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Office of Government Ethics
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Dear Mr. Apol:

In accordance with the provisions of Title I of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 as amended, I am forwarding the financial disclosure report of Mr. Gary G. Schofield. President Trump has nominated Mr. Schofield to serve as the United States Marshal for the District of Nevada. We have conducted a thorough review of the nominee's report and have counseled him on the government ethics rules.

As required by 18 U.S.C. § 208(a), Mr. Schofield will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter in which he knows that he has a financial interest directly and predictably affected by the matter, or in which he knows that a person whose interests are imputed to him has a financial interest directly and predictably affected by the matter, unless he first obtains a written waiver, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(1), or qualifies for a regulatory exemption, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(2). He understands that the interests of the following persons are imputed to him: his spouse; minor children; any general partner of a partnership in which he is a limited or general partner; any organization in which he serves as officer, director, trustee, general partner or employee; and any person or organization with which he is negotiating or has an arrangement concerning prospective employment.

Upon confirmation, Mr. Schofield will resign from his position with Secured Communications LLC. Because he will continue to own stock in Secured Communications LLC, he will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter that to his knowledge has a direct and predictable effect on the financial interests of Secured Communications LLC, unless he first obtains a written waiver, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(1), or qualifies for a regulatory exemption, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(2).

Mr. Schofield will retain his position as a Trustee of the SKGR Living Trust, a revocable family living trust. He will not receive any fees for the services that he provides as a trustee during his appointment to the position of U.S. Marshal. He will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter that to his knowledge has a direct and predictable effect on the financial interests of the SKRG Living Trust unless he first obtains a written waiver, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(1).

Mr. Schofield's spouse has an equity interest in Creative Vision LLC, a public relations firm. Mr. Schofield will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter that to his knowledge has a direct and predictable effect on the financial interests of Creative Vision LLC, unless he first obtains a written waiver, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 208(b)(1). Mr. Schofield also will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter involving specific parties in which he knows any client of his spouse is a party or represents a party, unless he is first authorized to participate, pursuant to 5 C.F.R. § 2635.502(d).

Mr. Schofield retired from his position as Deputy Chief of Police at the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (LVMPD) in April 2017 and, upon confirmation, will resign from his position as a reserve police officer with the LVMPD. For a period of one year after his resignation, Mr. Schofield will have a "covered relationship" with the LVMPD, pursuant to 5 C.F.R. § 2635.502. He has been advised that his participation in particular matters involving specific parties in which the LVMPD is a party or represents a party will be authorized pursuant to 5 C.F.R. § 2635.502(d).

Upon confirmation, Mr. Schofield will resign from his position with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department Health and Welfare Trust (LVMPDHWT). For a period of one year after his resignation, he will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter involving specific parties in which he knows the LVMPDHWT is a party or represents a party, unless he is first authorized to participate, pursuant to 5 C.F.R. § 2635.502(d).

Upon confirmation, Mr. Schofield will resign from his positions or affiliations with the following entities: State of Nevada Peace Officers Standards & Training Commission and Red Cross of Southern Nevada. For a period of one year after his resignation from each of these entities, he will not participate personally and substantially in any particular matter involving specific parties in which he knows that entity is a party or represents a party, unless he is first authorized to participate, pursuant to 5 C.F.R. § 2635.502(d).

If he has a managed account or otherwise uses the services of an investment professional during his appointment, Mr. Schofield will ensure that the account manager or investment professional obtains his prior approval on a case-by-case basis for the purchase of any assets other than cash, cash equivalents, investment funds that qualify for the exemption at 5 C.F.R. § 2640.201(a), obligations of the United States, or municipal bonds.

Mr. Schofield will meet live with the United States Marshals Service ethics officials in connection with his appointment to the position of United States Marshal for the District of Nevada during the timeframe established by 5 C.F.R. § 2638.305(b) in order to complete the initial ethics briefing required under 5 C.F.R. § 2638.305. Within 90 days of his confirmation, he will also document his compliance with this ethics agreement by notifying United States Marshals Service ethics officials in writing when he has completed the steps described in this ethics agreement.

Mr. Schofield understands that as an appointee he will be required to sign the Ethics Pledge (Exec. Order No. 13770) and that he will be bound by the requirements and restrictions therein in addition to the commitments he has made in this ethics agreement.

Mr. Schofield has been advised that this ethics agreement will be posted publicly, consistent with 5 U.S.C. § 552, on the website of the U.S. Office of Government Ethics with ethics agreements of other Presidential nominees who file public financial disclosure reports.

Based on the above agreements and counseling, I am satisfied that the enclosed report presents no conflicts of interest under applicable laws and regulations and that you may so certify to the Senate Judiciary Committee.

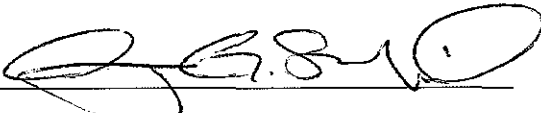
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lee J. Lofthus". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Lee" and last name "Lofthus" clearly distinguishable.

Lee J. Lofthus
Assistant Attorney General
for Administration and
Designated Agency Ethics Official

NOMINEE STATEMENT

I have read the attached Ethics Agreement signed by Lee J. Lofthus, Assistant Attorney General for Administration and Designated Agency Ethics Official on Nov. 3, 2017, and I agree to comply with the conflict of interest statute and regulations, and to follow the procedures set forth in the agreement. In addition, I understand that as an appointee I am required to sign the Ethics Pledge (Exec. Order No. 13770) and that I will be bound by the requirements and restrictions therein in addition to the commitments I have made in this ethics agreement.



Gary G. Schofield

November 3, 2017
Date