

FORM 1

STATEMENT OF

2004

FINANCIAL INTERESTS

Please print or type your name, mailing address, agency name, and position below:

LAST NAME -- FIRST NAME -- MIDDLE NAME :

STERN GAIL C #323996

MAILING ADDRESS :

7000 NW HWY 225 A

Ocala Florida 34482 Marion

CITY : ZIP : COUNTY :

Marion Soil & Water Conservation District

NAME OF AGENCY :

NAME OF OFFICE OR POSITION HELD OR SOUGHT :

BOARD MEMBER / SUPERVISOR - Group Two

CHECK ONLY IF [] CANDIDATE OR [x] NEW EMPLOYEE OR APPOINTEE

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

ID Code

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BOTH PARTS OF THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED

DISCLOSURE PERIOD:

THIS STATEMENT REFLECTS YOUR FINANCIAL INTERESTS FOR THE PRECEDING TAX YEAR, WHETHER BASED ON A CALENDAR YEAR OR ON A FISCAL YEAR. PLEASE STATE BELOW WHETHER THIS STATEMENT IS FOR THE PRECEDING TAX YEAR ENDING EITHER (check one):

[x] DECEMBER 31, 2004 OR [] SPECIFY TAX YEAR IF OTHER THAN THE CALENDAR YEAR: _____

MANNER OF CALCULATING REPORTABLE INTERESTS:

THE LEGISLATURE ALLOWS FILERS THE OPTION OF USING REPORTING THRESHOLDS THAT ARE ABSOLUTE DOLLAR VALUES, WHICH REQUIRES FEWER CALCULATIONS, OR USING COMPARATIVE THRESHOLDS, WHICH ARE USUALLY BASED ON PERCENTAGE VALUES (see instructions for further details). PLEASE STATE BELOW WHETHER THIS STATEMENT REFLECTS EITHER (check one):

[x] COMPARATIVE (PERCENTAGE) THRESHOLDS OR [] DOLLAR VALUE THRESHOLDS

PART A -- PRIMARY SOURCES OF INCOME [Major sources of income to the reporting person]

Table with 3 columns: NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME, SOURCE'S ADDRESS, DESCRIPTION OF THE SOURCE'S PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY. Row 1: I STERN & CO., INC, 2005E Hwy 484, Ocala, FL 34480, ADMINISTRATIVE.

PART B -- SECONDARY SOURCES OF INCOME [Major customers, clients, and other sources of income to businesses owned by the reporting person]

Table with 4 columns: NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY, NAME OF MAJOR SOURCES OF BUSINESS' INCOME, ADDRESS OF SOURCE, PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY OF SOURCE. Row 1: N/A.

PART C -- REAL PROPERTY [Land, buildings owned by the reporting person]

Table with 1 column: REAL PROPERTY. Row 1: N/A.

FILING INSTRUCTIONS for when and where to file this form are located at the bottom of page 2.

INSTRUCTIONS on who must file this form and how to fill it out begin on page 3.

OTHER FORMS you may need to file are described on page 6.

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PART D — INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY [Stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit, etc.]	
TYPE OF INTANGIBLE	BUSINESS ENTITY TO WHICH THE PROPERTY RELATES
STOCKS MUTUAL FUNDS	
MERRILL LYNCH	PERSONAL

PART E — LIABILITIES [Major debts]	
NAME OF CREDITOR	ADDRESS OF CREDITOR
CENDANT MORTGAGE	7001 Leadenhall Road / MT LAUREL, NJ 08054
MERRILL LYNCH MORTGAGE	PO BOX 5443, MT LAUREL, NJ 08054

PART F — INTERESTS IN SPECIFIED BUSINESSES [Ownership or positions in certain types of businesses]			
	BUSINESS ENTITY # 1	BUSINESS ENTITY # 2	BUSINESS ENTITY # 3
NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	N/A		
ADDRESS OF BUSINESS ENTITY			
PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY			
POSITION HELD WITH ENTITY			
I OWN MORE THAN A 5% INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS			
NATURE OF MY OWNERSHIP INTEREST			

IF ANY OF PARTS A THROUGH F ARE CONTINUED ON A SEPARATE SHEET, PLEASE CHECK HERE

SIGNATURE (required): *Paul C. Stern*

DATE SIGNED (required): 2-17-05

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:

WHAT TO FILE:
After completing all parts of this form, including signing and dating it, send back only the first sheet (pages 1 and 2) for filing.

WHERE TO FILE:
If you were mailed the form by the Commission on Ethics or a County Supervisor of Elections for your annual disclosure filing, return the form to that location.

WHEN TO FILE:
Initially, each local officer/employee, state officer, and specified state employee must file *within 30 days* of the date of his or her appointment or of the beginning of employment. Appointees who must be confirmed by the Senate must file prior to confirmation, even if that is less than 30 days from the date of their appointment.

NOTE:
MULTIPLE FILING UNNECESSARY:
Generally, a person who has filed Form 1 for a calendar or fiscal year is not required to file a second Form 1 for the same year. However, a candidate who previously filed Form 1 because of another public position must at least file a copy of his or her original Form 1 when qualifying.

Local officers/employees file with the Supervisor of Elections of the county in which they permanently reside. (If you do not permanently reside in Florida, file with the Supervisor of the county where your agency has its headquarters.)

State officers or specified state employees file with the Commission on Ethics, P.O. Drawer 15709, Tallahassee, FL 32317-5709; physical address: 3600 Maclay Boulevard, South, Suite 201, Tallahassee, FL 32312.

Candidates file this form together with their qualifying papers.

Candidates for publicly-elected local office must file at the same time they file their qualifying papers.

Thereafter, local officers/employees, state officers, and specified state employees are required to file by July 1st following each calendar year in which they hold their positions.

To determine what category your position falls under, see the "Who Must File" Instructions on page 3.

Finally, at the end of office or employment, each local officer/employee, state officer, and specified state employee is required to file a final disclosure form (Form 1F) within 60 days of leaving office or employment.