

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

Filer's Information

Walsh, Samuel

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Other Federal Government Positions Held During the Preceding 12 Months:

None

Names of Congressional Committees Considering Nomination:

- Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
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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/ Walsh, Samuel [electronically signed on 04/26/2021 by Walsh, Samuel 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/ Beard, Susan F, Certifying Official [electronically signed on 05/25/2021 by Beard, Susan F in Integrity.gov]

Other review conducted by

/s/ Kestenbaum, Rachel, Ethics Official [electronically signed on 05/25/2021 by Kestenbaum, Rachel in Integrity.gov]

U.S. Office of Government Ethics Certification

/s/ Apol, David, Certifying Official [electronically signed on 05/27/2021 by Apol, David in Integrity.gov]

1. Filer's Positions Held Outside United States Government

#	ORGANIZATION NAME	CITY, STATE	ORGANIZATION TYPE	POSITION HELD	FROM	TO
1	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Law Firm	Partner	1/2017	Present
2	Columbia Center for Global Energy Policy	New York, New York	University/College	Non-Resident Fellow	10/2017	12/2019
3	Family Trust #2	Millersville, Maryland	Trust	Co-Trustee	5/1995	Present

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

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP (law firm)	N/A		Partnership Share	\$702,974
2	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, capital account	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, cash balance pension plan	N/A	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
4	Roth IRA	No			
4.1	VANGUARD EUROPEAN STOCK INDEX (VEUSX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.2	Vanguard Midcap Index (VIMAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.3	Vanguard Intl. Growth (VWIGX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
4.4	Vanguard US Growth (VWUSX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
5	Traditional IRA	No			
5.1	Vanguard European Stock Index (VEUSX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
5.2	Vanguard Midcap Index (VIMAX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
5.3	Vanguard US Growth (VWUSX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP 401(k)	No			
6.1	American Funds 2040 Target Date R6	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		None (or less than \$201)
7	Hogan Lovells LLP 401(k)	No			
7.1	Mid-Cap Growth FID Extd Mkt Idx	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
7.2	Large Blend FID 500 Index	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
8	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP, anticipated partnership share	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)

3. Filer's Employment Agreements and Arrangements

#	EMPLOYER OR PARTY	CITY, STATE	STATUS AND TERMS	DATE
1	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Pursuant to the partnership agreement, following my withdrawal from the firm, I will receive a lump-sum payment of my capital account. This payment will be calculated as of the date of my withdrawal.	1/2017

#	EMPLOYER OR PARTY	CITY, STATE	STATUS AND TERMS	DATE
2	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Following my resignation, I will receive a lump sum payout of my cash balance pension. The firm will not make further contributions after my separation.	9/2019
3	Hogan Lovells LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan, but the plan sponsor no longer makes contributions.	9/2007
4	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	I will continue to participate in this defined contribution plan. The plan sponsor will not make further contributions after my separation.	1/2017
5	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Pursuant to the partnership agreement, following my withdrawal from the firm, I will receive my final partnership share distribution on or around the first day of the month following my departure. The total amount of the payment will be calculated based solely on the firm's earning through the date of my withdrawal from the partnership.	1/2017

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

#	SOURCE NAME	CITY, STATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
1	Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Law firm partner
2	Apple, Inc.	Cupertino, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
3	American Wind Energy Association	Washington, District of Columbia	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
4	AppDirect, Inc.	San Francisco, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
5	Carrier, Inc.	Palm Beach Gardens, Florida	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)

#	SOURCE NAME	CITY, STATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
6	Cheniere Energy, Inc.	Houston, Texas	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
7	CNA International	Wood Dale, Illinois	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
8	Center for Applied Environmental Law and Policy	Boulder, Colorado	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
9	Engie Storage Services NA LLC	Houston, Texas	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
10	Edenton Solar LLC	Cornelius, North Carolina	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
11	Finnegan Henderson	Washington, District of Columbia	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
12	Fluor-B&W Portsmouth LLC	Piketon, Ohio	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
13	Google	Mountain View, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
14	Kohn, Kohn & Colapinto LLP	Washington, District of Columbia	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
15	Lyft, Inc.	San Francisco, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
16	Microsoft Corp.	Redmond, Washington	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
17	Miller & Chevalier	Washington, District of Columbia	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
18	New York State Energy Research and Development Authority	Albany, New York	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
19	Pacific Gas and Electric Company	San Francisco, California	Legal Services in relation to bankruptcy (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)

#	SOURCE NAME	CITY, STATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
20	1 confidential client (1 individual) is not disclosed because my services were in connection with a non-public disciplinary proceeding		
21	Rheem Manufacturing Company	Atlanta, Georgia	Legal services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
22	Sunrun, Inc.	San Francisco, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
23	Southern Alliance for Clean Energy	Knoxville, Tennessee	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
24	Tesla, Inc.	Palo Alto, California	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
25	Ultra Resources Inc.	Houston, Texas	Legal Services in relation to bankruptcy (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)
26	Vivint Solar	Lehi, Utah	Legal Services (client of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP)

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

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	The Urban Institute	N/A		salary, bonus	
2	Washington Center for Equitable Growth	N/A		consulting fees	
3	Roth IRA	No			
3.1	Artisan International (ARTIX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.2	Third Avenue Value Institutional (TAVFX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.3	Vanguard 500 Index (VFIAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
4	Traditional IRA	No			
4.1	Artisan International	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.2	Third Avenue Value Institutional (TAVFX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
4.3	Vanguard 500 Index (VFIAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
5	Brennan Center for Justice 401(k)	No			
5.1	Vanguard Growth and Income Fund	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	The Brookings Institution 401(k)	No			
6.1	T-C Lifecycle 2045-Inst	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
7	Washington Center for Equitable Growth 401(k)	No			
7.1	Vanguard Instl Target Retirement 2045	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
8	The Urban Institute 401(k)	No			
8.1	T. Rowe Price Retirement 2040	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
9	American Enterprise Institute	N/A		book contribution payment	
10	"Solving for Poverty," University of California Press (value not readily ascertainable)	N/A		advance	

6. Other Assets and Income

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
1	U.S. bank #1 (cash)	N/A	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
2	Personal loan to Solid State Books, LLC	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3	Family trust #1	No			
3.1	IShares MSCI Emerging Mkts	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.2	Tweedy, Browne Global Value (TBGVX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.3	Bank of America bond	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.4	JPMorgan Chase & Co. Bond	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.5	Dodge & Cox Balanced Fund (DODBX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.6	Vanguard Balanced Index Fund Admiral Shares (VBIAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.7	iShares MSCI USA ESG Select ETF (SUSA)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.8	Janus Henderson Research Fund Class I	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.9	Skyworks Solutions, Inc. (SWKS)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.10	Johnson & Johnson (JNJ)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.11	McDonald's Corp. (MCD)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.12	Vanguard Growth Index Fund ETF Class Shares (VUG)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
3.13	Vanguard Total Stock Market Index Fund ETF	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.14	Vanguard Dividend Appreciation ETF Class Shares (VIG)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.15	Berkshire Hathaway Inc Del Class B	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.16	The Coca-Cola Co. (KO)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.17	Fenimore Asset Mgmt Tr Family Value Instl Shares	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.18	General Electric Co. (GE)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
3.19	Intel Corp. (INTC)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
4	DC College Savings 529	No			
4.1	Non-US Total Stock Market Index	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		None (or less than \$201)
5	Spouse Investment Account	No			
5.1	Templeton Foreign Fund Class A Shares (TEMFx)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		None (or less than \$201)
6	Spouse Brokerage Account	No			
6.1	U.S. brokerage (cash)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
6.2	Norfolk Southern Corp. (NSC)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
6.3	Pfizer Inc. (PFE)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
6.4	Procter & Gamble Co. (PG)	N/A	\$50,001 - \$100,000	Dividends	\$2,501 - \$5,000
6.5	Stanley Black & Decker, Inc. (SWK)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
6.6	Verizon Communications, Inc. (VZ)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
6.7	Invesco High Yield Fund Inv Cl Shs (HYINX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		\$201 - \$1,000
6.8	FAM Value Fund Investor Class Shares (FAMVX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
7	Brokerage Account #1	No			
7.1	U.S. brokerage #1 (cash)	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
7.2	CSX Corp. (CSX)	N/A	\$15,001 - \$50,000	Dividends	\$201 - \$1,000
7.3	America Movil SAB de CV	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
8	Brokerage Account #2	No			
8.1	Vanguard 500 Index Fund Admiral Shares (VFIAX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
8.2	Vanguard Developed Markets Index Fund Admiral Class Shares (VTMGX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
8.3	Vanguard Tax-Managed Small-Cap Fund Admiral Shares (VTMSX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		\$201 - \$1,000
8.4	Vanguard Emerging Markets Stock Index Fund Admiral Class Shares (VEMAX)	Yes	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)
9	Brokerage Account #3	No			
9.1	Schwab US Broad Market ETF (SCHB)	Yes	\$250,001 - \$500,000		\$5,001 - \$15,000

#	DESCRIPTION	EIF	VALUE	INCOME TYPE	INCOME AMOUNT
9.2	Schwab International Equity ETF (SCHF)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$2,501 - \$5,000
9.3	SPDR MSCI EAFE Fossil Fuel Reserves Free ETF (EFAX)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$201 - \$1,000
9.4	SPDR S&P 500 Fossil Fuel Reserves Free ETF (SPYX)	Yes	\$100,001 - \$250,000		\$1,001 - \$2,500
9.5	SPDR MSCI Emerging Markets Fossil Fuel Reserves Free ETF (EEMX)	Yes	\$15,001 - \$50,000		None (or less than \$201)
9.6	iShares Core S&P 500 ETF (IVV)	Yes	\$50,001 - \$100,000		\$201 - \$1,000
10	Family Trust #2	No			
10.1	Historic Residential Property, Millersville, MD	N/A	\$1,001 - \$15,000		None (or less than \$201)

7. Transactions

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

8. Liabilities

#	CREDITOR NAME	TYPE	AMOUNT	YEAR INCURRED	RATE	TERM
1	Citizens Bank	Mortgage on Personal Residence	\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	2016	3.5%	30 years

9. Gifts and Travel Reimbursements

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

Endnotes

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 (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in income was received 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 (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in income was received 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, (1) that ended the reporting period with a value greater than \$1,000 or (2) from which more than \$200 in investment income was received 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 in income was received). 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 the 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 \$415 that the filer, the filer's spouse, and dependent children received from any one source during the reporting period.
- Travel reimbursements totaling more than \$415 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 \$166 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.

Privacy Act Statement

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