FORM 6 FULL AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS 2018

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Bennett, Michael S.

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PART A -- NET WORTH

Please enter the value of your net worth as of December 31, 2018 or a more current date. [Note: Net worth is not calculated by subtracting your *reported* liabilities from your *reported* assets, so please see the instructions on page 3.]

My net worth as of 1-31, 20 19 was $ 6,471,626.

PART B -- ASSETS

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:

Household goods and personal effects may be reported in a lump sum if their aggregate value exceeds $1,000. This category includes any of the following, if not held for investment purposes: jewelry; collections of stamps, guns, and numismatic items; art objects; household equipment and furnishings; clothing; other household items; and vehicles for personal use, whether owned or leased.

The aggregate value of my household goods and personal effects (described above) is $ _____

ASSETS INDIVIDUALLY VALUED AT OVER $1,000:

DESCRIPTION OF ASSET (specific description is required - see instructions p.4)	VALUE OF ASSET
See ATTACHED	

PART C -- LIABILITIES

LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF $1,000 (See instructions on page 4):

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	AMOUNT OF LIABILITY
See ATTACHED	

JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITIES NOT REPORTED ABOVE:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	AMOUNT OF LIABILITY

PART D -- INCOME

Identify each separate source and amount of income which exceeded $1,000 during the year, including secondary sources of income. Or attach a complete copy of your 2018 federal income tax return, including all W2s, schedules, and attachments. Please redact any social security or account numbers before attaching your returns, as the law requires these documents be posted to the Commission's website.

☐ I elect to file a copy of my 2018 federal income tax return and all W2's, schedules, and attachments.
[If you check this box and attach a copy of your 2018 tax return, you need not complete the remainder of Part D.]

PRIMARY SOURCES OF INCOME (See instructions on page 5):

NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME EXCEEDING $1,000	ADDRESS OF SOURCE OF INCOME	AMOUNT
See Attached		

SECONDARY SOURCES OF INCOME [Major customers, clients, etc., of businesses owned by reporting person--see instructions on page 5]:

NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	NAME OF MAJOR SOURCES OF BUSINESS' INCOME	ADDRESS OF SOURCE	PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY OF SOURCE

PART E -- INTERESTS IN SPECIFIED BUSINESSES [Instructions on page 6]

	BUSINESS ENTITY # 1	BUSINESS ENTITY # 2	BUSINESS ENTITY # 3
NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY			
ADDRESS OF BUSINESS ENTITY	See Attached		
PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY			
POSITION HELD WITH ENTITY			
I OWN MORE THAN A 5% INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS			
NATURE OF MY OWNERSHIP INTEREST			

PART F - TRAINING

For officers required to complete annual ethics training pursuant to section 112.3142, F.S.

☑ **I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE COMPLETED THE REQUIRED TRAINING.**

OATH

I, the person whose name appears at the beginning of this form, do depose on oath or affirmation and say that the information disclosed on this form and any attachments hereto is true, accurate, and complete.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING OFFICIAL OR CANDIDATE

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF Manatee

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 28th day of May, 2019 by Sharon A. Stief.

(Signature of Notary Public--State of Florida)

SHARON A. STIEF
Commission # GG 135829
Expires December 17, 2021
Bonded Thru Troy Fain Insurance 800-385-7019

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

Personally Known ✓ OR Produced Identification

Type of Identification Produced _____

If a certified public accountant licensed under Chapter 473, or attorney in good standing with the Florida Bar prepared this form for you, he or she must complete the following statement:

I, _____, prepared the CE Form 6 in accordance with Art. II, Sec. 8, Florida Constitution, Section 112.3144, Florida Statutes, and the instructions to the form. Upon my reasonable knowledge and belief, the disclosure herein is true and correct.

Signature _____ Date _____

Preparation of this form by a CPA or attorney does not relieve the filer of the responsibility to sign the form under oath.

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

Michael S. Bennett

Diane M. Bennett

7056 Hawks Harbor circle, Bradenton, FL.

[redacted]

Personal financial Statement

1/31/19

Cash assets: Checking account approximated

Sable Palm Bank:	working account;	41,155
	Payroll account	13,816
	E15th account	1,360
	AWE	850
	Journeyman Exam	2,028
Sable Palm savings		15,342
Sable Palm CD		151,001
American Express checking		-0-
Bank of America		30,480
Bank of America		112,754
US Saving Bonds		43,500
	Total Cash	413,186

LPL Financial (Tim Self)		40,000
LCM Capital (Rob Melberth)		100,000
Total alternative investments		140,000

Real Estate:

7056 Hawks Harbor Circle, Bradenton		1,500,000
7011 301 Blvd. Bradenton		1,000,000
N/E corner Lorraine and 64	50%net	250,000
7 acres, Whitfield	50%	200,000
15 acres Ellenton	24% net	520,000
4515 E. !5th	50% net	700,000

Out Standing mortgages (non- IRA)

Mako, Pineapple,Summerland, Sarabay

Miscellaneous mortgages see attached=	1,036,536
Total Non-Liquid	5,346,536

Retirement accounts		
Michael IRA		189,113
	Includes $50,000 CD	
SEP,IRA		25,000
	Includes $25,000 CD	
Diane IRA		429,371
	Includes $50,000 CD	
Mass Mutual (deferred comp)		328,420
	Total IRA's (retirement)	971,904
	Total Assets	6,731,626
Liabilities		
Cadence Bank		250,000
	Total Liabilities	250,000
Net Worth 1/31/19		6,471,626

INCOME:

Manatee County	140000
Bright Future Electric	17,400
Political Insights	
Social Security (combined)	50,000
Ipers (DEE RETIREMENT)	12,000
Rental Income (7011 301 blvd)	102,000
4515 E 15th (with Marvin) approx..	50,000
Interest income from Private Mortgages	70,000
Total	441,400

Life insurance:

State of Florida 100,000

Manatee County 140,000