

# DISCLOSURE DIVISION

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- ☒ WAIVER REQUEST  
☐ ANSWER  
☐ RECONSIDERATION REQUEST  
☐ UNTIMELY

DATE: 6/17/2021

DOCKET #: 2021-494

Ashley Wimberley, Director  
Disclosure Division

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## FILER INFORMATION

Name: Billy E. Billings  
Address: 1744 Melder Rd., Glenmora, LA 71433-6524  
Office/Position: McNary Board of Aldermen / McNary / Rapides  
# of Disclosures/Amendments Filed with Agency: 14  
Years Covered: 2009-2020  
Final Report: No

## REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 3 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2019  
Report ID: PFD21001193  
Original Due Date: 7/6/2020  
NOD Received: 2/1/2021  
NOD Signed by: USPS Mail Carrier - Covid-19  
PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD: 2/10/2021  
PFD/Answer Filed: 2/22/2021

## LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$600  
Days late from receipt of NOD: 12  
Total days late from initial due date: 231  
Late Fee Order Received: 3/10/2021  
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 3/30/2021  
Waiver Request Received: 3/15/2021

## COMMENTS:

Mr. Billy E. Billing stated he wife had been sick for the past two years. On January 15, 2021 his wife became very ill and had to be hospitalized; the next day she was air lifted to University Hospital in New Orleans, and placed in the Intensive Care Unit. On February 14, 2021, the day after being transferred to Riverside Hospital in Alexander, she passed away. His grandchildren and great grandchildren had been checking his mail and putting it all on a table until he returned home. His daughter-in-law found the NOD, and called the office on his behalf to find out what needed to be completed. He does not know who signed for the NOD and the children didn't know that the letter was important as it was mixed in with the regular mail. This is Mr. Billings first late fee assessment.

## OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

### Disclosure Statements:

- Other Outstanding Statements: No
- Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

### Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No

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318-447-5206

March 12, 2021

Louisiana Board of Ethics  
P.O. Box 4368  
Baton Rouge, LA. 70821

RE: Request of Waiver

Dear Sir, Madam

I am requesting the Board of Ethics to please waive the fees for year of 2019. I would like to explain the reason I didn't. My wife was ill for the last 2 last years, and I had to have surgery last year. We, my wife, and I just forgot to do it. On January 15 of this year, she was sick and had to be admitted in a local hospital, and on the 16 of January she was air lifted to University Hospital in New Orleans. She was in and out of Intensive Care Unit, she was transferred to Riverside Hospital in Alexandria on February 13, and she passed away on the following day.

My granddaughter and great grandchildren had been checking the mail and putting on the table until we came home, which we had no idea we would be gone 4 weeks. As my daughter in law was looking at the mail when she came across the letter that the Board of Ethics had sent, the days had already passed for it to be turned in, so she called the office and spoke to a lady, to make sure what I needed to do. I filed my 2019 and 2020 Tier 3 at that time and enclosed a note stated what had happened.

I don't know who signed the certified letter, but the letter was with the regular mail, and grandchildren didn't know it was important.

I hope all of you understand and grant me the waiver, I hope all of you have a Blessed Day.

Sincerely,



Billy E Billings

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## Fax Cover Sheet

Company: <u>A. Board of ETHICS</u>	From: <u>Billy E. Billings</u>
Attention: <u>Review Board</u>	
Fax number: <u>225-381-7271</u>	Date: <u>3/16/2021</u>

☐ Urgent
 ☐ Reply ASAP
 ☐ Please comment
 ☐ Please review
 ☒ For your information

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Comments:

I mailed A copy to you on Monday 15<sup>th</sup>

Thanks,  
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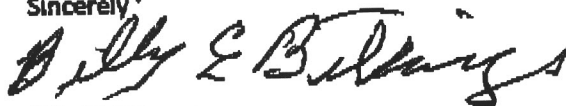
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