

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST

State/District officials file with:

Cole Jester, Secretary of State
500 Woodlane Street Room 26
Little Rock, AR 72201
Phone (501) 682-5070
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Calendar year covered 2024

(Note: Filing covers the previous calendar year)

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Arkansas Ethics Commission
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Toll Free (800) 422-7773

Is this an amendment? Yes No

Please provide complete information. If the information requested in a particular section does not apply to you, indicate such by noting "Not Applicable" in that section. Do not leave any part of this form blank. If additional space is needed, you may attach the information to this document. Do not file this form with the Arkansas Ethics Commission.

SECTION 1- NAME AND ADDRESS

Name Nichols Mark Andrew
(Last) (First) (Middle)
Address 4412 Engelberg Rd. Pocahontas AR 72455
(Street or P.O. Box Number) (City) (State) (Zip Code)
Phone 870-351-9878
Spouse's name Nichols Stephanie
(Last) (First) (Middle)
All names under which you and/or your spouse do business: Mark Nichols; Stephanie Nichols

SECTION 2- REASON FOR FILING

- Public Official _____
(office held)
- Candidate State Representative District 01
(office sought)
- District Judge _____
(name of district)
- City Attorney _____
(name of city)
- State Government: Agency Head/Department Director/Division Director _____
(name of agency/department/division)
- Chief of Staff or Chief Deputy _____
(name of Constitutional Officer, Senate, or House of Representatives)
- Public appointee to State Board or Commission _____
(name of board/commission)
- School Board member _____ **FILED**
(name of school district)
- Candidate for school board _____ **NOV 20 2025**
(name of school district)
- Public or Charter School Superintendent _____ **Arkansas**
(name of school district/school) **Secretary of State**
- Executive Director of Education Service Cooperative _____
(name of cooperative)
- Advertising and Promotion Commission member _____
(name of advertising and promotion commission)
- Research Park Authority Board member under A.C.A. § 14-144-201 et seq. _____
(name of research park authority board)

SECTION 2- REASON FOR FILING (continued)

- Appointee to one of the following municipal, county or regional boards or commissions (list name of board or commission):
- Planning board or commission _____
 - Airport board or commission _____
 - Water or Sewer board or commission _____
 - Utility board or commission _____
 - Civil Service commission _____

SECTION 3- SOURCE OF INCOME

List each employer and/or each other source of income from which you, your spouse, or any other person for the use or benefit of you or your spouse receives gross income amounting to more than \$1,000. (You are not required to disclose the individual items of income that constitute a portion of the gross income of the business or profession from which you or you spouse derives income. For example: accountants, attorneys, farmers, contractors, etc. do not have to list their individual clients.) If you receive gross income exceeding \$1,000 from at least one source, the answer N/A is not correct.

- a) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Traffic Engineering Solutions, PLLC
(name of employer or source of income)
4412 Engelberg Rd. Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Mark A. Nichols
(name under which income received)

Provide a brief description of the nature of the services for which the compensation was received Engineering Design and analysis

- b) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Nichols Property Acquisition and Management, LLC
(name of employer or source of income)
4412 Engelberg Rd. Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Mark A. Nichols; Stephanie Nichols
(name under which income received)

Provide a brief description of the nature of the services for which the compensation was received Rent Income

- c) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Family Council
(name of employer or source of income)
414 South Pulaski Street, Suite 2, Little Rock, AR 72201
(address)
Stephanie Nichols
(name under which income received)

Provide a brief description of the nature of the services for which the compensation was received Spouse Income

SECTION 4- BUSINESS OR HOLDINGS

List the name of every business in which you, your spouse or any other person for the use or benefit of you or your spouse have an investment or holding. Individual stock holdings should be disclosed. Figures should be based on fair market value at the end of the reporting period.

a) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Traffic Engineering Solutions, PLLC
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
4412 Engelberg Rd. Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Mark Nichols
(name under which investment held)

b) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Nichols Property Acquisition and Management, LLC
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
4412 Engelberg Rd. Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Mark & Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

c) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Centennial Bank
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
2500 Dave Ward Dr, Conway AR 72034
(address)
Mark & Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

d) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Farmers and Merchants Bank, Pocahontas
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
1 Bank Plaza, Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

e) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Aerovironment INC
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
241 18th Street South, #650 Arlington, VA 22202
(address)
Mark & Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

f) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

KRATOS Defense & Security Solutions, Inc.
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
• 10680 Treena Street, 6th Floor, San Diego, CA 92131
(address)
Mark & Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

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List the name of every business in which you, your spouse or any other person for the use or benefit of you or your spouse have an investment or holding. Individual stock holdings should be disclosed. Figures should be based on fair market value at the end of the reporting period.

a) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Nvidia Corp.
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
2788 San Tomas Ex., Santa Clara, CA 95051
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

b) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Ondas Holdings Inc.
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
1 Marina Park Drive, Unit 1410, Boston MA 02210
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

c) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

D-Wave Quantum Inc.
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
3033 Beta Ave Burnaby, BC V5G 4M9, Canada
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

d) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Rigetti Computing Inc.
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
775 Heinz Ave., Berkeley, CA 94710
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

e) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Mobilicom Ltd's
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
1 Rakefet Street, Shoham, 6083705, Israel
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

f) Check appropriate box: More than \$1,000 More than \$12,500

Timothy Alan Israel TICIX
(name of corporation, firm or enterprise)
1055 Maitland Center Commons, Maitland, FL 32751
(address)
Mark + Stephanie Nichols
(name under which investment held)

SECTION 5- OFFICE OR DIRECTORSHIP

List every office or directorship held by you or your spouse in any business, corporation, firm, or enterprise subject to jurisdiction of a regulatory agency of this State, or of any of its political subdivisions.

a) Traffic Engineering Solutions, PLLC
(name of business, corporation, firm, or enterprise)
4412 Engelberg Rd., Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
President
(office or directorship held)
Mark Nichols
(name of office holder)

b) Nichols Property Acquisition and management, LLC
(name of business, corporation, firm, or enterprise)
4412 Engelberg Rd., Pocahontas, AR 72455
(address)
Partner Partner
(office or directorship held)
Mark Nichols Stephanie Nichols
(name of office holder)

SECTION 6- CREDITORS

List each creditor to whom the value of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) or more was personally owed or personally obligated and is still outstanding. (This does not include debts owed to members of your family or loans made in the ordinary course of business by either a financial institution or a person who regularly and customarily extends credit.)

a) NEA Baptist Memorial Hospital
(name of creditor)
4800 E. Johnson Ave.; Jonesboro, AR 72405
(address of creditor)

b) _____
(name of creditor)

_____ (address of creditor)

c) _____
(name of creditor)

_____ (address of creditor)

SECTION 7- PAST-DUE AMOUNTS OWED TO GOVERNMENT Not Applicable

List the name and address of each governmental body to which you are legally obligated to pay a past-due amount and a description of the nature of the amount of the obligation.

a) _____ (name of governmental body) _____ (address of governmental body)

_____ (amount owed) _____ (nature of the obligation)

b) _____ (name of governmental body) _____ (address of governmental body)

_____ (amount owed) _____ (nature of the obligation)

SECTION 12- DIRECT REGULATION OF BUSINESS

List any business which employs you and is under direct regulation or subject to direct control by the governmental body which you serve.

a) Traffic Engineering Solutions, PLLC
(name of business)
State Board of Licensure for Engineers and Professional Surveyors
(governmental body which regulates or controls)

b) _____
(name of business)

_____ (governmental body which regulates or controls)

c) _____
(name of business)

_____ (governmental body which regulates or controls)

d) _____
(name of business)

_____ (governmental body which regulates or controls)

SECTION 13- SALES TO GOVERNMENTAL BODY Not Applicable

List the goods or services sold to the governmental body for which you serve which have a total annual value in excess of \$1,000. List the compensation paid for each category of goods or services sold by you or any business in which you or your spouse is an officer, director, or stockholder owning more than 10% of the stock of the company.

a) _____
(goods or services)

_____ (governmental body to whom sold)

_____ (compensation paid)

b) _____
(goods or services)

_____ (governmental body to whom sold)

_____ (compensation paid)

c) _____
(goods or services)

_____ (governmental body to whom sold)

_____ (compensation paid)

d) _____
(goods or services)

_____ (governmental body to whom sold)

_____ (compensation paid)

SECTION 14- SIGNATURE

I certify under penalty of false swearing that the above information is true and correct.

Mark Sackels

Signature

STATE OF ARKANSAS

COUNTY OF Randolph } ss

Subscribed and sworn before me this 20th day of November, 2025.

LESLIE GODWIN
RANDOLPH COUNTY
NOTARY PUBLIC-ARKANSAS
My Commission Expires March 02, 2033
Commission No. 12722615

Leslie Godwin
Notary Public

My commission expires: March 02, 2033

Note: If faxed, notary seal must be legible (i.e., either stamped or raised and inked) and the original must follow within ten (10) days pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 21-8-703(b)(3).

IMPORTANT

Where to file:

- State or district candidates/public servants file with the Secretary of State.
- Appointees to state boards/commissions file with the Secretary of State.
- County, township, and school district candidates/public servants file with the county clerk.
- Municipal candidates/public servants file with the city clerk or recorder, as the case may be.
- City attorneys file with the city clerk of the municipality in which they serve.
- District judges file with the Secretary of State.
- Members of regional boards or commissions file with the county clerk of the county in which they reside.
- Executive directors of education service cooperatives file with the county clerk.

General Information:

- * The Statement of Financial Interest should be filed by January 31 of each year.
- * The filing covers the previous calendar year.
- * Candidates for elective office shall file the Statement of Financial Interest for the previous calendar year on the first Monday following the close of the period to file as a candidate for elective office unless already filed by January 31. In addition, if the party filing period ends before January 1 of the year of the general election, candidates for elective office shall file a Statement of Financial Interest for the previous calendar year by no later than January 31 of the year of the general election.
- * Agency heads, department directors, and division directors of state government shall file the Statement of Financial Interest within thirty (30) days of appointment or employment unless already filed by January 31.
- * Appointees to state boards or commissions shall file the Statement of Financial Interest within thirty (30) days after appointment unless already filed by January 31.
- * If a person is included in any category listed above for any part of a calendar year, that person shall file a Statement of Financial Interest covering that period of time regardless of whether they have left their office or position as of the date the statement is due.