

**COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**113<sup>th</sup> Congress Disclosure Form**  
**As required by and provided for in House Rule XI, clause 2(g) and**  
**the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources**

*Oversight hearing on data collection issues in relation to the reauthorization of the Magnuson-Stevens  
Fishery Conservation and Management Act  
Tuesday, May 21, 2013*

For Individuals:

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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

1. Name:
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:
3. Business Address:
4. Business Email Address:
5. Business Phone Number:

## For all Witnesses

Dr. F. Jay Breidt, Colorado State University

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a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

- 1991 PhD, Statistics, Colorado State University
- 1989 MS, Statistics, Colorado State University

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

- 2006, Elected Member, International Statistical Institute
- 2004, Fellow, American Statistical Association
- 2004, Distinguished Achievement Award, American Statistical Association Section on Statistics & the Environment

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

- Member, National Academy of Sciences, Committee to Review Recreational Fisheries Survey Methods, 01/05-09/06
- Professor, Department of Statistics, Colorado State University, 06/02-Present
- Member, Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee, 10/06-Present
- Associate Editor, *Journal of Survey Statistics and Methodology*, 02/12-Present.
- Associate Editor, *Advances in Statistical Analysis*, 05/11-Present
- Associate Editor, *Electronic Journal of Statistics*, 01/10-Present

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of Commerce that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

- 10/12-08/13, Technical and Consulting Support Services for the Marine Recreational Information Program (MRIP), Electronic Consulting Services, Inc., \$36,069.12
- 01/11-10/12, NOAA Marine Recreational Information Program Estimation and Sampling Designs Project, Oak Management, \$75,200.
- 01/10-09/10, Support in the Development and Maintenance of Improved Marine Recreational Information Program (MRIP), ICF Macro, \$33,000.
- 01/09-12/09, Improved Estimation Methods for MRFSS, Oak Management, \$16,900 (grant to Colorado State University for graduate student support; J. Opsomer, PI; J. Breidt, Co-PI).

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

- None.

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

- None.

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

I have had numerous interactions with the federal statistical system, including the following:

- 2006–Present: Member, Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee;
- 2004–Present: served on four National Academy of Sciences’ panels reviewing federal survey efforts;
- 1998–2004: Member, Vice-chair, and Chair; American Statistical Association’s Committee on Energy Statistics, providing statistical advice to the Energy Information Administration of the Department of Energy;
- Fall 1998 American Statistical Association / National Science Foundation, Bureau of Labor Statistics / Census Bureau Senior Research Fellow
- PI/Co-PI from 1991–Present on cooperative agreements and grants for research related to federal surveys:
  - USDA NRCS (National Resources Inventory);
  - EPA (Environmental Monitoring & Assessment Program);
  - US Forest Service (Forest Inventory and Analysis);
  - BLS/Census (Current Population Survey, American Community Survey, Consumer Expenditure Survey);

## **Witnesses Representing Organizations**

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- h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.
  
- i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of Commerce that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).
  
- j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).
  
- k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.
  
- l. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).