

## Truth in Testimony Disclosure Form

In accordance with Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5)\* of the *Rules of the House of Representatives* and the Rules of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, witnesses are asked to disclose the following information. Please complete this form electronically by filling in the provided blanks.

**Committee:** House Committee on Veterans' Affairs

**Subcommittee:** Economic Opportunity

**Hearing Date:** May 21, 2025

**Hearing Title** :

Pushing VA Forward: Review of VA's Adaptive Programs for Disabled Veterans

**Witness Name:** Craig Schrimsher

**Position/Title:** Vice President of The Braun Corporation

**Witness Type:** ☐ Governmental ☒ Non-governmental

**Are you representing yourself or an organization?** ☐ Self ☒ Organization

**If you are representing an organization, please list what entity or entities you are representing:**

The Braun Corporation

### **FOR WITNESSES APPEARING IN A NON-GOVERNMENTAL CAPACITY**

Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.

Are you a fiduciary—including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent—of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing? If so, please list the name of the organization(s) or entities.

Yes, I am a Vice President of the Braun Corporation.



**Please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) related to the hearing's subject matter that you, the organization(s) you represent, or entities for which you serve as a fiduciary have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the source and amount of each grant or contract.**

The Braun Corporation is a repeat Federal contractor with the VA and can give further details upon request.

**Please list any contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government, foreign adversary - controlled entity, or an entity or country of particular concern (as designated by the Secretary of State) and related to the hearing's subject that you, the organization(s) you represent or its affiliates, or entities for which you serve as a fiduciary, have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the amount and country of origin of each contract or payment.**

While The Braun Corporation manufactures disability accessible vehicles, it is mobility equipment dealers that contract with the VA to provide veterans with The Braun Corporation's vehicles. Many of these dealers are independently owned small businesses. The Braun Corporation does have one dealer subsidiary, United Access, with 43 locations. Because each vehicle sale to a veteran requires a separate contract, it is impractical to list all contracts here. However, according to public records, since May 21, 2022, United Access has received \$11,044,516.32 in federal contracts from the Department of Veteran's Affairs. We are happy to provide further details upon request.

**Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.**

- ☒ I have attached a written statement of proposed testimony.
- ☐ I have attached my curriculum vitae or biography.

\*Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5), of the U.S. House of Representatives provides:

(5)(A) Each committee shall, to the greatest extent practicable, require witnesses who appear before it to submit in advance written statements of proposed testimony and to limit their initial presentations to the committee to brief summaries thereof.

(B) In the case of a witness appearing in a non-governmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include— (i) a curriculum vitae; (ii) a disclosure of any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government, received during the past 36 months by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness and related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (iii) a disclosure of whether the witness is a fiduciary (including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent) of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing.

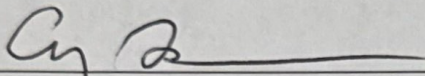
(C) The disclosure referred to in subdivision (B)(ii) shall include— (i) the amount and source of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (ii) the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract related to the subject matter of the hearing originating with a foreign government.

(D) Such statements, with appropriate redactions to protect the privacy or security of the witness, shall be made publicly available in electronic form 24 hours before the witness appears to the extent practicable, but not later than one day after the witness appears.



**False Statements Certification**

Knowingly providing materially false information to this committee/subcommittee, or knowingly concealing material information from this committee/subcommittee, is a crime (18 U.S.C. § 1001). This form will be made part of the hearing record.

  
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Witness signature

5/13/2025  
Date