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STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS
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TOWN OF YUCCA VALLEY
TOWN CLERKS OFFICE

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NAME OF FILER (LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)
Abel Merl Richard

1. Office, Agency, or Court

Agency Name (Do not use acronyms)

Town of Yucca Valley

Division, Board, Department, District, if applicable

Your Position

► If filing for multiple positions, list below or on an attachment. (Do not use acronyms)

Agency: **Morongo Basin Transit Authority** Position: **Board Member - Present**
Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District 2013 Board Member

2. Jurisdiction of Office (Check at least one box)

- State
- Multi-County _____
- City of **Town of Yucca Valley**
- Judge or Court Commissioner (Statewide Jurisdiction)
- County of **San Bernardino**
- Other _____

3. Type of Statement (Check at least one box)

- Annual:** The period covered is January 1, 2013, through December 31, 2013.
- or-
- The period covered is _____, through December 31, 2013.
- Assuming Office:** Date assumed _____
- Leaving Office:** Date Left ____/____/____
(Check one)
- The period covered is January 1, 2013, through the date of leaving office.
- The period covered is _____, through the date of leaving office.
- Candidate:** Election year _____ and office sought, if different than Part 1: _____

4. Schedule Summary

Check applicable schedules or "None."

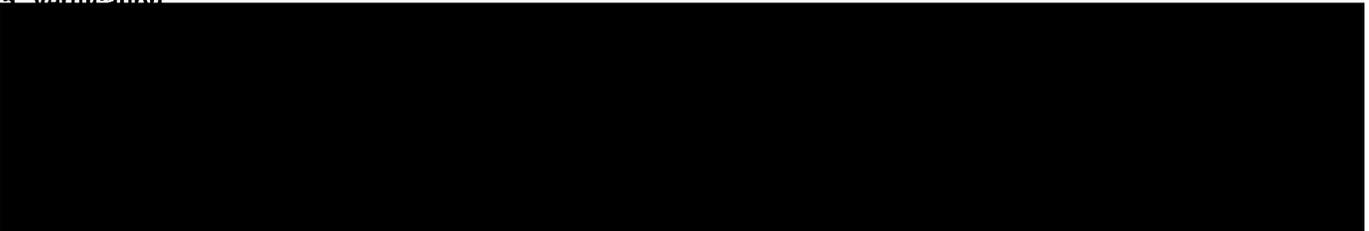
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- Schedule A-1 - Investments** - schedule attached
- Schedule A-2 - Investments** - schedule attached
- Schedule B - Real Property** - schedule attached
- Schedule C - Income, Loans, & Business Positions** - schedule attached
- Schedule D - Income - Gifts** - schedule attached
- Schedule E - Income - Gifts - Travel Payments** - schedule attached

-or-

None - No reportable interests on any schedule

5. Verification



I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date Signed 02/25/2014
(month, day, year)

SCHEDULE A-1

Investments

Stocks, Bonds, and Other Interests

(Ownership Interest is Less Than 10%)

Do not attach brokerage or financial statements.

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Name

Merl Richard Abel

▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
TD Ameritrade

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS BUSINESS
Roth IRA

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
 Stock Other _____
(Describe)

Partnership Income Received of \$0 - \$499
 Income Received of \$500 or More (Report on Schedule C)

IF APPLICABLE, LIST DATE:
____/____/13 ____/____/13
ACQUIRED DISPOSED

▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
STRS

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS BUSINESS
Calif. Teacher Retirement

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
 Stock Other retirement benefits
(Describe)

Partnership Income Received of \$0 - \$499
 Income Received of \$500 or More (Report on Schedule C)

IF APPLICABLE, LIST DATE:
____/____/13 ____/____/13
ACQUIRED DISPOSED

▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
Life Ins. of the Southwest

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS BUSINESS
Annuity 403(b)

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
 Stock Other _____
(Describe)

Partnership Income Received of \$0 - \$499
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▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
Franklin Templeton Funds

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS BUSINESS
Retirement Account

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
 Stock Other retirement account
(Describe)

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ACQUIRED DISPOSED

Comments: _____

SCHEDULE D
Income – Gifts

Name
Merl Richard Abel

▶ NAME OF SOURCE *(Not an Acronym)*
Cactus Sew-Ables Quilt Guild

ADDRESS *(Business Address Acceptable)*
P.O. Box 298 Yucca Valley, CA. 92286

BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE

DATE (mm/dd/yy)	VALUE	DESCRIPTION OF GIFT(S)
10 / 07 / 13	\$ 150.00	Quilt
___ / ___ / ___	\$ _____	_____
___ / ___ / ___	\$ _____	_____

▶ NAME OF SOURCE *(Not an Acronym)*

ADDRESS *(Business Address Acceptable)*

BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE

DATE (mm/dd/yy)	VALUE	DESCRIPTION OF GIFT(S)
___ / ___ / ___	\$ _____	_____
___ / ___ / ___	\$ _____	_____
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