

2012 NEW HAMPSHIRE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS - RSA 15-A



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Full Name John H. Lynch Work Address 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301

Primary Occupation Governor e-mail *optional _____ Work Phone 603-271-2121

The office, position, appointment, or employment with state government held by you. NO ACRONYMS Governor of the State of New Hampshire

A. List below the name, address, and type of any profession, business, or other organization in which you or a family member was an officer, director, associate, partner, proprietor, or employee, or served in any other professional or advisory capacity, and from which any income in excess of \$10,000 was derived during the preceding calendar year. Sources of retirement benefits other than federal retirement and/or disability benefits shall be included. (Use additional sheets as necessary.)

1. Governor, State of New Hampshire, 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301 (state salary)*
 2. Children's Hospital at Dartmouth, 100 Hitchcock Way, Manchester, NH (spouse's salary)*
*See attached statement regarding the John H. Lynch Blind Trust, the Susan E. Upton Lynch Blind Trust and the Gould Hill Trust
- If you have no qualifying income indicate by writing your initials next to the following statement. My income does not qualify

B. Indicate below whether you or a family member has a special interest in any of the following businesses, professions, occupations, groups, or matters. A person has a reportable special interest in an item on this list if a change in law, a change in administrative rule, a decision whether or not to award a contract, grant a license or permit, discipline a licensee or permittee, or other decision by government affecting the listed business, profession, occupation, group, or matter would potentially have a greater financial effect on you or a family member than it would on the general public:

1. Any profession, occupation, or business licensed or certified by the State of New Hampshire. List each such profession, occupation, or category of business: _____

<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Health Care	<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> 4. Real Estate, including brokers, agent, developers, and landlords	<input type="checkbox"/> 5. Banking or financial services	<input type="checkbox"/> 6. State of New Hampshire, county, or municipal employment
<input type="checkbox"/> 7. N.H. Retirement System	<input type="checkbox"/> 8. Current use land assessment program	<input type="checkbox"/> 9. Restaurants/ lodging	<input type="checkbox"/> 10. Sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages	<input type="checkbox"/> 11. Practice of law
<input type="checkbox"/> 12. Any business regulated by the Public Utilities Commission		<input type="checkbox"/> 13. Horse or dog racing, or other legal forms of gambling	<input type="checkbox"/> 14. Education	<input type="checkbox"/> 15. Water Resources
<input type="checkbox"/> 16. Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> 17. N.H. taxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Business Profits Tax <input type="checkbox"/> Business Enterprise Tax <input type="checkbox"/> Interest and Dividends Tax	<input type="checkbox"/> 18. Optional: Specify any other area in which you have a special interest ---		

I have read RSA 15-A and hereby swear or affirm that the foregoing information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. **RSA 15-A:9 Penalty.** Any person who knowingly fails to comply with the provisions of this chapter or knowingly files a false statement shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Date 1/20/12

 Signature of Reporting Individual

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**NEW HAMPSHIRE
 SECRETARY OF STATE**

Governor John Lynch
Attachment to New Hampshire Statement of Financial Interest – RSA 15-A
January 15, 2012

Dr. Susan Lynch is a physician licensed by the State of New Hampshire. As Governor, John H. Lynch is eligible for participation in the New Hampshire Retirement System.

Governor John Lynch and Dr. Susan Lynch placed their assets (except as noted below) into three blind trusts (John H. Lynch Blind Trust, Susan E. Upton Lynch Blind Trust, and The Gould Hill Trust) in December 2004 and early January 2005. Under the terms of the legal contract creating the blind trusts, they will not receive any information about the specific investments of the trusts, or have any say in how the trusts' assets are invested. They receive quarterly reports only on the total value of the trusts, and they are subject to state interest and dividends taxes. Real estate subject to RSA 79-A was placed in trust.

Governor John Lynch also resigned as president of the J.H. Lynch Advisory Group, Inc. and placed the stock of the firm into his blind trust.

As he has done in previous public filings, Governor Lynch is also disclosing certain investments which exceeded 1% or more of the total outstanding stock of a business entity that were placed in the blind trusts. Under the terms of the blind trusts, Governor Lynch has no knowledge of whether these investments remain in the trust or not. The investments are:

- 1.) Knoll Inc.
- 2.) J.H. Lynch Advisory Group, Inc. (this business entity may be subject to state business taxes).

Governor Lynch is also disclosing investments he made through the J.H. Lynch Advisory Group, Inc. Under the terms of the blind trusts, Governor Lynch has no knowledge of the status of these investments.

- 1.) \$500,000 loan to Stone Sled Farm, LLC, which owned land on Wood Hill-Hooksett Road in Bow, NH.
- 2.) \$20,000 investment in Balanced View Communications, which owned WSNH, a radio station in Nashua.

On April 27, 2006, another trust under the name of The Gould Hill B Trust was established. It was established for the purpose of acquiring real property on Gould Hill in Hopkinton, and it acquired property on June 27, 2006.