



Los Angeles City Ethics Commission

September 2, 2015

The Honorable City Council  
c/o Holly Wolcott, City Clerk  
200 North Spring Street  
City Hall – 3rd Floor  
Los Angeles CA 90012

**Re: Council File Number 15-0968  
Appointment of Cynthia Ruiz to the  
Los Angeles City Employees Retirement System Board**

***FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION***

Dear Councilmembers:

Cynthia Ruiz was appointed by the Mayor to the Los Angeles City Employees Retirement System Board on August 14, 2015. The Ethics Commission received Ms. Ruiz's pre-confirmation financial disclosure statement on September 2, 2015. In compliance with Los Angeles Municipal Code § 49.5.10, a copy of Ms. Ruiz's financial disclosure statement is enclosed.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at (213) 978-1960.

Sincerely,

Alexandria Latragna  
Senior Ethics Analyst

*Enclosures:*

*CA Form 700*  
*CEC Form 60*

cc: Mayor Eric Garcetti

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Please type or print in ink.

NAME OF FILER (LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)  
Ruiz Cynthia Marie RECEIVED

1. Office, Agency, or Court

Agency Name (Do not use acronyms)  
Los Angeles City Employees Retirement System Board

Division, Board, Department, District, if applicable  
Comission

Your Position  
Comissioner

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

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

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

- State
- Multi-County \_\_\_\_\_
- City of Los Angeles
- Judge or Court Commissioner (Statewide Jurisdiction)
- County of \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

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

- Annual: The period covered is January 1, 2014, through December 31, 2014.
- Leaving Office: Date Left \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (Check one)
- The period covered is January 1, 2014, through the date of leaving office.
- Assuming Office: Date assumed 9/16/2015
- 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." Total number of pages including this cover page: \_\_\_\_\_

- 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
- None - No reportable interests on any schedule

5. Verification

MAILING ADDRESS STREET CITY STATE ZIP CODE  
(Business or Agency Address Recommended - Public Document)

DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER E-MAIL ADDRESS

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed this statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in any attached schedules is true and complete. I acknowledge this is a public document.

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

Date Signed 9-1-15 Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(month, day, year)

**SCHEDULE A-2**  
**Investments, Income, and Assets**  
**of Business Entities/Trusts**  
(Ownership Interest is 10% or Greater)

Name  
Cynthia M. Ruiz

**1. BUSINESS ENTITY OR TRUST**

Cynthia M. Ruiz & Associates

Name  
[Redacted] 90032

Address (Business Address Acceptable)

Check one  
 Trust, go to 2     Business Entity, complete the box, then go to 2

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS BUSINESS**  
*Consulting - Community Outreach*

FAIR MARKET VALUE                      IF APPLICABLE, LIST DATE:

\$0 - \$1,999  
 \$2,000 - \$10,000                      2/10/15                          /     / 14  
 \$10,001 - \$100,000                      ACQUIRED                      DISPOSED  
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000  
 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT  
 Partnership     Sole Proprietorship     Other

YOUR BUSINESS POSITION Owner

**2. IDENTIFY THE GROSS INCOME RECEIVED (INCLUDE YOUR PRO RATA SHARE OF THE GROSS INCOME TO THE ENTITY/TRUST)**

\$0 - \$499                       \$10,001 - \$100,000  
 \$500 - \$1,000                       OVER \$100,000  
 \$1,001 - \$10,000

**3. LIST THE NAME OF EACH REPORTABLE SINGLE SOURCE OF INCOME OF \$10,000 OR MORE (Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)**

None    or     Names listed below

**4. INVESTMENTS AND INTERESTS IN REAL PROPERTY HELD OR LEASED BY THE BUSINESS ENTITY OR TRUST**

Check one box:  
 INVESTMENT                       REAL PROPERTY

Name of Business Entity, if Investment, or Assessor's Parcel Number or Street Address of Real Property

Description of Business Activity or City or Other Precise Location of Real Property

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 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INTEREST  
 Property Ownership/Deed of Trust     Stock     Partnership

Leasehold \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs. remaining     Other \_\_\_\_\_

Check box if additional schedules reporting investments or real property are attached

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Name

Name

Address (Business Address Acceptable)

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Comments: \_\_\_\_\_



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# Restricted Source Financial Disclosure Statement CEC Form 60

*Elected City officials, general managers and chief administrative officers of City agencies, members of City boards and commissions, and individuals nominated to positions subject to City Council approval must file this form in conjunction with the state Form 700. Please refer to the attached instructions for additional information.*

Original Filing  Amended Filing (original filed on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/20\_\_\_)

Total Pages: 2

Name: Ruiz Cynthia Marie  
 (Last, First, Middle)

LOS ANGELES CITY ETHICS COMMISSION

SEP 2 2015

Agency: LA City Employees Retirement : Position: Commissioner

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Phone: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Type of Statement:  Pre-confirmation Date of nomination: 8<sup>th</sup> / 14 / 20<sup>15</sup>  
 Assuming Office First day in position: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20<sup>15</sup>  
 Annual \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20<sup>14</sup> through December 31, 20<sup>14</sup>  
 Leaving Office Last day in office: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20\_\_\_

**I had the following interests associated with restricted sources during this reporting period:**

**1. REAL PROPERTY**

The following interest in real property was leased from or to, co-owned by, purchased from, or sold to a restricted source.

Name of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address or assessor's parcel number of real property: \_\_\_\_\_

Interest co-owned/purchased/sold by/leased by or to:  Me  My spouse/registered domestic partner  
 My dependent child

Interest was:  Leased  Co-owned  Purchased (date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20\_\_\_)  Sold (date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20\_\_\_)

Nature of interest:  Ownership/Deed or Trust  Easement  Leasehold (years remaining: \_\_\_)  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Value of interest:  \$2,000—\$10,000  \$10,001—\$100,000  \$100,001—\$1,000,000  Over \$1,000,000

Do you have additional real property interests to report?  No  Yes, and \_\_\_ additional pages are attached.

**2. INVESTMENTS**

The following investments (other than real property) were co-owned by, purchased from, or sold to a restricted source.

Name of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of investment: \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of investment:  Stock  Partnership  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Investment co-owned/purchased/sold by:  Me  My spouse/registered domestic partner  My dependent child

Investment was:  Co-owned  Purchased (date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20\_\_\_)  Sold (date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / 20\_\_\_)

Value of investment:  \$2,000—\$10,000  \$10,001—\$100,000  \$100,001—\$1,000,000  Over \$1,000,000

Do you have additional investments to report?  No  Yes, and \_\_\_ additional pages are attached.



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**3. INCOME**

The following income was received from a restricted source.

Name of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Business activity of source: \_\_\_\_\_

Your business position: \_\_\_\_\_

Income received by:  Me  My spouse/registered domestic partner  My dependent child

Value of income:  \$500—\$1,000  \$1,001—\$10,000  \$10,001—\$100,000  Over \$100,000

Income was:  Salary/Commission  Loan repayment  Rental income  Sale of \_\_\_\_\_

(e.g., car, boat, etc.)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have additional income to report?  No  Yes, and \_\_\_\_\_ additional pages are attached.

**4. GIFTS**

The following gifts cumulatively valued at \$50 or more were received from a restricted source.

Name of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Business activity of source: \_\_\_\_\_

Gifts received by:  Me  My spouse/registered domestic partner  My dependent child

Dates received: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/20\_\_\_\_; \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/20\_\_\_\_ Value of gifts: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of gifts: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have additional gifts to report?  No  Yes, and \_\_\_\_\_ additional pages are attached.

**5. BOARD POSITIONS**

The following position was held on the board of a restricted source.

Name of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of restricted source: \_\_\_\_\_

Position title: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held by:  Me  My spouse/registered domestic partner  My dependent child

Do you have additional positions to report?  No  Yes, and \_\_\_\_\_ additional pages are attached.

**6. NO INTERESTS**

I had no reportable interests in real property, investments, income, gifts, or board positions associated with restricted sources during this reporting period.

**Certification**

*I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the City of Los Angeles and the state of California that I have read the instructions for this form, and the information I have provided is true and complete.*

8-27-15  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_