

**DISCLOSURE BY NON-ELECTED STATE EMPLOYEE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST
AND DETERMINATION BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY
AS REQUIRED BY G. L. c. 268A, § 6**

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	STATE EMPLOYEE INFORMATION
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	My duties require me to participate in a particular matter, and I may not participate because of a financial interest that I am disclosing here. I request a determination from my appointing authority about how I should proceed.
	PARTICULAR MATTER
Particular matter E.g., a judicial or other proceeding, application, submission, request for a ruling or other determination, contract, claim, controversy, charge, accusation, arrest, decision, determination, or finding.	Please describe the particular matter. Request for Responses (RFR) for professional services to analyze trends in Massachusetts health care costs using the Commonwealth's All-Payer-Claims Database.
Your required participation in the particular matter: E.g., approval, disapproval, decision, recommendation, rendering advice, investigation, other.	Please describe the task you are required to perform with respect to the particular matter. Participate in drafting and serving as a technical advisor in the development of the RFR and serving as project manager following the contract award. I will not serve as a member of the selection committee.
	FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE PARTICULAR MATTER
Write an X by all that apply.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have a financial interest in the matter. <input type="checkbox"/> My immediate family member has a financial interest in the matter. <input type="checkbox"/> My business partner has a financial interest in the matter.

	<p>___ I am an officer, director, trustee, partner or employee of a business organization, and the business organization has a financial interest in the matter.</p> <p>___ I am negotiating or have made an arrangement concerning future employment with a person or organization, and the person or organization has a financial interest in the matter.</p>
Financial interest in the matter	<p>Please explain the financial interest and include a dollar amount if you know it.</p> <p>I own employee stock in 2 firms that are likely bidders in the RFR.</p> <p><u>Investment in Mathematica Policy Research, Inc.</u> I own employee stock in Mathematica worth approximately \$41,000. This represents approximately .03 percent of shares outstanding and less than two percent of my immediate family's net financial worth. I intend to divest this stock and have begun the process to do so.</p> <p>In my best judgment, the estimated value of any HPC contract would be less than one percent of Mathematica's revenue and a reasonable investor would not consider it material in deciding whether to buy, hold, or sell this stock.</p> <p><u>Investment in Abt Associates, Inc.</u> I own employee stock in Abt worth approximately \$47,000. This represents less than .05 percent of shares outstanding and less than two percent of my immediate family's net financial worth. I have been in the process of divesting this stock over the past two years and will continue this process.</p> <p>In my best judgment, the estimated value of any HPC contract would be less than one half of one percent of Abt's revenue and a reasonable investor would not consider it material in deciding whether to buy, hold, or sell this stock.</p>
Employee signature:	<i>Maria V Wrobel</i>
Date:	<i>6/12/2013</i>

DETERMINATION BY APPOINTING OFFICIAL

	APPOINTING AUTHORITY INFORMATION
Name of Appointing Authority:	David M. Seltz
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	DETERMINATION

<p>Determination by appointing authority:</p> <p>Write an X by your selection.</p>	<p>As appointing official, as required by G.L. c. 268A, § 6, I have reviewed the particular matter and the financial interest identified above by a state employee.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am assigning the particular matter to another employee, or</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am assuming responsibility for the particular matter, or</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have determined that the financial interest is not so substantial as to be deemed likely to affect the integrity of the services which the Commonwealth may expect from the employee.</p>
<p>Appointing Authority signature:</p>	
<p>Date:</p>	<p>06-13-13</p>
<p>Comment:</p>	

Attach additional pages if necessary.

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