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INDIANA STATE
ETHICS COMMISSION
**ETHICS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – DECISIONS AND VOTING**

 State Form 55860 (R / 10-15)
OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL
IC 4-2-6-9

In accordance with IC 4-2-6-9, you must file your disclosure with the State Ethics Commission no later than seven (7) days after the conduct that gives rise to the conflict. You must also include a copy of the notification provided to your agency appointing authority and ethics officer when filing this disclosure. This disclosure will be posted on the Inspector General's website.

Name (last) Ranney	Name (first) Chad	Name (middle) Ellis
Name of office or agency State Budget Agency		Job title State Budget Director
Address of office (number and street) Indiana Statehouse, 200 W Washington Street, Suite 212		City Indianapolis
Office telephone number (317) 233-9204		ZIP code 46204
Office e-mail address (required) CRanney@gov.IN.gov		

Describe the conflict of interest:

As the State Budget Director, Ind. Code § 4-13-2-14.1 specifies that I must approve any contract involving a state agency. Although I have budgetary approval authority, Ind. Code § 4-12-1-5 prohibits me from having a direct or indirect financial interest in any appropriation or requested appropriation that may come before the budget agency. My brother-in-law, Kevin Looney, works for elmagine Technology Group, Inc., an information technology consulting company that enters into contracts with the State. While Kevin's compensation is not directly connected to any contracts with the State, he may, at times, be assigned to a project team working on a contract with the State. As such, the State Budget Agency has implemented a screen for any contract between the State and elmagine Technology Group, Inc. that requires budget review and approval.

Describe the screen established by your ethics officer: *(Attach additional pages as needed.)*

Under the delegation of authority regarding state contract approvals, any contracts, grants, or agreements between the State and elmagine Technology Group, Inc. received by the State Budget Agency will be assigned to one of the Deputy Budget Directors. The State Budget Director will not review or be involved in approving or rejecting these agreements. Furthermore, the State Budget Director will not discuss any agreements involving elmagine Technology Group, Inc. with any employee of the State Budget Agency, the Indiana Department of Administration, the Indiana Office of Technology, or a state agency that is party to the agreement. If this screening process is breached, the State Budget Director will inform the agency's Ethics Officer and General Counsel.

AFFIRMATION

Your signature below affirms that your disclosures on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief. In addition to this form, you have attached a copy of your written disclosure to your agency appointing authority and ethics officer.

Signature of state officer, employee or special state appointee

Chad E. Ranney

Date signed (month, day, year)

March 4, 2026

Printed full name of state officer, employee or special state appointee

Chad E. Ranney

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Your signature below affirms that you have reviewed this disclosure form and that it is true, complete, and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief. You also attest that your agency has implemented the screen described above.

Signature of ethics officer

Kurt Roeder

Date signed (month, day, year)

March 4, 2026

Printed full name of ethics officer

Kurt Roeder

Garrigus, Adam

From: Roeder, Kurt <KRoeder1@sba.IN.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2026 11:10 AM
To: Crisler, Emily; Ranney, Chad
Subject: RE: Ethics Disclosure Statement (Draft)

This has been submitted to OIG.

Sincerely,

Kurt Roeder
Associate Attorney
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From: Crisler, Emily <ECrisler@sba.IN.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2026 9:19 AM
To: Roeder, Kurt <KRoeder1@sba.IN.gov>
Subject: FW: Ethics Disclosure Statement (Draft)

Attached is the ethics disclosure statement I referenced earlier.

Please let Chad and I know once it has been submitted.

Emily Crisler
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From: Ranney, Chad <CRanney@gov.IN.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2026 5:16 AM
To: Crisler, Emily <ECrisler@sba.IN.gov>
Subject: Re: Ethics Disclosure Statement (Draft)

Thanks! See the attached - I made minor edits and signed. Let me know if you disagree with my changes.

Chad E. Ranney
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From: Crisler, Emily <ECrisler@sba.IN.gov>

Date: Tuesday, March 3, 2026 at 9:46 PM

To: Ranney, Chad <CRanney@gov.IN.gov>

Subject: Ethics Disclosure Statement (Draft)

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