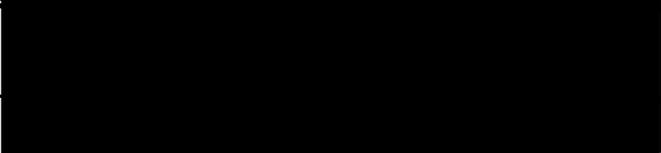


Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives
 Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth In Testimony"
 Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)

1. Your Name: Gary Shapiro		
2. Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local government entity?	Yes	No ✓
3. Are you testifying on behalf of an entity that is not a government entity?	Yes ✓	No
4. Other than yourself, please list which entity or entities you are representing: The Consumer Electronics Association (CEA)		
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that you or the entity you represent have received on or after October 1, 2009: N/A		
6. If your answer to the question in item 3 in this form is "yes," please describe your position or representational capacity with the entity or entities you are representing: I am President and CEO of CEA		
7. If your answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," do any of the entities disclosed in item 4 have parent organizations, subsidiaries, or partnerships that you are not representing in your testimony?	Yes	No ✓
8. If the answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that were received by the entities listed under the question in item 4 on or after October 1, 2009, that exceed 10 percent of the revenue of the entities in the year received, including the source and amount of each grant or contract to be listed: N/A		
9. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		

Signature: _____



Date: _____

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Gary Shapiro is president and CEO of the Consumer Electronics Association (CEA)[®], the U.S. trade association representing over 2,000 consumer electronics companies and owning and producing the continent's largest annual tradeshow, the International CES[®].

Shapiro led the industry in its successful transition to HDTV. He co-founded and chaired the HDTV Model Station and served as a leader of the Advanced Television Test Center (ATTC). He is a charter inductee to the Academy of Digital Television Pioneers, and received its highest award as the industry leader most influential in advancing HDTV. He focused on the need for and led the effort to obtain the 2009 cut-off date of analog broadcasting.

As chairman of the Home Recording Rights Coalition (HRRC), Shapiro led the manufacturers' battle to preserve the legality of recording technology and consumer fair use rights.

Shapiro has held many exhibition industry leadership posts, and received the exhibition industry's highest honor, the Pinnacle Award.

He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Northern Virginia Technology Council and the Economic Club of Washington. He sits on the State Department's Advisory Committee on International Communications and Information Policy. He has served as a member of the Commonwealth of Virginia's Commission on Information Technology and on the Board of Visitors of George Mason University. Shapiro also has been recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as a "mastermind" for his initiative in helping to create the Industry Cooperative for Ozone Layer Protection (ICOLP).

Shapiro leads a staff of 150 employees and thousands of industry volunteers and has testified before Congress on technology and business issues more than 20 times. *Washington Life* magazine has named him one of the 100 most influential people in Washington. Also, CEA has won many awards as a family friendly employer and one of the best places in Virginia to work.

Shapiro authored the 2011 bestselling book *The Comeback: How Innovation Will Restore the American Dream* (Beaufort). Through this book, as a weekly Forbes.com columnist and a regular contributor to the *Huffington Post*, *Daily Caller* and other publications, Shapiro has helped direct policymakers on the importance of innovation in the U.S. economy.

Prior to joining the association, Shapiro was an associate at the law firm of Squire Sanders. He also has worked on Capitol Hill, as an assistant to a member of Congress. He received his law degree from Georgetown University Law Center and is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate with a double major in economics and psychology from Binghamton University. He is married to Dr. Susan Malinowski, a retina surgeon.